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THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

STATED MEETING.

Tuesday, April 23, 1907, 1.30 o'clock p. m.

The Board met in the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall.

Present:

Hon. Patrick F. McGowan, President of the Board of Aldermen.

Aldermen

Elias Goodman, Vice-Chairman;	Max S. Grifenhagen, John D. Gunther, John J. Haggerty, Charles Hahn, John J. Hahn, John Hann, Patrick J. Hatton, Casper Herold, Patrick Higgins, Leonard L. Jacobson, Patrick S. Keely, William P. Kenneally, Ardolph L. Kline, Joseph Krulish, Charles L. Kuck, Charles Kuntze, James Lawlor, Harry L. Leverett, Max S. Levine, Frederick Linde, George Markert, James Cowden Meyers,	Michael J. Monahan, William E. Morris, Thomas J. Mulligan, Cornelius D. Noonan, George W. Olvany, Francis J. O'Neill, Henry Clay Peters, John J. Reardon, James W. Redmond, David S. Rendt, Frederick Richter, William Rowcroft, Joseph Schloss, George J. Schneider, James J. Smith, Michael Stapleton, Frank D. Sturges, Timothy P. Sullivan, Joseph M. Torpey, Moses J. Wafer, William Wentz, Richard Wright.
Jacob Bartscherer, B. W. B. Brown, James E. Bunting, John J. Callahan, Michael J. Carter, William S. Clifford, Charles P. Cole, John J. Collins, John J. Cronin, John R. Davies, John Diemer, Thomas D. Dinwoodie, Reginald S. Doull, Frank L. Dowling, Robert F. Downing, Andrew J. Doyle, Joseph F. Ellery, George Everson, Joseph Falk, John J. Farrell, Clarence R. Freeman,		
George Cromwell, President Borough of Richmond, by L. L. Tribus, Commissioner of Public Works.		
Joseph Bermel, President Borough of Queens.		
Louis F. Haffen, President Borough of The Bronx.		
Bird S. Coler, President Borough of Brooklyn.		
John F. Ahearn, President Borough of Manhattan.		

The Clerk proceeded to read the minutes of the stated meeting of April 16, 1907. On motion of Alderman Dowling further reading was dispensed with, and the minutes were approved as printed.

Subsequently Alderman Freeman moved a reconsideration of the vote by which the minutes were approved. Which motion was adopted.

Alderman Freeman then moved that the minutes be amended by substituting on page 194 thereof, in a motion offered by said Alderman, the figures "152" instead of "132," wherever they occur.

Which motion was adopted.

On motion of Alderman Freeman the minutes were then approved as amended.

MOTIONS, ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS.

No. 1891.

By the President—

Whereas, The records of the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York for the period covering the years from 1776 to 1784, are incomplete, and public papers, documents and records of great historical value and important in the adjustment and adjudication of legal proceedings disappeared owing to the interruption of the civil government during the period when this City was under British military rule, and

Whereas, It is a matter of general belief that the records of the City during the said period are now in the possession of the British Government or in the custody of persons or associations owing allegiance to that government; said records having been removed from The City of New York at the time of evacuation, November 25, 1783; and

Whereas, It is the desire of the local authorities to preserve and have in its possession the records, documents and papers herein referred to, because of the historical interest attaching to them and because of the great aid which they might afford in the adjustment of legal complications; therefore be it

Resolved, That his Honor, the Mayor, be requested to communicate with the Secretary of State of the United States with a view of obtaining from the British Government or through the good offices of that government the records or any part of such records, papers or documents mentioned above, and take such other action as may seem to him fit and proper to accomplish the object set forth in this resolution.

Which was adopted.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

No. 1892.

Harlem Regatta Association, New York, April 18, 1907.

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

Gentlemen—At a meeting of the Harlem Regatta Association, held recently, a resolution was adopted unanimously extending to the entire Board of Aldermen, the sincere thanks of our members, for the kindness made manifest by your Honorable Body in the passage of the resolution authorizing the City officials to appropriate the sum of \$2,500 for regatta purposes, for the regatta which is to be held on Decoration Day, May 30, on the Harlem River Speedway Course by our Association.

Although the measure was disapproved of by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, we nevertheless believe that your Honorable Body in passing said resolution were acting for the best interests of the City, and in the interests of thousands of our best citizens, who annually witness our regattas, and your action will certainly always be gratefully remembered and fully appreciated by the rowing men of this community.

With best wishes, I am very truly yours,

ALBERT MAROUSEK,

Secretary-Treasurer, Harlem Regatta Association.

Which was ordered on file.

No. 1893.

Citizens' Civic Club of New York City, Nos. 8 to 14 West One Hundred and Twenty-fifth Street, New York, April 20, 1907.

To the Board of Aldermen, City of New York:

Gentlemen—The Citizens' Civic Club, having duly considered the milk ordinance, to be voted on by the Board of Aldermen on Tuesday, April 23, 1907, believe that the demand for its passage is imperative. The organization has resolved that the interests of the people would be greatly served by this ordinance, and therefore urge the Honorable Board of Aldermen to pass this measure.

Very truly yours,

CITIZENS' CIVIC CLUB, INC.,

CHAS. KEMKE, Corresponding Secretary.

Mayer Gottschall, Chairman, Health Committee.

No. 1894.

Allied Boards of Trade and Taxpayers' Association, Bushwick and DeKalb Avenues, Brooklyn, N. Y., April 21, 1907.

Hon. P. F. McGOWAN, President of the Board of Aldermen, New York City, N. Y.: Dear Sir—I have the honor to address you on behalf of the Allied Boards of Trade and Taxpayers' Association of Brooklyn, in conformity with action taken at the last meeting, to urge that the ordinance introduced by Alderman Grifenhagen, having for its object the "Pasteurization" of milk, be promptly acted upon by the Board and enacted.

It is felt that the necessity for legislation along the line indicated in this ordinance is imperative, and that the provisions of the proposed law are conservative and fully justified by the conditions which confront the City.

The health and welfare of the people are closely dependent upon the measure, it is believed no time should be lost in enacting it.

Very respectfully,

A. FIRMIN, Secretary.

No. 1895.

Cooper Civic Club of the People's Institute, April 23, 1907.

Hon. PATRICK F. McGOWAN, President of the Board of Aldermen, City Hall, New York:

Dear Sir—The Cooper Civic Club of the People's Institute, an organization of men, meeting at No. 206 East Broadway, and active in non-partisan movements for local betterment, desires to place itself on record as strongly in favor of the proposed ordinance for improving the City's milk supply, which we understand is to come to-day before the Board of Aldermen. The exceeding importance of securing to the people, especially to children in the crowded parts of the city, a supply of pure milk, and the approach of warm weather seemed to us to make speedy action imperative. We believe that the proposed ordinance is a step in the right direction, and that its passage would be beneficial, especially to our section of the City.

Respectfully yours,

BENJAMIN FISCHER, Chairman, Local Needs Committee.

No. 1896.

Office of Vaccination, Its Pathology and Relations to Biology, No. 927 Grant Avenue, New York, April 18, 1907.

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

Gentlemen—I have read in the public press that a project has been brought before you for compelling what is called the "pasteurization" of all milk used in this City, and I write earnestly to protest against such measure being adopted until further investigation shall have been made of the character I will presently suggest.

The presence of so-called bacteria in milk is in general, normal and desirable.

What are called "bacteria" are generally the microzymas of the milk and give to the milk its vitality.

The so-called "pasteurization" destroys the vitality of the milk and infants fed upon it become rickety and scrofulous.

All this and much more elucidating the errors of the 'germ theory of disease, which the master (A. Bechamp) described as the greatest folly (in medicine) ever advanced in modern times, are set forth in the work named in the heading of this letter, and if I saw any prospect for an early publication of my work I would not trouble you with this letter.

Unfortunately the work will be very costly to manufacture, chiefly by reason of the large number of colored illustrations it contains. I do not possess the means sufficient for such manufacture, and though I expended the whole of my professional income for nearly ten years in collecting material for the work, besides thirteen years of almost constant labor, and when my professional income ceased by reason of my illness, yet spent part of the small annuity which remained to me thereon, I recognize that publishers are in business for profit, not for philanthropy, and I am forced to concede that it is unlikely that sales would cover the cost of production at least of the first edition.

Should you gentlemen think worth while to invite me to report upon the subject (that report to be my book), I am willing and hereby offer to surrender to the City my copyright under conditions only of securing the publication and my supervision of the work while passing through the press, asking nothing for my past outlay and thirteen years of labor.

But if, gentlemen, you should not desire to accept the above offer, I respectfully suggest to you another course, to be adopted only with the consent of the parents and especially of the mothers of the children to be experimented with.

Let three lots, each of, say, 1,000 (one thousand) infants be selected, always with the mothers' consent. Let one lot of 1,000 (one thousand) be vaccinated and fed upon pasteurized milk.

Let one other lot be not vaccinated but fed upon pasteurized milk.

Let a third lot of 1,000 (one thousand) be neither vaccinated nor fed upon pasteurized milk, but upon mother's milk where the mothers are healthy, and where not so, then upon pure, fresh goat's or cow's milk, properly prepared according to the age of the infant and the age of the calf or kid from whose dam the milk is procured.

Let these infants be carefully watched and a record kept of their condition as to health up to the time of weaning, and thereafter till five years of age; let each lot continue to be fed upon pasteurized milk, as to the first two lots; and the last lot upon the best fresh milk procurable; besides, as to all of the three lots, such other food as may be best fitted for such children. I should recommend, however, that no meat or fish be fed to them until the conclusion of the experiment, which in each case should be at death or five years of age.

The infants should, as nearly as possible, be drawn from the same classes as to the state of comfort of their parents.

I have the honor to be, gentlemen,

Yours very respectfully,

M. R. LEVERSON.

Which were severally referred to the Committee on Public Health.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM CITY, COUNTY AND BOROUGH OFFICERS.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Corporation Counsel:

No. 1897.

Law Department—Office of the Corporation Counsel, New York, April 16, 1907.

P. J. SCULLY, Esq., City Clerk:

Sir—On April 4, 1907, you transmitted to me for my consideration the following resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen April 2, 1907:

"Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel be and he is hereby requested to advise the Committee on Salaries and Offices whether it may properly report Resolution Int. No. 1771, fixing salaries of positions in the Police Department, with the provision for salaries to take effect prior to the date of adoption of the resolution and approval by the Mayor."

Resolution Int. No. 1771 reads as follows:

No. 1771.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting held March 22, 1907, adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of the following grades of positions in the Police Department, in addition to those already existing therein, to take effect April 1, 1907:

	Incum-bents.	Per Annum.
First Deputy Police Commissioner	1	\$6,000 00
Second Deputy Police Commissioner	1	5,000 00
Third Deputy Police Commissioner	1	5,000 00
Bookkeeper	1	4,000 00
Private Secretary to Commissioner	1	3,500 00
Assistant Bookkeeper	1	2,700 00
Executive Clerk	1	2,250 00
Stenographer and Typewriter	3	900 00

—and the establishment of the following positions in said Department, to take effect April 1, 1907:

	Incum-bents.	Per Annum.
Building Inspector	1	\$2,100 00
Typewriting Copyist	1	600 00
Law Clerk	1	1,200 00

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salaries of the above positions as set forth therein, to take effect April 1, 1907.

The one question upon which I am asked to advise the Committee relates to the validity of a resolution which in effect retroactively fixes salaries.

Under date of February 23, 1907, I advised you in relation to a resolution of the Board of Aldermen, Int. No. 1589, which involved the same proposition and expressed my opinion that a resolution of that character is valid. The reasons therein expressed apply with equal force to the resolution now under consideration, and I reaffirm my opinion.

Respectfully yours,

WILLIAM B. ELLISON, Corporation Counsel.

Which was ordered on file.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Commissioners of Accounts:

Nos. 1898 to 1898 a.g. inc.

Office of the Commissioners of Accounts, Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway, New York, April 17, 1907.

Hon. PATRICK F. McGOWAN, President, Board of Aldermen, City of New York:

Dear Sir—In compliance with the resolution passed by your Honorable Body on April 16, 1907, a copy of which has been furnished us, we herewith transmit copies of all of the reports which we have made so far in the course of our examination of the office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, as requested by the Hon. John F. Ahearn, Borough President, and as directed by his Honor the Mayor.

Respectfully,

JOHN C. HERTLE,
GEORGE VON SKAL,

Commissioners of Accounts.

(For particulars of which see CITY RECORD, Friday, April 26, 1907.)

Which were severally referred to the Committee on Rules.

The President laid before the Board the following resignation:

No. 1899.

John J. EGAN, Real Estate and Insurance,
No. 304 West One Hundred and Forty-fifth Street,
New York City, April 15, 1907.

Mr. P. J. SCULLY:

Dear Sir—I respectfully resign as Commissioner of Deeds, as I have been appointed a Notary Public.

By officially recognizing this resignation and notifying the County Clerk of your action you will confer a great favor on

Yours respectfully,

JOHN J. EGAN.

Which resignation was accepted.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Brooklyn Disciplinary Training School:

No. 1900.

TENTH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE BROOKLYN DISCIPLINARY TRAINING SCHOOL FOR BOYS.

Office of the Board of Managers,
Nos. 4 and 5 Court Square,
Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York.

To the Hon. PATRICK F. McGOWAN, President, Board of Aldermen, City of New York:

Sir—The Board of Management of the Brooklyn Disciplinary Training School for Boys, respectfully presents herewith the report of the Superintendent, and also the report of the President of the Board for the year ending October 31, 1906, and we respectfully submit the same as our report for that period.

During the year just closed we have cared for 491 boys, classified as follows:

- A. Number from 7 to 12 years of age, 133.
- B. Number from 12 to 15 years of age, 222.
- C. Number from 15 to 16 years of age, 136.

During this period we received from the Children's Court, committed for crimes other than a felony, 240, and have discharged to their parents, guardians and to employment 214, and there remain in the institution at this date 277.

I respectfully submit herewith a detailed statement of the expenditures for the year 1906, and I am gratified to say that the amount per capita, viz.: \$186.68, shows a creditable reduction over all previous years. I take the liberty of submitting the following table for comparison:

For Consideration and Comparison of the Progress During the Period Stated.

Year.	Average Attendance.	Discharged.	Expenditures.	Per Capita.
1897.....	63.8	15	\$36,243 00	\$568.0
1898.....	116.9	15	43,520 00	372.0
1899.....	129.6	43	47,594 00	367.0
1900.....	157.7	14	46,033 00	291.0
1901.....	165.3	46	41,429 00	250.0
1902.....	205.0	100	44,650 33	217.0
1903.....	241.86	114	48,000 00	198.46
1904.....	275.27	96	52,873 95	192.04
1905.....	268.16	179	53,289 69	198.82
1906.....	263.9	214	49,276 97	186.68

It can be briefly stated as an extract from the detailed financial report of the Superintendent of expenditures for the fiscal year ending October 31, 1906, hereafter submitted, that the total expenditure is \$49,276.97 for an average of two hundred and sixty-three boys, and the rate per capita found to be \$186.68; and when the increased cost of supplies over that of previous years is considered, it will be admitted that the support of the City's wards at the Brooklyn Disciplinary Training School, which is a City institution, supported by City funds, the employees of which are assigned from the classified lists of the Civil Service Commission, thus removing from the jurisdiction of the Board of Management the responsibility of qualifying them with the necessary educational test, or the regulating of their compensation for such service, is lower than that of any other institution of a similar character.

The curriculum of the trade shops, military discipline and school education has been carefully and successfully carried out during the year, the details of which are respectfully reported hereafter, and it is particularly unfortunate that I have to here express the same standard complaint, viz.: that the authorities have done nothing throughout the year to relieve the dissatisfaction condition of the old frame building, now condemned by the Board of Health and the Building Department of the City, and in which are contained many of our shops, schools, lavatories, temporary hospital and detention ward.

The training of the hand has been found good, but best when combined with the training of the mind. The good work of the shops has not been secured at the expense of the schoolroom, and systematic instruction has been given daily, morning and afternoon, in the common English branches, as in the shops where thoroughness is required.

Withal, the military discipline of the school is held up to a standard unexcelled in any institution in this State or City, and our band music holds the high position it had attained in my previous report.

In the health records of the school it will be found that we have had one death, and at the present writing there is not a single boy in the hospital needing treatment.

Classification enters largely in our plan of disciplining the mental and physical development of our youthful delinquents, and we find that the methods employed for reformation are not difficult when made attractive. Ten years of experience and service has placed the institution past the experimental stage, and its increasing necessities for enlargement appeal with obligatory emphasis to the City authorities for more generous consideration during the coming year than has been accorded in the past.

The year which has just closed has been one of great activity in each of the educational divisions of the institution, in support of which I take the liberty of submitting the following extracts from the reports of the visiting Grand Juries of 1906.

The Grand Jury for December, 1906, reported to the Hon. Joseph Aspinall, Judge of Kings County, as follows:

"Your Grand Jury beg to report that they visited the Brooklyn Disciplinary Training School for Boys and were surprised to find an enterprise so far above the ordinary correctional schools so neglected by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

"We believe that the best way in which to prevent the development of the animal instinct among the young children is to give them plenty of recreation and a fundamental education, together with a trade.

"The Brooklyn Disciplinary Training School for Boys comprises all of the features we believe desirable to set the boys in the right path, and can find no words that will too highly praise the splendid work being done in this institution. We commend the maintenance of a standard of discipline which is based more largely on reward and promotion for good conduct than severe punishment for bad, the result being that the necessity for severe punishment is almost totally abolished.

"The work of the boys in the school in the various shops where they manufacture all that they use is of a standard almost unbelievable for one who has not personally inspected it.

"We understand Comptroller Metz has visited the institution, and we recommend to him that the full amount asked for in 1907 Budget be granted to the school, namely, \$60,000. We also recommend that the proper authorities have plans drawn for a new dormitory and shop building, one of those now occupied being over one hundred and twenty-five years old."

The Grand Jury for April, 1906, reported to the Hon. Joseph Aspinall, Judge of Kings County, as follows:

"Resolved, That we indorse the humanitarian work as conducted by the Brooklyn Disciplinary Training School. The general atmosphere of the place, the happiness and contentment, as shown in the inmates, evidences the fact that it meets the situation of arresting and diverting from crime our depraved youth; and its manual and training so absorb the interest of boys committed thereto as to develop for them lives of usefulness and self-support.

"Resolved, That we firmly believe in the importance of an individual institution maintained upon the educational lines of the Brooklyn Disciplinary Training School for Boys, where the growth of evil might be checked and the latent quality of good stimulated and nurtured. We believe this to be worthy of the support of every good citizen, and that suitable modern buildings should be provided for the expansion and instruction into additional useful occupations. In this way it is possible that the boys so committed may rise to useful citizenship and avoid the ignominy of a felon's cell."

"Resolved, That in view of pending legislation toward the abolishment of this institution, we most emphatically enter our protest against the abolishment of such an institution, and that we appeal to you, and all public and private citizens that a work of so great an importance should be continued; especially, as we realize no valid reason for disbanding it."

The Grand Jury for May, 1906, reported to the Hon. Frederick E. Crane, Judge of Kings County, as follows:

"We most emphatically enter our protest against any movement to abolish this institution. Also that we firmly believe that if the citizens of Kings County could visit this institution, and realize for themselves the good accomplished, that they would readily give their endorsement to its continuation.

"We fully approve of the efficient management and the method employed in reforming juvenile offenders.

"We earnestly recommend to the Mayor and the Board of Estimate that they provide suitable buildings for this institution. The present quarters are fully inadequate in every respect. The school should be given every facility for continuing and improving its already excellent work. By reason of the great usefulness of this institution we would strongly recommend the erection of a new fireproof building, properly designed for the purpose for which it is to be used.

"In submitting this report, we would say that it is folly to ask for an examination of this structure by grand juries time after time, if their recommendations are to be disregarded and received as a mere matter of form until a catastrophe occurs."

At the presentation of the foregoing report by the May Grand Jury, Judge Crane said regarding the Brooklyn Disciplinary Training School:

"I have read your presentment regarding the Brooklyn Disciplinary Training School for Boys and heartily indorse what you recommend. There could be no greater crime committed than the neglect of disciplinary schools. I trust that the public authorities will see that they are maintained."

For evil associations, we substitute rewards for good conduct; instead of prison cell, we have secular and religious instructions, trade schools and an ample pro rata of recreative hours during the day. That these methods are successful in accomplishing intended results, there is ample testimony to show, and it might be mentioned that out of the large number of boys released during the past year from this institution, we have received only a single complaint from an employer.

The cost of supplies was much higher in 1906 than in previous years and the number cared for was largely in excess, numbering 491 boys during this period, and less than 4 per cent. of the number of boys discharged to parents or employment during the year reached the courts for assignment to other institutions. Most favorable reports have been received from those discharged to their parents or employment, verified by many interesting letters and investigations during the past year.

While the strictest economy existed in each department the food supply was regulated only by the appetites of your wards; each was supplied with three suits of clothing during the year, two changes of underwear and a sweater completed their requirement in raiment.

If a comparison of expenditures were made with more favored institutions in population and structural equipment, it would be found favorable to your administration.

I trust the foregoing brief summary will be found sufficiently convincing to prove that waste or extravagance does not exist in this institution in the expenditure of public money.

Respectfully submitted,
MORRIS ADLER, President.

BOARD OF MANAGERS.

Officers.

Morris Adler, President; William J. Dixon, Vice-President; Ephraim Byk, Secretary; Richard Bennett, John J. Morrissey, Marvin E. Parrott, Dr. M. T. Lewis, Thomas W. Hynes, Thos. P. Brenack.

Ex-Officio.

His Honor the Mayor, City of New York.

Michael F. McGoldrick, President Roman Catholic Orphan Asylum Society.

Mrs. Wm. H. Lyon, President Brooklyn Industrial School and Home for Destitute Children.

Moses May, President Hebrew Orphan Asylum Society.

Committees.

Education—Dr. M. T. Lewis, Thomas W. Hynes, Ephraim Byk.

Building and Repairs—Thomas W. Hynes, William J. Dixon, Richard Bennett.

Admissions and Discharges—Ephraim Byk, Marvin E. Parrott, Dr. M. T. Lewis.

Law—Michael F. McGoldrick, Ephraim Byk, Marvin E. Parrott.

Supplies—Richard Bennett, Michael F. McGoldrick, Thomas P. Brenack.

Employment—William J. Dixon, Marvin E. Parrott.

James P. Farrell, Superintendent.

SYNOPSIS OF DISTRIBUTION TO SCHOOLS, SHOPS, ETC.

The following synopsis of distribution to shops and industrial departments of the institution shows that all inmates are receiving much needed mental and manual training, and the high percentages shown in each of the monthly reports of the progress in the various departments indicate success that deserves the high commendation expressed by members of the Grand Juries and others.

A daily record of each ward's progress is kept by the Instructor in each department, from which a monthly report is made of his standing in class, shops and drill, and the average per cent. is credited.

All understand the importance and value of a good record, not alone in good conduct, but in each subdivision of employment. Many look forward to the monthly report to discover how the record stands in some special branch in which they have not succeeded in previous reports. Understanding that every thing comes to him who exercises effort in school, shop and drill, the boy attaining 75 per cent. qualified by age, which is usually placed at fourteen years, finds little difficulty in obtaining a discharge to his parents or employment, if they are found competent to assume the responsibility after due investigation by your Committee on Discharge.

School Attendance.

(Instruction in English Branches.)

Morning Session—Primary grade.....	131
Afternoon Session—Grammar Grade.....	92
Night Session—Special night class.....	49
Detention ward.....	5

Total

Occupation in Shops and at Household Duties.	Morning Session.	Afternoon Session.	Total, Showing Occupation of Every Boy.
Shoe shop.....	10	12	22
Operative tailor shop.....	11	12	23
Carpenter shop.....	8	10	18
Printing and composition.....	5	10	15
Storeroom attendants.....	3	3	6
Office boys.....	4	4	8
Seamstress' and linen room.....	8	8	16
Painting and decorating.....	4	11	15
Engineering, steam and electricity.....	3	3	6
Laundry	5	5	10
Hospital and dispensary.....	2	2	4
Dormitories	17	14	31
Kitchen	4	4	8
Farming and gardening.....	3	14	17
Dining hall.....	10	15	25
Employees' dining room.....	4	4	8
Guards	5	7	12
Stable	1	1	2
Detention ward.....	5	..	5
House cleaning squad.....	8	8	16
Band and armory.....	5	5	10
	125	152	277

(Save the boy that makes the man, the Bulwark of the Nation.—Farrell.)

The following schedule of daily exercises showing the physical and mental occupation of your wards will, I trust, be accepted by your Honorable Board as practical and efficient in the direction of discipline, education and moral, industrial and physical development.

Nothing could be more interesting or of greater educational value to your wards than the Sunday evening lectures which are illustrated by stereopticon views. By means of these views the boys are given a knowledge of the different countries of the world, their attention called to famous and interesting subjects of history by your Superintendent, who delivers the lectures and explains the subject represented by each view. Prior to the lecture and illustrations the boys are exercised in singing the National songs, accompanied by the school brass band, whose efficient playing is a subject of great comment by all who have had the pleasure of hearing it and of which the school may be justly proud.

Schedule of Daily Exercises.

	A. M.	A. M.
Reveille—"Good Morning"	6.00	
Wash—"Inspection"	6.00 to 6.30	
Breakfast	6.30 to 7.00	
Recreation—"Guard Mount"	7.00 to 7.45	
School and Trade Shops—"Morning Session"	8.00 to 10.30	
Brass Band Exercises—"Music"	10.30 to 11.00	
Wash—"Inspection"	10.30 to 11.00	
Drill and Calisthenics, Review and Inspection	11.00 to 12.00	
	M.	P. M.
Dinner	12.00 to 12.30	
	P. M.	P. M.
Recreation—"Guard Mount"	12.30 to 1.00	
School and Trade Shops—"Afternoon Session"	1.00 to 4.00	
Brass Band Exercises—"Music"	3.30 to 4.20	
Recreation—"Guard Mount"	4.00 to 4.30	
Wash—"Inspection"	4.30 to 5.00	
Sundown, Salute to the Flag by School Band.		
Supper	5.00 to 5.30	
Recreation—"Guard Mount"	4.00 to 4.30	
Night School	6.15 to 8.00	
Stuly Hall—"Instruction"	6.15 to 8.00	
Tattoo	8.00	
Taps—"Good Night"	8.30	
	A. M.	M.
Wednesdays—"Fire Drill Exercises"	10.30 to 12.00	
	P. M.	P. M.
Saturdays—"Dress Parade, Battalion Drill, Review and Inspection and Band Music"		2.00
Saturday Evenings—"Exercises in Study Hall, Singing and Reading Lessons"	6.30 to 8.00	
Sundays (Forenoon)—"Religious Services in Chapel Hall."		
Sunday Evenings—"Lectures Illustrated by Stereopticon Views and Singing"	6.30 to 8.00	

CLASS EXERCISES.

Morning Session—Primary Grades.

Periods of Recitation.

Class A, First Division—Number in class, 32; rating in class, 1 to 10; arithmetic and tables, 8 to 9; reading, spelling sentences, 9 to 10; writing, drawing, English, 10 to 10.30.

Class A, Second Division—Number in class, 34; rating in class, 10 to 20; arithmetic and tables, 8 to 9; reading, spelling, sentences, 9 to 10; writing, drawing, English, 10 to 10.30.

Class B, First Division—Number in class, 30; rating in class, 20 to 30; arithmetic, writing, history, 8 to 9; geography, spelling, reading, 9 to 10; drawing, English, hygiene, 10 to 10.30.

Class B, Second Division—Number in class, 35; rating in class, 30 to 40; arithmetic, writing, history, 8 to 9; geography, spelling, reading, 9 to 10; drawing, English, hygiene, 10 to 10.30.

Afternoon Session—Grammar Grades.

Periods of Recitation.

Class C—Number in class, 45; rating, 40 to 60; arithmetic, grammar, spelling, 1 to 2; history, geography, reading, 2 to 3; drawing, writing, English, 3 to 4.

Class D—Number in class, 47; rating, 60 to 80; spelling, arithmetic, grammar, 1 to 2; reading, history, geography, 2 to 3; civics, drawing, hygiene, writing, 3 to 4.

Night Class—Grammar Grade.

Class E—Number in class, 49; rating, 80 to 100; grammar, composition, arithmetic, 6 to 6.45; reading, writing, history, 6.45 to 7.15; spelling, geography, dictation, 7.15 to 8.

Special Day Class.

Wednesday and Saturday, Class F—Number in class, 45; rating, 1 to 60; reading, writing, 1 to 2; arithmetic, tables, 2 to 3; spelling, sentences, 3 to 4.

Study Hall Exercises—Night Session.
 Hours of study, 6 p. m. to 8 p. m., Grades A, B, C and D. Lessons from blackboard selections preparatory to day class.
 The subdivision of work daily is as follows:
 Primary Class—Morning session, 2½ hours, 8 to 10.30.
 Grammar Class—Afternoon session, 2½ hours, 1 to 3.30.
 Manual Training Class—Morning session, 2½ hours, 8 to 10.30.
 Industrial Class—Afternoon session, 3½ hours, 1 to 4.30.
 Military Drill and Calisthenics—Morning, 1 hour, 11 to 12.
 Time allowed for meals, 1½ hours, 6.30, 12, 5.
 Dress and recreation period, 2 hours.
 In dormitory, 9½ hours, 8.30 to 6.
 Instruction in instrumental music, band, three sessions daily.

Financial Statement and Expenditures for the Fiscal Year, from November 1, 1905, to October 31, 1906.

	Disbursements.	Per Capita.	Per Cent. per Capita.
Subsistence—			
Meat	\$3,626 25	\$13 88	6.94
Bread	3,297 71	13 08	6.74
Milk	976 41	3 80	1.92
Vegetables	1,880 00	7 21	3.69
Groceries	5,351 75	20 50	10.21
Fish	507 66	1 90	.97
Ice	916 50	3 50	1.81
	\$16,556 28	\$63 87	32.28
Salaries and wages	20,830 91	78 96	41.82
House and lodging	2,860 75	10 28	5.3
Tuition	660 20	1 91	1.1
Care and Control—			
Office—central	680 00	2 62	1.4
Office—school	380 00	1 47	.86
Buildings and repairs	800 00	3 20	1.8
Engineer's supplies	640 00	3 62	1.53
Paint shop supplies	700 00	2 65	1.5
Printing shop supplies	260 00	87	.54
Carpenter shop supplies	260 00	97	.66
Shoe shop supplies	760 00	2 74	1.6
Tailor shop supplies	150 00	60	.36
Clothing	2,300 00	8 98	6.0
Garden and stable supplies	650 00	2 57	1.7
Health supplies	260 00	99	.65
General expenses, express, etc.	258 83	1 38	.9
November 1, 1906, balance of appropriation for 1906	8,000 00
	\$57,276 97	\$186 68	100.00
	\$57,276 97		\$57,276 97

Actual expenditure from November 1, 1905, to October 31, 1906, \$53,289.69 for the support and maintenance of an average of 263.9 boys. Rate per capita, \$186.68.

Total number cared for during the year, 491 boys.

I trust the foregoing will be accepted as my report for the year ending November 1, 1906.

Thanking you gentlemen, for your continued confidence and support without which my efforts could not have been successful.

Respectfully submitted,
JAMES P. FARRELL, Superintendent.

Which was ordered on file.

The President laid before the Board the following communications from the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, transmitting ordinances

No. 1901.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment, City of New York,
Office of the Secretary, No. 277 Broadway,
April 22, 1907.

Hon. PATRICK F. McGOWAN, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—I send you herewith certified copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment April 19, 1907, authorizing the issue of \$640,643.37 Corporate Stock to provide means for the payment of the awards, interest thereon, costs, counsel fees, etc., in the matter of acquiring property, etc., in the Rye Lake, Wampus river and Wampus pond proceedings, together with copy of communication from the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, and copy of report thereon by the Comptroller, to whom on April 5, 1907, this matter was referred.

I also inclose form of ordinance for adoption by the Board of Aldermen to indicate its concurrence therein.

Very truly yours,
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity,
Commissioner's Office,
City of New York, April 2, 1907.

JOSEPH HAAG, Esq., Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Dear Sir—The Corporation Counsel has transmitted to this office certified copy of the order of the Special Term of the Supreme Court, Ninth District, Justice Keogh, dated January 7, 1907, confirming a report of the Commissioners of Appraisal in the matter of Rye Lake, Wampus river and Wampus pond proceedings, and requesting this Department to prepare vouchers in favor of the claimants named and for the amounts stated therein, together with interest from March 26, 1903. The land in question was acquired for water supply purposes under and pursuant to chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901. The total amounts, with interest added to May 20 next, are approximately as follows:

Awards	\$479,658 00
Interest thereon	119,434 84
Costs, etc.	17,590 88
Counsel fees	23,959 65
Total	\$640,643 37

I would ask, therefore, that your Board appropriate Corporate Stock in this amount, and that the money be made available at an early date, in order that this Department shall not be obliged to pay any added interest.

Respectfully,
(Signed) JOHN H. O'BRIEN, Commissioner.

City of New York—Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office,
April 16, 1907.

Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Dear Sirs—In reference to communication of the Secretary, dated April 5, transmitting a copy of the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, for an issue of Corporate Stock for \$640,643.37, to meet awards, etc., in the Rye lake, Wampus river and Wampus pond proceedings, I beg leave to state that, the report of the Commissioners of confirmation, letter of advice of the Corporation Counsel and vouchers are in this Department awaiting such action as your Board deems fit in the matter.

Respectfully,
(Signed) H. A. METZ, Comptroller.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of six hundred and forty thousand six hundred and forty-three dollars and thirty-seven cents (\$640,643.37), to provide means for the payment of the awards, interest thereon, costs, counsel fees, etc., in the matter of acquiring property situated in the County of Westchester, for the purpose of maintaining and preserving the supply of pure and wholesome water for the use of The City of New York and for the purpose of preventing the pollution and contamination of the same, and for the appointment of Commissioners of Appraisal (the Rye lake, Wampus river and Wampus pond proceedings).

Be it Ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York as follows:
 Section 1. The Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment April 19, 1907, and authorizes the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 178 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount of six hundred and forty thousand six hundred and forty-three dollars and thirty-seven cents (\$640,643.37), to provide means for the payment of the awards, interest thereon, costs, counsel fees, etc., in the matter of acquiring property situated in the County of Westchester, for the purpose of maintaining and preserving the supply of pure and wholesome water for the use of The City of New York, and for the purpose of preventing the pollution and contamination of the same, and for the appointment of Commissioners of Appraisal (the Rye lake, Wampus river and Wampus pond proceedings), and that, when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller is authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding six hundred and forty thousand six hundred and forty-three dollars and thirty-seven cents (\$640,643.37), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid."

No. 1902.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment, City of New York,
Office of the Secretary, No. 277 Broadway,
April 22, 1907.

Hon. PATRICK F. McGOWAN, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—I send you herewith certified copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment April 19, 1907, authorizing the issue of \$500,000 Corporate Stock to provide means for the construction and improvement of parks, parkways, playgrounds, boulevards and driveways (to be expended solely and exclusively for the construction, reconstruction and improvement of drives, paths and sidewalks in the parks, parkways and public places and the resoilng of parks and parkings), under the jurisdiction of the Department of Parks, as follows:

Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond..... \$166,666 67
 Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens..... 166,666 67
 Borough of The Bronx..... 166,666 66

—together with copy of report of the Comptroller, to whom, at various times during 1907 have been referred requests from the different Park Commissioners for appropriations for various purposes.

I also inclose form of ordinance for adoption by the Board of Aldermen to indicate its concurrence therein.

Very truly yours,
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

Department of Finance—City of New York,
April 15, 1907.

To the Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—I beg to transmit herewith a report of the Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics of this Department dated April 13, 1907. This report gives the results of an examination made into the matter of seven certain requests for the issue of Corporate Stock aggregating \$6,522,904.35, from the Commissioners of Parks for park and parkway improvements, said requests having been addressed to your Board since the first of the present year and by resolutions referred to the Comptroller for consideration and report.

In view of the facts stated in the report, and of the suggestions therein made, I hereby offer for your approval the resolution hereto attached, recommending to the Board of Aldermen the authorization of an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of \$500,000, to provide means to repair and improve the roads, drives and paths and for resoilng in the parks and parkways of the City, under the jurisdiction of the Department of Parks.

Yours truly,
H. A. METZ, Comptroller.

Department of Finance—City of New York,
April 13, 1907.

Hon. HERMAN A. METZ, Comptroller:

Sir—At various times since the 1st of January last, requests have been received by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment from the three Commissioners of Parks for the authorization of Corporate Stock issues for the construction of new parks and improvements to parks, parkways and drives, said requests having been referred to the Comptroller for consideration and report. These several requests may be summarized as follows:

1. January 9, 1907, from Moses Herrman, Commissioner of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, for the improvement of various parks in the Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond..... \$2,360,500 00
2. January 10, 1907, from Michael J. Kennedy, Commissioner of Parks, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, for the improvement of the various parks and parkways in the Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens
3. January 12, 1907, from Joseph I. Berry, Commissioner of Parks, Borough of The Bronx, for the improvement of parks and parkways in the Borough of The Bronx..... 1,794,000 00
4. January 24, 1907, from Moses Herrman, Commissioner of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, for new asphalt pavement, with concrete foundation, on Fifth avenue, between Ninetieth and One Hundred and Tenth streets, Borough of Manhattan.... 80,000 00
5. March 8, 1907, from Moses Herrman, President of the Park Board, to provide for the maintenance for nine months of the current year of a force or bureau to be established to assist the landscape architect of the Park Board..... 22,087 50
6. March 8, 1907, from Michael J. Kennedy, Commissioner of Parks, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, for grading, paving and laying cement walks on Parade place, between Caton and Parkside avenues

14,870 00

7. March 15, 1907, from Michael J. Kennedy, Commissioner of Parks, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, for additional appropriation for the purpose of providing means for the construction of several shelter houses in the various parks of the Borough of Brooklyn, and also a pumping plant for Forest Park in the Borough of Queens	60,556 60
Total.....	<u>\$6,522,904 35</u>

Careful consideration has been given in the Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics of the needs of the Department of Parks as specified in the several requests previously referred to, and after several discussions of the facts with the three Commissioners of Parks, your examiner, who has knowledge of the park situation, having made several examinations of the City's parks in the past, recommends that, in view of the present City debt situation, provision should now be made only for such park improvements as may be regarded as absolutely essential.

In a careful analysis of the several requests referred to the Comptroller for consideration, it has been found that large sums of money are specified as being required for the construction, reconstruction and improvement of drives, roadways, paths and sidewalks, and resoilings of parks and parkings and public places under the jurisdiction of the Department of Parks, and it would appear proper that appropriation should be made so as to permit the Commissioners, in their discretion, during the spring season to cause to be repaired those drives and paths which are most required for the public use and which appear to have deteriorated to such an extent as to require permanent betterment or replacement. For that purpose your examiner respectfully advises that you recommend to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment the adoption of a resolution, in pursuance to section 47 of the City Charter, requesting the Board of Aldermen to authorize the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock to the amount of \$500,000, the proceeds of such sale to be divided in equal amounts among the three divisions or branches of the Department of Parks, and to be expended solely and exclusively for the construction, reconstruction and improvement of drives, paths and sidewalks in the parks, parkways and public places, and the resoilings of parks and parkings, under the jurisdiction of the Department of Parks.

As to the remaining items included in the requests of the Commissioners, many of them conceded of pressing importance, it is hereby suggested that consideration of the same be laid over for the time being, with the understanding that any of these requests for special and particular improvements may subsequently be considered separately and entirely upon the merits of the proposition in each instance and in the light of the City's financial situation at the time of consideration.

Respectfully yours,
CHARLES S. HERVEY,
Supervising Statistician and Examiner.

Approved:
H. A. METZ, Comptroller.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of five hundred thousand dollars (\$500,000) to provide means for the construction and improvement of parks, parkways, playgrounds, boulevards and driveways (to be expended solely and exclusively for the construction, reconstruction and improvement of drives, paths and sidewalks in the parks, parkways and public places, and the resoilings of parks and parkings), under the jurisdiction of the Department of Parks, as follows:

Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond.....	166,666 67
Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.....	166,666 67
Borough of The Bronx.....	166,666 66
<u>\$500,000 00</u>	

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

Section 1. The Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment April 19, 1907, and authorizes the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York, to an amount not exceeding five hundred thousand dollars (\$500,000), for the purpose of providing means for the construction and improvement of parks, parkways, playgrounds, boulevards and driveways (to be expended solely and exclusively for the construction, reconstruction and improvement of drives, paths and sidewalks in the parks, parkways and public places, and the resoilings of parks and parkings), under the jurisdiction of the Department of Parks, as follows:

"Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond.....	166,666 67
"Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.....	166,666 67
"Borough of The Bronx.....	166,666 66
<u>\$500,000 00</u>	

"and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller is authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding five hundred thousand dollars (\$500,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid."

No. 1903.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment, City of New York,
Office of the Secretary, No. 277 Broadway,
April 20, 1907.

Hon. PATRICK F. McGOWAN, President, Board of Aldermen:
Dear Sir—I send you herewith certified copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment April 19, 1907, authorizing an issue of \$150,000 Corporate Stock to provide means for the construction of trolley railway approaches to the Brooklyn Bridge in the Borough of Brooklyn, together with copy of the Comptroller's report relative thereto.

I also enclose form of ordinance for adoption by the Board of Aldermen to indicate its concurrence therein.

Very truly yours,
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

April 17, 1907.

Hon. HERMAN A. METZ, Comptroller:

Sir—Hon. James W. Stevenson, Commissioner, Department of Bridges, in communication under date of February 4, 1907, requests the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to authorize the issue of Corporate Stock to the amount of \$150,000 for the construction of trolley railway approaches to the Brooklyn Bridge, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

As stated by the Chief Engineer of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in report dated January 9, 1907, presented to the Board at meeting of January 11, 1907, the objects sought to be accomplished by the plan were admirable; namely, the elimination of the present congestion at Sands street, and due to the intersection of different trolley lines and the crossing at grade of an important street. The plan would furnish two additional tracks from a point some distance north of the Brooklyn terminal upon the bridge approaches to the southerly end of the bridge yard. Mr. Lewis further stated that the original plans, however, did not appear to have been carefully worked out in their details, and pointed out that it would seem that three grade crossings of railroad tracks all of which are or will be used by many cars, and two crossings on the south roadway of Washington street, all called for, none of which is necessary, and the existence of which would go far to nullify the advantage which would be obtained from crossing over Sands street instead of at grade.

I have gone over with the Chief Engineer of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment the plans now submitted, and I concur with him that the original plans have been so modified that the plans now submitted meet the objections raised by Mr. Lewis in report of January 9, 1907.

The great relief that this improvement will give in doing away with the present congestion of trolley cars at the Brooklyn end of the bridge, I consider sufficient importance to make this improvement urgent, and if the financial condition of the City warrants the expenditure, I would suggest that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to section 47 of the amended Greater New York Charter, authorize the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock to the amount of \$150,000, to provide for the construction of trolley railway approaches at the Brooklyn Bridge in the Borough of Brooklyn.

Respectfully,
CHANDLER WITHINGTON, Chief Engineer.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of one hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$150,000), to provide means for the construction of trolley railway approaches to the Brooklyn Bridge, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

Be it Ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York, as follows:
Section 1. The Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment April 19, 1907, and authorizes the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding one hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$150,000), to provide means for the construction of trolley railway approaches to the Brooklyn Bridge in the Borough of Brooklyn, and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller is authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding one hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$150,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid."

No. 1904.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment, City of New York,
Office of the Secretary, No. 277 Broadway,
April 20, 1907.

Hon. PATRICK F. McGOWAN, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—I send you herewith certified copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment April 19, 1907, approving of the issue of Corporate Stock to the amount of \$23,000, to provide means for the erection and completion (including architect's fees), under the jurisdiction of the Comptroller of The City of New York, of a public comfort station within the limits of the Wallabout Market lands, Borough of Brooklyn, for the use of the lessees of said market lands and those persons doing business with them, together with copy of a communication from the Comptroller and copy of an opinion of the Corporation Counsel relative thereto.

I also inclose form of ordinance for adoption by the Board of Aldermen to indicate its concurrence therein.

Yours very truly,
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

April 11, 1907.

Hon. GEORGE B. McCLELLAN, Mayor, Chairman Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Sir—A number of complaints have reached this office concerning the nuisances committed in Wallabout Market, and the marketmen have requested that a public comfort station be erected within the market.

The Acting Corporation Counsel, in opinion (copy of which I attach), states that a public comfort station can be erected within the market and that the building must be constructed under the jurisdiction of the Comptroller, and that there is no right vested in that officer to delegate such power to any other official of the City.

I therefore request that the Board, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Amended Greater New York Charter, authorize the issue of Corporate Stock to the amount of twenty-three thousand dollars (\$23,000), the proceeds of which to provide for the erection and completion (including architect's fees), of a public comfort station within the limits of Wallabout Market, Borough of Brooklyn.

Yours very truly,
(Signed) H. A. METZ, Comptroller.

Office of the Corporation Counsel,
New York, January 4, 1907.

Hon. HERMAN A. METZ, Comptroller:

Sir—I have received your communication of December 1, 1906, in which you say that it has been suggested that a public bath and comfort station be erected within the limits of Wallabout Market, and you ask that the matter be investigated and that you be advised if pursuant to chapter 446 of the Laws of 1890 a public bath, a comfort station or a building containing a public bath and comfort station can be erected within the limits of the market.

By chapter 446 of the Laws of 1890, as amended by chapter 319 of the Laws of 1892, the City of Brooklyn was authorized to purchase and acquire title to certain lands in said City belonging to the United States of America, for the purposes of a public market and the business thereunto appertaining. Upon the lands so purchased and acquired the City was authorized to erect and maintain a public market, and in connection with such public market, for market purposes to construct such canals, basins, docks and piers on said lands. The habendum clause of the deed from the United States Government granted the premises "for the uses and purposes in said act of the Congress of the United States mentioned and set forth, to wit: For market purposes and for slips, canals and piers and other public works in connection with such market purposes."

Your communication refers to the proposed structure upon these lands as a public bath and comfort station. If the word "public" is to be taken as meaning the public of the City at large, I have no hesitation in saying that such a structure could not legally be maintained within the limits of the lands acquired under the circumstances above set forth.

The Appellate Division of the Supreme Court has held that the provisions of law above cited "indicate unmistakably the intention of the Legislature that the lands to be acquired were to be devoted to a particular use or class of uses, and not to be applied to any municipal purpose which might fall within the general scope of the City government (Bird vs. Grout, 166 App. Div., 159)," and further, that "the Wallabout Market lands must be deemed to be held by The City of New York, as the successor of the City of Brooklyn, under a trust for public use for market purposes only."

I am of opinion, however, that if the use of the contemplated structures is to be confined to the lessees of the market lands and to those persons doing business with them, they may properly be erected and maintained.

You ask also "if it is permissible to erect either or all of these buildings, under whose jurisdiction are the buildings constructed; if the Comptroller, can I, as Comptroller, designate or authorize the President of the Borough of Brooklyn to erect the said building or buildings?"

By section 164 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 514 of the Laws of 1903, the Department of Finance is given sole charge and control of the Wallabout Market lands, as well as the power to make suitable regulations concerning fees, the hours during which business shall be conducted and the general management of the same. The Comptroller is given power to make leases of any portion of the market lands in accordance with the provisions of this section; but it is also provided in this section that nothing therein contained "shall interfere with the jurisdiction of the Department of Docks and Ferries of The City of New York over the piers, bulkheads and water front in and around said Wallabout Market lands, nor with the jurisdiction of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn over said Wallabout Market lands, so far as concerns his powers over highways."

By subdivision 12 of section 383 of the Charter, the President of the Borough is given cognizance and control of the location, establishment, care, erection and maintenance of the public baths and public comfort stations in his borough. In view, however, of the limitation of the control of the Borough President of Brooklyn, so far as the market lands are concerned, to highways, this provision cannot be invoked to give him any power or control either in the erection or maintenance of a public bath

and comfort station in the Wallabout Market lands. The section of the Charter referred to, relating to the powers of the Comptroller over these lands, expressly states that "the Comptroller shall have and be vested with all the powers exercised by the Commissioner of City Works of the former City of Brooklyn." One of these powers was undoubtedly to erect necessary buildings within the limits of these lands, and was exercised in one instance at least in the erection and maintenance of a so-called Administration Building.

I advise you therefore, in answer to your second question, that the buildings referred to in your communication must be constructed under the jurisdiction of the Comptroller, and that there is no right vested in that officer to delegate such power to the President of the Borough of Brooklyn or to any other official of the City.

Respectfully yours,
(Signed) G. L. STERLING, Acting Corporation Counsel.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of twenty-three thousand dollars (\$23,000) to provide means for the erection and completion (including architect's fees), under the jurisdiction of the Comptroller of The City of New York, of a public comfort station within the limits of the Wallabout Market lands, Borough of Brooklyn, for the use of the lessees of said market lands and those persons doing business with them.

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

Section 1. The Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment April 19, 1907, and authorizes the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York, to an amount not exceeding twenty-three thousand dollars (\$23,000), for the purpose of providing means for the erection and completion (including architect's fees), under the jurisdiction of the Comptroller of The City of New York, of a public comfort station within the limits of the Wallabout Market lands, Borough of Brooklyn, for the use of the lessees of said market lands and those persons doing business with them, and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller is authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding twenty-three thousand dollars (\$23,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid."

Which were severally referred to the Committee on Finance.

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

No. 1905.

The City of New York,
Office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn,
Brooklyn, April 20, 1907.

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

Gentlemen—I am directed by the Acting President of the Borough to forward to you herewith the inclosed report of the Chief Engineer and Acting Superintendent of Highways, dated April 18, relative to the width of the roadway of Seventy-fifth street, between Fourth avenue and Bay Ridge parkway, and also a proposed form of ordinance fixing the width of the said roadway at fifty feet. In view of the statement made by the Chief Engineer, I would request that your Board adopt the ordinance as soon as possible.

Yours very truly,
JOHN A. HEFFERNAN, Private Secretary.

April 18, 1907.

Hon. DESMOND DUNNE, Commissioner of Public Works:

Dear Sir—On the Commissioner's map Seventy-fifth street, between Fourth avenue and Bay Ridge parkway, is 100 feet wide, and the roadway made 50 feet, and it has been made, between Fourth and Fifth avenues, to a width of 50 feet. A contract is now in force to curb it between Fifth and Seventh avenues. According to the Code of Ordinances recently adopted the roadway is made 60 feet. I think that 50 feet is wide enough, and that it would be advisable to have an ordinance passed making the width 50 feet as originally intended, and as partially constructed.

I send you therefore an ordinance to provide for this, and would recommend that it be sent to the Board of Aldermen for passage.

Respectfully,

GEO. W. TILLSON,
Chief Engineer and Acting Superintendent.

AN ORDINANCE to fix the width of the roadway and sidewalks of Seventy-fifth (75th) street (Bay Ridge parkway), between Fourth (4th) avenue and Bay parkway, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

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

That the width of the roadway of Seventy-fifth (75th) street (Bay Ridge parkway), between Fourth (4th) avenue and Bay parkway, in the Borough of Brooklyn, is hereby fixed at fifty (50) feet, the curb lines to be parallel with and twenty-five (25) feet distant from the centre line of said street, as laid down on the map of The City of New York, and the sidewalks each to be twenty-five (25) feet in width from building line to curb.

No. 1906.

The City of New York,
Office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn,
Brooklyn, April 18, 1907.

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

Gentlemen—I am directed by the Acting President of the Borough to forward to you herewith report of the Chief Engineer of the Bureau of Highways relative to changing the width of the roadway of Bay Ridge avenue, between Third and Thirteenth avenues, Borough of Brooklyn, together with a proposed form of ordinance fixing the width at thirty-five feet. The Acting President directs me to request that this ordinance be adopted for the reasons stated in the Engineer's report.

Yours very truly,
JOHN A. HEFFERNAN, Private Secretary.

April 17, 1907.

Hon. DESMOND DUNNE, Commissioner of Public Works:

Dear Sir—I return herewith an ordinance fixing the width of the roadway and sidewalks of Bay Ridge avenue, between Third avenue and Thirteenth avenue. Bay Ridge avenue is 60 feet wide, and on the Commissioner's map the roadway is fixed at a width of 35 feet, as proposed in this ordinance.

By the Code of Ordinances recently adopted by the Board of Aldermen the roadway of this street is made 30 feet wide. As it has a double street car track on it, and a number of improvements have been made along this street to this width, proposed in the ordinance, I would recommend that the ordinance pass, as I think it is necessary to have a roadway of that width.

Respectfully,
GEO. W. TILLSON,
Chief Engineer and Acting Superintendent.

AN ORDINANCE to fix the width of the roadway and sidewalks of Bay Ridge avenue, between Third (3d) avenue and Thirteenth (13th) avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

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

That the width of the roadway of Bay Ridge avenue, between Third (3d) avenue and Thirteenth (13th) avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, is hereby fixed at thirty-five (35) feet, the curb lines to be parallel with and seventeen (17) feet six (6) inches from the centre line of said street, as laid down on the map of The City of New York, and the sidewalks each to be twelve (12) feet six (6) inches in width from building line to curb.

Which were severally referred to the Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers.

The President laid before the Board the following communications from the President, Borough of The Bronx:

No. 1907.

Local Boards, Twenty-fourth and Twenty-fifth Districts,
Municipal Building, Crotona Park,
Borough of The Bronx, April 19, 1907.

Hon. PATRICK F. McGOWAN, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—I transmit herewith preambles and resolutions adopted by the Local Board of Morrisania, Twenty-fourth District, on the 11th inst., in reference to the conditions existing at the elevated and subway stations at East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street and Third avenue, and declaring the same to be a public nuisance, in accordance with section 429 of the Greater New York Charter.

Yours truly,
HENRY A. GUMBLETON, Secretary.

Whereas, For a long time past the system of transferring passengers from the narrow station of the Manhattan Elevated Branch of the Interborough Railroad to the Subway Station at East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street and Third avenue, and vice versa, has resulted in overcrowding of the worst possible kind, and is moreover very dangerous on the stations, stairways and adjacent sidewalks, owing to the lack of sufficient entrances and exits, and to the absence of proper guard rails at any of these stations;

Therefore, The Local Board of Morrisania, Twenty-fourth District, Borough of The Bronx, hereby declares these conditions to be a public nuisance violative of good order and of the Laws of this State and City and in accordance with section 429 of the Greater New York Charter we hereby direct that the Secretary of this Board forward a copy of these preambles and resolutions to the Mayor of The City of New York and to the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York for their consideration and attention.

Adopted by the Local Board of Morrisania, Twenty-fourth District, on April 11, 1907.

Attest:

Henry A. Gumbleton, Secretary.

Approved and certified this 19th day of April, 1907.

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

No. 1908.

Office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx,
Municipal Building, Crotona Park,
April 20, 1907.

Hon. PATRICK F. McGOWAN, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—I transmit herewith preambles and resolutions adopted by the Local Board of Morrisania, Twenty-fourth District, on the 11th inst., in reference to additional entrances and exits at One Hundred and Forty-ninth street and Third avenue, Borough of The Bronx.

Yours truly,

HENRY A. GUMBLETON, Secretary.

Whereas, At the meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on April 12, 1907, a communication from the Board of Rapid Transit Commissioners was read, transmitting form of proposed agreement modifying contract dated February 21, 1900, which modification provides for the construction of a new station stairway and entrance to the rapid transit railway at and near the southeasterly corner of Third avenue and East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street; and

Whereas, At the meeting of April 5, 1907, the President of the Borough of The Bronx suggested that an additional entrance and exit should be constructed on One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, immediately to the east of the existing entrance, and the Secretary of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment was directed to so advise the Rapid Transit Commission to this effect; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Local Board of Morrisania, Twenty-fourth District, Borough of The Bronx, hereby approves of the recommendation made by the President of the Borough of The Bronx at said meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on the 5th day of April, 1907; and it is hereby further

Recommended that additional provision be made for the construction of a covered passageway from the Manhattan Elevated station from the southwesterly corner of Third avenue to the entrance of the subway at the northwest corner of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street and Melrose avenue; and be it further

Resolved, That this Local Board hereby recommends to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment that special efforts be made to have the conditions existing at these entrances and exits remedied at the very earliest date, and that whatever moneys are necessary be appropriated without delay, and that the railroad companies responsible for the present dangerous conditions be urged to co-operate in bettering the facilities of this section of our borough; and it is hereby further

Resolved, That this Local Board, in connection with the foregoing resolutions, forward to the Mayor of The City of New York and the Board of Aldermen a copy of its resolutions declaring the conditions at present existing at East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street and Third avenue (caused by the present inadequate facilities for handling the railway traffic) to be a public nuisance under section 429 of the Greater New York Charter.

Adopted by the Local Board of Morrisania, Twenty-fourth District, on April 11, 1907.

Attest:

(Signed) Henry A. Gumbleton, Secretary.

Approved and certified this 19th day of April, 1907.

(Signed) LOUIS F. HAFFEN,
President of the Borough of The Bronx.

Which were severally referred to the Committee on Railroads.

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

No. 1909.

Office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx,
Municipal Building, Crotona Park,
April 9, 1907.

Hon. PATRICK F. McGOWAN, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—I hereby request the issue by the Board of Aldermen of Special Revenue Bonds in the amount of \$140,000, for the purchase by contract of broken stone and screenings, and for the labor of laying the same on the streets in the Borough of The Bronx. This money is required for the purpose of macadamizing certain outlying connecting thoroughfares in the Borough of The Bronx, that are now dirt thoroughfares, which require, owing to the topography of this section, considerable expense to keep in repair.

These streets, roads, highways or outlying thoroughfares are not as yet in a position to be permanently improved, and it will be a long period before they are. A great majority have not as yet any subsurface improvements, such as sewers, water mains, gas mains, etc.; in fact, many of them have but few residences, but as they connect the main thoroughfares it makes it essential and necessary to have a good substantial road, and that it be kept in good condition, and as a macadam road is better than a dirt road, and the labor expense of maintenance is much less, I think it would be to the best interests of the City and in the interest of economy that these thoroughfares be put in shape by laying a macadam strip—then they will not need absolute continuous attendance, which means greater labor expense than if they were macadamized, as is the desire under this request.

It is intended to place a depth of about 7 inches of stone, which will allow five square yards of macadam to one cubic yard of broken stone and screenings, and figure that 40,000 cubic yards of broken stone and screenings are necessary and can be advantageously and economically used during the spring and summer of this year.

The cost of the material would be about \$2.25 per cubic yard, and if laid 7 inches thick it would make the cost of the material per square yard 45 cents. The labor will cost at the rate of 25 cents per square yard.

The 40,000 cubic yards of broken stone and screenings would give us a macadam surface of 200,000 square yards.

Respectfully,

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Justices of the Municipal Courts.

No. 1910.

Board of Justices,
Municipal Court,
New York, April 22, 1907.

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

Pursuant to a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment dated March 22, 1907, and approved by the Board of Aldermen April 2, 1907, and by the Mayor on April 9, 1907, by which the salaries of seventy-nine Attendants and twenty-two Interpreters in the Municipal Court of The City of New York were increased, to date from April 1, 1907, which increase in the salary account will amount to \$16,800, to meet this increase for the current year it will be necessary to issue Special Revenue Bonds.

You are therefore requested to take such action as is required to meet the deficiency which will occur by the payment of this increased amount in the salary account for the year 1907.

Respectfully,

JOSEPH P. FALLON, President.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and hereby is requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of sixteen thousand eight hundred dollars (\$16,800), the proceeds whereof shall be applied to meet the increase in the salaries of several positions in the Municipal Courts of The City of New York according to the provisions of a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment March 22, 1907, concurred in by the Board of Aldermen April 2, 1907, and approved by the Mayor April 9, 1907.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 1738—(G. O. No. 223—S. O. No. 183).

Alderman Dowling moved that General Order No. 223, being a report and resolution to fix salaries of certain positions in office of Commissioners of Accounts, be made a Special Order for 2.30 o'clock p. m.

Which was adopted.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Reports of Committee on Finance—

No. 1540—(S. O. No. 184).

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred, on February 5, 1907 (Minutes, page 190), the annexed request of the Commissioner of Parks, Borough of The Bronx, for \$140,000 for maintenance of the park system in the Borough of The Bronx, respectfully

REPORTS:

Park Commissioner Berry appeared before your Committee and made a similar statement to the one made by Commissioner Herrman on the same subject in relation to the park system in Manhattan and Richmond. For the reasons set forth in the report of your Committee on Introductory No. 1541, the Committee believes that an addition of sufficient funds to make an increase of 10 per cent, over the total for 1906 is reasonable, and, therefore, recommends the issuance of Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of \$46,000 for maintenance, as suggested in the Comptroller's report.

They therefore recommend that the annexed resolution be adopted:

Resolved, That, in pursuance of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the amended Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of forty-six thousand dollars (\$46,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied for maintenance of the park system in the Borough of The Bronx.

JOHN R. DAVIES, B. W. B. BROWN, JOHN DIEMER, A. L. KLINE, J. E. BUNTING, JAMES W. REDMOND, Committee on Finance.

Department of Parks, Borough of The Bronx,
Zbrowski Mansion, Claremont Park,
New York, January 30, 1907.

To the Honorable President and Members of the Board of Aldermen:

Gentlemen—On the 27th day of August, 1906, this department prepared an estimate for the current expenses for the year 1907, and forwarded the same to your Honorable Board and the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

Among the items of said estimate was one for Maintenance and Construction, \$572,445.

I am advised that my predecessor in arriving at this amount eliminated every unnecessary item of expense, and only considered the ordinary maintenance required for the practical purposes of caring for our park system.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment fixed the appropriation in the sum of \$289,774.68. I have no knowledge of how the said Board arrived at this amount.

When it is considered that the average amount per acre, viz., a little more than \$140, the smallest amount ever appropriated for the maintenance of any park system, was the minimum requested, I believed the estimate a reasonable one.

I therefore request that, for the ordinary expenses of maintenance of our park system, your Honorable Board grant an additional appropriation from the Revenue Bond Fund of the sum of \$140,000.

With each recurring year the area of park territory in The Bronx for public purposes has been very largely increased. Lands have been opened up and developed, new lawns were made, many new bath houses and comfort stations erected, all of which require care and attention. Several miles of new roads have been added during the past year.

The largely increased use of automobiles has very materially increased the cost of keeping our more important parkways in shape, and has rendered it absolutely necessary that Bronx and Pelham parkway be resurfaced throughout its entire length.

The athletic fields have been enlarged and improved, and material additions have been made to the golf links.

All of the above has rendered necessary increased appropriations.

When it is remembered that the item for maintenance is but a trifle greater than it was in the year 1900, you will readily see the necessity for increased appropriations.

In addition to this there has been appropriated the sum of \$20,000 for the care of trees in city streets. This evidently was intended for the care only of these trees during a period of six months. There should be at least \$20,000 additional for this purpose. The amount appropriated for the care of trees last year was entirely inadequate, when the vast number of trees in The Bronx is taken into consideration.

The item of music was also reduced from \$11,000 asked to \$9,000 appropriated. With each recurring year the necessity for music in our parks becomes greater, and it is sincerely hoped that the additional \$2,000 may be granted.

In the item for forestry work application was made for \$6,000, which was reduced to \$4,000 for some reason unknown to me, but I find that the sum asked for was, if anything, much less than that required for the large number of trees in our city parks, especially since the advent of the disease that is destroying vast numbers of our chestnut trees.

The small sum appropriated, viz., \$4,000, would go but a little way in the checking of this wholesale destruction, as it is imperative that the trees affected should be removed as speedily as possible. I therefore respectfully request that at least \$4,000 additional be appropriated for use this year.

In the item for Salaries of Engineers the amount asked for was \$19,210, while the amount appropriated was \$16,030, which amount is insufficient for the payment of salaries for the whole year of the force now employed. The engineering force in this department is at present barely sufficient for the prosecution of routine work, leaving little or no time for the surveying of the unmapped parks, the most important

of which is Van Cortlandt Park, with its area of 1,132 acres. An additional sum of \$4,000 would enable us to employ a sufficient additional force, so that the work of completing necessary surveying and mapping could be completed at the earliest date possible, in order that the work of laying out a comprehensive system of park development may be proceeded with in the near future.

The development of park property throughout the Borough of The Bronx has, I believe, greatly increased the demands for and sale of property, and has been an important factor in the enormous growth of our borough, and has added materially to the increased valuation of real estate.

Appropriations for park maintenance have not kept pace with the large increase of developed property, and when it is considered that we have a total of upwards of 4,000 acres of parks and parkways, it would seem necessary that additional appropriations be made by the issue of Revenue Bonds for this department for the present year, and I believe the amount named for maintenance, care of trees, music, forestry work and Engineers' salaries, \$170,000, is absolutely necessary.

Trusting that this application may receive early and favorable consideration, I remain,

Yours respectfully,
JOSEPH I. BERRY,
Commissioner of Parks, Borough of The Bronx.

No. 1674—(S. O. No. 185).

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred on March 12, 1907 (Minutes, page 639), the annexed request of the President of the Board of Trustees of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals for \$32,400 to pay salaries of Nurses for new hospitals, respectfully

REPORTS:

Dr. Brannan appeared before the Committee, and urged the adoption of this resolution. The Committee have received the annexed report from the Comptroller's Bureau of Investigation, which recommends the allowance of \$30,000 for these purposes. Inasmuch as it was expected at the time the Budget was adopted that the hospital department would be able to obtain sufficient Student Nurses at \$8 per month to supply these two hospitals, the budget allowance was made upon this basis. The department, however, has not been able to obtain any such Student Nurses, but has been compelled to engage the services of 65 Graduate Nurses at a cost of \$50 per month, therefore, the Committee believes it proper that additional provision should be made. The hospitals are expected to be opened in the course of two or three weeks, and will start with 300 beds, and Dr. Brannan states that they have a capacity for that many more when required. The Committee, therefore, recommends the adoption of the resolution providing for \$30,000 Special Revenue Bonds for these purposes.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the amended Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of thirty thousand dollars (\$30,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to pay salaries of Nurses for new hospital under the jurisdiction of the Trustees of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals.

JOHN R. DAVIES, B. W. B. BROWN, JOHN DIEMER, A. L. KLINE, THOS. J. MULLIGAN, J. E. BUNTING, JAMES W. REDMOND, Committee on Finance.

Bellevue and Allied Hospitals,
Foot East Twenty-sixth Street,
New York, March 11, 1907.

Hon. PATRICK F. McGOWAN, President, Board of Aldermen, City Hall, New York City:

Sir—The Trustees of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals have the honor to request the Board of Aldermen to authorize the issue of Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of \$32,400 to provide for an adequate nursing staff in the new Harlem and Fordham hospitals. Both hospitals will be ready for opening next month. It has been found impossible to obtain Pupil Nurses, and it is therefore necessary to hire graduate Nurses at \$600 a year. The following table shows the number that will be required for the two institutions:

2 Superintendents of Training School, at \$1,200 a year, for 9 months....	\$1,800 00
4 Graduate Head Nurses, \$900 per year, for 9 months.....	2,700 00
62 Graduate Nurses, \$600 per year, for 9 months.....	27,900 00
	\$32,400 00

Respectfully,
JOHN W. BRANNAN, President, Board of Trustees.

April 16, 1907.

To the Honorable Committee on Finance, Board of Aldermen, City Hall:

Gentlemen—In regard to the communication of the Trustees of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, requesting the Board of Aldermen to authorize the issue of Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of \$32,400 to provide an adequate nursing staff in the new Harlem and Fordham hospitals, referred by you to the Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics for information, I beg to report as follows:

The appropriation available for salaries in Bellevue and Allied Hospitals for the year 1906 was \$218,716. The departmental estimate for 1907 called for an appropriation of \$351,882, or for an increase of \$132,882.

The greater part of this proposed increase, or the sum of \$78,489, was estimated to be needed in order to pay the salaries of additional employees rendered necessary by the enlargement of Gouverneur Hospital to twice its former capacity, and the building of the new Harlem and Fordham hospitals, each having three times its former capacity. The remainder of the increase requested in the departmental estimate, or the sum of \$53,384, was asked with a view to making ordinary salary increases and additions anticipated in the four hospitals, Bellevue, Gouverneur, Harlem and Fordham—chiefly in Bellevue.

The appropriation for 1907 was fixed at \$298,202, an increase of \$79,716, only \$1,218 more than the amount estimated as necessary to pay the additional employees required in the newly built hospitals, and \$53,166 less than the departmental estimate for all salaries. There is, of course, nothing to indicate what items of the estimated increase the appropriation was intended to cover, or what were disallowed, and the Trustees have to rely upon their own judgment as to the particular application to be made of the increase allowed. Assuming that any considerable part of it is applied to needs arising from the ordinary development of the hospitals—in Bellevue or Gouverneur, for instance—it is clear that the appropriation is insufficient for paying the employees required in the new hospitals.

The request under consideration, however, is not made on account of such apparent insufficiency of appropriation. In the departmental estimate it was assumed that the sixty-two Nurses mentioned in the request would be furnished, as heretofore, by the Department of Charities, as Pupil Nurses, at a salary of \$96 each per year. It is found, however, that the latter Department's own demand for Pupil Nurses is so great that it cannot supply any for the Harlem and Fordham Hospitals, and that Graduate instead of Pupil Nurses will have to be employed in those institutions, at a salary of not less than \$600 each per annum.

The nursing staff required by each of the latter hospitals is stated by the General Medical Superintendent to be as follows:

Ward, Emergency, four beds, one day and one night Nurse.....	2
Ward, Male Surgical, twenty beds, three day Nurses and one night Nurse.....	4
Ward, Male Medical, twenty beds, three day Nurses and one night Nurse.....	4
Ward, Female Medical, twenty beds, three day Nurses and one night Nurse.....	4
Ward, Children, eighteen beds, three day Nurses and one night Nurse.....	4
Ward, Female Surgical, twenty beds, three day Nurses and one night Nurse.....	4
Ward, Maternity, eighteen beds, three day Nurses and one night Nurse.....	4
Ward, Isolation	1
Operating Room	1
Out-patient Department	2
Assistant Superintendent, day	1
Assistant Superintendent, night	1
For relief, one Nurse	1

Total.....

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It is also desired to have a Superintendent of Training School in each of said hospitals, the purpose being to inaugurate the training of Nurses in the hospitals, with a view eventually to providing their own Trained Nurses, as far as they may be needed, to supplement the Pupil Nurses, being so educated. It is, moreover, said to be impossible to obtain Head Nurses at less than \$900 per annum.

In view of this increase in the salaries to be paid Nurses, an increase not contemplated in the departmental estimate or in making the evidently not extravagant appropriation, it would seem that some provision should be made in order that the recently completed hospitals may be put to the use for which they were intended. They are, of course, of no practical use without the requisite force of Nurses.

As the complete equipment of these hospitals with Nurses cannot be accomplished at once, and as the Graduate Nurses will take the place of Pupil Nurses whose allowance would aggregate approximately \$6,000 for the present year, I would recommend an allowance of \$30,000 for the purpose requested, which recommendation would seem to be liberal.

Yours respectfully,
(Signed) CHAS. S. HERVEY,
Supervising Statistician and Examiner

Which were severally laid over and made Special Orders for the next meeting at 2 o'clock p.m.

No. 1867.

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred on April 16, 1907 (Minutes, page 197), the annexed resolution in favor of an issue of Special Revenue Bonds to enable the Commissioner of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, to care for plots along centre line of Broadway, respectfully

REPORTS:

Alderman Schloss appeared before the committee and submitted a copy of the act (Laws of 1907), which provides that "for the payment of the expenses of the year 1907 for the putting and keeping in good condition and the caring for such centre grass plots, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment may without the concurrence or approval of any other Board or officer of The City of New York authorize the expenditure of Special Revenue Bonds for such amount as may be necessary for said purpose." In view of this, the matter belongs to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, not to this Board, and the committee, therefore, recommends that the resolution be referred to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and hereby is requested, in accordance with the provisions of an act passed by the Legislature and approved by the Governor, to authorize the issue of Special Revenue Bonds to an amount sufficient to enable the Commissioner of Parks for the Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond to meet the expenses for the year 1907 of putting and keeping in good condition and caring for the plots or spaces, commonly called parkways, along the centre line of Broadway, between Fifty-ninth street and Manhattan street, in the Borough of Manhattan.

JOHN R. DAVIES, B. W. B. BROWN, JOHN DIEMER, A. L. KLINE, THOS. J. MULLIGAN, J. E. BUNTING, JAMES W. REDMOND, Committee on Finance.

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

Which report was accepted.

Nos. 1865, 1868 and 1888—(S. O. No. 186).

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred on April 16, 1907 (Minutes, page 196), the annexed resolutions in favor of authorizing the treasurers of the Memorial and Executive Committees, G. A. R., to draw on the Comptroller for Memorial Day observances, respectfully

REPORTS:

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

(SUBSTITUTE.)

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, with the concurrence of the Board of Aldermen, has provided certain sums of money for Memorial Day observances in the various boroughs, in accordance with the provisions of law; and

Whereas, It is deemed necessary that said sums be advanced to the Memorial and Executive Committees of the Grand Army of the Republic in the various boroughs for the purposes of defraying expenses as they may arise; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized to pay to each of the treasurers of the Memorial and Executive Committees of the Grand Army of the Republic in the various boroughs, upon his requisition, countersigned by the Chairman and Secretary of each of the various Committees, the sum of money provided for expenditure as follows, i. e.:

For the Borough of Manhattan..... \$2,500 00

For the Borough of Brooklyn..... 2,500 00

For the Borough of Richmond..... 300 00

(ORIGINAL.)

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment has, in accordance with the request of the Board of Aldermen, authorized the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of three hundred dollars (\$300) for Memorial Day observances in the Borough of Richmond; and

Whereas, It is deemed necessary that the said sum of three hundred dollars (\$300) be advanced to the Memorial and Executive Committee of the Grand Army of the Republic of the Borough of Richmond for the purpose of defraying expenses as they may arise; be it

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to pay to the treasurer of the Memorial and Executive Committee of the Grand Army of the Republic, City of New York, Borough of Richmond, upon his requisition, countersigned by the Chairman and Secretary of said Committee, the sum of three hundred dollars (\$300) for the purposes of Memorial Day observances in the Borough of Richmond, and that received vouchers for all expenses in connection with such celebration be filed with the Department of Finance as soon thereafter as possible.

(ORIGINAL.)

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment has provided the sum of two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,500) for Memorial Day observances in the Borough of Manhattan, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 552 of the Laws of 1905; and

Whereas, It is deemed necessary that said sum of two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,500) be advanced to the Memorial and Executive Committee of the Grand Army of the Republic of the Borough of Manhattan for the purpose of defraying expenses as they may arise; be it

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized to pay to the treasurer of the Memorial and Executive Committee of the Grand Army of the Republic, City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, upon his requisition, countersigned by the Chairman and Secretary of said Committee, the sum of two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,500) for the purpose of Memorial Day observances in the Borough of Manhattan, and that received vouchers for all expenses in connection with such celebration be filed with the Department of Finance as soon thereafter as possible.

(ORIGINAL.)

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment has provided the sum of twenty-five hundred dollars (\$2,500) for Decoration Day observances in the Borough of Brooklyn, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 585, Laws of 1903; and

Whereas, It is deemed necessary that said sum of twenty-five hundred dollars (\$2,500) be advanced to the Memorial and Executive Committee of the Grand Army of the Republic, Kings County, for the purposes of defraying expenses as they may arise; be it

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to pay to the treasurer of the Memorial and Executive Committee of the Grand Army of the Republic, Kings County, upon his requisition, countersigned by the Chairman and Secretary of said Committee, the sum of twenty-five hundred dollars (\$2,500) for the purposes of Decoration Day observances in the Borough of Brooklyn, and that received vouchers for all expenses in connection with such celebration be filed with the Department of Finance as soon thereafter as possible.

JOHN R. DAVIES, B. W. B. BROWN, JOHN DIEMER, A. L. KLINE, THOS. J. MULLIGAN, J. E. BUNTING, JAMES W. REDMOND, Committee on Finance. Which was made a Special Order for the next meeting at 2 o'clock p.m.

No. 1886—(G. O. No. 239).

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred on April 16, 1907 (Minutes, page 204), the annexed resolution in favor of paying bill of James H. English, \$8, for interleaving four copies of the Code of Ordinances for use in the office of the City Clerk, respectfully

REPORTS:

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

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized and requested to draw a warrant in favor of James H. English & Son for the sum of eight dollars (\$8), the said sum to be payment in full for binding and interleaving four copies of the Code of Ordinances for use in the several borough offices of the City Clerk; said sum to be charged to and paid out of the appropriation entitled "City Contingencies, 1907."

JOHN R. DAVIES, B. W. B. BROWN, JOHN DIEMER, A. L. KLINE, THOS. J. MULLIGAN, J. E. BUNTING, JAMES W. REDMOND, Committee on Finance. Which was laid over.

Reports of Committee on Salaries and Offices—

No. 1734.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to whom was referred, on March 26, 1907 (Minutes, page —), the annexed resolution in favor of fixing salaries of positions in the Department of Correction, respectfully

REPORTS:

The Committee has heard Commissioner Coggey in relation to the accompanying resolution and has given careful attention to the items contained therein, all of which seem to be reasonable. The Committee recommends the adoption of the following substitute resolution:

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salaries of the above positions as set forth therein, to take effect, however, when this resolution is approved by the Mayor.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, at a meeting held March 22, 1907, adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of the following grades of positions in the Department of Correction, in addition to those already existing therein, to take effect April 1, 1907:

	Incumbents.	Per Annum.
Clerk	2	\$1,000 00
Mate	2	800 00
General Bookkeeper and Auditor	1	3,600 00
Secretary of the Department	1	3,000 00

—and the establishment of the following positions in the said Department, to take effect April 1, 1907:

	Incumbents.	Per Annum.
Instructor of Industries	1	\$1,200 00
Automobile Engineman	1	1,200 00

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salaries of the above positions as set forth therein, to take effect April 1, 1907.

JAMES COWDEN MEYERS, MICHAEL J. CARTER, JOHN J. CRONIN, LEONARD L. JACOBSON, M. D., CHARLES KUNTZE, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

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

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bartscherer, Brown, Callahan, Carter, Cronin, Davies, Dinwoodie, Ellery, Farrell, Gunther, Haggerty, C. Hahn, J. J. Hahn, Hatton, Herold, Higgins, Jacobson, Krulish, Kuck, Kuntze, Linde, Meyers, Monahan, Mulligan, Olvany, O'Neill, Reardon, Redmond, Richter, Schloss, Schneider, Sturges, Sullivan, Wafer, Wentz, Wright, Presidents Bermel, Haffen and Ahearn and the Vice-Chairman—40.

No. 1736.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to whom was referred on March 26, 1907 (Minutes, page 733), the annexed resolution in favor of fixing salaries of positions, Department of Taxes and Assessments, respectfully

REPORTS:

Mr. Purdy, President of the Tax Department, appeared before the committee. The Secretary, who has received his present salary of \$3,500 for ten years, is increased to \$4,000. The Assistant Secretary, who has received \$2,700 for nine years, is increased to \$3,200. The resolution provides intermediate grades of Confidential Stenographer, the present grades being \$1,500 and \$1,050. The resolution provides an Office Boy for the Department, a position which, strange to say, does not now exist therein. The committee recommends the adoption of the following substitute resolution:

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution, and fixes the salaries of the above positions as set forth therein, to take effect, however, when this resolution is approved by the Mayor.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting held March 22, 1907, adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of the following grades of positions in the Department of Taxes and Assessments, in addition to those already existing therein, to take effect April 1, 1907:

	Incumbents.	Per Annum.
Secretary	1	\$4,000 00
Assistant Secretary	1	3,200 00
Confidential Stenographer	1	1,350 00
Confidential Stenographer	1	1,200 00

—and the establishment of the position of Office Boy in said Department with salary at the rate of \$300 per annum for one incumbent, to take effect April 1, 1907.

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salaries of the above positions as set forth therein, to take effect April 1, 1907.

JAMES COWDEN MEYERS, MICHAEL J. CARTER, CHARLES KUNTZE, JOHN J. CRONIN, LEONARD L. JACOBSON, M. D., Committee on Salaries and Offices.

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

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bartscherer, Brown, Callahan, Carter, Clifford, Collins, Cronin, Davies, Dinwoodie, Doull, Dowling, Ellery, Freeman, Gunther, Haggerty, C. Hahn, J. J. Hahn, Herold, Higgins, Keely, Kenneally, Krulish, Kuck, Kuntze, Lawlor, Leverett, Linde, Meyers, Morris, Mulligan, Noonan, Olvany, O'Neill, Peters, Reardon, Rendt, Richter, Rowcroft, Schloss, Schneider, Stapleton, Sturges, Sullivan, Torpey, Wafer, Wentz, Wright, Presidents Cromwell, by L. L. Tribus, Commissioner of Public Works; Bermel, Haffen and Ahearn and the Vice-Chairman—52.

No. 1737.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to whom was referred on March 26, 1907 (Minutes, page 733), the annexed resolution in favor of fixing salaries of positions, Board of Assessors, respectfully

REPORTS:

Sufficient reasons for the increase of salary of the members of the Board of Assessors are given in the accompanying letter of the Secretary of the Board. The Committee finds that the importance of the office and the amount and value of the work done have very largely increased since the present salary was established. The Committee finds that the present Assessors are careful and attentive to their duties, and merit public confidence. The Committee recommends the adoption of the following substitute resolution:

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution, and fixes the salaries of the above positions as set forth therein, to take effect, however, when this resolution is approved by the Mayor.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, at a meeting held March 22, 1907, adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of the grade of position of Assessor in the office of the Board of Assessors, with salary at the rate of \$5,000 per annum, for three incumbents, to take effect April 1, 1907.

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salary of the above position as set forth therein, to take effect April 1, 1907.

JAMES COWDEN MEYERS, MICHAEL J. CARTER, CHARLES KUNTZE, JOHN J. CRONIN, LEONARD L. JACOBSON, M. D., Committee on Salaries and Offices.

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

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bartscherer, Brown, Callahan, Carter, Clifford, Cole, Collins, Cronin, Davies, Diemer, Doull, Dowling, Downing, Ellery, Farrell, Freeman, Grifenhagen, Gunther, Haggerty, J. J. Hahn, Hatton, Herold, Higgins, Kenneally, Krulish, Kuck, Leverett, Linde, Meyers, Monahan, Olvany, Reardon, Rendt, Richter, Rowcroft, Schloss, Schneider, Sturges, Sullivan, Wafer, Wentz, Wright, Presidents Cromwell, by L. L. Tribus, Commissioner of Public Works; Bermel, Haffen and Ahearn and the Vice-Chairman—48.

No. 1747.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to whom was referred on March 26, 1907 (Minutes, page 737), the annexed resolution in favor of fixing salaries of positions under President, Borough of The Bronx, respectfully

REPORTS:

The accompanying resolution increases the salaries of the Chief Engineer, Principal Assistant Engineer and two Assistant Engineers in the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx. Such increases seem to be necessary because of the widespread demand for engineering talent at present. The Chief Engineer, Mr. Briggs, has served the City for nearly thirty years, and is recognized as an engineer of great ability. The Committee had some hesitancy about increasing the salary of the Secretary to the Commissioner of Public Works, but was finally convinced that the incumbent is fairly entitled to it. The Committee recommends the adoption of the following substitute resolution:

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution, and fixes the salaries of the above positions as set forth therein, to take effect, however, when this resolution is approved by the Mayor.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting held March 22, 1907, adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of the following grades of positions in the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, in addition to those already existing therein, to take effect April 1, 1907:

	Incum-bents.	Per Annum.
Chief Engineer.....	I	\$7,500 00
Principal Assistant Engineer.....	I	4,500 00
Assistant Engineer.....	I	3,600 00
Assistant Engineer.....	I	3,300 00
Secretary to Commissioner of Public Works.....	I	3,000 00

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salaries of the above positions as set forth therein, to take effect April 1, 1907.

JAMES COWDEN MEYERS, MICHAEL J. CARTER, CHARLES KUNTZE, JOHN J. CRONIN, LEONARD L. JACOBSON, M. D., Committee on Salaries and Offices.

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

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bartscherer, Brown, Bunting, Callahan, Carter, Cronin, Davies, Diemer, Doull, Dowling, Doyle, Ellery, Farrell, Grifenhagen, Gunther, Haggerty, Hann, Higgins, Kenneally, Kline, Krulish, Kuck, Kuntze, Lawlor, Leverett, Levine, Linde, Meyers, Morris, Noonan, O'Neill, Reardon, Schloss, Schneider, Stapleton, Sturges, Sullivan, Torpey, Wafer, Wright; President Cromwell, by L. L. Tribus, Commissioner of Public Works; President Haffen and the Vice-Chairman—43.

Negative—Alderman Peters—I.

No. 1748—(S. O. No. 187).

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to whom was referred on March 26, 1907 (Minutes, page 737), the annexed resolution in favor of fixing salaries of positions under President, Borough of Queens, respectfully

REPORTS:

The Committee, after hearing President Bermel, and an independent investigation, has reached the conclusion that the increase of salary of the Assistant Engineer in charge of the Topographical Bureau from \$3,000 to \$4,000 is justified, both by the great increase in the work of the bureau and by the present demand for engineers of ability. The rest of the resolution creates new positions, and the Committee is not yet prepared to report as to them. The Committee, therefore, recommends the adoption of the following substitute resolution:

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in so much of said resolution as fixes the salary of the grade of position of Assistant Engineer, Topographical Bureau, in the office of the President of Queens, in addition to those already existing therein, with salary at the rate of \$4,000 per annum, to take effect, however, when this resolution is approved by the Mayor.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting held March 22, 1907, adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of the grade of position of Assistant Engineer, Topographical Bureau, in the office of the President of Queens, in addition to those already existing therein, with salary at the rate of \$4,000 per annum, to take effect April 1, 1907, and the establishment of the following positions, to take effect April 1, 1907:

	Incum-bents.	Per Annum.
Confidential Inspector.....	I	\$2,000 00
Deputy Superintendent of Highways.....	I	2,000 00
Assistant Superintendent of Street Cleaning.....	I	2,000 00
Additional Chief Inspector of Buildings.....	I	2,000 00

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salaries of the above positions as set forth therein, to take effect April 1, 1907.

JAMES COWDEN MEYERS, MICHAEL J. CARTER, CHARLES KUNTZE, JOHN J. CRONIN, LEONARD L. JACOBSON, M. D., Committee on Salaries and Offices.

No. 1749—(S. O. No. 188).

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to whom was referred on March 26, 1907 (Minutes, page 738), the annexed resolution in favor of fixing salaries of positions under President, Borough of Richmond, respectfully

REPORTS:

The accompanying resolution provides an increase of \$500 each for two heads of bureaus in the office of the President of the Borough of Richmond. The incumbents have rendered efficient service for five years, and the volume and importance of their work has gradually increased. The rest of the resolution affects Engineers whose services the Borough President finds it difficult to retain at their present salaries. The Committee recommends the adoption of the following substitute resolution:

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution, and fixes the salaries of the above positions as set forth therein, to take effect, however, when this resolution is approved by the Mayor.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting held March 22, 1907, adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in accordance with the provision of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of the following grades of positions under the jurisdiction of the President of the Borough of Richmond, in addition to those already existing therein, to take effect April 1, 1907:

	Incum-bents.	Per Annum.
Superintendent of Public Buildings and Offices.....	I	\$2,500 00
Superintendent of Sewers.....	I	2,500 00
Principal Assistant Engineer.....	2	3,600 00
Assistant Engineer.....	I	1,200 00
Assistant Engineer.....	I	1,350 00

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salaries of the above positions as set forth therein, to take effect April 1, 1907.

JAMES COWDEN MEYERS, MICHAEL J. CARTER, CHARLES KUNTZE, JOHN J. CRONIN, LEONARD L. JACOBSON, M. D., Committee on Salaries and Offices.

No. 1757—(S. O. No. 189).

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to whom was referred on March 26, 1907 (Minutes, page 741), the annexed resolution in favor of fixing the salaries of certain positions in the jurisdiction of the Trustees of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, respectfully

REPORTS:

The committee has heard Dr. Brannan in support of the accompanying resolution which provides for the increases of a few minor salaries, and the addition of certain positions which will doubtless increase the effectiveness of the hospital force. The employment of a Photographer at a fixed salary is expected to effect economy. The Committee believes that the salaries provided are all reasonable, and recommends the adoption of the following substitute resolution:

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution, and fixes the salaries of the above positions as set forth therein, to take effect, however, when this resolution is approved by the Mayor.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting held March 22, 1907, adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of the following grades of positions under the jurisdiction of the Board of Trustees, Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, in addition to those already existing therein, to take effect April 1, 1907:

	Incum-bents.	Per Annum.
Contract Clerk.....	I	\$1,950 00
Assistant Superintendent.....	I	1,200 00
Foreman of Drivers.....	I	900 00
Ambulance Drivers.....	I	600 00
Ambulance Drivers.....	I	540 00

—and the establishment of the following positions under the jurisdiction of said Board of Trustees, to take effect April 1, 1907:

	Incum-bents.	Per Annum.
Seamstress.....	I	\$360 00
Seamstress.....	I	300 00
Bookkeeper.....	I	1,200 00
Junior Clerk.....	I	480 00
Junior Clerk.....	I	540 00
Junior Clerk.....	I	600 00
Inspector of Sanitation and Ventilation.....	I	1,200 00
Photographer and X-ray Photographer.....	I	1,200 00

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salaries of above positions as set forth therein, to take effect April 1, 1907.

JAMES COWDEN MEYERS, MICHAEL J. CARTER, CHARLES KUNTZE, JOHN J. CRONIN, LEONARD L. JACOBSON, M. D., Committee on Salaries and Offices.

No. 1765—(S. O. No. 190).

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to whom was referred, on March 26, 1907 (Minutes, page 744), the annexed resolution, in favor of fixing the salaries of certain positions in the office of Register, New York County, respectfully

REPORTS:

The accompanying resolution increases the salary of the Assistant Deputy Register from \$3,400 to \$4,000. It provides an increase in salary of \$300 for the Chief Searcher, who has been in the office for twenty-six years, and received his present salary for eight years; and an increase of \$300 for the Assistant Satisfaction Clerk, who has been in the department for thirty-five years, and received his present salary for seven years. It establishes the salary of the Bookbinder at what we regard as the prevailing rate of wages; he now gets \$1,080. An increase of \$200 is provided for the Chief Clerk in the Bureau for the Preservation of Public Records, who has received his present salary for six years. The committee believes the increases reasonable and recommends the adoption of the following substitute resolution:

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution, and fixes the salaries of the above positions as set forth therein, to take effect, however, when this resolution is approved by the Mayor.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, at a meeting held March 22, 1907, adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of the following grades of positions in the office of the Register of New York County, in addition to those already existing therein, to take effect April 1, 1907:

	Incum-bents.	Per Annum.
Assistant Deputy Register.....	I	\$4,000 00
Chief Searcher and Examiner.....	I	2,500 00
Assistant Satisfaction Clerk.....	I	2,400 00
Bookbinder.....	I	1,200 00
Chief Clerk in the Bureau for the Preservation of Public Records	I	1,800 00

—and the establishment of the position of Telephone Operator in the office of said Register, with salary at the rate of \$720 per annum, for one (1) incumbent, to take effect April 1, 1907

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salaries of the above positions as set forth therein, to take effect April 1, 1907.

JAMES COWDEN MEYERS, MICHAEL J. CARTER, CHARLES KUNTZE, JOHN J. CRONIN, LEONARD L. JACOBSON, M. D., Committee on Salaries and Offices.

No. 1770—(S. O. No. 191).

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to whom was referred on March 26, 1907 (Minutes, page 746), the annexed resolution in favor of establishing two grades of positions in the office of the Surrogate of Queens County at \$1,500 each, respectfully

REPORTS:

Mr. Hendrickson, Chief Clerk of the Surrogate's Office, appeared before the Committee in relation to the accompanying resolution, and the Committee has carefully considered the items contained therein, which seem to be reasonable. The Committee recommends the adoption of the following substitute resolution:

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution, and fixes the salaries of the above positions as set forth therein, to take effect, however, when this resolution is approved by the Mayor.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting held March 22, 1907, adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of the following grades of positions in the office of the Surrogate, Queens County, in addition to those already existing therein, to take effect April 1, 1907:

	Incum-bents.	Per Annum.
Index Clerk	1	\$1,500 00
Assistant Clerk	1	1,500 00

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salaries of the above positions as set forth therein, to take effect April 1, 1907.

JAMES COWDEN MEYERS, MICHAEL J. CARTER, CHARLES KUNTZE, JOHN J. CRONIN, LEONARD L. JACOBSON, M. D., Committee on Salaries and Offices.

No. 1797—(S. O. No. 192).

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to whom was referred on April 2, 1907 (Minutes, page 7), the annexed resolution in favor of fixing salaries of positions in the office of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, respectfully

REPORTS:

The accompanying resolution fixes the salaries of positions in the office of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, as it has recently been reorganized. Your Committee has previously taken the position that the responsibility for the conduct of its own office might very well be left to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment without criticism or interference by the Board of Aldermen. On the merits of the question, however, the Committee agrees with most of the items of this resolution. The Chief Engineer, Mr. Lewis, and the Assistants, Mr. Nichols and Mr. Tuttle, are all high grade technical men whose position and work have no political relations. Mr. Lewis has recently declined a very tempting offer to leave the City's employ. Mr. Nichols, in his work in the Bureau of Franchises has proved himself an independent and valuable public servant. The Committee recommends the adoption of the resolution.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting held March 28, 1907, adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment March 15, 1907, which reads as follows:

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

	Incum-bents.	Per Annum.
Chief Engineer	1	\$12,000 00
Assistant Engineer	2	6,000 00
Assistant Engineer	1	3,000 00
Assistant Engineer	2	1,950 00
Stenographer to Board	1	3,500 00
Clerk	1	2,250 00
Clerk	1	2,100 00
Clerk of Street Openings	1	2,100 00
Law Clerk	1	1,650 00
Law Clerk	3	1,350 00
Clerk	1	750 00
Messenger	1	1,350 00

—to take effect January 1, 1907.

—be and the same is hereby amended by striking therefrom the words and figures to take effect January 1, 1907."

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

JAMES COWDEN MEYERS, MICHAEL J. CARTER, CHARLES KUNTZE, JOHN J. CRONIN, LEONARD L. JACOBSON, M. D., Committee on Salaries and Offices.

Nos. 1870 and 1881—(S. O. No. 193).

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to whom was referred on April 16, 1907 (Minutes, pages 198 to 202), the annexed resolutions in favor of appointing Wm. A. Roffe and Robert E. Morrison, City Surveyors, respectfully

REPORTS:

That the customary references having been filed, and the applicants having appeared before the Committee and satisfactorily answered its inquiries, it therefore recommends that the substitute resolution be adopted:

(SUBSTITUTE.)

Resolved, That the following-named persons be and they are hereby appointed City Surveyors:

Robert E. Morrison, No. 179 Van Buren street, Brooklyn.

Wm. A. Roffe, No. 1888 Bathgate avenue, The Bronx.

(ORIGINAL.)

Resolved, That Robert E. Morrison, of No. 179 Van Buren street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, be and he is hereby appointed a City Surveyor.

Resolved, That Wm. A. Roffe, of No. 1888 Bathgate avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, be and he is hereby appointed a City Surveyor.

JAMES COWDEN MEYERS, MICHAEL J. CARTER, CHARLES KUNTZE, JOHN J. CRONIN, LEONARD L. JACOBSON, M. D., Committee on Salaries and Offices.

Which were severally laid over and made Special Orders for the next meeting at 2 o'clock p. m.

MOTIONS, ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS RESUMED.

Alderman Meyers asked and obtained unanimous consent to introduce the following:

No. 1911.

Resolved, That the President of the Borough of Manhattan be and he is hereby authorized and requested to number and renumber the buildings on One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues, in such manner and to such extent as may be necessary.

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

Which was unanimously decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Affirmative—Aldermen Callahan, Carter, Collins, Cronin, Davies, Dinwoodie, Dowling, Ellery, Everson, Freeman, Gunther, Haggerty, C. Hahn, J. J. Hahn, Hutton, Herold, Higgins, Jacobson, Kenneally, Kline, Krulish, Kuck, Kuntze, Linde, Meyers, Monahan, Morris, Noonan, Olvany, O'Neill, Peters, Reardon, Richter, Rowcroft, Schloss, Schneider, Stapleton, Sturges, Sullivan, Torpey, Wafer, Wentz, Wright, President Bermel, President Haffen and President Ahearn—46.

Alderman Peters asked and obtained unanimous consent to introduce the following:

No. 1912.

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby recommends to the Rapid Transit Commissioners and the Board of Estimate and Apportionment that in the letting of contracts for the proposed new subways they reject all propositions save those made for construction alone, so that the City may lease said subways after their completion when their true value is known, or the City itself operate the subways as it has the power to do under the provisions of the recently enacted Elsberg Law.

Which was adopted.

SPECIAL ORDERS.

Alderman Dowling called up Special Order No. 156, being a report and resolution, as follows:

No. 1555—(S. O. No. 156).

The Committee on Public Letting, to which was referred, on February 5, 1907 (Minutes, page 409), the annexed resolution authorizing the President of the Borough of Manhattan to enter into a supplemental agreement with Messrs. Ryan & Parker, modifying plans of section 2 for the extension of Riverside drive, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, they find that the extension of Riverside drive was authorized by an act of the State Legislature in 1897. This special act authorized the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to approve the plans for the proposed extension and to issue bonds to provide the necessary funds therefor without the concurrence of the Board of Aldermen. A change of plans, occasioned by changes in the grade of streets, etc., recommended by the City's Engineers and approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, made it obligatory on the part of the contractors to get a supplemental contract with the City. The funds for this purpose were appropriated by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and the contract about to be made when the Corporation Counsel advised that, under section 419 of the Charter, the Board of Aldermen's consent must be received before a supplemental contract could be agreed upon.

Mr. F. Stewart Williamson, the Consulting Engineer of the Riverside drive extension, appeared before the Committee and stated that he believed the present contractors should receive the supplemental contract, as they were in a position to do the work cheaper and in a more satisfactory manner as to time, etc. If new people were to get the contract after public letting they would be required to construct a plant, which would mean delay. The present contractors already have a plant established and are familiar with the work. In view of these facts, your Committee recommends the adoption of the said resolution.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, having adopted a resolution on June 23, 1905, modifying the plans of section 2 for the extension of Riverside drive, between One Hundred and Thirty-fifth and One Hundred and Forty-fifth streets; and

Whereas, The said Board having, on November 23, 1906, approved certain further modifications in the plans for the extension of Riverside drive between the points above indicated;

Resolved, That pursuant to section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the President of the Borough of Manhattan be and he hereby is authorized to enter into a supplemental agreement, without public letting, to an amount not exceeding two hundred and forty-three thousand seven hundred dollars and twenty-eight cents (\$243,700.28), with Messrs. Ryan & Parker, the original contractors for the above mentioned work, to carry into effect the original plans heretofore approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to chapter 665 of the Laws of 1897, for the extension of Riverside drive, and the modifications in the plans for the extension of the said driveway approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the dates above specified.

A. L. KLINE, JACOB BARTSCHERER, WILLIAM CLIFFORD, DAVID S. RENDT, MAX S. LEVINE, JOSEPH SCHLOSS, Committee on Public Letting.

President Ahearn presented the following documents in connection herewith, and moved that they be made part of the record:

Memorandum in explanation of extra work to be performed in connection with the construction of the Riverside drive extension, under contracts with Ryan & Parker and John C. Rodgers.

RYAN & PARKER.

Section No. 2—From One Hundred and Thirty-fifth to One Hundred and Forty-fifth Street, Inclusive.

Estimated cost of original contract..... \$1,513,074 00

Extra Work.

No. 1. Cost of changes and modifications as shown on plans approved by the Board of Estimate..... \$52,000 00

No. 2. Cost of changes and modifications in original contract plans arising from unforeseen conditions..... 151,595 00

Contingencies..... 11,261 20

Estimated cost of extra work..... 214,856 20

Total cost of contract..... \$1,727,930 20

The estimated cost of the extra work on the Ryan & Parker contract amounts to \$214,856.20. The resolution to be passed by the Board of Aldermen to enter into agreement without public letting fixes the amount at not exceeding \$243,700.28.

No. 1. In the case of changes approved by the Board of Estimate, the extra money is to provide for—

Lengthening the retaining wall between One Hundred and Thirty-ninth and One Hundred and Forty-second streets.

Certain changes in masonry at One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street.

Carrying the sewers on the east wall, instead of laying them in the ground, etc.

No. 2. In the case of changes arising from modifications in contract plans, necessitated by unforeseen conditions, the extra money is to provide for—

Deeper foundations, owing to bad bottom, quicksand, etc., thus increasing the height and thickness of retaining walls.

Increase in rock excavation.

Unexpected amount of old material to be removed where cross streets abutted on the drive.

Providing a parapet on east wall, which was necessary to protect passengers.

Thickness of rubble masonry walls increased to provide for greater factor of safety.

JOHN C. RODGERS.

Sections Nos. 3 and 4—From One Hundred and Forty-fifth Street to Boulevard Lafayette, One Hundred and Fifty-eighth Street.

Estimated cost of original contract..... \$1,651,717 00

Extra Work.

No. 1. Cost of changes and modifications as shown on plans approved by the Board of Estimate..... \$260,935 00

No. 2. Cost of changes and modifications in original contract plans arising from unforeseen conditions..... 183,103 50

No. 3. Cost of change of grade at One Hundred and Fifty-first street—Plans approved by Board of Estimate and Apportionment..... 16,546 00

Contingencies, etc.....	25,463 00
Estimated cost of extra work.....	486,047 50
Estimated total cost of contract.....	\$2,137,764 50

The estimated cost of the extra work on John C. Rodgers' contract amounts to \$486,047.50. The resolution to be passed by the Board of Aldermen to enter into an agreement without public letting fixes the amount at not exceeding \$493,129.

No. 1. In the case of changes approved by the Board of Estimate, the extra money is to provide for—

Raising the grade of abutting streets from One Hundred and Forty-ninth to One Hundred and Fifty-second street, requiring higher and heavier retaining walls.

The substitution of masonry for steel under viaduct from One Hundred and Fifty-third to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street.

Carrying the sewers on the east retaining wall in place of laying them on the ground, etc., etc.

No. 2. In the case of changes arising from modifications in contract plans, necessitated by unforeseen conditions, the extra money is to provide for—

Deeper foundations, owing to bad bottom, quicksand, etc., necessarily increasing height and thickness of retaining walls.

Increase in rock excavation.

Unexpected amount of old material to be removed where cross streets abutted on the drive.

Providing a parapet on east retaining wall in order to protect foot passengers.

Thickness of rubble masonry walls increased to provide for a greater factor of safety, etc., etc.

It is not apparent to me how the extra work thus provided for can be carried out by other contractors than the present ones.

The most profitable part of the work is nearly completed, therefore no contractor could be found who would do the remaining work at the same unit prices as prevail in the existing contracts, and which the present contractors are willing to adhere to.

If the work is to be done by a new contractor, he must install an expensive plant for carrying on his work, all of which is now on the ground and ready for operation by the present contractors.

The present contractors would necessarily require time to remove their machinery and other effects, and this would seriously delay the completion of the work.

Summary of Extra Work.

Ryan & Parker contract.....	\$214,856 20
John C. Rodgers contract.....	486,047 50

Total amount of extra work on both contracts..... \$700,903 70

Amount authorized by Board of Estimate and Apportionment..... 729,000 00

Balance for Engineers' fees..... \$28,097 00

Alderman Wafer moved that the whole matter be laid over for one week, and made a Special Order for the next meeting at 2 o'clock p. m.

Which motion was adopted.

Alderman Brown called up Special Order No. 169, being a majority and minority report, and ordinances, as follows:

No. 1473—(S. O. No. 169).

As members of the Committee on Laws and Legislation, the undersigned dissent from the majority report made by said committee on April 9, 1907 (S. O. No. 169), in reference to an ordinance in relation to public places of amusement, and respectfully

REPORT:

That we have carefully examined the subject matter and are of opinion that the interests of the public will be best subserved by the adoption of an ordinance which, in our judgment, will to the greatest extent remedy the evil, and with that end in view we submit the following proposed ordinance and recommend its adoption:

AN ORDINANCE amending the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York so far as the same relates to "ticket speculators."

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

Section 1. Sections 349 and 350 of subdivision 9 of article 4-a, of chapter 7, title 2 of part 1 of the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York, as approved November 8, 1906, are hereby amended so that the same shall read as follows:

9. Ticket Speculators.

Sec. 349. Any person, firm, partnership or corporation selling or offering to sell in any street, store, hotel or other place of business in The City of New York any ticket of admission to any public place of amusement for any price shall be deemed a ticket speculator, and no ticket speculator shall sell or offer for sale, nor shall any tickets of admission be sold on the sidewalk in front of or within 50 feet from the entrance to any place of amusement.

Sec. 350. No ticket speculator shall deceive any purchaser by misstating or misrepresenting what is secured to the purchaser by the ticket sold (under a penalty of not less than \$2 nor more than \$25 for each offense).

Nor shall any one license granted hereunder apply to more than one person doing business on a public street, nor to more than one firm, partnership or corporation doing business in a store, hotel or other place of business in which the trade herein defined is plied.

Sec. 350-a. Any person, firm, partnership or corporation engaging in or carrying on the business of ticket speculator without having been licensed therefor or violating any of the provisions of the two foregoing sections shall be deemed guilty of a violation of this ordinance and, upon conviction thereof before any Magistrate, either upon confession of the party or competent testimony, may be fined in a sum not less than fifty dollars (\$50) for each offense, and in default of payment of such fine may be committed to prison by such Magistrate until the same be paid; but such imprisonment shall not exceed fifteen days.

Sec. 350-b. No license shall hereafter be granted to any person, firm, partnership or corporation to engage in the business of ticket speculating within The City of New York unless such person be a citizen of the United States and a resident of the State of New York for a period of more than one year, and who shall have been registered as a duly qualified elector at the last general election, nor to any firm, partnership or corporation unless a majority of the members of such firm or partnership, or a majority of the directors of such corporation, be such duly qualified electors as aforesaid.

Sec. 2. Section 308 of article 2, title 2, chapter 7, part 1, of said Code of Ordinances hereby is amended by striking therefrom the words "for each ticket speculator \$50" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "\$300 for the first year and \$100 for each renewal."

Sec. 3. All ordinances inconsistent with the foregoing ordinance are hereby repealed.

Sec. 4. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

WM. E. MORRIS, WILLIAM CLIFFORD, WILLIAM ROWCROFT, JAMES W. REDMOND, Committee on Laws and Legislation.

The Committee on Laws and Legislation, to which was recommitted on April 2, 1907 (Minutes, page 41), the annexed report of the Committee on Laws and Legislation, in relation to theatre ticket speculators, made to the Board on said day, respectfully

REPORTS:

In conformity with the instructions given by this Board a public hearing was held, which was largely attended by those interested in the matter.

The committee was addressed by Alderman Doull; and also heard Messrs. David Marks, president of the New York Ticket Speculators' Association; Charles Troy, George J. Duncan, W. J. Slater, Louis Levy and Samuel Weill, all of whom are sidewalk ticket speculators. Some of the speakers are known as "independents," not being members of the association above referred to. Mr. C. M. Sheehan also was heard.

Your committee has carefully considered the subject, but from the statements made at the hearing your committee is unable to find any reason for changing its

conclusions submitted in a former report with respect to this matter made to this Board on March 19 last.

Your committee therefore recommends the adoption of the following:

(SUBSTITUTE ORDINANCE.)

AN ORDINANCE relating to public places of amusement.

(Changing section 1472 of title 2, chapter 22, Part 3, of the Greater New York Charter; amending sections 305 and 308 of the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York, adopted October 30, 1906, and approved November 8, 1906; and repealing sections 349 and 350 of said Code of Ordinances.)

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

Section 1. It shall not be lawful to exhibit to the public in any building, garden or grounds, concert room or other place or room within The City of New York, any interlude, tragedy, comedy, opera, ballet, play, farce, minstrelsy or dancing, or any other entertainment of the stage, or any part or parts therein, or any equestrian, circus or dramatic performance, or any performance of jugglers, or rope dancing or acrobats, until a license for the place of such exhibition for such purpose shall have been first had and obtained, as hereinafter provided.

Sec. 2. No license shall be granted for any or all of the purposes aforesaid unless an application therefor, subscribed by the person or corporation seeking said license, shall first be made to the Police Department upon a printed form of application to be furnished by said department; which said application shall contain, plainly printed therein, the following conditions; and every license granted thereon shall be so granted upon, and shall also contain, plainly printed therein, said conditions, to wit:

First—The price of each and every ticket of admission issued by or on behalf of the licensee herein shall be plainly and legibly printed on such ticket, and no price in excess of that so designated shall be asked or accepted by or on behalf of the licensee.

Second—No ticket of admission shall be issued, sold or offered for sale by or on behalf of the licensee to any person, persons or corporation, with the knowledge or connivance of the licensee, his managers, officers, agents or employees, or with the purpose or intention that such ticket shall be resold or offered for resale at a price in excess of that designated thereon.

Third—A violation of any of the foregoing conditions by such licensee, or his agents or employees, shall subject such licensee to the revocation of this license.

Sec. 3. Except as above provided, sections 1473 to 1487, inclusive, of title 2, chapter 22, part 3, of the Greater New York Charter, shall remain in full force and effect, and the provisions of said sections shall be construed to relate to the subjects set forth in the foregoing sections of this ordinance.

Sec. 4. No theatre ticket, pass or other evidence or instrument admitting any person to a theatre, or any public place of amusement designated in section 1 of this ordinance shall be sold or offered for sale on any sidewalk or street in The City of New York, or upon any property belonging to said City.

Sec. 5. Every person violating any of the provisions of the foregoing section of this ordinance shall be liable to a penalty of \$50 for each offence, to be recovered in an action to be brought therefor in the name of The City of New York.

Sec. 6. Section 305 of article 1, title 2, chapter 7, part 1, of the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York, adopted October 30, 1906, and approved November 8, 1906, hereby is amended by striking therefrom the words "ticket speculators;" section 308 of article 2, title 2, chapter 7, part 1, of said Code of Ordinances, hereby is amended by striking therefrom the words "for each ticket speculator, \$50;" sections 349 and 350 of article 3, title 2, chapter 7, part 1, of said Code of Ordinances hereby are repealed.

Sec. 7. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

FRANK D. STURGES, B. W. B. BROWN, CLARENCE R. FREEMAN, JOHN R. DAVIES, JOHN D. GUNTHER, Committee on Laws and Legislation.

(Papers referred to in preceding report.)

The Committee on Laws and Legislation, to which was recommitted, on April 2, 1907 (Minutes, page 34), the annexed report in relation to theatre ticket speculators, respectfully

REPORTS:

For the reasons set forth in the report of your committee with reference to the matters contained in introductory numbers 1470, 1473 and 1474, which report was submitted to this Board on March 19, 1907, and printed in the minutes of the Board of said day at page 688, and was recommitted on April 2, 1907, your committee recommends the adoption of the following:

(SUBSTITUTE ORDINANCE.)

AN ORDINANCE relating to public places of amusement.

(Changing section 1472 of title 2, chapter 22, part 3, of the Greater New York Charter; amending sections 305 and 308 of the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York, adopted October 30, 1906, and approved November 8, 1906; and repealing sections 349 and 350 of said Code of Ordinances.)

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

Section 1. It shall not be lawful to exhibit to the public in any building, garden or grounds, concert room or other place or room within The City of New York, any interlude, tragedy, comedy, opera, ballet, play, farce, minstrelsy or dancing, or any other entertainment of the stage, or any part or parts therein, or any equestrian, circus or dramatic performance, or any performance of jugglers, or rope dancing, or acrobats, until a license for the place of such exhibition for such purpose shall have been first had and obtained, as hereinafter provided.

Sec. 2. No license shall be granted for any or all of the purposes aforesaid, unless an application therefor, subscribed by the person or corporation seeking said license, shall first be made to the Police Department upon a printed form of application to be furnished by said department; which said application shall contain plainly printed therein the following conditions; and every license granted thereon shall be so granted upon, and shall also contain, plainly printed therein, said conditions, to wit:

First—The price of each and every ticket of admission issued by or on behalf of the licensee herein shall be plainly and legibly printed on such ticket, and no price in excess of that so designated shall be asked or accepted by or on behalf of the licensee.

Second—No ticket of admission shall be issued, sold or offered for sale by or on behalf of the licensee to any person, persons or corporation, with the knowledge or connivance of the licensee, his managers, officers, agents or employees, or with the purpose or intention, that such ticket shall be resold or offered for resale at a price in excess of that designated thereon.

Third—A violation of any of the foregoing conditions by such licensee, or his agents or employees, shall subject such licensee to the revocation of this license.

Sec. 3. Except as above provided, sections 1473 to 1487, inclusive, of title 2, chapter 22, part 3, of the Greater New York Charter, shall remain in full force and effect, and the provisions of said section shall be construed to relate to the subjects set forth in the foregoing sections of this ordinance.

Sec. 4. No theatre ticket, pass or other evidence or instrument admitting any person to a theatre, or any public place of amusement designated in section 1 of this ordinance, shall be sold or offered for sale on any sidewalk or street in The City of New York, or upon any property belonging to said City.

Sec. 5. Every person violating any of the provisions of the foregoing section of this ordinance shall be liable to a penalty of \$50 for each offence, to be recovered in an action to be brought therefor in the name of The City of New York.

Sec. 6. Section 305 of article 1, title 2, chapter 7, part 1, of the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York, adopted October 30, 1906, and approved November 8, 1906, hereby is amended by striking therefrom the words "ticket speculators"; section 308 of article 2, title 2, chapter 7, part 1, of said Code of Ordinances hereby is amended by striking therefrom the words "for each ticket speculator \$50"; sections 349 and 350 of article 3, title 2, chapter 7, part 1, of said Code of Ordinances hereby are repealed.

Sec. 7. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

FRANK D. STURGES, B. W. B. BROWN, WILLIAM ROWCROFT, CLARENCE FREEMAN, JOHN R. DAVIES, JOHN D. GUNTHER, Committee on Laws and Legislation.

The Committee on Laws and Legislation, to which was referred, on January 22, 1907 (Minutes, pages 94, 96 and 97), the annexed communication and ordinances in relation to the sale of theatre tickets, respectfully

REPORTS:

That in view of the importance of the subject, a public hearing was held, at which were present many of the sidewalk ticket speculators, with their counsel, Mr. David M. Newberger, theatrical officers and managers, with Judge Andrew J. Dittenhofer, counsel for The Theatrical Managers' Association of New York City, controlling thirty-eight places of amusement; Senator Thomas L. Donnelly, representing the theatre ticket agencies, and the Secretary of the American District Telegraph Company, on behalf of that company, who were heard at length on the different phases of the question.

The committee was also addressed by Aldermen Brown, Doull, Grifenhagen, Sullivan and Dowling.

Your committee has received from the Bureau of Licenses a statement showing that in the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx there are 124 licensed ticket speculators and 10 in the Borough of Brooklyn; and also has received from the Police Department a list of licensed theatres and other places of amusement in this City, showing that there are 77 of the former and 66 of the latter.

Your committee has given the matter very careful consideration and has reached the following conclusions:

First—That the primary objects to be attained are the promotion of the comfort and welfare of the public and the preservation of order, and that for such purposes individual interests must yield, even at loss and inconvenience to such interests.

Second—That as to sidewalk ticket speculators, their disregard of existing ordinances and laws, their open and flagrant abuse of their privileges, their "outrageous" methods in the conduct of their business, together with the indifferent enforcement of the law, have given rise to a condition fittingly described in the recent annual message of his Honor the Mayor as "an intolerable nuisance," which demands radical action.

Third—That no practical suggestions have been made on behalf of such speculators which in the light of experience justifies the belief that such traffic can be effectively regulated and the evils complained of permanently terminated. In the opinion of your committee the adoption of more stringent restrictions would afford merely temporary relief and would certainly lead to more strenuous efforts on the part of the speculators in disposing of their wares, to the increased discomfort and harassment of the public.

Fourth—That with reference to the theatre ticket agencies, which are conducted at stands in hotels and elsewhere, such agencies are to a certain extent a convenience to many theatre goers, but on the whole are a detriment to the general public. The public has at least some right upon applying at the box office, and tendering the box office price, if unexceptionable in person, to obtain accommodations; and should not, as frequently happens on the opening sale of tickets, be confronted with the statement that the desirable seats have been disposed of or the house sold. This situation requires the applicant to have recourse to an agency, and, as a last resort, to the sidewalk speculators, subjecting him to serious inconvenience and the payment of an increased and often exorbitant price for his ticket, or obliging him to entirely forego his entertainment. The admitted practice of allowing the agencies to return unsold tickets until within a few minutes of the opening of the play, demonstrates that the aim of the manager is to dispose of his house through certain established centres, rather than to accommodate the public at large. Under present conditions the public must be satisfied with what remains after the agencies have supplied their own customers, or go without.

Fifth—That the Theatrical Association, at the hearing, expressed its desire and readiness to co-operate in the adoption of measures looking to the discontinuance of the sale of tickets except at the box office, and declared that if sidewalk speculators should cease the theatres under its control would terminate their arrangements with the agencies; and your committee accepts such declaration as having been made in good faith and with all sincerity, believing that such action would be appreciated and welcomed by the public.

Sixth—Your committee recognizes that a large number of places of amusement are not controlled by the association in question, and feels that, in all fairness, the association should not be subjected to any disadvantage arising from the unwillingness of those operating theatres outside of the association, to join in the proposed action. That to meet this situation it is the opinion of your committee that some measure should be adopted, so far as it may be within the power of this board, applicable to all places of amusement alike, as all "belong to the general class of cases contemplated by the statute as needing more or less of governmental supervision and regulation."

Your committee therefore recommends the adoption of the following substitute ordinance affecting sidewalk speculators, and also of the following ordinance relative to the licensing of places of amusement; and further recommends that the communications referred to under introductory numbers 1470 and 1474, having been disposed of by this report, be placed on file.

FRANK D. STURGES, B. W. B. BROWN, JOHN D. GUNTHER, WILLIAM CLIFFORD, CLARENCE R. FREEMAN, JOHN R. DAVIES, Committee on Laws and Legislation.

(SUBSTITUTE ORDINANCE.)

AN ORDINANCE relating to ticket speculators in The City of New York.

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

Section 1. Any person, firm or corporation, other than the proprietors, lessees or managers of a theatre or place of amusement, selling or offering for sale in The City of New York any ticket of admission to any public place of amusement for any price, shall be deemed a ticket speculator, and no ticket speculator shall sell or offer for sale any ticket of admission to any public place of amusement, nor shall any such ticket be sold or offered for sale, on the sidewalk or in any street of The City of New York. For every violation of this ordinance the offender shall be liable to a penalty of \$50, to be recovered in an action to be brought in the name of The City of New York.

Sec. 2. Section 305 of article 1, title 2, chapter 7, Part I. of the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York, adopted October 30, 1906, and approved November 8, 1906, hereby is amended by striking therefrom the words "ticket speculator," section 308 of article 2, title 2, chapter 7, Part I. of said Code of Ordinances, hereby is amended by striking therefrom the words "For each ticket speculator \$50;" sections 349 and 350 of article 3, title 2, chapter 7, Part I. of said Code of Ordinances hereby are repealed.

Sec. 3. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

AN ORDINANCE to amend section 1472 of title 2, chapter 22 of the Greater New York Charter, relative to licensing public places of amusement.

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

Section 1. Section 1472 of title 2, chapter 22 of the Greater New York Charter hereby is amended so as to read as follows:

Section 1472. It shall not be lawful to exhibit to the public in any building, garden or grounds, concert room, or other place or room within The City of New York, any interlude, tragedy, comedy, opera, ballet, play, farce, minstrelsy or dancing, or any other entertainment of the stage, or any part or parts therein, or any equestrian, circus or dramatic performance, or any performance of jugglers, or rope dancing, or acrobats, until a license for the place of such exhibition for such purpose shall have been first had and obtained as hereinafter provided.

Each and every such license granted shall contain therein the following provisions as conditions upon which the same is granted:

1. The price of each and every ticket issued by or on behalf of the licensee herein shall be plainly and legibly marked on such ticket, and no price in excess of that so designated shall be asked or accepted by or on behalf of the licensee.

2. No ticket of admission shall be issued, sold or offered for sale by or on behalf of the licensee to any person, persons or corporation, with the knowledge of the licensee, his managers, officers, agents or employees, or with the purpose or intention that such ticket shall be resold or offered for resale at a price in excess of that designated thereon.

3. A violation of either of the foregoing provisions shall subject the offender to the revocation of this license.

Sec. 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Note.—New matter in italics.

AN ORDINANCE amending the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York so far as the same relates to "ticket speculators."

Be it Ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York, as follows: Section 1. Section 349 of subdivision 9 of article 4a of chapter 7, title 2 of Part I. of the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York, as approved November 8, 1906, is hereby amended so that the same shall read as follows:

9. Ticket Speculators.

Sec. 349. Any person, firm or corporation, other than the managers, lessees or proprietors of a theatre or place of amusement, selling or offering to sell in (any street of) The City of New York any ticket of admission to any public place of amusement for any price shall be deemed a ticket speculator, and no ticket speculator shall sell or offer for sale, nor shall any ticket of admission be sold on the sidewalks (in front of the entrance to any place of amusement) or in any street of The City of New York; and for every violation of the ordinance there shall be recovered against the person, firm or corporation so offending a penalty of \$50 in an action to be brought in the name of The City of New York.

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.

Note.—New matter in italics; old matter in parenthesis to be omitted.

Alderman Morris moved that the minority report be substituted for the majority report.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Callahan, Cole, Collins, Cronin, Doull, Dowling, Doyle, Everson, Haggerty, Higgins, Keely, Kenneally, Levine, Monahan, Morris, Mulligan, Olvany, O'Neill, Peters, Reardon, Richter, Rowcroft, Schneider, Smith, Stapleton, Sullivan, Torpey, and President Ahearn—28.

Negative—Aldermen Bartscherer, Brown, Bunting, Carter, Davies, Dinwoodie, Ellery, Freeman, Grifenhagen, J. J. Hahn, Herold, Jacobson, Kuck, Markert, Meyers, Schloss, Sturges and the Vice-Chairman—18.

On motion of Alderman Sullivan, the minority report was then laid over and made a Special Order for the next meeting at 2.30 o'clock p. m.

MOTIONS, ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS AGAIN RESUMED.

Alderman Hann asked and obtained unanimous consent to introduce the following:

No. 1913.

Resolved, That so much of the resolution which was adopted by the Board of Aldermen April 24, 1906, and approved by the Mayor May 3, 1906, and which authorized the changing of the name of St. Mark's place, from Third avenue to Fifth avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, to St. Mark's avenue, and the renumbering of the buildings located on said thoroughfare, be and the same is hereby annulled, rescinded and repealed.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bartscherer, Bunting, Carter, Collins, Davies, Diemer, Dinwoodie, Dowling, Ellery, Everson, Freeman, Grifenhagen, Gunther, Haggerty, J. J. Hahn, Hann, Herold, Higgins, Keely, Kenneally, Kline, Krulish, Kuck, Lawlor, Leverett, Markert, Meyers, Monahan, Morris, Mulligan, Olvany, Potter, Reardon, Redmond, Rendt, Richter, Rowcroft, Schloss, Schneider, Smith, Sturges, Sullivan, Torpey, President Haffen and President Ahearn—45.

SPECIAL ORDERS RESUMED.

Alderman Kline called up Special Order No. 170, being a report and resolution, as follows:

No. 1701—(S. O. No. 170).

The Committee on Public Letting, to which was referred on March 26, 1907 (Minutes, page 783), the annexed communication from the County Clerk of Kings County, requesting authority to contract for binding certain public records without public letting, respectfully

REPORTS:

That at a hearing on the above matter, Chief Clerk Schultz, of the County Clerk's office, appeared before the Committee and explained that under order from the Commissioner of Records the County Clerk was engaged in the work of binding into book form all of the bundled records in his office. He has already bound 250,000 papers and estimates that, with the appropriation of \$10,000 allowed him by the Board of Aldermen on March 26, 1907, he will be able to bind 1,000,000 more. To bring this system up to date will take from two to three years, and will cost about \$25,000. Your Committee believes that this is a greatly improved system, well worth the proposed cost, and should be completed as quickly as possible, and therefore recommends the adoption of the annexed resolution.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the County Clerk of Kings County be and he is hereby authorized to contract for, without public letting, for the binding of certain public records in his office into book form at a cost not to exceed the sum of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000).

A. L. KLINE, F. J. O'NEILL, WILLIAM CLIFFORD, JOSEPH SCHLOSS, JACOB BARTSCHERER, Committee on Public Letting.

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

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

Affirmative—Aldermen Bartscherer, Brown, Bunting, Callahan, Carter, Collins, Davies, Diemer, Doull, Dowling, Downing, Doyle, Farrell, Grifenhagen, Gunther, Haggerty, J. J. Hahn, Hann, Herold, Higgins, Keely, Kenneally, Kline, Kuck, Levine, Linde, Markert, Meyers, Monahan, Olvany, Peters, Reardon, Redmond, Rendt, Richter, Rowcroft, Schloss, Smith, Sullivan, Torpey, Wafer, Wright, President Haffen and the Vice-Chairman—44.

Negative—Aldermen Freeman, Kuntze, Lawlor and Schneider—4.

On motion of Alderman Kline the above vote was reconsidered, and the paper was again laid over, and made a Special Order for the next meeting at 2 o'clock p. m.

Alderman Smith called up Special Order No. 181, being a report and ordinance, as follows:

No. 1338—(S. O. No. 181).

The Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers, to which was recommitted on February 19, 1907 (Minutes, page 471), the annexed ordinance in favor of amending the Code of Ordinances in relation to signs and show bills, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, they recommend that the annexed substitute ordinance be adopted.

(SUBSTITUTE.)

AN ORDINANCE regulating the placing of electric signs in The City of New York, and providing that the same shall be licensed.

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

Section 1. Any electric letter, word, model, sign, device or representation in the nature of an advertisement, announcement or direction erected at right angles to any building shall be deemed to be an electric sign.

Sec. 2. Electric signs may be hung or attached at right angles to buildings, and extend not to exceed six feet therefrom in said space, and to be ten feet in the clear above the level of the sidewalk in front of such building, upon the payment of an annual license fee of 10 cents for each square foot of sign space or part of square foot of such sign space, to be collected by the City Clerk of The City of New York. The square feet of sign space on one side of an electric sign, however, shall be deemed to be the entire number of square feet of sign space for the purpose of computing the license fee herein referred to and required to be paid.

All electric signs shall be constructed entirely of metal, including the uprights, supports and braces for the same, properly and firmly attached to the building, and shall be so constructed as not to be or become dangerous.

Before any permit is issued by the City Clerk plans and statements of the proposed sign and method of attachment to the building must be filed with the Superin-

tendent of Buildings having jurisdiction, as provided in part 2, section 4, of the Building Code, and his certificate of approval be obtained as to the sufficiency of the construction and method of attachment to the building. A certificate must also be obtained from the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity certifying that the proposed electric wiring and electric appliances are in conformity with the rules and regulations of that Department.

Sec. 3. No certificate shall be given by the Superintendent of Buildings, and no permit shall be issued by the City Clerk, for the erection of electric sign or signs on any building when such building adjoins a building occupied exclusively as a private residence, unless the written consent of the owner or owners of said private residence for the erection of such electric sign be first obtained.

Sec. 4. No electric sign shall be placed, hung or maintained, except as in this ordinance provided, under a penalty of ten dollars for each offense, and a further penalty of ten dollars for each day or part of a day the same shall continue.

Sec. 5. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent or conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Sec. 6. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

ROBERT F. DOWNING, JOHN HANN, THOS. D. DINWOODIE, FRANK L. DOWLING, PATRICK S. KEELY, HENRY L. LEVERETT, Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers.

The Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers, to whom was recommitted on December 11, 1906 (Minutes, page 1604), the annexed ordinance in favor of amending section 260 of subdivision 6 of article 10 of chapter 5, part 1, of the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York as approved November 8, 1906, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, they recommend that the annexed substitute ordinance be adopted.

(SUBSTITUTE).

AN ORDINANCE amending the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York so far as the same relates to "Signs and Showbills."

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

Section 1. Section 260 of subdivision 6 of article 10 of chapter 5 of part 1 of the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York, as approved November 8, 1906, is hereby amended so that the same shall read as follows:

6. Signs and Showbills.

Sec. 260. *On payment of an annual license fee of five dollars (\$5), to be collected by the Bureau of Licenses*, signs, showbills and showboards may be placed on the fronts of buildings, with the consent of the owner thereof, and shall be securely fastened, and shall not project more than one foot from the house wall, except that signs may be hung or attached at right angles to any building and extend not to exceed six (3) feet therefrom in the space between the second floor (the ground floor being considered the first floor) and a point 8 feet in the clear above the level of the sidewalk in front of such building. Signs may be attached to the sides of stoops, but not to extend above the railing or beyond the stoop-line of any stoop. No sign, showbill or showboard shall be placed, hung or maintained except as in this section prescribed, under penalty of \$10 for each offense, and a further penalty of \$10 for each day or part of a day the same shall continue.

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.

Note—New matter in italics; old matter (3) in parenthesis to be omitted.

JOHN HANN, ROBERT F. DOWNING, LEWIS M. POTTER, PATRICK J. KEELY, FRANK L. DOWLING, THOS. D. DINWOODIE, Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers.

(Papers Referred to in Preceding Reports.)

The Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers, to whom was referred on December 4, 1906 (Minutes, page 1541), the annexed ordinance in favor of amending section 260 of subdivision 6 of article 10 of chapter 5 of part 1 of the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York, approved by the Mayor, November 8, 1906, respectfully

REPORTS:

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

They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

(ORIGINAL.)

AN ORDINANCE amending the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York so far as the same relates to "Signs and Showbills."

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

Section 1. Section 260 of subdivision 6 of article 10 of chapter 5 of part 1 of the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York, as approved November 8, 1906, is hereby amended so that the same shall read as follows:

6. Signs and Showbills.

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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.

Note—New matter in italics; old matter (3) in parenthesis to be omitted.

ROBERT F. DOWNING, MAX S. GRIFENHAGEN, CORNELIUS D. NOONAN, FRANK L. DOWLING, THOS. D. DINWOODIE, Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers.

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

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

Affirmative—Aldermen Callahan, Doull, Dowling, Downing, Doyle, Haggerty, Hann, Higgins, Keely, Kenneally, Leverett, Noonan, O'Neill, Reardon, Richter, Rowcroft, Schloss, Smith, Stapleton, Sullivan—20.

Negative—Aldermen Bartscherer, Brown, Carter, Ellery, Freeman, Gunther, Kuck, Lawlor—8.

On motion of Alderman Smith the above vote was reconsidered, and the paper was again laid over and made a Special Order for the next meeting at 2 o'clock p. m.

GENERAL ORDERS.

Alderman Davies called up General Order No. 218, being a report and resolution, as follows:

No. 1711.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to whom was referred on March 19, 1907 (Minutes, page 684), the annexed resolution in relation to the salary of the Commissioner of Docks, respectfully

REPORTS:

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment has adopted a resolution fixing the salary of the Commissioner of Docks and Ferries at \$7,500, the same salary as is paid to the other heads of the City Departments. The present salary is \$6,000. The Committee sees no reason why the head of this important, self-sustaining Department should be discriminated against, and regards the Charter provision as due to oversight. The Committee calls attention to the fact that under the provisions of section 56 of the Charter, the change of salary cannot become effective during the present Commissioner's tenure of office. The Committee recommends the adoption of the accompanying resolution:

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting held March 15, 1907, adopted the following resolution:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen that the salary of the position of Commissioner of Docks be fixed at the rate of seven thousand five hundred dollars (\$7,500) per annum."

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salary of the position of Commissioner of Docks at the rate of seven thousand five hundred dollars (\$7,500) per annum.

JAMES COWDEN MEYERS, FRANK D. STURGES, MICHAEL J. CARTER, JOHN J. CALLAHAN, JOHN J. CRONIN, CHARLES KUNTZE, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bartscherer, Brown, Bunting, Callahan, Carter, Cronin, Davies, Diemer, Doull, Dowling, Doyle, Farrell, Grifenhagen, J. J. Hahn, Hann, Higgins, Kenneally, Kline, Krulish, Kuck, Kuntze, Leverett, Levine, Meyers, Morris, O'Neill, Peters, Reardon, Richter, Rowcroft, Schloss, Schneider, Smith, Stapleton, Sturges, Sullivan, Wafer, Wright; President Cromwell, by L. L. Tribus, Commissioner of Public Works; President Haffen, the Vice-Chairman and the President—42.

Alderman Sullivan called up General Order No. 224, being a report and resolution, as follows:

No. 1741.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to whom was referred, on March 26, 1907 (Minutes, page 735), the annexed resolution in favor of fixing salaries of positions, Court of Special Sessions, First Division, respectfully

REPORTS:

Justice Olmstead appeared before the committee and gave the reason of the Justices for asking the increases provided by this resolution. The Clerk of the Court now receives \$4,000, and an increase to \$5,000 is asked. In earlier years the salary of this position was \$6,000. The Clerk at \$720 now receives \$480; the Justices had asked that the salary be fixed at \$900. The Assistant Clerk in the Children's Division, for whom a salary of \$2,250 is provided, has received \$2,000 for five years. He acts as an interpreter also, with a variety of languages at his command, and is a generally valuable man. The Interpreter in the Children's Division, for whom a salary of \$1,950 is fixed, receives \$1,700 now. He does clerical work also. A salary of \$1,650 is provided for the position of Clerk in the office of the Clerk of the Children's Division. The work is now done by an Attendant, who receives \$1,500. He would be appointed to the new position. The work of the Court of Special Sessions is important and growing, and the committee believes that the work will be facilitated by the approval of this resolution. The committee has not yet been advised by the Corporation Counsel as to antedating salary increases, and therefore in this case, and in all others reported to-day, provides that the resolution shall take effect when approved by the Mayor. The committee recommends the adoption of the following substitute resolution:

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution, and fixes the salaries of the above positions as set forth therein, to take effect, however, when this resolution is approved by the Mayor.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, at a meeting held March 22, 1907, adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of the following grades of positions in the Court of Special Sessions, First Division, in addition to those already existing therein, to take effect April 1, 1907:

	Incum- bents.	Per Annum.
Clerk of the Court.....	I	\$5,000 00
Clerk in Clerk's office.....	I	720 00
Assistant Clerk in Children's Court.....	I	2,250 00
Interpreter in Children's Court.....	I	1,950 00
Clerk in Clerk's office, Children's Court.....	I	1,650 00

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution, and fixes the salaries of the above positions as set forth therein, to take effect April 1, 1907.

JAMES COWDEN MEYERS, MICHAEL J. CARTER, CHARLES KUNTZE, LEONARD L. JACOBSON, M. D., FRANK D. STURGES, JOHN J. CRONIN, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bartscherer, Bunting, Callahan, Carter, Cronin, Davies, Diemer, Doull, Dowling, Doyle, Ellery, Farrell, Freeman, Grifenhagen, Gunther, J. J. Hahn, Hann, Higgins, Kenneally, Kline, Krulish, Kuck, Leverett, Levine, Meyers, Morris, Murphy, O'Neill, Reardon, Richter, Rowcroft, Schloss, Schneider, Sturges, Torpey, Wafer, Wright; President Cromwell, by L. L. Tribus, Commissioner of Public Works; President Haffen, the Vice-Chairman and the President—41.

MOTIONS, ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS AGAIN RESUMED.

No. 1839—(S. O. No. 195); No. 1841—(S. O. No. 196).

Alderman Hann moved that General Orders Nos. 232 and 233, being ordinances relative to Newkirk avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, be made Special Orders.

Which motion was adopted.

No. 1914.

By the President—

Resolved, That the following-named persons be and they are hereby appointed Commissioners of Deeds:

By the President—

James W. Patterson, No. 296 Ninth avenue, Manhattan.

Edward Maas, Corporation Counsel's Office, Manhattan.

Michael F. Murphy, Corporation Counsel's office, Manhattan.

Vincenzo Cinti, No. 139 West Tenth street, Manhattan.

Bernard L. Carberry, Corporation Counsel's office, Manhattan.

John J. Turner, No. 238 East Thirty-sixth street, Manhattan.

By the Vice-Chairman—

D. E. Brainard, No. 630 West One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, Manhattan.

Morris Meyers, No. 37 Cooper square, Manhattan.

Lillian A. Handy, No. 428 St. Nicholas avenue, Manhattan.

By Alderman Bartscherer—

John Roethlein, No. 230 Graham avenue, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Bunting—

Herman Mueller, No. 414 Thirteenth street, College Point, Queens.

Chas. B. Hausmann, No. 631 Thirteenth street, College Point, Queens.

Daniel F. Kennedy, No. 153 New Locust street, Flushing, Queens.

By Alderman Clifford—

Frank T. Heard, No. 610 Sanford avenue, Flushing, L. I., Queens.

By Alderman Dinwoodie—

Louis Greene, No. 585 Prospect avenue, Bronx.

By Alderman Dotzler—

Isadore Orlino, No. 747 Sixth street, Manhattan.

William E. Jacobs, No. 63 Park row, Manhattan.

By Alderman Doull—

Edwin F. Stern, No. 350 Broadway, Manhattan.

By Alderman Everson—

George G. Baxter, No. 100 Taylor street, Brooklyn.

Emmett D. Page, No. 274 Gates avenue, Brooklyn.

Walter G. Hoare, No. 464 Seventy-seventh street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Falk—

Henry Feldman, No. 2170 Fulton street, Brooklyn.
Abraham B. Cloth, No. 1373 East New York avenue, Brooklyn.
Hyman Sosnowitz, No. 1751 Pitkin avenue, Brooklyn.
Herman C. Huelle, Jr., No. 838 Putnam avenue, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Fried—

Abraham S. Keilson, No. 149 East Broadway, Manhattan.

By Alderman Grifenhagen—

Wm. M. Golden, Jr., No. 221 West One Hundred and Forty-first street, Manhattan.

Jas. J. Head, No. 213 West One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, Manhattan.
Reuben S. Lind, No. 452 West One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street, Manhattan.
Benjamin B. Greller, No. 241 West One Hundred and Forty-second street, Manhattan.

Joseph A. Dammann, No. 141 Broadway, Manhattan.

By Alderman Gunther—

Charles T. Hopkins, No. 833a Lafayette avenue, Brooklyn.
Charles S. Skinner, No. 3717 Fulton avenue, Richmond Hill, Queens.

S. A. Morrison, No. 423 First street, Brooklyn.

Alexander McClinchie, No. 480 Seventh street, Brooklyn.

Louis S. Ehrich, Jr., No. 557 West One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Haggerty—

Michele Rinaldi, No. 403 East Twelfth street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Hann—

H. Rosenbaum, No. 809 Park place, Brooklyn.
Richard J. Kent, No. 189 Montague street, Brooklyn.
Chas. J. Ministerer, No. 2907 Newkirk avenue, Brooklyn.

F. S. Coyle, No. 2172a Fulton street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman J. J. Hahn—

John Stich, No. 250 West Eighty-eighth street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Herold—

Michael Rauch, No. 242 Woodward street, Ridgewood Heights, Queens.

By Alderman Jacobson—

Bernard Robinson, No. 161 Madison street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Keely—

Jas. F. Doherty, No. 120 India street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Kenneally—

N. A. Egbert, No. 125 East Twenty-fourth street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Kuck—

Esther I. Schumm, No. 37 Kosciusko street, Brooklyn.
Isaac Sargent, No. 914 Herkimer street, Brooklyn.
Alma E. Stolpp, No. 777 DeKalb avenue, Brooklyn.
Frederick C. Stewart, No. 37 East Third street, Brooklyn.
Marguerita H. McCabe, No. 509 Gates avenue, Brooklyn.
Thos. J. Burke, No. 123 Bedford avenue, Brooklyn.
John J. Byrnes, No. 536 Wythe avenue, Brooklyn.
Charles J. Ryan, No. 114 Franklin avenue, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Krulish—

Elizabeth Goode, No. 313 East Fifty-seventh street, Manhattan.
Emanuel V. Voska, No. 338 East Seventieth street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Kuntze—

Jacob L. Kornicker, No. 634 East One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, The Bronx.

By Alderman Leverett—

Philip Ries, No. 1753 Avenue A, Manhattan.

By Alderman Levine—

Morris Gelles, No. 49 Henry street, Manhattan.

Lawrence Margulius, No. 66 Stanton street, Manhattan.

Julius Lion, No. 123 East Twenty-third street, Manhattan.

George L. McGregor, No. 139 West Sixty-seventh street, Manhattan.

Bernard Shaw, No. 601 West One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, Manhattan.

Ferdinand Lux, No. 514 Fifth street, Manhattan.

Isaac Gutman, No. 296 Broome street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Linde—

J. B. Middlesworth, No. 457 Fifty-ninth street, Brooklyn.
I. T. Mandel, No. 619½ Third avenue, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Meyers—

Edgar H. Hyatt, No. 2144 Seventh avenue, Manhattan.

By Alderman Morris—

Chas. H. Williams, No. 2771 Webster avenue, The Bronx.

By Alderman Olvay—

Cornelius J. Fyans, No. 35 Nassau street, Manhattan.

George Herdt, Jr., No. 498 Hudson street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Redmond—

Dana Wallace, No. 44 Court street, Brooklyn.

Isaac Alkus, No. 581 Seventh street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Rowcroft—

George Zippel, No. 311 Evergreen avenue, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Schloss—

Mary Schacht, No. 107 East One Hundred and Twenty-third street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Sullivan—

Jerome G. Stabile, No. 189 Grand street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Torpey—

Maximilian Zipkes, No. 261 West One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Wafer—

Harry Weil, No. 292 Columbia street, Brooklyn.

James P. Loughlin, No. 375 Fulton street, Brooklyn.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bartscherer, Callahan, Carter, Collins, Cronin, Davies, Diemer, Doull, Dowling, Downing, Ellery, Farrell, Freeman, Gunther, Haggerty, J. J. Hahn, Hann, Higgins, Kenneally, Kline, Krulish, Kuck, Kuntze, Leverett, Levine, Meyers, Morris, Noonan, O'Neill, Peters, Reardon, Richter, Rowcroft, Schloss, Smith, Sturges, Sullivan, Torpey; President Cromwell, by L. L. Tribus, Commissioner of Public Works; President Haffen and the Vice-Chairman—41.

No. 1915.

By Alderman Meyers—

Resolved, That when this Board adjourns, it do adjourn to meet Tuesday, April 30, 1907, at 11 o'clock a. m.

Which was adopted.

No. 1916.

By Alderman Bunting—

Headquarters Exempt Firemen's Benevolent Association,
College Point, Queens Borough, New York,
April 2, 1907.

To the Hon. Board of Aldermen:

Gentlemen—We, the Eagle Hook and Ladder Company 1 of the Village of College Point, Borough of Queens, N. Y., do hereby submit the names to serve as Volunteer Firemen in the Village of College Point, all in good standing and residents of the Village of College Point, N. Y., being elected at a meeting held at their headquarters February 5, 1907:

Henry Wirtz, Frank L. Jockers, Valentine Krapp, members elected February 5, 1907.

Respectfully submitted,
GEORGE JENCH,
CHRISTIAN P. GEIDEL,
Secretary Eagle Hook and Ladder Company 1.

State of New York, County of Queens:

Subscribed and sworn this 22d day of April, 1907.

Jacob Johann, Notary Public.

Which was referred to the Committee on Fire.

No. 1917.

By Alderman Carter—

Resolved, That the following-named persons be and are hereby confirmed as members of Atlantic Hook and Ladder Company 1 of Jamaica, Queens County, New York:

Daniel Noble, No. 367 Hillside avenue, Jamaica, N. Y., Surrogate of Queens County, elected April 1, 1907.

Hermann F. Schweitzer, No. 11 Bryant avenue, Jamaica, N. Y., civil engineer, elected December 3, 1906.

Which was referred to the Committee on Fire.

No. 1918.

By Alderman Davies—

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized and requested to draw warrants as follows:

One in favor of the New York Telephone Company for one hundred and ninety-three dollars and seventeen cents (\$193.17), being for telephone service furnished to the office of the City Clerk for the three months ending March 31, 1907.

One in favor of the New York and New Jersey Telephone Company for one hundred and seventeen dollars and seventy-one cents (\$117.71), being for telephone service furnished to the rooms of the Board of Aldermen, in the Borough of Brooklyn, for the three months ending March 31, 1907.

One in favor of the New York and New Jersey Telephone Company for twenty-nine dollars and eighty-three cents (\$29.83), being for telephone service furnished to the office of the City Clerk, in the Borough of Brooklyn, for the three months ending March 31, 1907.

The said several sums to be payment in full for all services rendered during the periods stated, and to be charged to and paid out of the appropriation entitled City Contingencies, 1907.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 1919.

By Alderman Dowling—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Henry Holstein to erect, place and keep a storm door within the stoop line in front of his premises, No. 630 West Twenty-fourth street, in the Borough of Manhattan; provided said storm door 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 President of the Borough, such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was adopted, Aldermen Freeman and Meyers voting in the negative.

No. 1920.

By Alderman Ellery—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Samuel L. Doyle to place and keep a watering trough on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of his premises, No. 37 Chauncey street, corner of Lewis avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, the work to be done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was adopted, Aldermen Freeman and Meyers voting in the negative.

No. 1921.

By Alderman Freeman (by request)—

AN ORDINANCE in relation to automobiles.

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

Section 1. An automobile carrying six passengers or less for hire shall be duly licensed by the Chief of the Bureau of Licenses or the Mayor of The City of New York, and the license fee for these automobiles carrying four to six passengers only to be twenty-five dollars (\$25) per annum, to be renewed once a year at the said sum of twenty-five dollars (\$25).

Sec. 2. These duly licensed automobiles shall be permitted to stand on public hack stands in Greater New York only, and shall not stand on any other place, except the public licensed hack stand.

Sec. 3. The hiring of these duly licensed automobiles shall be five dollars (\$5) per hour.

Sec. 4. Any automobile that is not duly licensed by the Mayor or the Chief of the Bureau of Licenses under this ordinance caught soliciting or picking up calls in the public streets of The City of New York will be arrested for a misdemeanor and a fine imposed of the sum of ten dollars (\$10) by a Police Magistrate for each offense.

Sec. 5. These automobiles shall have two numbers on their lamps, one on each, which shall be provided by the Mayor or the Chief of the Bureau of Licenses, the size of the numbers to be left to the discretion of the Chief of the Bureau of Licenses or the Mayor of The City of New York.

Sec. 6. Any automobile coming under this ordinance caught charging more than the legal fare which is specified in this ordinance shall be brought down before the Mayor's Marshal and a fine imposed of five dollars (\$5) for the first offense, ten dollars (\$10) for the second offense and a revoking of license for the third offense.

Sec. 7. Any ordinance inconsistent or conflicting with this ordinance is hereby repealed, and this ordinance is to take effect immediately.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers.

No. 1922—(S. O. No. 197).

By Alderman Grifenhagen—

Resolved, That the name of Jansen avenue, running from Terrace View avenue to Leyden street, Marble Hill, in the Borough of Manhattan, be and the same is hereby changed to and shall hereafter be known and designated as Adrian avenue, and the President of the Borough is hereby authorized and requested to note the change on the maps and records of The City of New York.

No. 1923—(S. O. No. 198).

By the same—

Resolved, That the names of the following thoroughfares in the Borough of Manhattan shall hereafter be known and designated as hereinafter set forth, and the President of the Borough is hereby authorized and directed to make the necessary changes on the maps and records of The City of New York:

The new street, on the line of West One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street, if produced west of Broadway, extending from Broadway to second new avenue west of Broadway (Overlook terrace), to be known as "West One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street."

The new street just south of the line of West One Hundred and Eighty-third street, if produced west of Broadway, extending from a new avenue (not yet named) west of Fort Washington avenue, to a new street (proposed "Magaw place"), east of Fort Washington avenue, to be known as "West One Hundred and Eighty-third street."

The new street just south of the line of West One Hundred and Eighty-sixth street, if produced west of Broadway, extending from Broadway to second new avenue (Overlook terrace) west of Broadway, to be known as "West One Hundred and Eighty-sixth street."

The new street on the line of West One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street, if produced west of Broadway, extending from second new avenue (Overlook terrace) west of Broadway, to be known as "West One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street."

The new street just south of the line of West One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street, if produced west of Wadsworth avenue, extending from Broadway to first new avenue (Bennett avenue) west of Broadway, to be known as "West One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street."

The new street just north of the line of West One Hundred and Ninetieth street, if produced west of Wadsworth avenue, extending from Broadway to first new avenue (Bennett avenue) west of Broadway, to be known as "West One Hundred and Ninetieth street."

The new street just north of the line of West One Hundred and Ninety-second street, if produced west of Wadsworth avenue, extending from Broadway to first new avenue (Bennett avenue) west of Broadway, to be known as "West One Hundred and Ninety-second street."

The new street just south of the line of West One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street, if produced west of Broadway, extending from Fort Washington avenue to first new avenue west of same (Northern avenue), to be known as "West One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street."

The new street just south of the line of West One Hundred and Ninetieth street, if produced west of Wadsworth avenue, extending from Fort Washington avenue to first new avenue west of same (Northern avenue), to be known as "West One Hundred and Ninetieth street."

The new street just south of the line of Two Hundredth street, as laid out on old "Randel map," connecting the easterly and westerly sections of Fort Washington avenue, where said avenue is laid out in the form of a loop, to be known as "Corbin place."

The new street east of and parallel with Fort Washington avenue, extending from West One Hundred and Eighty-first street to first new street north of One Hundred and Eighty-first street (proposed West One Hundred and Eighty-third street), to be known as "Magaw place."

Which were severally laid over and made Special Orders for the next meeting at 2 o'clock p. m.

No. 1924.

By Alderman Leverett—

Whereas, The salaries paid to the male and female Attendants in the public baths and comfort stations of The City of New York vary, males receiving respectively \$2.50 and \$3 per day, and females respectively \$2 and \$2.50 per day; and

Whereas, The hours of labor and duties to be performed are in each instance the same and there should therefore be equal compensation; and

Whereas, The compensation paid to male Attendants about ten years ago was \$3 per day, and it appears that with the increased cost of living and other expenses the salaries of such employees ought be to-day at least what they were then; therefore

Resolved, With a view to an equalization of compensation, that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and hereby is requested, in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000), the proceeds whereof shall be applied to the benefit of the office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan to meet the requirements of the increase of compensation of the male and female Attendants in the public baths and comfort stations for the remainder of the year, beginning May 1, 1907.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 1925.

By Alderman Linde—

Resolved, That it is recommended to the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, that a watering trough be erected and maintained on the sidewalk near the curb on the southeast corner of Seventy-ninth street and Third avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers.

No. 1926.

By Alderman Peters—

Whereas, There are in the employ of The City of New York many men who have served in the Army, Navy or Marine Corps of the United States, and have received honorable discharges therefrom, many of whom are members of regularly incorporated associations of Veterans who annually observe a day as Memorial Day on which to decorate the graves of their departed comrades and hold appropriate memorial services thereat; now therefore be it

Resolved, That twenty-four hours' leave of absence be granted each year to all such honorably discharged soldiers, sailors or marines, members of veteran organizations, who are salaried employees of The City of New York, to attend such memorial services, upon application of their Department, Garrison or Post Commanders to the heads of departments in which such veterans serve.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

No. 1927.

By Alderman Morris—

Resolved, That it be and is hereby respectfully recommended to the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity that two electric lights be placed in front of the church building at Burnside and Aqueduct avenues, in the Borough of The Bronx.

Which was adopted.

No. 1928.

By Alderman Falk—

Resolved, That permission is hereby given to Charles Halperin and Israel Lazarus to erect a locker within the stoop line in front of No. 131 Thatford avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York; that the dimension of the same not to exceed two feet and six inches in depth by six feet in width and seven feet in height.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers.

No. 1929.

By the same—

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

Firearms and Weapons.

The following to be known as chapter II (eleven), article III. (three) of the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York:

Section 434a. All persons selling at retail any firearm or any instrument or weapon of the kind usually known as a slung shot, billy, sand club, metal knuckles, revolver, pistol, gun, or any other firearm, air gun, spring gun, catapult, or any other instrument or weapon commonly known as a toy pistol, or in or upon which any loaded or blank cartridges are or may be used, or any instrument in which the propelling force is produced by rubber, spring or air, all ammunition loaded or blank cartridge, slugs, shot or shell of all kinds and all manner of dangerous knives, dirks, daggers and all other implements of steel or metal whose blades exceed three inches in length, except tools of trade, shall keep and maintain a register, open at all times to the inspection of the Mayor, Police Department, or any Magistrate of The City of New York, in which shall be immediately entered at the time of any such sale, legibly written in the English characters and numerals a description of each article so sold, the name, residence, age and occupation and the purpose of the purchase as stated by the buyer, which it shall be the duty of the seller to ask and ascertain at the time of the sale, the day and hour of such sale, the price paid and that the buyer is a citizen of the United States; and if naturalized, when and where he was so naturalized, and such purchaser shall sign such entry as a declaration of the accuracy of the facts therein stated.

Section 434b. No articles embraced in the preceding section shall be sold to or purchased by any minor or to any person unless upon a declaration that the purchaser is a citizen of the United States.

Section 434c. Any person who sells or purchases any such article or articles in violation of the provisions contained in the two immediately preceding sections shall be guilty of a minor offense and, upon conviction thereof before any City Magistrate, may be punished by a fine not exceeding twenty-five dollars or imprisonment in the County jail not exceeding ten days, or both.

Which was referred to the Committee on Affairs of Boroughs.

No. 1930.

By Alderman Rowcroft—

Resolved, That permission be and is hereby given Chris. Grozinger, to erect a temporary trolley for the purpose of conveying merchandise from the building line to trucks at the curb, in front of the Stockholm street side of his premises, No. 195 Hamburg avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, the work to be done at his own expense under the direction of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn. Such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers.

No. 1931.

By Alderman Wentz—

Resolved, That it is recommended to the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, that an improved iron drinking fountain be erected and maintained on the sidewalk near the curb on the Monroe street side of the northeast corner of Ralph avenue and Monroe street, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

Which was adopted.

Alderman Brown moved that the Board do now adjourn.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

And the President declared that the Board stood adjourned until Tuesday, April 30, 1907, at 11 o'clock a. m.

P. J. SCULLY,

City Clerk and Clerk of the Board of Aldermen.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Sanitary Company (Boiler Squad),
New York, April 9, 1907.

Hon. THEODORE A. BINGHAM, Police Commissioner:

Sir—In compliance with orders relative to engineers' certificates issued by me under section 312 of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882 as amended, the following report will show the names of the persons to whom licenses were issued, class of license and location for the same, issued during the twenty-four hours ending April 9, 1907:

Dennis Fitzpatrick (first class), Harlem river and Madison avenue.

Philip W. James (first class), No. 64 Irving place.

Clarence H. Ten Eyck (first class), Sixty-third street and Broadway.

Robert Shearman (first class), No. 771 Madison avenue.

Joseph McKeown (first class), No. 18 West Fortieth street.

Albert Cypher (first class), No. 55 Furman street, Brooklyn.

John Foy (second class), No. 440 West End avenue.

John Fleischmann (second class), No. 1448 Broadway.

August Kaiser (second class), No. 105 East Fifty-first street.

Alexander Strom (second class), No. 10 Wall street.

Burton S. Fisher (second class), Second avenue, between Seventeenth and Eighteenth streets.

Daniel Westrick (second class), No. 1415 Broadway.

Walter R. Clark (second class), Two Hundred and Tenth street and Emerson street.

George Grevert (second class), No. 304 Hudson street.

William A. Canfield (second class), Claremont Park.

Charles Moog (second class), No. 335 East Seventieth street.

Gus A. Anderson (second class), No. 514 East Twenty-third street.

Harold H. Havill (second class), foot of Hendrix street, Brooklyn.

Emory C. Volkenburg (second class), No. 159 Twenty-fifth street, Brooklyn.

Frank Murphy (third class), East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue.

Edward John O'Neill (third class), Harlem river and One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street.

Daniel H. Coleman (third class), No. 59 West Seventy-fifth street.

Henry Rathmann (third class), No. 343 East Thirty-eighth street.

Thomas E. Jones (third class), No. 479 Pearl street.

Burk Good (third class), foot East Thirty-third street.

George Korchot (third class), Nos. 311 to 321 East Eleventh street.

James McKnight (third class), No. 326 East One Hundred and Third street.

John Hartman (third class), No. 543 West Twenty-seventh street.

William McDonald (third class), No. 771 Madison avenue.

Patrick Rock (third class), First avenue and Twenty-seventh street.

Anthony B. Perkins (third class), No. 767 Fifth avenue.

Stephen F. Redmond (third class), Sedgwick avenue and Kingsbridge road.

Frank Cable (third class), No. 956 East One Hundred and Thirty-third street.

Jeremiah Mahoney (third class), No. 280 Fourth avenue.

Patrick Coughlin (third class), No. 198 Fifth avenue.

John Greiner (third class), Ninety-second street, between Second and Third avenues.

Swen M. Carlson (third class), No. 56 Liberty street.

Howard Hulse (third class), Mariners' Harbor, S. I.

Henry Miller (third class), No. 956 Broadway.

Michael Reilly (third class), No. 66 Crosby street.

William L. Thornton (third class), No. 49 First avenue.

Daniel Rawlins (third class), No. 897 Broadway.

Gasper Caucic (third class), Pier 13, North river.

Frederick W. Davis (third class), No. 79 Fulton street.

Herbert Fluh (third class), No. 290 Broadway.

Robert A. Edmonds (third class), No. 1448 Broadway.

Edward J. Mooney (third class), No. 1929 Amsterdam avenue.

Joseph D. Clancy (third class), No. 522 East Seventeenth street.

Frank S. Brown (third class), No. 108 Broome street.

Thomas Wilmarth (third class), No. 5107 Fourth avenue, Brooklyn.

Patrick O'Dea (third class), No. 144 Front street, Brooklyn.

George Welz (third class), Sheffield and Liberty avenues, Brooklyn.

Thomas I. Appleton (third class), No. 379 Leonard street, Brooklyn.

James P. McAllister (third class), No. 109 Broad street.

Vincenzo Tisi (third class), No. 94 Fifty-third street, Brooklyn.

Frederick Zorn (third class), No. 176 Grove street, Brooklyn.

John Wendorff (third class), No. 67 Bremen street, Brooklyn.

Walter Booth (third class), Foster avenue and East Sixteenth street, Brooklyn.

Thomas S. Kennedy (special), No. 163 South Second street, Brooklyn.

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPH F. QUINN,
Acting Sergeant in Command, Sanitary Company.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Sanitary Company, Boiler Squad,
New York, April 10, 1907.

Hon. THEODORE A. BINGHAM, Police Commissioner:

Sir—In compliance with orders relative to engineers' certificates, issued by me under section 312 of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as amended, the following report will show the names of the persons to whom licenses were issued, class of license and location for the same issued during the twenty-four hours ending 12 midnight, April 10, 1907:

Francesco Starace, first class, No. 547 East One Hundred and Sixteenth street.

William McCullock, first class, No. 49 Wall street.

James J. Hand, first class, No. 226 West One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street.

William J. Hanway, first class, No. 88 Walker street.

Joseph I. Knight, first class, No. 59 North Ninth street, Brooklyn.

Frederick Taxis, first class, No. 17 McKibbin street, Brooklyn.
 Joseph L. Harsen, first class, foot of Greene street, Brooklyn.
 Charles H. Cornell, second class, No. 51 Maiden lane.
 Lyman T. Jackson, second class, One Hundred and Forty-ninth street and Rider avenue.
 Elbert D. Brewster, second class, No. 253 Broadway.
 August Schuster, second class, No. 105 East Fifty-first street.
 George E. Whittemore, second class, No. 160 Bleecker street.
 John McIntosh, second class, No. 40 West Fifty-ninth street.
 Louis Dunwald, second class, No. 1312 Madison avenue.
 Daniel S. Thomas, second class, No. 114 Liberty street.
 Michael Keating, second class, No. 3690 Third avenue.
 Frank Mackin, second class, No. 107 Lorimer street, Brooklyn.
 Henry Tonns, second class, No. 968 Grand street, Brooklyn.
 Charles Nygard, second class, Pier 2, Erie Basin, Brooklyn.
 John Hogan, second class, No. 1365 Flushing avenue, Brooklyn.
 Isaac Woodward, second class, No. 20 Lexington avenue, Brooklyn.
 John Gleason, third class, No. 648 East Eighteenth street.
 Frank McGrane, third class, No. 114 Liberty street.
 Dunham Emery, third class, No. 660 East One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street.
 Michael Sullivan, third class, No. 781 Fifth avenue.
 Andrew Jennings, third class, No. 261 Broadway.
 Owen Morris, third class, No. 576 Broadway.
 Mathias W. Mattson, third class, No. 2582 Park avenue.
 John J. Amey, third class, No. 433 East Forty-eighth street.
 Nicholas Skelly, third class, First avenue and Forty-second street.
 John McCabe, third class, New Brighton, S. I.
 Adam G. Anderson, third class, Broadway, between Forty-fourth and Forty-fifth streets.
 John McHowley, third class, No. 30 Gold street.
 Edward G. Swift, third class, No. 59 West Forty-sixth street.
 John H. A. W. Diefer, third class, No. 429 East Seventy-fifth street.
 George A. Miles, third class, No. 550 Lenox avenue.
 Frank Czerny, third class, No. 3638 Third avenue.
 Kennedy W. James, third class, No. 1186 Lexington avenue.
 Charles Paton, third class, No. 874 Broadway.
 John Schneider, third class, No. 538 West Fifty-third street.
 Gottfried Johnson, third class, No. 59 Pearl street.
 George Leopold, third class, No. 176 North Fourth street, Brooklyn.
 Alexander McAuley, third class, No. 109 Broad street, Brooklyn.
 John Clade, third class, No. 240 Java street, Brooklyn.
 Julius Pfeiferberger, third class, Montrose and Stewart avenues, Brooklyn.
 Frederick P. Whitton, third class, No. 502 Kent avenue, Brooklyn.
 Glenn H. Todd, third class, No. 192 Jackson avenue, Brooklyn.
 William Kearsley, third class, No. 35 Degraw street, Brooklyn.
 John T. Crawford, third class, No. 150 Pearsall street, Brooklyn.
 Patrick Doherty, special, Washington avenue and Wallabout street, Brooklyn.
 Robert S. Stryker, special, No. 735 Dean street, Brooklyn.
 Alexander F. Norton, special, Sixtieth street and New Utrecht avenue, Brooklyn.

Respectfully submitted,
 JOSEPH F. QUINN,
 Acting Sergeant in Command Sanitary Company.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Sanitary Company (Boiler Squad),
 New York, April 11, 1907.

Hon. THEODORE A. BINGHAM, Police Commissioner:

Sir—In compliance with orders relative to engineers' certificates issued by me under section 312 of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882 as amended, the following report will show the names of the persons to whom the licenses were issued, class of license and location for the same, issued during the twenty-four hours ending 12 midnight, April 11, 1907:

Chas. F. Moss (first class), No. 1402 Broadway.
 Peter Testan (first class), No. 101 West Eighty-first street.
 Daniel J. Nolan (first class), Southern boulevard and Brown place.
 Leslie Belden (first class), No. 79 Wall street.
 Thomas F. Giblin (first class), No. 159 Greene street.
 Chas. H. Carroll (first class), Fifty-ninth street, Eleventh and Twelfth avenues.
 Willis Lawrence (first class), foot East Seventy-fourth street.
 Bernard Finan (first class), No. 206 Centre street.
 George Hermes (first class), Second avenue, Seventeenth and Eighteenth streets.
 Thomas J. Joyce (second class), No. 104 West Ninety-eighth street.
 Martin Niemela (second class), No. 7 Marion street.
 Patrick J. Collyer (second class), No. 501 Fifth avenue.
 James F. Callopy, Jr. (second class), No. 284 Front street.
 George Weiss (second class), No. 217 East Fifty-fourth street.
 John Tholen (second class), No. 302 Broadway.
 Rudolph Arndt (second class), No. 25 William street.
 James G. Sheridan (second class), No. 771 Bedford avenue, Brooklyn.
 Jacob Theis (second class), Roebling and North Ninth street, Brooklyn.
 Julius Norkus (second class), No. 544 Fulton street, Brooklyn.
 Harry Ball (second class), foot of Twenty-seventh street, Brooklyn.
 Edward H. Cole (third class), No. 620 West Twenty-fifth street.
 Chas. R. Van Brunt (third class), Mariners' Harbor.
 Chas. Berhaegan (third class), No. 522 East Seventeenth street.
 Frederick L. Crandall (third class), No. 11 Broadway.
 Nels Nelson (third class), No. 59 Pearl street.
 John Bischoff (third class), No. 32 Broadway.
 Thomas J. Leary (third class), foot East Seventeenth street.
 Chas. W. Boyes (third class), foot Desbrosses street.
 Adolph H. Weber (third class), No. 884 Broadway.
 Michael J. Callahan (third class), foot West Forty-fourth street.
 Chas. A. Genter (third class), No. 1728 Broadway.
 Vernon F. Preston (third class), Seventh avenue and Forty-second street.
 Daniel Murphy (third class), No. 100 Fifth avenue.
 Thomas J. Martin (third class), No. 522 East Seventeenth street.
 Robert Kelly (third class), No. 21 East Houston street.
 Chas. Parker (third class), No. 101 West Eighty-first street.
 William F. Van Cook (third class), foot East One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street.
 John Edwards (third class), No. 252 West Seventy-sixth street.
 William Grant (third class), foot East Seventy-fourth street.
 Martin Grant (third class), No. 115 West Thirty-eighth street.
 George McKnight (third class), No. 47 White street.
 Michael Dillon (third class), No. 54 Maiden lane.
 Sylvester S. Cordial (third class), foot of Hendrix street, Brooklyn.
 John J. Creamer (third class), Maspeth and Porter avenues, Brooklyn.
 Timothy J. Monahan (third class), No. 264 Fifty-second street, Brooklyn.
 John J. Goards (third class), No. 115 Lorimer street, Brooklyn.
 Patrick McDermott (third class), No. 137 Kent avenue, Brooklyn.
 William H. Williams (third class), No. 55 Furman street, Brooklyn.
 Eugene I. Vandeverg (third class), Fresh Meadow road, Brooklyn.
 Michael McKenna (third class), No. 100 Dikeman street, Brooklyn.
 Fred Driver (third class), No. 191 Dikeman street, Brooklyn.
 Isaac Duell (third class), No. 52 Broadway.
 Salmon A. Towner (third class), No. 494 Kent avenue, Brooklyn.

Respectfully submitted,
 JOSEPH F. QUINN,
 Acting Sergeant in Command, Sanitary Company,

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

BUREAU OF BUILDINGS.

I herewith submit a report of operations of the Bureau of Buildings, Borough of The Bronx, for the week ending April 13, 1907:	
Plans filed for new buildings (estimated cost, \$553,270).....	46
Plans filed for alterations (estimated cost, \$17,600).....	18
Unsafe cases filed.....	4
Violation cases filed.....	35
Unsafe notices issued.....	8
Violation notices issued.....	30
Violation cases forwarded for prosecution.....	22
Complaints lodged with the Bureau.....	4
Number of pieces of iron and steel inspected.....	183

P. J. REVILLE,

Superintendent of Buildings, Borough of The Bronx.

John H. Hanan, Chief Clerk.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

REPORT OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN FOR THE WEEK ENDING MARCH 30, 1907.

BUREAU OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS AND OFFICES.

During the week ending March 30, 1907, there were sixty-seven orders issued, twenty-three for supplies and forty-four for repairs.

Bills aggregating \$2,856.26 were signed by the Commissioner of Public Works and forwarded to the Department of Finance for audit and payment.

BUREAU OF INCUMBRANCES AND FERMITS.

Complaint Department.

Bureau of Complaints.....	2
Mail	7
Office	9
Inspectors	35
Police Department	1
Total	54

Classification and Disposal.

Boulders removed	16
Trees and limbs removed	6
Push carts and wagons removed	4
Miscellaneous removed	2
Total	28

Inspectors' Department.

Complaints made	35
Complaints settled	32
Slips settled	51
Total	51

Permit Department.

Permits Issued—	
Builders	93
Cross walks	76
Vaults	2
Vault repairs	5
Cement walks	31
Flagging walks	1
Driveways	10
Corporation	303
Special	189
Total	710

Permits Passed—

Tap water pipes	202
Repair water connections	105
Sewer connections	231
Sewer connection repairs	28
Total	566

Cashier's Department.

Moneys Received—	
Repaving over water connections	\$1,059 00
Repaving over sewer connections	304 00
Extra paving	3 20
Removing snow from sidewalks	186 30
Total	

BUREAU OF SEWERS.

Moneys received for sewer permits.....

\$1,613 04

Number of Permits Issued (174)—

For new sewer connections	148
For old sewer connections (repairs)	26

Requisitions Drawn on Comptroller (7)—

Appropriations	\$4,165 97
Funds	653 34

Linear feet sewer built, 24-inch to 90-inch

194

Linear feet pipe sewer built

2,019

Total number of feet sewer built

2,213

Number of manholes built

8

Number of basins built

6

Number of feet sewer repaired

14

Number of basins repaired

4

Linear feet of pipe sewers cleaned

9,800

Linear feet of sewers examined

1,900

Number of basins cleaned

568

Number of basins examined

2,033

Manhole heads set

2

Manhole head reset

1

Manhole covers put on

4

Number of basin pans set

4

Number of gallons sewage pumped, Twenty-sixth Ward

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Cubic feet sludge pumped, Twenty-sixth Ward.....	48,308
Cubic feet sludge pumped, Thirty-first Ward.....	44,684
Complaints examined	6

Laboring Force Employed During the Week.

Sewer Repairing and Cleaning, Payrolls and Supplies—	
Inspectors of Sewer Connections.....	10
Foremen	6
Assistant Foreman	1
Inspectors of Sewers and Basins	5
Mechanics	4
Laborers	71
Horses and carts	28

Street Improvement Fund—

Inspectors of Construction.....	38
Laborers	5

Twenty-sixth Ward Disposal Works—

Laborers	14
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Thirty-first Ward Disposal Works—

Foreman	1
Mechanic	1
Laborers	17

BUREAU OF HIGHWAYS.

Division of Street Repairs.

Force Employed on Repairs to Street Pavements.

Carried on Roll, 1907—	
Foremen	18
Mechanics	16
Laborers	54
Horses and wagons	10
Horses and carts	9
Teams	2

Actually Working, 1907—

Foremen	18
Mechanics	15
Laborers	51
Horses and wagons	9
Horses and carts	8
Teams	2

Work Done by Connection Gangs.

Water and sewer connections repaired.....	78
Gas and sewer connections repaired.....	88
Dangerous holes repaired and made safe.....	276
Complaints received	274
Defects remedied	157

Work Done by Repair Gangs.

Yards.	
Jay street, between Myrtle and Willoughby avenues, granite.....	103
Total yards by Connection Gangs.....	890
Total	993

Miscellaneous Work Done—

Filled washout, Fifteenth avenue, between Benson avenue and Eighty-sixth street.	
Two hundred and sixteen loads of ashes used to raise sidewalks.	
Repairs to guard rails at railroad bridge over Sixty-fifth street at Fourth avenue.	
Six hundred and forty feet repaired and 346 feet of new fence erected.	
Built shed for sprinklers at Sixty-seventh Street Yard.	
Painting and repairing sprinklers at Sixty-seventh Street Yard.	
Pumped and cleaned two cesspools at Avenue U and Gravesend avenue.	
Filling used in repairing dangerous holes and defects, 126 cubic yards.	
Hauled 47 loads of rubbish to dump.	
Total number of square yards of pavement repaired.....	993
Square feet of bridging relaid.....	166
Square feet of flagging relaid.....	1,202

Force Employed on Macadam and Unimproved Roadways.

Carried on Roll, 1907—	
Foremen	7
Mechanics	3
Laborers	53
Horses and wagons	4
Teams	4
Sprinklers	4
Horses and carts	3

Actually Working, 1907—

Foremen	7
Mechanics	3
Laborers	24
Horses and wagons	4
Teams	7
Sprinklers	2
Horses and carts	2

Dirt roadway repaired and cleaned, linear feet.

Gutter cleaned, linear feet.....	5,730
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Repairs Made to Macadam Roadways.

Miscellaneous minor repairs to macadam pavements, 79 yards total.	
Connections in macadam pavements repaired.	

Operations of the Bureau of Buildings, Borough of Brooklyn, for the Week Ending March 30, 1907.

Plans filed for new buildings, brick (estimated cost, \$1,795,656).....	252
Plans filed for new buildings, frame (estimated cost, \$152,702).....	49
Plans filed for alterations (estimated cost, \$574,508).....	90
Building slip permits issued (estimated cost, \$4,642).....	52
Bay window permits issued (estimated cost, \$19,075).....	73
Unsafe cases filed	3
Violation cases filed	9
Fire-escape cases filed	3
Unsafe notices issued	3
Violation notices issued	9
Fire-escape notices issued	3
Violation cases referred to Counsel	13

Corresponding Week Ending March 31, 1906.

Plans filed for new buildings, brick (estimated cost, \$611,200).....	77
Plans filed for new buildings, frame (estimated cost, \$270,800).....	61
Plans filed for alterations (estimated cost, \$108,463).....	99

Respectfully submitted,

DESMOND DUNNE, Acting President of the Borough.

THE CITY RECORD.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

Week Ending Saturday, 12 M., April 13, 1907.

Boroughs.	Population State Census 1905.	Estimated Population Middle of Year 1907.	Deaths.		Births.	Marriages.	Still-births.	Death-rate.	
			1906.	1907.				1906.	1907.
Manhattan	2,112,697	2,232,828	897	801	736	1,167	618	66	21.52
The Bronx	271,629	308,256	133	132	122	33	11	23.92	22.17
Brooklyn	1,358,801	1,448,095	504	475	442	712	57	18.71	17.12
Queens.....	198,241	220,836	61	76	68	127	22	15.18	17.95
Richmond	72,846	75,420	25	33	28	50	17	17.58	22.83
City of New York.....	4,014,304	4,285,435	1,620	1,517	1,396	2,201	932	138	20.35
									16.99

* Non-residents and infants under one week old not included.

† The presence of several large institutions, the great majority of whose inmates are residents of the other boroughs, increases considerably the death-rate of this borough.

Cases of Infectious and Contagious Diseases Reported.

	Week Ending—											
Jan. 19.	Jan. 26.	Feb. 2.	Feb. 9.	Feb. 16.	Feb. 23.	Mar. 2.	Mar. 9.	Mar. 16.	Mar. 23.	Mar. 30.	Apr. 6.	Apr. 13.

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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—												Richmond.	Borough.	Wards.					Deaths Reported.							
	Jan. 19.	Jan. 26.	Feb. 2.	Feb. 9.	Feb. 16.	Feb. 23.	Mar. 2.	Mar. 9.	Mar. 16.	Mar. 23.	Mar. 30.	April 6.			Diphtheria and Croup.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Small-pox.	Tuberculosis Pulmonalis.	Typhoid Fever.	Pneumonia.	Bronchitis.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Small-pox.	Tuberculosis Pulmonalis.	Typhoid Fever.
Total deaths	1,586	1,611	1,612	1,670	1,688	1,671	1,694	1,647	1,670	1,571	1,631	1,540	1517														19
Annual death-rate....	19.31	19.61	19.62	20.33	20.55	20.34	20.62	20.05	20.33	19.12	19.86	18.75	18.47														2
Typhoid Fever	12	9	9	7	12	12	9	4	4	17	15	18	8														
Malarial Fevers	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1														1
Small-pox	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1														1
Measles	6	5	5	6	10	6	14	13	13	12	12	12	12														6
Scarlet Fever	9	8	15	13	21	17	12	25	19	12	17	16	14														14
Whooping Cough	9	5	13	5	6	5	7	8	9	12	9	12	7														7
Diphtheria and Croup	37	34	46	57	52	46	51	29	37	34	41	38	39														12
Influenza	32	41	26	24	17	39	32	20	38	14	24	10	10													12	
Cerebro Spinal Meningitis	9	14	17	16	13	12	9	24	16	18	20	10	15														15
Tuberculosis Pulmonalis	181	197	206	208	191	220	192	225	209	169	221	211	200														200
Other Tuberculosis	16	22	19	21	29	25	33	24	39	26	24	21	26														26
Acute Bronchitis	22	24	17	37	30	37	34	28	25	25	23	21	27														27
Pneumonia	199	167	173	183	207	175	201	187	216	165	168	151	170														170
Broncho Pneumonia	133	137	133	160	145	122	121	139	118	142	140	121	128														62
Diarrhoeal Diseases	39	48	50	52	36	48	61	52	48	54	65	62	55														55
Diarrhoeals under 5	35	39	42	46	34	41	50	46	43	45	57	50	47														47
Violent Deaths	87	93	85	93	94	109	88	66	76	80	75	80	82														82
Under one year	245	316	267	313	320	288	301	307	296	305	325	322	304														304
Under five years	364	452	434	482	484	456	449	469	457	495	472	482	449														449
Five to sixty-five	937	901	870	918	899	921	962	894	930	860	887	819	860														860
Sixty-five years and over	285	268	308	270	305	294	283	284	283	246	272	239	208														208
In Public and Private Institutions	509	450	490	485	523	513	529	512	516	535	597	481	507														507
Inquest cases	225	227	237	245	249	235	240	193	216	211	199	201	205														205
Mean barometer	30.128	30.087	30.130	30.085	29.824	29.913	30.081	29.943	30.048	29.911	29.977	29.997	29.470														29.470
Mean humidity	66	88	85	83	97	95	92	94	93	65	70	68	74														74
Inches of rain and snow	1.12	2.17	7.62	11.86	.75	.09	6.	7.07	6.	.314	.20	.34	.5														5
Mean temperature (Fahrenheit)	33.7°	27.1°	29.5°	21.9°	27.2°	26.8°	27.2°	31.8°	40.1°	47.9°	52.4°	44.3°	41.8°														41.8°
Maximum temperature (Fahrenheit)	48.°	56.°	47.°	42.°	43.°	43.°	47.°	47.°	47.°	47.°	47.°	47.°	47.°														53.°
Minimum temperature (Fahrenheit)	14.°	4.°	14.°	12.°	6.°	10.°	12.°	18.°	26.°	31.°	33.°	28.°	35.°														35.°

Infectious and Contagious Diseases in Hospital.

	Willard Parker Hospital.			Riverside Hospital.			Kingston Avenue Hospital.			Total.			
	Scarlet Fever.	Diphtheria.	Total.	Diphtheria.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Tuberculosis Pulmonalis.	Diphtheria.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Small-pox.		
Remaining April 6, '07.	146	71	217	32	58	36	103	229	40	41	118	6	205
Admitted	28	28	55	10	10	18	11	49	10	18	25	3	56
Discharged	23	14	37	6	15	4	5	30	17	14	17	1	49
Died	1	6	7	2	2	3	11	4	1	1	1	6	21
Remaining April 13, '07.	150	79	229	32	51	48	100	237	29	45	125	7	2

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

Abstract of the transactions of the Bureau of the City Chamberlain for the week ending April 6, 1907.

OFFICE OF THE CITY CHAMBERLAIN,
NEW YORK, April 13, 1907.

Hon. GEORGE B. McCLELLAN, Mayor:

SIR—In pursuance of section 196, chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901, I have the honor to present herewith a report to April 6, 1907, of all moneys received by the Chamberlain, and the amount of all warrants paid by him since March 30, 1907, and the amount remaining to the credit of the City on April 6, 1907.

Very respectfully,

JOHN H. CAMPBELL, Deputy City Chamberlain.

DR. THE CITY OF NEW YORK, in account with PATRICK KEENAN, Chamberlain, during the week ending April 6, 1907. CR.

Apr. 6	\$341,064.62	1907. Mar. 30	1907. Apr. 6	By Balance.....	\$6,939,575.70
				CITY OF NEW YORK		
				Taxes:		
				Borough of Manhattan..... Austen.....	\$13,769.78	
				Borough of The Bronx..... ".....	10,922.57	
				Borough of Brooklyn..... ".....	73,383.89	
				Borough of Queens..... ".....	7,123.46	
				Borough of Richmond..... ".....	1,389.84	
				Interest on Taxes:		
				Borough of Manhattan..... Austen.....	\$4,731.37	
				Borough of The Bronx..... ".....	387.05	
				Borough of Brooklyn..... ".....	2,423.47	
				Borough of Queens..... ".....	253.05	
				Borough of Richmond..... ".....	49.07	
				Water Rents, Borough of Brooklyn..... Austen.....		7,844.91
				Water Rents, Borough of Queens..... ".....		1,152.01
				Water Meter Fund, No. 2, Borough of Manhattan..... Austen.....	\$53.28	197.17
				Water Meter Fund, No. 2, Borough of The Bronx..... ".....	153.08	
				Arrears of Taxes, 1899, etc.:		211.36
				Borough of Manhattan..... Collector Assessments. \$31,907.56		
				Borough of The Bronx..... ".....	4,209.67	
				Borough of Brooklyn..... ".....	14,762.82	
				Borough of Queens..... ".....	5,888.13	
				Borough of Richmond..... ".....	911.17	
				Interest on Taxes, 1899, etc.:		57,681.35
				Borough of Manhattan..... Collector Assessments. \$4,953.08		
				Borough of The Bronx..... ".....	711.13	
				Borough of Brooklyn..... ".....	2,778.65	
				Borough of Queens..... ".....	1,568.31	
				Borough of Richmond..... ".....	181.22	
				Street Improvement Fund—January 1, 1898:		10,192.34
				Borough of Manhattan..... Collector Assessments. \$5,635.05		
				Borough of The Bronx..... ".....	15,202.64	
				Borough of Brooklyn..... ".....	20,078.01	
				Borough of Queens..... ".....	591.04	
				Interest on Assessments—Street Improvement Fund:		41,507.74
				Borough of Manhattan..... Collector Assessments. \$129.81		
				Borough of The Bronx..... ".....	982.38	
				Borough of Brooklyn..... ".....	1,285.68	
				Borough of Queens..... ".....	66.94	
				Fund for Street and Park Openings:		2,444.81
				Borough of Manhattan..... Collector Assessments. \$3,153.90		
				Borough of The Bronx..... ".....	23,826.56	
				Borough of Brooklyn..... ".....	14,213.34	
				Borough of Queens..... ".....	174.19	
				Borough of Richmond..... ".....	13.03	
				Interest on Assessments—Street and Park Openings:		41,386.02
				Borough of Manhattan..... Collector Assessments. \$6,00.24		
				Borough of The Bronx..... ".....	434.46	
				Borough of Brooklyn..... ".....	759.23	
				Borough of Queens..... ".....	6.18	
				Interest on Twenty-sixth Ward Bonds, Borough of Brooklyn..... Collector of Assessments ..	1,890.11	
				Interest on Interest on Twenty-sixth Ward Bonds, Borough of Brooklyn..... ".....	85.64	
				Principal and Interest, Twenty-sixth Ward Bonds, Borough of Brooklyn..... ".....	13.47	
				Interest on Principal and Interest on Twenty-sixth Ward Bonds, Borough of Brooklyn..... ".....	223.26	
				Interest on Twenty-sixth Ward Bonds, Borough of Brooklyn..... ".....	6.96	
				Sewer Assessments, Twenty-ninth Ward, Installs, Borough of Brooklyn..... ".....	203.90	
				Opening and Grading Assessments, Thirty-first Ward, Installs, Borough of Brooklyn..... ".....	2,382.07	
				Flagging Tax Assessments, Thirtieth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn..... ".....	34.05	
				Flatbush Avenue Improvement, Twenty-ninth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn..... ".....	161.48	
				Interest on Assessments, Borough of Brooklyn..... ".....	751.64	
				Arrears of Water Rents, 1898, etc., Borough of Brooklyn..... ".....	1,236.04	
				Interest on Water Rents, 1898, etc., Borough of Brooklyn..... ".....	268.32	
				Long Island City, Water Rents, Borough of Queens..... ".....	237.30	
				Long Island City, Interest on Water Rents, Borough of Queens..... ".....	63.91	
				Village of Flushing, Water Rents, Borough of Queens..... ".....	13.80	
				Village of Flushing, Interest on Water Rents, Borough of Queens..... ".....	1.40	
				Village of Whitestone, Water Rents, Borough of Queens..... ".....	18.83	
				Village of Whitestone, Interest on Water Rents, Borough of Queens..... ".....	2.66	
				New York and Brooklyn Bridge..... Stevenson ..	11,275.13	
				Williamsburg Bridge Maintenance Fund..... ".....	1,582.39	
				Water Revenue, Borough of Brooklyn..... McGuire ..	726.03	
				Water Rents, Borough of Brooklyn..... ".....	36,687.05	
				Water Rents, Borough of Queens..... Wissel ..	1,581.07	
				Water Rents, Borough of Richmond..... O'Brien ..	2.22	
				Sundry Licenses, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx..... Corrigan ..	1,097.25	
				Sundry Licenses, Borough of Brooklyn..... Griffin ..	633.50	
				Sundry Licenses, Borough of Queens ..	120.00	
				Sundry Licenses, Borough of Richmond ..	18.00	
				Register's Fees, New York County ..	17,944.55	
				Register's Fees, Kings County ..	15,190.60	
				Sheriff's Fees, Kings County ..	422.92	
				County Clerk's Fees, Kings County ..	2,789.42	
				Excise Taxes, New York County ..	McKee ..	\$1,484.38
				Excise Taxes, Kings County ..	Michell ..	1,313.12
				Excise Taxes, Queens County ..	Dowling ..	103.75
				Excise Taxes, Richmond County ..	Nichol ..	28.75
				Restoring and Repaving, Borough of Manhattan ..	Dalton ..	2,930.00
				Restoring and Repaving, Borough of The Bronx ..	Haffen ..	2,662.25
				Restoring and Repaving, Borough of Brooklyn ..	Dunne ..	869.10
				Restoring and Repaving, Borough of Queens ..	Gresser ..	306.00
				Restoring and Repaving, Borough of Richmond ..	Cromwell ..	195.27
				Water Meter Fund, No. 2, Borough of Manhattan ..	Padden ..	876.14
				Water Meter Fund, Borough of Queens ..	Wissel ..	19.50
				Water Meter Fund, Borough of Brooklyn ..	McGuire ..	177.74

1907. Apr. 6	To Revenue Bond Fund—Department of Correction—Reformatory, etc., Hart's Island—Machinery, etc..... Revenue Bond Fund—Department of Finance—Bureau of Municipal Investigation, etc..... Revenue Bond Fund—Department of Public Charities—Supplies, etc., 1906..... Revenue Bond Fund—Department of Street Cleaning—Removal of Snow and Ice, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx..... Revenue Bond Fund—Department of Street Cleaning—Removal of Snow and Ice, Borough of Brooklyn..... Revenue Bond Fund—Expenses of City Commission, Preparing Plans, etc., for Beautifying City of New York..... Revenue Bond Fund—Expenses of Criminal Action Against R. C. Flower, etc..... Revenue Bond Fund—Expenses of Making Exact Triangulation, City of New York, etc..... Revenue Bond Fund—Expenses of Renting, etc., Building for Training School for Nurses, etc..... Revenue Bond Fund—Judgments..... Revenue Bond Fund—Maintaining Fire Alarm Telegraph System, etc., Borough of Richmond..... Revenue Bond Fund—Mayor's Office—Alterations and Repairs..... Revenue Bond Fund—Payment County Charges and Expenses, etc., Revenue Bond Fund—Police Department—General Repairs, etc., to Station-houses..... Revenue Bond Fund—Renumbering, etc., Streets and Avenues, Borough of The Bronx..... Revenue Bond Fund—Repairing and Redecorating City Hall..... Revenue Bond Fund—Repairs and Supplies, Public Buildings and Offices, Borough of Manhattan..... Riverside Drive—Construction of Extension North of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth Street to Henry Hudson Memorial Viaduct..... School Building Fund..... Shore Road, Between First Avenue and Fort Hamilton, etc., Borough of Brooklyn..... Sites for Carnegie Libraries..... Street Improvement Fund..... Unclaimed Salaries and Wages..... Unsafe Building Fund, Borough of Manhattan..... Water Fund, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx..... Water Fund, Borough of Brooklyn..... Water Fund, Borough of Queens..... Water Fund, Borough of Richmond..... Water Rents, Borough of Brooklyn—Refunding Account..... Williamsburg Bridge Maintenance Fund	\$149 60 112 50 116 00 65,151 23 4,447 34 212 97 7 10 131 88 119 08 1,958 00 11,401 32 593 25 675 77 140 00 5,512 00 164 59 967 00 112 50 6,106 87 335,846 19 833 92 1,250 00 51,308 92 454 13 10,200 00 6,126 39 61,318 97 280 94 341 00 110 65 1,432 03 \$1,739,565 38 \$102 00 1,579 53 325 84 2,594 78 10,614 52 58 75 69 82 513 77 51 07 503 13 1,819 60 596 50 137 55 3 27 12 97 119 37 27,807 32 12,386 95 11,012 62 30 04 291 32 50 03 862 07 1,354 81 4,781 31 117 00 24 16 101 58 260 98 861 99 101 60 16 25 1,977 48 2,405 98 9,817 29 2,458 14 15,185 67 3,758 81 1,277 07 6,219 69 733 47 3,069 55 2,431 82 10,442 33 42,841 40 16,427 35 3,485 40 780 29 724 08 1,134 26 60 00 887 48 6,312 32 80 80 52 22 5,857 80 56 00 7,047 50 265 24 110 00 1,592 90 1,021 41 74 31 16 90 25 20 101 06 1,083 34 266 23 2,964 70 455 25 25 00 274 00 85 170 00 332 75	1907. Apr. 6	Tapping, Borough of Man- hattan..... Tapping, Borough of The Bronx..... Unclaimed Salaries and Wages..... Dock Fund..... Sewer Inspection and Repairs, Borough of Richmond..... Common Land Fund, Late Town of Gravesend—Rents..... Department of Correction (City Prisons, etc.)—Special Fund..... Chamberlain's Commissions..... Unsafe Building Fund, Borough of Man- hattan..... Unsafe Building Fund, Borough of Brooklyn..... Comptroller..... Bogart..... Gray..... Dalton..... Haffen..... Scully..... Stevenson..... Todd..... Hebbard..... Coggie..... Butler..... Cook..... Society for Prevention Cruelty to Children..... Dowdney..... Dunne..... Scully..... De Braga..... Cook..... Comptroller..... Department of Education—General School Fund, 1907..... Department of Health—Supplies and Contingencies, 1905..... Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity—Heat and Power, City Departments, etc., 1906..... Commissioners of Accounts—Salaries, Supplies and Contingencies, 1906..... Armory Board—Repairs and Supplies, Seventy-first Regiment, 1906..... Proceeds of Sale 3 per cent. Corporate Stock, Issued for Various Municipal Purposes..... Revenue Bond Fund—Judgments	\$176 50 222 50 \$399 00 259 18 55 25 30 00 12 00 454 16 1,701 55 2,972 10 184 09 \$12 50 25 00 8,867 00 783 15 772 28 1,452 88 84 11 340 00 3,129 74 8,105 70 930 00 1 00 8,354 75 722 80 2,091 40 1 75 410 00 36,224 06 13 53 513 77 119 01 300 00 91 48 8,265 07 41,279 67 \$100,000 00 250,000 00 50,000 00 350,000 00 1,000,000 00 275,000 00 75 000 00 2,235,000 00 Collector of Assessments.. Interest on Taxes, 1898, etc..... Street Improvement Fund, June 15, 1886..... Interest on Assessments, Street Im- provement Fund..... Fund for Street and Park Openings..... Interest on Assessments, Street and Park Openings..... Charges on Arrears of Taxes..... Charges on Arrears of Assessments..... Lands Purchased, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards..... Interest on Lands Purchased, Twenty- third and Twenty-fourth Wards..... Towns of Westchester—Taxes, etc..... Towns of Westchester—Interest on Taxes, etc..... Towns of Westchester—Fees, etc..... Borough of Brooklyn— Arrears of Taxes, 1897, etc..... Interest on Taxes, 1897, etc..... Arrears of Taxes, County Towns..... Eighth Ward Improvement Fund—In- stallments..... Twenty-sixth Ward Main Sewer—In- stallments..... Local Improvements—Late Town of New Utrecht..... Twenty-sixth Ward—Street Improve- ment Fund—Installments..... Assessment Fund..... Assessments for Local Improvements, New Lots—Installments..... Interest on Assessments..... Opening and Widening Streets..... Interest on Assessments for Opening and Widening Streets..... Advertising Sales, Various Towns..... Arrears of Water Rents, 1897, etc..... Interest on Water Rents, 1897, etc..... Borough of Queens— Long Island City:— Arrears of Taxes, 1897, etc..... Interest on Taxes, 1897, etc..... Arrears of Water Taxes, 1897, etc..... Interest on Water Taxes, 1897, etc..... Assessments for Local Improvements Interest on Assessments for Local Improvements..... Sales for Arrears of Taxes	257 73 223 10 165 63 168 44 211 30 1,006 32 21 00 3 00 9 12 22 25 12 61 11 10 2 50 381 93 329 65 1 88 1,999 35 716 48 36 36 16 16 11 66 68 42 305 12 8 22 2 88 2 00 60 19 64 23 82 67 68 55 24 52 17 16 140 93 110 75 18 59 25 09 335 74 17 51 164 75 111 62 80 59 4 09 2 59 22 49 38 72 24 82 16 13 36 89 51 18 6 00 16 51 18 32 2 54 2 82 286 20 161 70 50 44 35 19 22 30 14 47 27 25 30 79 51 38 60 15
1903.	Armory Board, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.....	\$102 00				
1904.	Armory Board, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx..... Armory Board, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens..... Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Boroughs of Man- hattan and The Bronx..... Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Borough of Queens.....	1,579 53 325 84 2,594 78 10,614 52 58 75 69 82 513 77 51 07 503 13 1,819 60 596 50 137 55 3 27 12 97 119 37 27,807 32 12,386 95 11,012 62 30 04 291 32 50 03 862 07 1,354 81 4,781 31 117 00 24 16 101 58 260 98 861 99 101 60 16 25 1,977 48 2,405 98 9,817 29 2,458 14 15,185 67 3,758 81 1,277 07 6,219 69 733 47 3,069 55 2,431 82 10,442 33 42,841 40 16,427 35 3,485 40 780 29 724 08 1,134 26 60 00 887 48 6,312 32 80 80 52 22 5,857 80 56 00 7,047 50 265 24 110 00 1,592 90 1,021 41 74 31 16 90 25 20 101 06 1,083 34 266 23 				

1907. Apr. 6	1907.	1907.	1907. Apr. 6	By Borough of Queens— Town of Hempstead: Arrears of Taxes, 1897, etc..... Interest on Taxes, 1897, etc.....	Collector of Assessments.. " ..	\$125 83 82 20
To Advertising	\$2,501 32					
Annual Compensation John F. Mayers, etc., for Damages.....	66 66					
Armory Board, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx	707 30					
Babies' Hospital, City of New York.....	356 49					
Bellevue and Allied Hospitals.....	28,010 33					
Board of Assessors.....	15 25					
Board of City Record.....	13,529 53					
Board of Elections.....	724 85					
Board of Estimate and Apportionment.....	2,456 66					
Brooklyn Children's Aid Society	291 66					
Brooklyn Disciplinary Training School.....	539 09					
Brooklyn Home for Consumptives.....	1,480 00					
Brooklyn Nursery and Infants' Hospital.....	817 18					
Brooklyn Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children	1,333 33					
Catholic Home Bureau	833 33					
Church Charity Foundation, Long Island, etc.....	442 84					
City Magistrates' Courts, First Division.....	67 45					
Civil Service Commission.....	664 05					
College of The City of New York.....	120 00					
Commissioner of Licenses.....	40 00					
Commissioners of Accounts.....	300 00					
Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.....	204 16					
Convent of the Sisters of Mercy, Borough of Brooklyn	10,791 33					
Coroners, Borough of Manhattan.....	54 45					
Coroners, Borough of The Bronx.....	200 10					
Coroners, Borough of Brooklyn	6 00					
Coroners, Borough of Richmond.....	583 33					
Court of Special Sessions, First Division.....	296 44					
Department of Bridges, Borough of Manhattan.....	2,784 56					
Department of Bridges, Borough of Brooklyn	120 03					
Department of Correction, Borough of Manhattan.....	15,590 04					
Department of Education—General School Fund.....	1,473,831 11					
Department of Education—Special School Fund—Board of Education.....	95,148 66					
Department of Education—Special School Fund—Borough of Manhattan.....	14,910 85					
Department of Education—Special School Fund—Borough of The Bronx.....	2,557 91					
Department of Education—Special School Fund—Borough of Brooklyn	11,393 64					
Department of Education—Special School Fund—Borough of Queens.....	4,861 42					
Department of Education—Special School Fund, Borough of Richmond.....	1,226 45					
Department of Finance.....	90,907 90					
Department of Finance—Chamberlain's Office	1,529 64					
Department of Health.....	27,027 01					
Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond.....	14,418 14					
Department of Parks, Borough of The Bronx.....	13,241 07					
Department of Parks, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.....	11,423 34					
Department of Public Charities.....	43,989 48					
Department of Street Cleaning, Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx and Brooklyn.....	177,637 24					
Department of Taxes and Assessments.....	10,216 52					
Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.....	14,133 85					
Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Borough of Brooklyn.....	114 50					
Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Borough of Richmond.....	622 48					
Dominican Convent of Our Lady of the Rosary.....	1,142 16					
Examining Board of Plumbers.....	9,077 38					
Fire Department.....	473 33					
German Odd Fellows' Home, etc.....	441,029 66					
Hebrew Benevolent and Orphan Asylum Society	91 01					
Hebrew Sheltering Guardian Society	1,466 88					
House of St. Giles, the Cripple.....	612 97					
Hudson-Fulton Celebration Commission, Expenses of.....	250 00					
Interest on Bonds and Stock to be Issued in 1906, etc.....	650 00					
Interest on the City Debt.....	443,675 00					
Interest on Revenue Bonds of 1907.....	337 50					
Jamaica Hospital.....	456 80					
Law Department.....	42,668 84					
Lincoln Hospital and Home.....	5,178 52					
Mary Immaculate Hospital.....	708 89					
Mayoralty.....	1,250 00					
Municipal Courts, City of New York.....	51 75					
Municipal Explosives Commission.....	40 00					
New York Catholic Protectory.....	20,449 22					
New York Foundling Hospital.....	21,421 98					
New York Polyclinic Medical School and Hospital.....	266 40					
New York Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children	4,166 66					
New York Society for the Relief of the Ruptured and Crippled.....	512 33					
Police Department.....	870,249 82					
President of the Borough of Manhattan—						
Bureau of Buildings.....	21,405 25					
Bureau of Engineer of Street Openings.....	29 32					
Bureau of Highways	13,180 30					
Bureau of Incumbrances.....	49 00					
Bureau of Public Baths and Public Comfort Stations	4,174 00					
Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices.....	12,033 20					
Bureau of Sewers.....	5,495 02					
General Administration.....	6,001 90					
President of the Borough of The Bronx—						
Bureau of Buildings.....	9,570 82					
Bureau of Highways	18,484 35					
Bureau of Public Baths	21 00					
Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices.....	2,149 00					
Bureau of Sewers.....	8,344 80					
General Administration.....	4,549 97					
Topographical Bureau	9,814 30					
President of the Borough of Brooklyn—						
Bureau of Buildings.....	25 00					
Bureau of Highways	3,095 84					
Bureau of Incumbrances and Permits	118 50					
Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices.....	815 84					
Bureau of Sewers.....	3,093 78					
President of the Borough of Queens—						
Bureau of Highways	10,873 51					
Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices	676 85					
Bureau of Sewers.....	3,641 02					
Bureau of Street Cleaning.....	4,030 81					
General Administration.....	366 14					
President of the Borough of Richmond—						
Bureau of Engineering	325 02					
Bureau of Highways	1,773 08					
Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices	396 18					
Bureau of Sewers	487 56					
Bureau of Street Cleaning	2,992 27					
General Administration	473 32					
Queens Borough Library.....	2,535 65					
Redemption of the City Debt.....	13,000 00					
Rents.....	22,940 37					
Richmond County Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children	83 31					
St. Christopher's Hospital for Babies	256 95					
St. John's Guild	1,875 00					
St. John's (Long Island City) Hospital	2,380 50					
St. Malachy's Home	7,828 84					
St. Mary's Maternity and Infants' Home	1,666 32					
St. Michael's Home	1,864 63					
St. Vincent's Hospital, City of New York	400 00					
Sanitarium for Hebrew Children	625 00					
Seton Hospital, New York City	8,355 00					
S. R. Smith Infirmary	100 00					
Sydenham Hospital	514 25					
Tenement House Department	49,032 37					
New York County.						
Armories and Drill-rooms	3,596 00					
Board of City Record	6,483 92					
Commissioner of Records	500 00					
County Clerk	137 56					
County Contingent Fund	25 00					
Court of General Sessions	27 90					
Disbursements and Fees	447 70					
District Attorney	65 72					
Fees of Stenographers, etc.	89 00					
Register	3,922 12					
Sheriff	46 60					
Supreme Court, First Department	2,574 99					
King County.						
Board of City Record	10,882 43					
County Clerk	429 80					
County Court	86 68					
Fees and Expenses of Jurors	25,000 00					
Law Library, Borough of Brooklyn	450 00					
Register	10,773 58					
Sheriff						

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E. & O. E. A. J. GALLIGAN, Bookkeeper.

JOHN H. CAMPBELL, Deputy City Chamberlain.

THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUNDS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, in account with PATRICK KEENAN, Chamberlain, for and during the week ending April 6, 1907.

		SINKING FUND FOR THE REDEMPTION OF THE CITY DEBT.		SINKING FUND FOR THE PAYMENT OF INTEREST ON THE CITY DEBT.		SINKING FUND, REDEMPTION NO. 2.		SINKING FUND, BROOKLYN.		SINKING FUND, CITY OF NEW YORK.	
1907.		DR.	CR.	DR.	CR.	DR.	CR.	DR.	CR.	DR.	CR.
Apr. 6	By Court Fees and Fines, Borough of Queens.	Damon..... \$108 00 Moran..... 65 00 Kennedy..... 54 00 Hewlett..... 12 00 Woodill..... 12 00 Connerty..... 23 50 Prendergast..... 83 00 Brennan..... 61 00 Tierman..... 34 00 Prall..... 34 00 Casey..... 58 00	\$30,108 62			\$210,992 10		\$135,692 50			
	Court Fees and Fines, Borough of Richmond.										
	Revenue from Investments.....										
	Prospect Park Improvement—Installments...	Collector Assessments.	\$256 27								
	Prospect Park Improvement—Full Payments...	"	72								
	Prospect Park Improvement—Installments, Interest...	"	14 94								
	Revenue from Investments.....		1,875 00								
	Bond and Mortgage— East Side Park Land...	Gray.....	650 00								
	Interest on Bond and Mortgage—East Side Park Lands.....	"	41 17								
	Revenue from Investments.....										
	To Sinking Fund—Redemption...		\$822 52			\$150,857 50					
	Sinking Fund—Interest...										
	Sinking Fund—City of Brooklyn										
	Balances.....		3,032,581 56		1,527,939 80		1,236,110 35		90,461 6x		\$18,859 44
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		WATER SINKING FUND, CITY OF NEW YORK.		WATER SINKING FUND, CITY OF BROOKLYN.		LONG ISLAND CITY— REDEMPTION OF REVENUE BONDS.		LONG ISLAND CITY— REDEMPTION OF FIRE BONDS.		LONG ISLAND CITY— REDEMPTION OF WATER BONDS.	
1907. Mar. 30 Apr. 6	By Balances, as per last account current.....	DR.	CR.	DR.	CR.	DR.	CR.	DR.	CR.	DR.	CR.
	Revenue from Investments.....		12,975 00		1,875 00						
	Revenue from Investments.....		\$16,361 78		\$28,666 25						
	To Balances.....		\$16,361 78		\$28,666 25						

Apr. 6, 1907. By Balances..... \$16,361 78 \$28,666 25
E. & O. E., A. J. GALLIGAN, Bookkeeper.

JOHN H. CAMPBELL, Deputy City Chamberlain.

DR. THE CITY OF NEW YORK, in account with PATRICK KEENAN, Chamberlain, during the week ending April 6, 1907. CR.

1907. Apr. 6	To Jury Fees—New York County..... Jury Fees—Kings County..... Jury Fees—Queens County.....	\$4,104 00 2,390 00 172 80		1907. Mar. 30	By Balance Jury Fees—New York County..... Balance Jury Fees—Kings County..... Balance Jury Fees—Queens County..... Balance Jury Fees—Richmond County.....	\$30,585 00 2,996 00 887 04 2,702 14		DR.	CR.	DR.	CR.
	Balance Jury Fees—New York County..... Balance Jury Fees—Kings County..... Balance Jury Fees—Queens County..... Balance Jury Fees—Richmond County.....	\$26,481 00 25,006 00 714 24 2,713 80		Apr. 6	Jury Fees—Kings County..... Jury Fees—Richmond County.....	\$25,000 00 11 66					

Apr. 6, 1907. By Balance..... \$55,515 04

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DR. THE CITY OF NEW YORK, in account with PATRICK KEENAN, Chamberlain, during the week ending April 6, 1907. CR.

1907. Apr. 6	To Witness Fees—New York County..... Witness Fees—Queens County..... Witness Fees—Richmond County.....	\$469 06 166 78 35 02		1907. Mar. 30	By Balance Witness Fees—New York County..... Balance Witness Fees—Queens County..... Balance Witness Fees—Richmond County.....	\$6,308 35 1,933 80 900 58		DR.	CR.	DR.	CR.
	Balance Witness Fees—New York County..... Balance Witness Fees—Queens County..... Balance Witness Fees—Richmond County.....	\$5,839 29 1,707 02 865 56									

Apr. 6, 1907. By Balance..... \$9,142 73

JOHN H. CAMPBELL, Deputy City Chamberlain.

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DR. THE CITY OF NEW YORK, in account with PATRICK KEENAN, Chamberlain, during the week ending April 6, 1907. CR.

1907. Apr. 6	To Interest Registered..... Balance.....	\$574,247 34 43,217 67		1907. Mar. 30	By Balance.....	\$23,827 51		DR.	CR.	DR.	CR.
		\$617,465 01		Apr. 6	Interest Registered.....	593,637 50					

Apr. 6, 1907. By Balance..... \$43,217 67

JOHN H. CAMPBELL, Deputy City Chamberlain.

E. & O. E., A. J. GALLIGAN, Bookkeeper.

ART COMMISSION.

Minutes of Meeting of Art Commission, Held at its Office, Room No. 21, City Hall,
Tuesday, April 9, 1907, at 4 o'clock p. m.

Present—President de Forest (presiding), Commissioners Cook, Mansfield, Healy,
Boyle, Millet and Pine.

On communication from Commissioner Bigelow explaining his absence, he was
excused.

Minutes of meeting of March 12, were presented and approved.

The President's report was presented, stating that the following Committees had
been appointed since the last meeting, March 12:

Submission 540.

Second Precinct Police Station—Commissioners Cook (Chairman), Mansfield
and Pine. Appointed March 28, 1907.

Submission 541.

Kings County Pathological Building—Commissioners Cook (Chairman), de Forest
and Pine. Appointed March 29, 1907.

Submission 542.

First Precinct Police Station—Commissioners Cook (Chairman), Mansfield and Pipe. Appointed April 1, 1907.

Submission 543.

Municipal Office Building, Brooklyn—Commissioners Cook (Chairman), Healy and de Forest. Appointed April 5, 1907.

Submission 544.

Sixth District Municipal Court House, Brooklyn—Commissioners Cook (Chairman), Healy and Mansfield. Appointed April 5, 1907.

Submission 545.

Metropolitan Museum of Art Library—Commissioners Cook (Chairman), Millet and Healy. Appointed April 5, 1907.

Submission 546.

Linnaeus Memorial Tablet, The Bronx—Commissioners Boyle (Chairman), Bigelow and Pine. Appointed April 8, 1907.

Submission 547.

Chelsea Improvement—Commissioners Cook (Chairman), de Forest and Mansfield. Appointed April 9, 1907.

Submission 536.

The Committee on Metropolitan Museum of Art Extension recommended that the designs submitted (on request of the Mayor), by Messrs. McKim, Mead & White, architects, be approved.

On motion, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

Certificate 542.

Resolved, That the Art Commission hereby approves the designs and location of Addition F to the Metropolitan Museum of Art, represented by Exhibits "179-M," "179-N," "179-O," "179-P," "179-Q," "179-R," "179-S," "179-T" and "179-U," of record in this matter; and that the action of the Commission be certified, with return of duplicates of exhibits herein noted, to Messrs. McKim, Mead & White, architects.

The Committee was thereupon discharged.

Submissions 537 and 545.

The Committee on Metropolitan Museum of Art Library recommended that the designs submitted (on request of the Mayor) by Messrs. McKim, Mead & White, architects, be approved; Submission 537 including merely the preliminary sketches and Submission 545 being the completed drawings.

On motion, the following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

Certificate 543.

Resolved, That the Art Commission hereby approves, but as preliminary drawings only, the designs and location of the library addition to the Metropolitan Museum of Art, represented by Exhibits "179-V," "179-W," "179-X," "179-Y," "179-Z," "179-AA" and "179-AB," of record in this matter; and that the action of the Commission be certified, with return of duplicates of exhibits herein noted, to Messrs. McKim, Mead & White, architects.

Certificate 544.

Resolved, That the Art Commission hereby approves the designs and location of the library addition to the Metropolitan Museum of Art, represented by Exhibits "179-AC," "179-AD," "179-AE," "179-AF," "179-AG," "179-AH," "179-AI" and "179-AJ," of record in this matter; and that the action of the Commission be certified, with return of duplicates of exhibits herein noted, to Messrs. McKim, Mead & White, architects.

The Committee was thereupon discharged.

Submission 543.

The Committee upon Municipal Office Building, Brooklyn, recommended that the designs (of a public structure exceeding \$1,000,000 in cost) submitted by Hon. Bird S. Coler, President of the Borough of Brooklyn, be approved, but as preliminary drawings only.

Mr. J. Monroe Hewlett of Lord & Hewlett, architects, and Mr. R. Walter Cruzbaur, Consulting Engineer for the Borough of Brooklyn, were present and explained the purposes of the building and certain details of the plans.

On motion, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

Certificate 545.

Resolved, That the Art Commission hereby approves, but as preliminary drawings only, the designs and location of the Municipal Office Building to be erected upon the plot of ground bounded by Joralemon, Court and Livingston streets, Brooklyn, represented by Exhibits "259-A," "259-B," "259-C," "259-D," "259-E," "259-F," "259-G," "259-H" and "259-I," of record in this matter; and that the action of the Commission be certified, with return of duplicates of exhibits herein noted, to Hon. Bird S. Coler, President of the Borough of Brooklyn.

On motion, the Assistant Secretary was directed to notify President Coler that when working drawings shall have been prepared, they should be submitted to the Art Commission for final approval, as the foregoing resolution is only preliminary action thereon.

The Committee was thereupon discharged.

Submission 544.

The Committee on Sixth District Municipal Court House, Brooklyn, recommended that the designs submitted (on request of the Mayor) by Hon. Bird S. Coler, President of the Borough of Brooklyn, be approved, but as preliminary drawings only.

On motion, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

Certificate 546.

Resolved, That the Art Commission hereby approves, but as preliminary drawings only, the designs and location of the Sixth District Municipal Court House, to be erected at Sterling place and Flatbush avenue, Brooklyn, represented by Exhibits "256-G," "256-H," "256-I," "256-J," "256-K" and "256-L," of record in this matter; and that the action of the Commission be certified, with return of duplicates of exhibits herein noted, to Hon. Bird S. Coler, President of the Borough of Brooklyn.

On motion, the Assistant Secretary was directed to notify President Coler that when working drawings shall have been prepared, they should be submitted to the Art Commission for final approval, as the foregoing resolution is only preliminary action thereon.

The Committee was thereupon discharged.

Submission 529.

The Committee upon Mural Paintings, Morris High School, reported as follows upon designs (of new works of art) submitted by Mr. Charles R. Lamb, President of the Municipal Art Society:

Your Committee, after an examination of the proposed locations for these mural paintings, are unable to approve the locations for any painted decorations whatever; and being unable to approve the locations, by the terms of the submission your Committee are compelled to recommend disapproval of the submission. This recommendation should not be deemed in any sense as a disapproval of the sketches themselves.

On motion, the report of the Committee was accepted and the following resolution unanimously adopted:

Certificate 547.

Resolved, That the Art Commission hereby disapproves the designs and locations of two mural paintings for the Morris High School, Borough of The Bronx, represented by Exhibits "260-A," "260-B," "260-C" and "260-D," of record in this matter;

and that the action of the Commission be certified, with return of duplicates of exhibits herein noted, to Mr. Charles R. Lamb, President of the Municipal Art Society.

On motion, the Assistant Secretary was directed to transmit a copy of the report of the Committee to Mr. Charles R. Lamb.

The Committee was thereupon discharged.

Submission 540.

The Committee on Second Precinct Police Station reported, relative to designs submitted (on request of the Mayor) by Messrs. Colt and Chard, architects, that the drawings were insufficient, inasmuch as the plans and elevations do not correspond with each other, and also that approval is requested "for the exterior" only. The Committee further reported that in their opinion approval could not be given to one element only in a design, but that the design as a whole must be acted upon. The Committee, therefore, recommended that the submission be disapproved.

On motion, the report was accepted and the following resolution unanimously adopted:

Certificate 548.

Resolved, That the Art Commission hereby disapproves the designs of the Second Precinct Police Station upon Greene and Washington streets, Manhattan, represented by Exhibits "261-A," "261-B," "261-C," "261-D," "261-E," "261-F," "261-G," "261-H" and "261-I," of record in this matter; and that the action of the Commission be certified, with return of duplicates of exhibits herein noted, to Hon. Theodore A. Bingham, Police Commissioner.

The Committee was thereupon discharged.

Submission 542.

The Committee on First Precinct Police Station recommended that the designs submitted (on request of the Mayor), by Hon. Theodore A. Bingham, Police Commissioner, be approved, but as preliminary drawings only.

On motion, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

Certificate 549.

Resolved, That the Art Commission hereby approves, but as preliminary drawings only, the designs and location of the First Precinct Police Station, Old slip and Front street, Manhattan, represented by Exhibits "262-A," "262-B," "262-C" and "262-D," of record in this matter; and that the action of the Commission be certified, with return of duplicates of exhibits herein noted, to Hon. Theodore A. Bingham, Police Commissioner.

On motion, the Assistant Secretary was directed to notify Commissioner Bingham that when working drawings shall have been prepared, they should be submitted to the Art Commission for final approval, as the foregoing resolution is only preliminary action thereon.

The Committee was thereupon discharged.

Submission 541.

The Committee on Kings County Hospital Pathological Building recommended that the designs submitted (on request of the Mayor) by Hon. Robert W. Heberd, Commissioner of Public Charities, be approved.

On motion, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

Certificate 550.

Resolved, That the Art Commission hereby approves the designs and location of a Pathological building for the Kings County Hospital, Brooklyn, represented by Exhibits "246-F," "246-G," "246-H," "246-I" and "246-J," of record in this matter; and that the action of the Commission be certified, with return of duplicates of exhibits herein noted, to Hon. Robert W. Heberd, Commissioner of Public Charities.

The Committee was thereupon discharged.

The following committees reported progress:

Submission 546.

The Committee on Linnaeus Memorial Tablet, The Bronx.

Submission 547.

The Committee on Chelsea Improvement.

The Committee on Catalogue of Works of Art Belonging to the City.

The Committee on Redecoration of Governor's Room.

The Committee on Quarters and Staff.

Upon motion, and after discussion, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That no submission shall be approved by the Art Commission unless it shall have been signed by the head of the department, corporation or person having official charge of the matter, or unless the authority of any other person or persons making such submission shall have been evidenced by the written statement of the head of the department or of such corporation or person.

Commissioner Cook gave notice that at the regular meeting of the Commission he will move to amend the Rules and Procedure of the Commission by adding the above, to be designated as Rule 21.

The Secretary presented a communication from Mr. Cuyler Reynolds, director of the New York State Commission to the Jamestown Ter-Centennial Exposition, requesting the Art Commission to authorize the loan of several paintings in the City Hall, to be placed in the exhibit of the State of New York at the Jamestown Exposition.

On motion, the matter was referred to the Assistant Secretary, who was authorized to explain to Mr. Reynolds that the Art Commission has no authority to act upon such a matter, except upon submission from the City authorities, and that in their opinion such a loan would be inexpedient.

Commissioner Healy stated that he would be absent from the City for the next two months, and requested that he be excused from attendance at the next few meetings.

On motion, this request was unanimously granted.

Upon motion, and after discussion, the President was authorized to send the following communication to each City official and such corporations and persons as have been accustomed to submit matters to the Art Commission:

"Under the procedure adopted by the Art Commission all matters submitted to it are referred to committees, so that a report may be prepared and official action taken by the Commission at its first meeting after the submission has been made. In some instances, and unfortunately the number is increasing, the submission of important matters has been delayed until the day set for a meeting of the Commission or the day previous, with the expectation upon the part of the person making the submission that such designs would be acted upon at that meeting.

"You will appreciate that under these circumstances it is impossible, between the date of submission and the time of meeting, to carefully examine the plans, often as many as fifteen or twenty in a single instance, to visit the proposed locations, to determine upon the suitability of the plans for the locations and surroundings, to consider as carefully as should be done the many other factors which often arise, to prepare a report for consideration by the Art Commission and to give sufficient notice to the head of the department having the matter in charge so that he may be present when the matter is considered, as provided by the City Charter.

"In order to insure proper consideration by the Commission, it is therefore essential that all submissions should be received not less than ten days in advance of the meeting at which they are to be considered, and the Commission has directed that a notice to this effect be sent to all persons interested. The Commission meets regularly on the second Tuesday in each month."

On motion, the meeting adjourned.

MILTON R. MALTBY, Assistant Secretary.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Pursuant to statutory requirement, notice is hereby given that an act, Senate 730, Int. No. 614, has been passed by both branches of the Legislature, entitled: An Act to amend the Greater New York charter, relative to the salary of the commissioner of docks and the deputy commissioner of docks.

Further notice is hereby given that a public hearing upon such bill will be held at the Mayor's office in the City Hall in The City of New York on Friday, April 26, 1907, at 1:30 o'clock p. m.

Dated City Hall, New York, April 23, 1907.

GEORGE B. McCLELLAN.

Mayor.

This bill will be the first heard at that time.

Pursuant to statutory requirement, notice is hereby given that an act, Senate 1050, Int. No. 691, has been passed by both branches of the Legislature, entitled: An Act authorizing the board of estimate and apportionment of the city of New York in its discretion to direct that the cost and expense of opening, widening or extending streets in said city for the purpose of using such streets as an approach to bridges connecting the various boroughs of said city, shall be borne and paid by the city of New York.

Further notice is hereby given that a public hearing upon such bill will be held at the Mayor's office in the City Hall in The City of New York on Friday, April 26, 1907, at 1:30 o'clock p. m.

Dated City Hall, New York, April 23, 1907.

GEORGE B. McCLELLAN.

Mayor.

This bill will be the second heard at that time.

Pursuant to statutory requirement, notice is hereby given that an act, Senate 1046, Int. No. 439, has been passed by both branches of the Legislature, entitled: An Act to provide for iron gates for the protection of life on streets leading to the Gowanus canal in the borough of Brooklyn in the city of New York.

Further notice is hereby given that a public hearing upon such bill will be held at the Mayor's office in the City Hall in The City of New York on Friday, April 26, 1907, at 1:30 o'clock p. m.

Dated City Hall, New York, April 23, 1907.

GEORGE B. McCLELLAN.

Mayor.

This bill will be the third heard at that time.

Pursuant to statutory requirement, notice is hereby given that an act, Senate 429, Int. No. 381, has been passed by both branches of the Legislature, entitled: An Act to empower the board of assessors of the city of New York to estimate and allow damages sustained by owners of real property abutting upon Manhattan avenue adjacent to Newtown creek, borough of Brooklyn, in the city of New York, by reason of the construction of the bridge over Newtown creek, between Manhattan avenue in the Borough of Brooklyn, and Vernon avenue in the Borough of Queens, and the approaches thereto.

Further notice is hereby given that a public hearing upon such bill will be held at the Mayor's office in the City Hall in The City of New York on Friday, April 26, 1907, at 1:30 o'clock p. m.

Dated City Hall, New York, April 23, 1907.

GEORGE B. McCLELLAN.

Mayor.

This bill will be the fourth heard at that time.

Mayor's Office—Bureau of Licenses, New York, April 24, 1907.

Number of licenses issued and amounts received therefor in the week ending Saturday, April 20, 1907:

BOROUGHS OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

Date.	Number of Licenses.	Amounts.
Monday, April 15.....	202	\$833 50
Tuesday, April 16.....	136	668 25
Wednesday, April 17.....	140	527 25
Thursday, April 18.....	161	1,255 75
Friday, April 19.....	157	793 00
Saturday, April 20.....	77	308 50
Totals.....	873	\$4,236 25

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

Date.	Number of Licenses.	Amounts.
Monday, April 15.....	73	\$276 00
Tuesday, April 16.....	61	253 75
Wednesday, April 17.....	52	248 00
Thursday, April 18.....	49	210 00
Friday, April 19.....	39	188 00
Saturday, April 20.....	27	149 50
Totals.....	301	\$1,325 25

BOROUGH OF QUEENS

Date.	Number of Licenses.	Amounts.
Monday, April 15.....	11	\$32 50
Tuesday, April 16.....	14	41 50
Wednesday, April 17.....	6	22 00
Thursday, April 18.....	6	15 50
Friday, April 19.....	7	15 50
Saturday, April 20.....	5	20 00
Totals.....	73	\$300 00

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND

Date.	Number of Licenses.	Amounts.
Monday, April 15.....	11	\$32 50
Tuesday, April 16.....	14	35 50
Wednesday, April 17.....	6	22 00
Thursday, April 18.....	6	15 50
Friday, April 19.....	7	15 50
Saturday, April 20.....	5	20 00
Totals.....	49	\$141 00

JOHN P. CORRIGAN,
Chief of Bureau of Licenses.

CHANGES IN DEPARTMENTS, ETC.

CORPORATION COUNSEL.

April 24—The Municipal Civil Service Commission has approved of the transfer of Miss Kathryn A. Tully, a Stenographer and Typewriter, to the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity. The said transfer will take effect at the close of business on April 23, 1907.

To fill the vacancy caused by the transfer of Miss Tully, Miss May A. Byrne has been transferred from the Bureau for the Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes to the Bureau of Street Openings, to take effect on May 1, 1907.

To fill the vacancy caused by the transfer of Miss Byrne, Miss Alice Fleming has been promoted a Stenographer and Typewriter in the Main office and her salary increased pursuant to paragraph 12 of Civil Service Rule XV. to \$1,050 per annum, to take effect May 1, 1907, and she has been transferred to the Bureau for the Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes.

Also transferred Miss Lorette V. Higgins from the Bureau for the Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes to the Bureau of Penalties, to take effect May 1, 1907, and Miss Lillian C. Goldstein has been transferred from the Bureau of Penalties to the Bureau for the Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes, to take effect the same date.

PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

April 20—Appointed Filomeno Gigante, No. 36 Bennett street, Port Richmond, N. Y., Laborer, compensation to be at the rate of \$2 per day, to commence from April 23, 1907.

BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY.

April 23—William H. Fay has resigned from the position of Office Boy. His services terminated April 21, 1907.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

April 23—Appointed.
Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

As ununiformed Fireman for a probationary period of one month, with salary at the rate of \$800 per annum, to take effect from the 20th inst.:

Probationary Fireman Robert Hierons, assigned to Engine Company 13.

Probationary Fireman George Grattenhaler, assigned to Hook and Ladder Company 9.

As Brass Finisher, with compensation at the rate of \$4 per diem, to take effect from the 22d inst., William Demarest, assigned to Repair Shops.

Died.

Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.
Fireman first grade Henry F. Maguire, Engine Company 110, on the 17th inst.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS, COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

April 23—In accordance with the rules of the State Civil Service Commission, the following named persons have been appointed to the position of Court Attendant in the Court of General Sessions of the Peace in and for the County of New York:

Frank P. Burke of No. 126 East One Hundred and Fourteenth street, New York City, to take effect April 22, 1907.

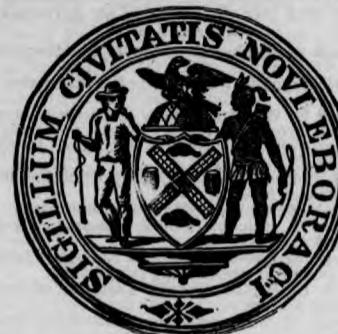
Edward C. Becherer, One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street and Eastburne avenue, New York City, to take effect April 22, 1907.

Edward C. Quigg, One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street and East river, New York City, to take effect April 22, 1907.

John O'Flaherty of No. 2096 Amsterdam avenue, New York City, to take effect April 23, 1907.

PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

April 23—Transfer of LeRoy Preston, Inspector of Regulating, Grading and Paving, to take effect this day.



OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

STATEMENT OF THE HOURS DURING WHICH THE PUBLIC OFFICES IN THE CITY ARE OPEN FOR BUSINESS AND AT WHICH THE COURTS REGULARLY OPEN AND ADJOURN, AS WELL AS THE PLACES WHERE SUCH OFFICES ARE KEPT AND SUCH COURTS ARE HELD, TOGETHER WITH THE HEADS OF DEPARTMENTS AND COURTS.

CITY OFFICES.

MAYOR'S OFFICE.

No. 9 City Hall, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays 9 a. m. to 12 m.

Telephone, 820 Cortlandt.

GEORGE B. McCLELLAN, Mayor.

Frank M. O'Brien, Secretary.

William A. Willis, Executive Secretary.

James A. Rierdon, Chief Clerk and Bond and Warrant Clerk.

BUREAU OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.

Room 7, City Hall, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays 9 a. m. to 12 m.

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SUPREME COURT—FIRST DEPARTMENT.

County Court-house, Chambers street. Court open from 10.15 a. m. to 4 p. m. Special Term, Part I. (motions), Room No. 16. Special Term, Part II. (ex parte business), Room No. 13. Special Term, Part III., Room No. 19. Special Term, Part IV., Room No. 20. Special Term, Part V., Room No. 33. Special Term, Part VI. (Elevated Railroad cases), Room 31.

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Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. During July and August will close at 2 p. m., and on Saturdays at 12 m.

CITY COURT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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Part I.

Part II.

Part III.

Part IV.

Part V. Special Term Chambers will be held from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m.

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Building for Criminal Courts, Centre street between Franklin and White streets, Borough of Manhattan.

Court opens at 10 a. m.

Justices—First Division—John B. McLean, William E. Wyatt, Willard H. Olmstead, Joseph M. Deuel, Lorenzo Zeller, John B. Mayo. Charles W. Culkin, Clerk; William M. Fuller, Deputy Clerk.

Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

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

Justices—Howard J. Forker, Patrick Keady, John Fleming, Thomas W. Fitzgerald, Robert J. Wilkin, George J. O'Keefe; Joseph L. Kerrigan, Clerk; John J. Dorman, Deputy Clerk.

Clerk's Office, No. 171 Atlantic avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

CHILDREN'S COURT.

First Division—No. 66 Third avenue, Manhattan Edmund C. Lee, Clerk. Second Division—No. 102 Court street, Brooklyn James P. Sinnott, Clerk.

CITY MAGISTRATES' COURT.

Tenth District—The Tenth District embraces that portion of the Twenty-second Ward south of Seventeenth street, west of Central Park West to Fifty-ninth street, east on Fifty-ninth street to Seventh avenue, south on Seventh avenue to Fifty-third street, west on Fifty-third street to Eighth avenue, south on Eighth avenue to Forty-third street, north side to Hudson river. Court-room, No. 314 West Fifty-fourth street. Court open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., Sundays and legal holidays excepted.

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

Telephone, 1890 Columbus.

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

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

Telephone, 6335 Morningside.

Twelfth District—The Twelfth District embraces that portion of the Twenty-second Ward north of Seventeenth street, and that portion of the Twelfth Ward which lies north of the centre line of Eighty-sixth street and west of the centre line of Seventh avenue and south of the centre line of One Hundred and Twentieth street, between Seventh avenue and Broadway, and south of the centre line of One Hundred and Nineteenth street, between Broadway and the North or Hudson river. Court-room, No. 2555 Broadway.

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

Telephone, 4006 Riverside.

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

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

Court-room, No. 264 Madison street.

Telephone, 2596 Orchard.

Fourteenth District—The Fourteenth District embraces that portion of the Borough of Manhattan bounded as follows: Beginning at West Forty-third street and Eighth avenue, north on Eighth avenue to West Fifty-third street; east on West Fifty-third street to Seventh avenue; north on Seventh avenue to West Fifty-ninth street to Eighth avenue; north on Eighth avenue and west on Central Park West to the Transverse road at Central Park West and West Ninety-seventh street; east on Transverse road to Fifth avenue and East Ninety-seventh street; south on Fifth avenue to East Ninety-sixth street; east on Ninety-sixth street to Lexington avenue; south on Lexington avenue to East Sixty-fifth street; west on East Sixty-fifth street to Park avenue; south on Park avenue to East Sixty-first street; east on East Sixty-first street to Lexington avenue; south on Lexington avenue to East Forty-third street; west on East and West Forty-third streets to the point of beginning at West Forty-third street and Eighth avenue.

Edgar J. Lauer, Justice. William J. Chamberlain, Clerk.

Court-house, No. 620 Madison avenue.

Telephone, 3873 Plaza.

Borough of The Bronx.

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

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

Office hours, from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, closing at 12 m.

Second District—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, except the territory described in chapter 934 of the Laws of 1895. Court-room, southeast corner of Washington avenue and One Hundred and Sixty-second street. Office hours, from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. Court opens at 9 a. m.

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

Telephone, 3043 Melrose.

Borough of Brooklyn.

First District—Comprising First, Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth, Sixth, Tenth and Twelfth Wards and that portion of the Eleventh Ward beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Hudson and Myrtle avenues, thence along the centre line of Myrtle avenue to North Portland avenue, thence along the centre line of North Portland avenue to Flushing avenue, thence along the centre line of Flushing avenue to Navy street, thence along the centre line of Navy street to Johnson street, thence along the centre line of Johnson street to Hudson avenue, and thence along the centre line of Hudson avenue to the point of beginning, of the Borough of Brooklyn. Court-house, northwest corner State and Court streets.

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

Court's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Second District—Seventh Ward and that portion of the Twenty-first and Twenty-third Wards west of the centre line of Stuyvesant avenue and the centre line of Schenectady avenue, also that portion of the Twentieth Ward beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of North Portland and Myrtle avenues, thence along the centre line of Myrtle avenue to Waverly avenue, thence along the centre line of Waverly avenue to Park avenue, thence along the centre line of Park avenue to Washington avenue, thence along the centre line of Washington avenue to Flushing avenue, thence along the centre line of Flushing avenue to North Portland avenue, and thence along the centre line of North Portland avenue to the point of beginning.

Court-room, No. 495 Gates avenue.

Gerard B. Van Wart, Justice. Franklin B. Van Wart, Clerk.

Court's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Third District—Embraces the Thirteenth, Fourteenth, Fifteenth, Sixteenth, Seventeenth, Eighteenth and Nineteenth Wards, and that portion of the Twenty-seventh Ward lying northwest of the centre line of Starr street between the boundary line of Queens County and the centre line of Suydam street between the centre lines of Central and Bushwick avenues, and northwest of the centre line of Willoughby avenue, between the centre lines of Bushwick avenue and Broadway. Court-house, Nos. 6 and 8 Lee avenue, Brooklyn.

Philip D. Meagher, Justice. John W. Carpenter, Clerk.

Court's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Court opens at 9 a. m.

Fourth District—Embraces the Twenty-fourth and Twenty-fifth Wards, that portion of the Twenty-first and Twenty-third Wards lying east of the centre line of Stuyvesant avenue and east of the centre line of Schenectady avenue, and that portion of the Twenty-seventh Ward lying southeast of the centre line of Starr street between the boundary line of Queens and the centre line of Central avenue, and southeast of the centre line of Suydam street between the centre lines of Central and Bushwick avenues, and southeast of the centre line of Willoughby avenue between the centre lines of Bushwick avenue and Broadway.

Court-room, No. 14 Howard avenue.

Thomas H. Williams, Justice. G. J. Wiederhold, Clerk. Milton I. Williams, Assistant Clerk.

Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Fifth District—Contains the Eighth, Thirtieth and Thirty-first Wards, and so much of the Twenty-second Ward as lies south of Prospect avenue. Court-house, northwest corner of Fifty-third street and Third avenue.

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

Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Telephone, 407 Bay Ridge.

Sixth District—The Sixth District embraces the Ninth and Twenty-ninth Wards and that portion of the Twenty-second Ward north of the centre line of Prospect avenue; also that portion of the Eleventh and the Twentieth Wards beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Bridge and Fulton streets; thence along the centre line of Fulton street to Flatbush avenue; thence along the centre line of Flatbush avenue to Atlantic avenue; thence along the centre line of Atlantic avenue to Washington avenue; thence along the centre line of Washington avenue to Park avenue; thence along the centre line of Park avenue to Waverly avenue; thence along the centre line of Waverly avenue to Myrtle avenue; thence along the centre line of Myrtle avenue to Hudson avenue; thence along the centre line of Hudson avenue to Johnson street; thence along the centre line of Johnson street to Bridge street, and thence along the centre line of Bridge street to the point of beginning.

Justice, Lucien S. Bayliss. Charles P. Bible, Clerk.

Court-house, No. 585 Fulton street.

Seventh District—The Seventh District embraces the Twenty-sixth, Twenty-eighth and Thirty-second Wards.

Alexander S. Rosenthal, Justice. Samuel F. Brothers, Clerk.

Court-house, corner Pennsylvania avenue and Fulton street (No. 31 Pennsylvania avenue).

Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m. Trial days, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays.

Jury Days: Wednesdays and Thursdays.

Telephone, 904 East New York.

Borough of Queens.

First District—First Ward (all of Long Island City formerly composing five wards). Court-room, St. Mary's Lyceum, Nos. 115 and 117 Fifth street, Long Island City.

Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. each day, except Saturdays, closing at 12 m. Trial days, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. All other business transacted on Tuesdays and Thursdays.

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

Telephone, 2376 Greenpoint.

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

William Rasquin, Jr., Justice. John E. Prendergast, Clerk. William Repper, Assistant Clerk. James B. Snediker, Stenographer.

Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Telephone, 87 Newtown.

Third District—Fourth and Fifth Wards, comprising the territory of the former Towns and Villages of Jamaica, Far Rockaway and Rockaway Beach.

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

Court-house, Town Hall, Jamaica.

Telephone, 189 Jamaica.

Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Court held on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 9 a. m.

Borough of Richmond.

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

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

Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Telephone, 503 Tompkinsville.

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

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

Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Court opens at 9 a. m. Calendar called to 10 a. m.

Court continued until close of business. Trial days, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.

Telephone, 313 Tompkinsville.

CHANGE OF GRADE DAMAGE COMMISSION.

TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS.

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

Dated New York City, November 20, 1906.

WILLIAM E. STILLINGS,

GEORGE C. NORTON,

OSCAR S. BAILEY,

Commissioners.

LAMONT McLOUGHLIN,

Clerk.

OFFICIAL BOROUGH PAPERS.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

"North Side News," "Harlem Reporter and Bronx Chronicle," "Bronx Sentinel."

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

"Staten Islander," "Staten Island Star."

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

"Long Island Star" (First and Second Wards), "Flushing Evening Journal" (Third Ward), "Long Island Farmer" (Fourth Ward), "Rockaway News" (Fifth Ward).

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

"Brooklyn Eagle," "Brooklyn Times," "Brooklyn Citizen," "Brooklyn Standard-Union," "Brooklyn Freie Presse."

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

"Democracy," "Tammany Times" (Harlem District), "Manhattan and Bronx Advocate" (Washington Heights, Morningside Heights and Harlem Districts).

Designated by Board of City Record June 19, 1906.

Amended June 20, 1906.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, April 24, 1907.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORDANCE with section 432 of the Charter of The City of New York, that a communication signed by the Commissioner of Public Works, requesting the repair of sidewalk at No. 532 East Twelfth street, has been filed in this office and is now ready for public inspection, and that a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Corlears Hook District for Local Improvements will be held in the Borough Office, City Hall, on the 7th day of May, 1907, at 11:25 a. m., at which meeting said communication will be submitted to the Board.

JOHN F. AHEARN,

President.

BERNARD DOWNING,

Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, April 24, 1907.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORDANCE with section 432 of the Charter of The City of New York, that a communication signed by the Commissioner of Public Works, requesting the repair of sidewalk at No. 134 East Thirty-second street, has been filed in this office, and is now ready for public inspection, and that a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Kip's Bay District for Local Improvements will be held in the Borough Office, City Hall, on the 7th day of May, 1907, at 11:15 a. m., at which meeting said communication will be submitted to the Board.

JOHN F. AHEARN,

President.

BERNARD DOWNING,

Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, April 24, 1907.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORDANCE with section 432 of the Charter of The City of New York, that a communication signed by the Commissioner of Public Works, requesting the repair of sidewalk at No. 264 West Thirty-seventh street, has been filed in this office, and is now ready for public inspection, and that a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Chelsea District for Local Improvements will be held in the Borough Office, City Hall, on the 7th day of May, 1907, at 11:20 a. m., at which meeting said communication will be submitted to the Board.

JOHN F. AHEARN,

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Hundred and Forty-seventh streets, has been filed in this office, and is now ready for public inspection, and that a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Washington Heights District for Local Improvements will be held in the Borough Office, City Hall, on the 7th day of May, 1907, at 11 a. m., at which meeting said communication will be submitted to the Board.

JOHN F. AHEARN,
President.

BERNARD DOWNING,
Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, April 24, 1907.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORDANCE with section 432 of the Charter of the City of New York, that a communication signed by the Commissioner of Public Works, requesting the repair of sidewalk at No. 203 West One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, has been filed in this office, and is now ready for public inspection, and that a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Washington Heights District for Local Improvements will be held in the Borough Office, City Hall, on the 7th day of May, 1907, at 11 a. m., at which meeting said communication will be submitted to the Board.

JOHN F. AHEARN,
President.

BERNARD DOWNING,
Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, April 24, 1907.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORDANCE with section 432 of the Charter of the City of New York, that a petition signed by property owners and residents of the Kip's Bay District for Local Improvements, requesting the construction of a sewer basin at the northeast corner of Forty-sixth street and First avenue, has been filed in this office, and is now ready for public inspection, and that a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Kip's Bay District for Local Improvements will be held in the Borough Office, City Hall, on the 7th day of May, 1907, at 11 a. m., at which meeting said petition will be submitted to the Board.

JOHN F. AHEARN,
President.

BERNARD DOWNING,
Secretary.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Manhattan, at the City Hall, Room 16, until 3 o'clock p. m. on

WEDNESDAY, MAY 8, 1907.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 1,200 CUBIC YARDS OF WASHED GRAVEL.

The time for the delivery of the articles, material and supplies and the performance of the contract is by the 31st day of December, 1907.

The amount of security required is One Thousand Dollars.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 1,800 CUBIC YARDS OF TRAP ROCK BROKEN STONE AND 1,500 CUBIC YARDS OF TRAP ROCK SCREENINGS.

The time for the delivery of the articles, material and supplies and the performance of the contract is by the 31st day of December, 1907.

The amount of security required is One Thousand Dollars.

No. 3. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 6,000 CUBIC YARDS OF SAND.

The time for the delivery of the articles, material and supplies and the performance of the contract is by the 31st day of December, 1907.

The amount of security required is One Thousand Dollars.

No. 4. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 60,000 GALLONS OF NO. 6 PAVING CEMENT.

The time for the delivery of the articles, material and supplies and the performance of the contract is by the 31st day of December, 1907.

The amount of security required is One Thousand Dollars.

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

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per foot, yard or other unit of measure, or article, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total.

Blank forms may be had and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, Nos. 13 to 21 Park Row, Bureau of Highways, Borough of Manhattan.

Engineer's estimate of amount of work to be done:
60,000 square yards of asphalt pavement, including binder course.

100 cubic yards of Portland cement concrete. The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be one year from date of contract.

The amount of security required will be Fifteen Thousand Dollars.

No. 2. FOR REPAIRING AND MAINTAINING SHEET ASPHALT PAVEMENTS IN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, TOGETHER WITH THE WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO, upon streets included within the following boundaries, and upon which the original guarantees of maintenance have expired or will expire during the term of this contract, viz.:

Northeast District.

Beginning at the East river and Twenty-third street; thence westerly along northerly side of Twenty-third street to the west side of Fifth avenue; thence northerly along the westerly side of Fifth avenue to One Hundred and Tenth street; thence westerly along the northerly side of One Hundred and Tenth street to Manhattan avenue; thence northerly along the westerly side of Manhattan avenue and Columbus avenue to One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street; thence easterly along the northerly side of One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street to St. Nicholas avenue; thence northerly along the westerly side of St. Nicholas avenue and St. Nicholas place to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street; thence easterly along the northerly side of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street to Eighth avenue; thence northerly along the westerly side of Eighth avenue to the Harlem river, and thence southerly along the Harlem river and East river to the point of beginning; said streets are specifically named in the contract.

Engineer's estimate of amount of work to be done:

60,000 square yards of asphalt pavement, including binder course.

100 cubic yards of Portland cement concrete.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be one year from date of contract.

The amount of security required will be Fifteen Thousand Dollars.

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Lower District.

Northerly by the north line of Twenty-third street; easterly and southerly by the East river, and westerly by the North river, and specifically named in the contract.

55,000 square yards of asphalt pavement, including binder course.

100 cubic yards of Portland cement concrete.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be one year from date of contract.

The amount of security required will be Twelve Thousand Five Hundred Dollars.

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

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per foot, yard, or other unit of measure, or article, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total.

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JOHN F. AHEARN,
Borough President.

The City of New York, April 19, 1907.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Manhattan, at the City Hall, Room 16, until 3 o'clock p. m. on

THURSDAY, APRIL 25, 1907.

FOR TILING SIDEWALLS OF PLUNGE IN PUBLIC BATH AT NOS. 232 AND 234 WEST SIXTIETH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract will be fifteen (15) days.

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

The bidder shall state one aggregate price for the whole work described and specified, as the contract is entire and for a complete job.

Blank forms and specifications can be obtained at the office of the Architects, Messrs. Werner & Windolph, No. 27 West Thirty-third street.

JOHN F. AHEARN,

Borough President.

The City of New York, April 13, 1907.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, April 24, 1907.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORDANCE with section 432 of the Charter of the City of New York, that a petition signed by property owners and residents of the Kip's Bay District for Local Improvements, requesting the construction of a sewer basin at the northeast corner of Forty-sixth street and First avenue, has been filed in this office, and is now ready for public inspection, and that a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Kip's Bay District for Local Improvements will be held in the Borough Office, City Hall, on the 7th day of May, 1907, at 11 a. m., at which meeting said petition will be submitted to the Board.

JOHN F. AHEARN,
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BERNARD DOWNING,
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 ANTONIO ZUCCA,
 PAUL WEIMANN,
 JAMES H. KENNEDY,
 Board of Assessors.
 WILLIAM H. JASPER,
 Secretary,
 No. 320 Broadway.
 City of New York, Borough of Manhattan,
 April 22, 1907.
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PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO the owner or owners of all houses and lots, improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, that the following proposed assessments have been completed and are lodged in the office of the Board of Assessors for examination by all persons interested, viz.:

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

List 9154, No. 1. Paving with asphalt block pavement, curbing and recubing West One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, between Hamilton place and Amsterdam avenue.

List 9155, No. 2. Paving with asphalt block pavement, curbing and recubing West One Hundred and Fifty-third street, between Eighth and Bradhurst avenues.

List 9157, No. 3. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging West Two Hundred and Eleventh street, from Broadway to Tenth avenue, and constructing thereon necessary masonry wall with guard rail, and placing thereon the necessary bridge-stone.

List 9163, No. 4. Flagging and reflagging west side of St. Nicholas avenue, from Amsterdam avenue to One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, and east side of St. Nicholas avenue, from Amsterdam avenue to One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street.

List 9171, No. 5. Regulating and grading, curbing and flagging West One Hundred and Forty-third street, between Edgecombe avenue and St. Nicholas avenue.

List 9172, No. 6. Sewer in Convent avenue, west side, between One Hundred and Fifty-first and One Hundred and Fifty-second streets.

List 9173, No. 7. Repairing sidewalk on the northeast corner of Cortlandt and Greenwich streets.

List 9174, No. 8. Repairing sidewalk at No. 842 First avenue.

List 9175, No. 9. Flagging and curbing sidewalk in front of No. 336 East Forty-third street.

List 9176, No. 10. Repairing sidewalk at Nos. 342 and 344 East Forty-seventh street.

List 9177, No. 11. Repairing sidewalk at No. 340 East Forty-seventh street.

List 9178, No. 12. Repairing sidewalk at Nos. 418 to 426 Lafayette street.

List 9179, No. 13. Repairing sidewalk at No. 636 Lexington avenue.

List 9180, No. 14. Repairing sidewalk at the northeast corner of Lexington avenue and Thirtieth street.

List 9181, No. 15. Repairing sidewalks at the southwest corner of West Broadway and Washington Square South.

List 9182, No. 16. Paving with belgian blocks, regulating, regrading, curbing, recubing, flagging and reflagging East Seventieth street, from the west line of Exterior street to a point 150 feet westerly, and placing necessary bridgestone thereon.

List 9183, No. 17. Paving with belgian blocks, regulating, regrade, curb, recub, flag and reflag East Seventy-fourth street, from the west line of Exterior street to a point 87.30 feet westerly, and placing the necessary bridgestone thereon.

List 9205, No. 18. Repairing sidewalk at No. 344 East Forty-third street.

List 9206, No. 19. Repairing sidewalk at No. 552 Greenwich street.

List 9207, No. 20. Repairing sidewalk at Nos. 555 to 559 Hudson street.

List 9208, No. 21. Receiving basin at the northwest corner of One Hundred and Thirty-third street and Lenox avenue.

List 9209, No. 22. Receiving basin at the northwest corner of One Hundred and Forty-third street and Fifth avenue.

List 9210, No. 23. Receiving basin at the northwest corner of One Hundred and Forty-fourth street and Convent avenue.

List 9211, No. 24. Curbing, recubing, flagging and laying crosswalks in West One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, between Riverside Drive and Broadway.

List 9226, No. 25. Paving with granite blocks on concrete foundation, curbing, recubing and laying crosswalks in West One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, from Broadway to a point about 271.44 feet westerly.

List 9227, No. 26. Regulating, grading, curbing, recubing, flagging and reflagging West One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, between St. Nicholas avenue and Broadway.

List 9156, No. 27. Paving with asphalt blocks on a concrete foundation One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street, between Eighth avenue and Fifty-fourth 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 One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, from Amsterdam avenue to Hamilton place, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues.

No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-third street, from Bradhurst to Eighth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 3. Both sides of Two Hundred and Eleventh street, from Broadway to Tenth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues.

No. 4. East side of St. Nicholas avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-fourth and One Hundred and Sixty-ninth streets; west side of St. Nicholas avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-fourth and One Hundred and Sixty-eighth streets.

No. 5. Both sides of One Hundred and Forty-third street, from St. Nicholas avenue to Edgecombe avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 6. Northwest corner of One Hundred and Fifty-first street and Convent avenue, Block 2066, Lot No. 19.

No. 7. Northeast corner of Cortlandt and Greenwich streets, Block 61, Lot No. 11.

No. 8. Southeast corner of First avenue and Forty-seventh street.

No. 9. South side of Forty-third street, between First and Second avenues, Block 945, Lot No. 37.

No. 10. South side of Forty-seventh street, between First and Second avenues, Lots Nos. 30 1/2 and 30 1/2 of Block 1339.

No. 11. South side of Forty-seventh street, between First and Second avenues, Lot No. 31 of Block 1339.

No. 12. Lot No. 15 of Block 545, located on the west side of Lafayette street, about 323 feet north of Fourth street.

No. 13. Northwest corner of Lexington avenue and Fifty-fourth street.

No. 14. Northeast corner of Lexington avenue and Thirtieth street.

No. 15. Southwest corner of West Broadway and Fourth street.

No. 16. Both sides of Seventieth street, between Exterior street and Avenue A.
 No. 17. Both sides of Seventy-fourth street, between Exterior street and Avenue A.
 No. 18. Southwest corner of Forty-third street and First avenue.
 No. 19. Southwest corner of Charlton street and Greenwich street.
 No. 20. Lots Nos. 54 and 56 of Block 633, located on the west side of Hudson street, about 53 feet north of Perry street.
 No. 21. North side of One Hundred and Thirty-third street, from Lenox to Seventh avenue.

No. 22. North side of One Hundred and Forty-third street, from Fifth to Lenox avenue.
 No. 23. North side of One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, from Convent to Amsterdam avenue.

No. 24. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, between Riverside drive and Broadway.
 No. 25. Both sides of One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, between Broadway and Riverside drive extension.

No. 26. Both sides of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, from Broadway to St. Nicholas avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 27. Both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street, from Macomb's place to Eighth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named proposed assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections, in writing, to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors, No. 320 Broadway, New York, on or before May 21, 1907, at 11 a. m., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

ANTONIO ZUCCA,
 PAUL WEIMANN,
 JAMES H. KENNEDY,
 Board of Assessors.

WILLIAM H. JASPER,
 Secretary,
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 City of New York, Borough of Manhattan,
 April 18, 1907.

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BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF RICHMOND, BOROUGH HALL, ST. GEORGE, NEW BRIGHTON, NEW YORK CITY.

SALE BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Richmond, at the above office, until 12 o'clock a. m. on

TUESDAY, MAY 7, 1907,
 Borough of Richmond.

No. 1. FOR MATERIALS AND WORK OF THE GENERAL CONSTRUCTION IN REINFORCED CONCRETE OF THE FOUNDATIONS, BUILDING, RUNWAY, CONNECTING FLUE AND CHIMNEY FOR A REFUSE DESTRUCTOATOR AT WEST NEW BRIGHTON, BOROUGH OF RICHMOND, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

Bidders will be required to state in their bids or estimates one price or sum for the whole work herein contemplated under Item No. 1, and for such additional work as may be necessary under Items Nos. 2, 3 and 4, as follows:

Item No. 1. For the erection and completion of the foundations, building, runway, connecting flue and chimney of the West New Brighton refuse destructor, in accordance with the general plans, construction details, form of agreement and specifications, including all materials, supervision, labor, transportation, implements, tools, apparatus, machinery, power scaffolding, moulds, forms, work and necessary appliances of every description.

Item No. 2. For 10 cubic yards of additional concrete, furnished and placed in position, with all work, appliances and materials incidental thereto.

Item No. 3. For 5 tons of additional steel reinforcement, furnished and placed in position, with all work, appliances and materials incidental thereto.

Item No. 4. For 200 linear feet of additional reinforced concrete piling, furnished and placed, with all work, appliances and materials incidental thereto.

The time for the completion of the work, and the full performance of the contract is 120 days.

The amount of security required will be not less than Fifty (50) per cent. of the total amount of the bid or estimate.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the President, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, plans and specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application thereat at the office of the said President, or the plans and drawings may be seen and other information obtained at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works of the Borough of Richmond, Borough Hall, St. George, New Brighton, Borough of Richmond.

A deposit of ten dollars (\$10) as security for the return of the plans and specifications will be required.

Successful experience in the design and construction of reinforced concrete work is necessary.

The City of New York, April 4, 1907.

GEORGE CROMWELL,
 President.
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DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY, ROOM 1536, NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SALE BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity at the above office until 2 o'clock p. m. on

FRIDAY, APRIL 26, 1907,
 Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING PIG LEAD.

The time for delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is ninety (90) calendar days.

The amount of security shall be Four Thousand Dollars (\$4,000).

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 80,100 GROSS TONS OF ANTHRACITE COAL.

The time for delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is until May 1, 1908.

The amount of security will be Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000).

No. 3. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING COAL AND WOOD—
 Section I.—370 GROSS TONS ANTHRACITE COAL.
 Section II.—10 GROSS TONS BITUMINOUS COAL.
 Section III.—70 CORDS VIRGINIA PINE WOOD.
 Section IV.—40 GROSS TONS ANTHRACITE COAL.

Delivery of the supplies and the performance of the contract to be fully completed on or before April 30, 1908.

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

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, by which the bids will be tested.

The bids will be compared and contracts awarded to the lowest bidders in the aggregate on Nos. 1 and 2 and to the lowest bidders in each section on No. 3.

Delivery will be required to be made from time to time and in such quantities and places as may be directed.

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, the Borough of Manhattan, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row, and at Room 25, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn.

JOHN H. O'BRIEN,
 Commissioner.

Dated April 12, 1907.

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DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

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

SALE BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Buildings at the above office of the Department of Education until 11 o'clock a. m. on

MONDAY, MAY 6, 1907,
 Borough of Brooklyn.

Delivery will be required to be made from time to time and in such quantities and places as may be directed.

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, the Borough of Manhattan, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row, and at Room 25, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn.

JOHN H. O'BRIEN,
 Commissioner.

Dated April 12, 1907.

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MONDAY, MAY 6, 1907,
 Borough of Brooklyn.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 60 working days, as provided in the contract.

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

No. 2. FOR GYMNASIUM APPARATUS, ETC., FOR PUBLIC SCHOOLS 42, 66, 92, 109, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work on each school will be 60 working days, as provided in the contract.

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The amount of security required is as follows:

Item 1.....	\$1,000 00
Item 2.....	800 00
Item 3.....	600 00
Item 4.....	2,600 00
Item 5.....	1,100 00

A separate proposal must be submitted for each item and award will be made thereon.

No. 3. FOR FURNITURE FOR ADDITION TO PUBLIC SCHOOL 91, ON ALBANY AVENUE, BETWEEN EAST NEW YORK AVENUE AND MAPLE STREET, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 60 working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows:

Item 1.....	\$600 00
Item 2.....	400 00
Item 3.....	300 00
Item 4.....	1,000 00

A separate proposal must be submitted for each item and award will be made thereon.

On Contract No. 1 the bids will be compared and the contract awarded to the lowest bidder in a lump sum.

On Contracts Nos. 2 and 3 the bidders must state the price of each or any article or item contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed by which the bids will be tested.

Extensions must be made and footed up as the bids will be read from the total of each item and award made to the lowest bidder on each item.

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

Blank forms, plans and specifications may be obtained or seen at the office of the Superintendent at Estimating Room, ninth floor, Hall of the Board of Education, Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan.

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

Dated April 17, 1907.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Buildings at the above office of the Department of Education until 11 o'clock a. m. on

MONDAY, APRIL 29, 1907,
Borough of The Bronx.

No. 4. FOR THE GENERAL CONSTRUCTION, ETC., OF ADDITIONS TO AND ALTERATIONS IN PUBLIC SCHOOL 3, ON SOUTH SIDE OF ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-SEVENTH STREET, ABOUT 233 FEET EAST OF COURTLANDT AVENUE, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 200 working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is Seventy-five Thousand Dollars.

No. 5. FOR INSTALLING ELECTRIC EQUIPMENT IN NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 43, ON WESTERLY SIDE OF BROWN PLACE, BETWEEN ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FIFTH AND ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SIXTH STREETS, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 60 working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is Six Thousand Dollars.

Borough of Manhattan.

No. 6. FOR ALTERATIONS TO AND EQUIPMENT OF BLUE PRINTING ROOM ON NINTH FLOOR OF THE HALL OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION, PARK AVENUE AND FIFTY-NINTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 30 working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is Eight Hundred Dollars.

No. 7. FOR ALTERATIONS, REPAIRS, ETC., FOR PUBLIC SCHOOLS 1, 8, 16, 23, 106, 113, 124, 125, 130 AND NO. 146 GRAND STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work on each school will be 55 working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows:

Public School 1.....	\$800 00
Public School 8.....	300 00
Public School 16.....	500 00
Public School 23.....	400 00
Public School 106.....	400 00
Public School 113.....	500 00
Public School 124.....	400 00
Public School 125.....	400 00
Public School 130.....	500 00
No. 146 Grand street.	400 00

A separate proposal must be submitted for each school and award will be made thereon.

No. 8. FOR FURNITURE FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL 81, ON ONE HUNDRED AND NINETEENTH AND ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTIETH STREETS, 175 FEET WEST OF SEVENTH AVENUE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 60 working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows:

Item 1.....	\$2,600 00
Item 2.....	1,200 00
Item 3.....	1,200 00
Item 4.....	2,200 00
Item 5.....	2,400 00
Item 6.....	2,200 00
Item 7.....	3,500 00

A separate proposal must be submitted for each item and award will be made thereon.

No. 9. FOR FURNITURE FOR STUYVESANT HIGH SCHOOL, ON FIFTEENTH AND SIXTEENTH STREETS, ABOUT 80 FEET WEST OF FIRST AVENUE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 60 working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows:

Item 1.....	\$5,000 00
Item 2.....	10,000 00
Item 3.....	10,000 00
Item 4.....	12,000 00
Item 5.....	3,000 00
Item 6.....	4,000 00
Item 7.....	3,000 00
Item 8.....	7,000 00
Item 9.....	3,000 00
Item 10.....	5,000 00

A separate proposal must be submitted for each item and award will be made thereon.

Borough of Queens.

No. 10. FOR ALTERATIONS, REPAIRS, ETC., TO PUBLIC SCHOOLS 35, 36, 47, 52, 57, 59, 60, 62 AND 66, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed to complete the whole work on each school will be until August 24, 1907, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows:

Public School 35.....	\$500 00
Public School 36.....	500 00
Public School 47.....	500 00
Public School 52.....	400 00
Public School 57.....	1,300 00
Public School 59.....	900 00
Public School 60.....	400 00
Public School 62.....	900 00
Public School 66.....	400 00

A separate proposal must be submitted for each item and award will be made thereon.

No. 11. FOR FURNITURE FOR ADDITION TO PUBLIC SCHOOL 91, ON ALBANY AVENUE, BETWEEN EAST NEW YORK AVENUE AND MAPLE STREET, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 60 working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows:

Item 1.....	\$600 00
Item 2.....	400 00
Item 3.....	300 00
Item 4.....	1,000 00

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On Contract No. 1 the bids will be compared and the contract awarded to the lowest bidder in a lump sum.

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On Contracts Nos. 7, 8, 9 and 10 to the bidders must state the price of each or any article or item contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed by which the bids will be tested.

Extensions must be made and footed up as the bids will be read from the total of each item and award made to the lowest bidder on each item.

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

Blank forms, plans and specifications may be obtained or seen at the office of the Superintendent at Estimating Room, ninth floor, Hall of the Board of Education, Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan, and also at branch office, No. 69 Broadway, Flushing, Borough of Queens, for work for their respective boroughs.

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

Dated April 18, 1907.

The amount of security required is Six Hundred Dollars.

No. 6. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER BASINS IN HINSDALE STREET, NORTHEAST AND SOUTHEAST CORNERS OF BLAKE AVENUE; HINSDALE STREET, NORTHWEST CORNER OF DUMONT AVENUE, ETC., ETC.

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

7 sewer basins.

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

The amount of security required is Seven Hundred Dollars.

No. 7. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER BASINS ON MILFORD STREET, AT THE NORTHEAST AND NORTHWEST CORNERS OF BELMONT AVENUE, AND AT ALL FOUR CORNERS OF SUTTER AVENUE.

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

6 sewer basins.

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

The amount of security required is Six Hundred Dollars.

No. 8. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER IN NEWKIRK AVENUE, FROM EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET TO ROGERS AVENUE.

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

2 sewer basins.

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

The amount of security required is Six Hundred Dollars.

No. 9. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER BASINS AT ALL FOUR CORNERS OF WHITE AND SIEGEL STREETS.

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

3 sewer basins.

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

The amount of security required is Three Hundred Dollars.

No. 10. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER BASINS ON FORTY-FOURTH STREET, AT THE EAST AND SOUTH CORNERS OF FIRST AVENUE.

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

2 sewer basins.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of

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

No. 10. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON FOURTH STREET, FROM EIGHTH AVENUE TO PROSPECT PARK WEST.

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

1,420 linear feet of new curbstone to be set in concrete.
10 linear feet of old curbstone to be reset.
825 cubic yards of earth excavation.
85 cubic yards of earth filling, not to be bid for.
70 cubic yards of concrete, not to be bid for.

7,350 square feet of cement sidewalk.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is twenty-five (25) working days.

The amount of security required is One Thousand Dollars.

No. 11. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF FOURTH STREET, FROM EIGHTH AVENUE TO PROSPECT PARK WEST.

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

2,370 square yards of asphalt pavement.
330 cubic yards of concrete.

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

The amount of security required is One Thousand Seven Hundred Dollars.

No. 12. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF FIFTY-THIRD STREET, FROM SIXTH AVENUE TO SEVENTH AVENUE.

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

2,400 square yards of asphalt pavement.
335 cubic yards of concrete.

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

The amount of security required is One Thousand Eight Hundred Dollars.

No. 13. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON HART STREET, FROM WYCKOFF AVENUE TO ST. NICHOLAS AVENUE.

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

885 linear feet of new curbstone to be set in concrete.
85 linear feet of old curbstone to be reset.
340 cubic yards of earth excavation.
60 cubic yards of earth filling, not to be bid for.
50 cubic yards of concrete, not to be bid for.

3,230 square feet of cement sidewalk.

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

The amount of security required is Six Hundred Dollars.

No. 14. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF HART STREET, FROM WYCKOFF AVENUE TO ST. NICHOLAS AVENUE.

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

1,510 square yards of asphalt pavement.
210 cubic yards of concrete.

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

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

No. 15. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF HOWARD AVENUE, FROM EASTERN PARKWAY EXTENSION TO PITKIN AVENUE.

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

1,330 square yards of asphalt pavement.
186 cubic yards of concrete.

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

The amount of security required is One Thousand Dollars.

No. 16. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, GUTTERING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON NINETY-THIRD STREET, FROM THE SHORE ROAD TO THIRD AVENUE.

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

840 square yards of brick gutters on a concrete foundation.
3,730 linear feet of new curbstone, to be set in concrete.

50 linear feet of old curbstone, to be reset.

8,450 cubic yards of earth excavation.

278 cubic yards of concrete, not to be bid for.

18,240 square feet of cement sidewalk.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is fifty (50) working days.

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

No. 17. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON SEVENTH AVENUE, FROM FORTY-THIRD STREET TO FORTY-NINTH STREET.

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

3,020 linear feet of new curbstone, to be set in concrete.

70 linear feet of old curbstone, to be reset.

2,775 cubic yards of earth excavation.

310 cubic yards of earth filling, not to be bid for.

150 cubic yards of concrete, not to be bid for.

13,700 square feet of cement sidewalk.

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

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

No. 18. FOR REGULATING, GRADING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF SILLIMAN PLACE, FROM SECOND AVENUE TO THIRD AVENUE.

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

2,450 square yards of asphalt pavement.

419 cubic yards of concrete.

1,466 linear feet of new curbstone.

64 linear feet of old curbstone, to be reset.

390 cubic yards of earth excavation.

780 cubic yards of earth filling, to be furnished.

7,320 square feet of cement sidewalk.

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

The amount of security required is Three Thousand Dollars.

No. 19. FOR REGULATING, RELAYING BRICK GUTTERS AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF STERLING PLACE, FROM TROY AVENUE TO SCHENECTADY AVENUE.

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

2,410 square yards of asphalt pavement.

370 cubic yards of concrete.

325 square yards of brick gutters, to be re-laid.

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

The amount of security required is Three Thousand Dollars.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Bureau of Highways, the Borough of Brooklyn, No. 14 Municipal Building, Brooklyn.

BIRD S. COLER,
President.

Dated April 18, 1907.

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

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AT THE ABOVE OFFICE UNTIL 11 O'CLOCK A. M.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 1, 1907,

FOR FURNISHING ALL LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED TO INSTALL AND CONNECT A NEW MAGNET CONTROLLER IN PASSENGER ELEVATOR, BOROUGH HALL.

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

The amount of security required is Eight Hundred Dollars (\$800).

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per barrel or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, Room 29, Municipal Building, the Borough of Brooklyn.

BIRD S. COLER,
President.

Dated April 18, 1907.

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

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE COMMISSIONER OF DOCKS AT THE ABOVE OFFICE UNTIL 11 O'CLOCK A. M.

MONDAY, MAY 6, 1907,

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

CONTRACT NO. 1061.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING STATIONERY AND MISCELLANEOUS OFFICE SUPPLIES.

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

The amount of security required is:

Class 1—Secretary's office supplies and stationery \$1,200 00

Class 2—Engineer-in-Chief's office supplies and stationery 1,400 00

Class 3—Drafting supplies and stationery 1,100 00

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per pound, gross, dozen, box or other unit of measure. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total for each item (class) and awards made to the lowest bidder on each item (class).

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

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

J. A. BENSEL,
Commissioner of Docks.

Dated April 22, 1907.

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

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE COMMISSIONER OF DOCKS AT THE ABOVE OFFICE UNTIL 12 O'CLOCK M. ON

FRIDAY, MAY 3, 1907,

CONTRACT NO. 1063.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR REPAIRING THE MUNICIPAL FERRYBOATS OR OTHER FLOATING PROPERTY OF THE DEPARTMENT, AND FURNISHING AND DELIVERING MISCELLANEOUS SUPPLIES THEREFOR.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of 365 calendar days.

The amount of security required is Fifty Thousand Dollars.

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

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

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

J. A. BENSEL,
Commissioner of Docks.

Dated April 19, 1907.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE COMMISSIONER OF DOCKS AT THE ABOVE OFFICE UNTIL 12 O'CLOCK M. ON

MONDAY, APRIL 29, 1907,

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

CONTRACT NO. 1068.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ABOUT 10,000 TONS OF ANTHRACITE COAL.

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

The amount of security required is Fourteen Thousand Dollars.

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

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

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

J. A. BENSEL,
Commissioner of Docks.

Dated April 15, 1907.

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DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES, PIER "A," FOOT OF BATTERY PLACE, NORTH RIVER, NEW YORK, MARCH 31, 1904.

THE COMMISSIONER HAS FIXED THE AMOUNTS OF BONDS REQUIRED ON CONTRACTS AWARDED BY THIS DEPARTMENT, AS FOLLOWS:

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

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

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

THURSDAY, MAY 2, 1907,

Borough of Brooklyn.

FOR FURNISHING AND SETTING UP COMPLETE ONE FLAGPOLE ON SHORE ROAD, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

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

The amount of security required is Five Hundred Dollars (\$500).

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

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Department of Parks, Litchfield Mansion, Prospect Park, Brooklyn.

MOSES HERRMAN,

President;
JOSEPH I. BERRY,
MICHAEL J. KENNEDY,
Commissioners of Parks.

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

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

THURSDAY, APRIL 25, 1907,

Borough of Manhattan.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING TEN HORSES.

The time for delivery will be twenty days. The amount of security required is Fifteen Hundred Dollars.

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

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

MOSES HERRMAN,
President;
JOSEPH I. BERRY,
MICHAEL J. KENNEDY,
Commissioners of Parks.

Dated April 12, 1907.

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

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

THURSDAY, APRIL 25, 1907,

Borough of Brooklyn.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FOUR SAFES.

The time allowed for the delivery of these articles is within fifteen (15) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required is Eight Hundred Dollars (\$800).

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

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Department of Parks, Litchfield Mansion, Prospect Park, Brooklyn.

MOSES HERRMAN,
President;
JOSEPH I. BERRY,
MICHAEL J. KENNEDY,
Commissioners of Parks.

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

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

THURSDAY, APRIL 25, 1907,

Borough of The Bronx.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING EIGHT HUNDRED (800) CUBIC YARDS BROKEN STONE OF TRAP ROCK, AND ONE THOUSAND (1,000) CUBIC YARDS SCREENINGS OF TRAP ROCK (BOTANICAL GARDEN), FOR PARKS, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

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

The amount of security required is Fifteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,500).

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

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

MOSES HERRMAN,
President;
JOSEPH I. BERRY,
MICHAEL J. KENNEDY,
Commissioners of Parks.

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

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

THURSDAY, APRIL 25, 1907,

Borough of The Bronx.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING GRASS SEED, FLOWER SEED AND PLANTS (No. 1, 1907), FOR PARKS, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is ten (10) days.

The amount of security required is Five Hundred Dollars (\$500).

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

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

MOSES HERRMAN,
President;
JOSEPH I. BERRY,
MICHAEL J. KENNEDY,
Commissioners of Parks.

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FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Fire Commissioner at the above office until 10:30 o'clock a. m. on

WEDNESDAY, MAY 1, 1907,
Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx and Richmond.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING PLUMBING MATERIALS FOR THE SUPERINTENDENT OF BUILDINGS.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before January 1, 1908.

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

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING VARIOUS SUPPLIES FOR THE SUPERINTENDENT OF BUILDINGS.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before January 1, 1908.

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

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

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

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

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Fire Commissioner.

Dated April 19, 1907.

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POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Police Commissioner of the Police Department of the City of New York at the Bookkeeper's office, Central Department, until 10 o'clock a. m. on

MONDAY, MAY 6, 1907.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING BLANK BOOKS, PRINTING, LITHOGRAPHY AND ENGRAVING.

The time of delivery shall not be later than June 30, 1907, except under the following conditions:

First—Delivery must be made not more than 30 days after the receipt of copy, if required by the Police Commissioner.

Second—Where revised copy is required by the character of the sample, all work shall be completed within 30 days after such revised copy is received from the Department by the Police Commissioner.

The amount of security shall be twenty-five per cent. of the amount of the bid.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per pound, ton, dozen, gallon, yard or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total for each item, and the Police Commissioner will award the contract for each item.

Delivery will be required to be made at Central Office, No. 300 Mulberry street, Borough of Manhattan (unless otherwise stated in specifications), from time to time and in such quantities as may be directed by the Police Commissioner.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the Police 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 Police Commissioner, and any further information can be obtained at the office of the Inspector of Repairs and Supplies, No. 300 Mulberry street, Borough of Manhattan.

THEODORE A. BINGHAM,
Police Commissioner.

The City of New York, April 22, 1907.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Police Commissioner of the Police Department of the City of New York at the Bookkeeper's office, Central Department, until 10 o'clock a. m. on

THURSDAY, APRIL 25, 1907,

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND FURNISHING AND ERICING ALL THE MATERIALS NECESSARY IN MAKING AND COMPLETING ALTERATIONS AND GENERAL REPAIRS TO PREMISES NO. 120 WEST TWENTIETH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed for making and completing the repairs and alterations will be thirty days.

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

The bids will be compared and the award made to the lowest bidder.

The bidder will state the price for which he will do all the work and provide, furnish and deliver all the labor and materials mentioned and described in said contract and specifications.

For particulars as to the nature and extent of the work required or of the materials to be furnished bidders are referred to the specifications and to the plans on file in the office of the Inspector of Repairs and Supplies of the Police Department, No. 300 Mulberry street, City of New York.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the Central Office of the Police Department, No. 300 Mulberry street, Borough of Manhattan.

THEODORE A. BINGHAM,
Police Commissioner.

Dated April 11, 1907.

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POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY CLERK of the Police Department of The City of New York, No. 300 Mulberry street, Room No. 9, for the following property, now in his custody, without claimants: Boats, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, wine, blankets, diamonds, canned goods, liquors, etc.; also small amount of money taken from prisoners and found by Patrolmen of this Department.

THEODORE A. BINGHAM,
Police Commissioner.

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

OWNERS WANTED BY THE DEPUTY PROPERTY CLERK of the Police Department of The City of New York—Office, No. 200 State street, Borough of Brooklyn—for the following property, now in his custody, without claimants: Boats, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, wine, blankets, diamonds, canned goods, liquors, etc.; also small amount of money taken from prisoners and found by Patrolmen of this Department.

THEODORE A. BINGHAM,
Police Commissioner.

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MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, NO. 299 BROADWAY, NEW YORK, April 2, 1907.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that applications will be received from Monday, April 2, until 4 p. m., Monday, May 6, 1907, for the position of STATIONARY ENGINEER (ELECTRIC PUMPING STATIONS).

The examination will be held on Monday, May 27, 1907, at 10 a. m.

The subjects and weights of the examination are as follows:

Technical 5
Experience 4
Mathematics 2
Neatness 1

The percentage required is 75 on the technical paper and 70 on all.

Candidates will be required to take charge of and operate the new high-pressure Fire Service Pumping Stations, using electric machinery and centrifugal pumps.

They must be familiar with the use and operation of high and low tension electric machinery and have had at least four years' experience as an apprentice or practical machinist, and at least three years' experience in handling high tension electric machinery.

The salary is \$1,500 per annum. There will be six vacancies in Manhattan and six in Brooklyn.

The minimum age is 23 years.

FRANK A. SPENCER,
Secretary.

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MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, NO. 299 BROADWAY, CITY OF NEW YORK.

PUBLIC NOTICE WILL BE GIVEN OF all competitive examinations two weeks in advance of the date upon which the receipt of applications for any scheduled examination will close. Applications will be received for only such examinations as are scheduled.

When an examination is advertised, a person desiring to compete in the same may obtain an application blank upon request made in writing

labor and machinery necessary thereto, and will place proper and sufficient guards and fences and warning signs by day and night for the prevention of accidents, and will indemnify and save harmless The City of New York, its officers, agents and servants, and each of them, against any and all suits and actions, claims and demands of every name and description brought against it, them or any of them, and against and from all damages and costs to which it, they or any of them be put by reason of injury to the person or property of another, resulting from negligence or carelessness in the performance of the work or in guarding the same, or from any improper or defective materials or machinery, implements or appliances used in the removal of the said buildings by the said successful bidder.

Party walls and fences when existing against adjacent property not sold shall not be taken down, but all furrings, plaster, chimneys, projecting brick, etc., on the faces of such party walls, shall be taken down and removed. The walls shall be made permanently self-supporting without the aid of braces, the beamholes, etc., bricked up and the wall pointed and made to exclude wind and rain and present a clear exterior. The roofs of the adjacent buildings shall be properly flashed and painted and made water tight where they have been disturbed by the operation of the contractor.

The Comptroller of The City of New York reserves the right on the day of the sale to withdraw from sale any of the buildings or parts of buildings and machinery included in the foregoing parcel.

H. A. METZ,
Comptroller.
City of New York—Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, April 12, 1907.

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Comptroller.

City of New York—Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, April 12, 1907.

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NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

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

EIGHTH WARD, SECTION 3, AND THIRTEETH WARD, SECTION 17.

THIRTY-NINTH STREET — SEWER, between Seventh avenue and New Utrecht avenue, to connect with sewer in New Utrecht avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Thirty-ninth street, from Seventh avenue to Ninth avenue; east side of Seventh avenue, and both sides of Eighth and Ninth avenues, from Thirty-eighth to Fortieth street.

TWENTY-NINTH WARD, SECTIONS 15 AND 16.

CLARENDRON ROAD — REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDE-WALKS, from Flatbush avenue to East Thirty-seventh street. Area of assessment: Both sides of Clarendon road, from Flatbush avenue to East Thirty-second street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets and avenues.

— that the same were confirmed by the Board of Revision of Assessments April 11, 1907, and entered April 11, 1907, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter.

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

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

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. until 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before June 10, 1907, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when such assessments became liens to the date of payment.

H. A. METZ,
Comptroller.

City of New York—Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, April 11, 1907.

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

TWENTY-THIRD WARD, SECTION 9.

EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FOURTH STREET — REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING, LAYING CROSSWALKS, BUILDING APPROACHES AND PLACING FENCES, from Morris avenue to East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street, from Morris avenue to One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets and avenues.

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 11.

EMMERICH PLACE — REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING, LAYING CROSSWALKS, BUILDING APPROACHES AND PLACING FENCES, from Heath avenue to Kingsbridge road. Area of assessment: Both sides of Emmerich place, from Heath avenue to Kingsbridge road, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

— that the same were confirmed by the Board of Revision of Assessments April 11, 1907, and entered April 11, 1907, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter.

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

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

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, corner of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue, Borough of The Bronx, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before June 10, 1907, will be exempt

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

H. A. METZ,
Comptroller.
City of New York—Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, April 11, 1907.

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CORPORATION SALE OF TAX CERTIFICATE.

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

MONDAY, MAY 20, 1907,

at 12 o'clock 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 a certain tax sale certificate, registered in the office of the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, Borough of Brooklyn, in Liber 83 of Sales, by the certificate number 1149. The minimum or upset price at which said certificate is to be sold is hereby appraised and fixed at \$200, and the Comptroller is hereby authorized to take the necessary steps for making such sale upon the following

TERMS AND CONDITIONS.

The highest bidder will be required to pay the full amount due on said certificate as purchase money at the time of the sale, which sum shall not be less than Two Hundred Dollars (\$200), and in addition thereto the purchaser shall pay the sum of \$15 for the auctioneer's fees on such sale.

Upon the payment of the amount bid at such sale, together with the auctioneer's fees, the Comptroller is hereby authorized to execute and deliver an assignment of the said certificate to the purchaser, which shall be taken by the purchaser without recourse.

The Comptroller may at his option resell the certificate if the successful bidder shall fail to comply with the terms of the sale, and the person failing to comply therewith will be held liable for the cost and expense of any such resell.

The right to reject any bid is reserved. By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, under resolution adopted at a meeting of the Board held April 3, 1907.

H. A. METZ, Comptroller.
City of New York—Department of Finance,
Comptroller's office, April 11, 1907.

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CORPORATION SALE OF TAX CERTIFICATE.

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

MONDAY, MAY 20, 1907,

at 12 o'clock 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 a certain tax sale certificate of property located in the former Fourth Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn, known as Lot No. 27 in Block 37 (now Lot No. 33 in Block 1141), said certificate being registered in the office of the Collector of Assessments and Arrears in Liber 83 of Tax Sales by the Certificate No. 1279; the minimum or upset price at which said certificate is to be sold is hereby appraised and fixed at one thousand dollars (\$1,000), and the Comptroller is hereby authorized to take the necessary steps for making such sale upon the following

TERMS AND CONDITIONS.

The highest bidder will be required to pay the full amount of said certificate as purchase money at the time of the sale, which sum shall not be less than one thousand dollars (\$1,000), together with the further sum of twelve dollars and fifty cents (\$12.50) for the necessary assignment of said certificate, and in addition thereto to pay the sum of \$15 for auctioneer's fees.

The assignment of the certificate of sale for taxes duly executed by the proper officer will be delivered to the purchaser at the time of sale, and shall be taken by the purchaser without recourse.

The Comptroller may, at his option, resell the certificate if the successful bidder shall fail to comply with the terms of the sale, and the person failing to comply therewith will be held liable for the cost and expense of any such resell.

The right to reject any bid is reserved. By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, under resolution adopted at a meeting of the Board held April 3, 1907.

H. A. METZ, Comptroller.
City of New York—Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, April 11, 1907.

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PUBLIC NOTICE.

CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE.

To Whom it May Concern:

WHEREAS, THERE ARE CERTAIN UNREDEEMED SALES OF DECEMBER 20, 1894, TO THE FORMER TOWN OF NEW Utrecht, COUNTY OF KINGS, FOR THE ASSESSMENT FOR THE

"OPENING AND GRADING OF SIXTY-FIFTH STREET"

affecting property in the Thirtieth Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn, public notice is hereby given that upon proper verified application being filed with the Comptroller of The City of New York, on or before

FRIDAY, MAY 10, 1907,

by the owners of the property affected by said sales, the principal amounts of the present liens without interest will be accepted in full settlement and adjustment of the City's claims therefor.

On and after May 10, 1907, no adjustments of these sales will be made under any circumstances for any sum less than the full amount of principal and interest due.

HERMAN A. METZ,
Comptroller of The City of New York.
Dated New York, N. Y., April 1, 1907.

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INTEREST ON CITY BONDS AND STOCK.

THE INTEREST DUE ON MAY 1, 1907, ON THE REGISTERED BONDS AND STOCKS 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 37).

The Transfer Books thereof will be closed from April 15 to May 1, 1907.

The interest due on May 1, 1907, on the Coupon Bonds and Stock of the present and former City of New York will be paid on that day by the Knickerbocker Trust Company, No. 66 Broadway.

The interest due on May 1, 1907, on coupon bonds of other corporations now included in the City of New York will be paid on that day at the office of the Comptroller.

HERMAN A. METZ,
Comptroller.

City of New York—Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, March 25, 1907.

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DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, CITY OF NEW YORK, DECEMBER 14, 1906.

UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE AND UNLESS otherwise directed in any special case surety companies will be accepted as sufficient upon the following contracts to the amounts named:

Supplies of Any Description, including Gas and Electricity—

One company on a bond up to \$50,000.

Two companies on a bond up to \$125,000.

Three companies on a bond up to \$200,000.

Asphalt, Asphalt Block and Wood Block Pavements—

Two companies on a bond up to \$50,000.

Three companies on a bond up to \$125,000.

Regulating, Grading, Paving, Sewers, Water Mains, Dredging, Construction of Parks, Parkway, Etc.—

One company on a bond up to \$25,000.

Two companies on a bond up to \$75,000.

Three companies on a bond up to \$150,000.

Four companies on a bond up to \$250,000.

New Docks, Buildings, Bridges, Aqueducts, Tunnels, Etc.—

One company on a bond up to \$25,000.

Two companies on a bond up to \$75,000.

Three companies on a bond up to \$150,000.

Four companies on a bond up to \$250,000.

On bonds regarded as hazardous risks additional surety will be required as the Comptroller sees fit in each instance.

All bonds exceeding \$250,000 will by that fact alone be considered hazardous risks, no matter what the nature of the work.

H. A. METZ,
Comptroller.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES, NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE COMMISSIONER OF BRIDGES AT THE OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES, ROOM 1203, PARK ROW BUILDING, AT 2 O'CLOCK P. M. ON

MONDAY, MAY 6, 1907,

FOR REPAIRS TO ASPHALT PAVEMENTS ON BRIDGES OVER THE HARLEM RIVER AND IN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, DURING THE YEAR 1907.

The repairs will be made from time to time, as may be required during the balance of the year.

The amount of security required is Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000).

Bidders will state a price per square yard for repairs at each bridge.

The contract will be awarded to the lowest bidder.

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

J. W. STEVENSON,
Commissioner of Bridges.

and under the Flatbush avenue extension, in the Borough of Brooklyn, with the necessary spurs for connections and future extensions, both in Manhattan and Brooklyn, and known as "Manhattan Bridge Route, Revised," and requesting the consent of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment thereto.

Whereupon the following resolutions were adopted:

Resolved. That the communication be received and in pursuance of law this Board hereby appoints Friday, the 26th day of April, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon as the time, and Room 16 in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, as the place, when and where such plans and conclusions will be considered; and be it further

Resolved, That the Secretary be directed to cause notice of such consideration to be published in the CITY RECORD.

Dated New York, April 19, 1907.

JOSEPH HAAG,
Secretary.
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to change the grade of Union street, between New York avenue and Brooklyn avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on May 3, 1907, at 10:30 o'clock a.m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on April 5, 1907, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the grade of Union street, between New York avenue and Brooklyn avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of Union street and New York avenue, the elevation to be 103.50 feet, as heretofore;

Thence easterly to a summit distant 172 feet from the easterly building line of New York avenue, the elevation to be 104.45 feet;

Thence easterly to the intersection of Brooklyn avenue, the elevation to be 99.00 feet, as heretofore.

Note—All elevations refer to mean high-water datum, as established by the Bureau of Highways, Borough of Brooklyn.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 3d day of May, 1907, at 10:30 o'clock a.m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the CITY RECORD and the corporation newspapers for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 3d day of May, 1907.

Dated April 20, 1907.

JOSEPH HAAG,
Secretary,
No. 277 Broadway, Room 805.
Telephone 3454 Worth.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to lay out an extension of Ludlow avenue, from the Bronx river to Whitlock avenue; to widen Whitlock avenue, between Ludlow avenue and Hunt's Point road; to lay out a public place on the Southern Boulevard and Hunt's Point road, opposite Dongan street, and to establish grades in connection therewith, Borough of The Bronx, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on May 3, 1907, at 10:30 o'clock a.m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on April 5, 1907, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out an extension of Ludlow avenue, from the Bronx river to Whitlock avenue; widening Whitlock avenue, between Ludlow avenue and Hunt's Point road; laying out a public place on the Southern Boulevard and Hunt's Point road, opposite Dongan street, and establishing grades in connection therewith, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, more particularly shown on map or plan submitted by the President of the Borough of The Bronx.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 3d day of May, 1907, at 10:30 o'clock a.m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the 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 3d day of May, 1907.

Dated April 20, 1907.

JOSEPH HAAG,
Secretary,
No. 277 Broadway, Room 805.
Telephone 3454 Worth.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT the meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, held on April 5, 1907, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York is considering the advisability of instituting proceedings to acquire title to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of Hendrix street, between Dumont avenue and New Lots road, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York; and

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment is authorized and required at the time of the adoption of the resolution directing the institution of proceedings to acquire title to the lands required for the foregoing improvement to fix and determine upon an area or areas of assessment for benefit for said proceeding.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in pursuance of the provisions

of section 980 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby gives notice that the following is the proposed area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding:

Beginning at the intersection of a line midway between Hendrix street and Van Siclen avenue with the northerly side of New Lots road, and running thence northwardly along the said line midway between Hendrix street and Van Siclen avenue to a point distant 100 feet north of the intersection of the said line with the northerly line of Dumont avenue; thence eastwardly and parallel with the line of Dumont avenue to the intersection with a line midway between Hendrix street and Schenck avenue; thence southwardly along the said line midway between Hendrix street and Schenck avenue and the prolongation thereof to the intersection with the southerly line of New Lots road; thence southwardly at right angles to the line of New Lots road 100 feet; thence westwardly and parallel with the New Lots road to the intersection with a line laid out at right angles to the New Lots road and passing through the point described as the point or place of beginning, and thence northwardly to the point or place of beginning.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed area of assessment at a meeting of the Board, to be held in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, in the City Hall, on the 3d day of May, 1907, at 10:30 o'clock a.m., and that at the same time and place a public hearing thereon will then and there be had.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby to be published in the CITY RECORD and the corporation newspapers for ten days prior to the 3d day of May, 1907.

Dated April 20, 1907.

JOSEPH HAAG,
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19. The grade distant 880 feet southerly from the southeast curb intersection of Mount Vernon avenue to be 165 feet.

20. The grade distant 500 feet southerly from the southeast curb intersection of Mount Vernon avenue to be 172.5 feet.

21. The grade at the southeast curb intersection of Mount Vernon avenue to be 189 feet, as heretofore.

22. The grade distant 64.99 feet northerly from the eastern point of tangency northerly of Mount Vernon avenue to be 197 feet.

23. The grade distant 102.22 feet southerly from the point of curvature to be 205 feet.

24. The grade distant 163.42 feet northerly from the point of tangency to be 201 feet, as heretofore.

25. The grade at East Two Hundred and Thirteenth street to be 207.5 feet.

B—East One Hundred and Ninety-ninth Street.

1. The grade at Jerome avenue to be 136 feet.

2. The grade at the Grand Boulevard and Concourse to be 146± feet.

C—East Two Hundredth Street.

1. The grade at Jerome avenue to be 132 feet.

2. The grade at Villa avenue to be 137.5 feet, as heretofore.

D—East Two Hundred and Fourth Street.

1. The grade at Jerome avenue to be 124 feet.

2. The grade at Villa avenue to be 122.5 feet, as heretofore.

E—East Two Hundred and Fifth Street.

1. The grade at Jerome avenue to be calculated.

2. The grade at Villa avenue to be 132 feet, as heretofore.

F—Moshulu Parkway South.

1. The grade at Jerome avenue to be 144 feet.

2. The grade at the southeast side line intersection of Grand Boulevard and Concourse to be 136 feet, as heretofore.

G—East Two Hundred and Twelfth Street.

1. The grade at Jerome avenue to be 176.5 feet.

2. The grade at De Kalb avenue to be 166 feet.

H—East Two Hundred and Thirteenth Street.

1. The grade at Jerome avenue to be calculated.

2. The grade at De Kalb avenue to be 163 feet.

I—Woodlawn Road.

1. The grade at the southwest curb intersection to be 160.9± feet, as heretofore.

J—Mount Vernon Avenue.

1. The grade at the intersection of Jerome avenue to be calculated.

2. The grade distant 800 feet southerly from the southwest curb intersection of East Two Hundred and Thirty-third street to be 195.6 feet, as heretofore.

All grades refer to mean high-water datum as established in the Borough of The Bronx.

Technical Description for a Change in the Grade of Jerome Avenue, under the Alternative Plan, extending from Minerva Place to East Two Hundred and Thirty-third Street.

1. The grade of Jerome avenue at Minerva place is to be 142.5 feet, as heretofore.

2. The grade of Jerome avenue at East One Hundred and Ninety-ninth street is to be 134.5 feet, as heretofore.

3. The grade of Jerome avenue between East One Hundred and Ninety-ninth street and Van Cortlandt avenue is to remain unchanged, as is also the grade of East One Hundred and Ninety-ninth street, East Two Hundredth street, East Two Hundred and Fourth street and East Two Hundred and Fifth street.

4. All other changes of grades in Jerome avenue and in that of intersecting streets to be as indicated in the previous description.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 3d day of May, 1907, at 10:30 o'clock a.m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the 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 3d day of May, 1907.

Dated April 20, 1907.

JOSEPH HAAG,
Secretary,
No. 277 Broadway, Room 805.

Telephone 3454 Worth.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT the meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on April 5, 1907, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York is considering the advisability of instituting proceedings to acquire title to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of Lyvere street, between Zerega avenue and West Farms road; Fuller street, between Zerega avenue and Seddon street; Buck street, between Zerega avenue and Seddon street; Maclay avenue, between Parker street and West Farms road; Stearns street, between Glover street and Parker street; Dorsey street, between Zerega avenue and Seddon street, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York; and

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment is authorized and required at the time of the adoption of the resolution directing the institution of proceedings to acquire title to the lands required for the foregoing improvement to fix and determine upon an area or areas of assessment for benefit for said proceeding.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in pursuance of the provisions of section 980 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby gives notice that the following is the proposed area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding:

Beginning at the intersection of a line 100 feet south of and parallel with the southerly side of Nereid avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Nereid avenue, with a line midway between Byron avenue and Furman avenue, and running thence northerly along the said line midway between Byron avenue and Furman avenue to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet north of and parallel with the northerly side of Baychester avenue, between Nereid avenue and Baychester avenue, and Byron avenue, between Nereid avenue and Baychester avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York; and

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment is authorized and required at the time of the adoption of the resolution directing the institution of proceedings to acquire title to the lands required for the foregoing improvement to fix and determine upon an area or areas of assessment for benefit for said proceeding:

Beginning at the intersection of a line 100 feet south of and parallel with the southerly side of Nereid avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Nereid avenue, with a line midway between Byron avenue and Furman avenue, and running thence northerly along the said line midway between Byron avenue and Furman avenue to the intersection with a line 100 feet north of and parallel with the northerly side of Baychester avenue, between Nereid avenue and Baychester avenue, and Byron avenue, between Nereid avenue and Baychester avenue, and through the said line midway between Barnes avenue and Nereid avenue to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Dorsey street and St. Raymond avenue; thence southwardly and along the said line midway between Dorsey street and St. Raymond avenue and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line midway between Zerega avenue and Parker street; thence northwardly and along the said line midway between Zerega avenue and Parker street to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Stearns street and St. Raymond avenue; thence southwardly and along the said line midway between Stearns street and St. Raymond avenue to the point or place of beginning.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed area of assessment at a meeting of the

Beginning at a point in Webster avenue where East One Hundred and Ninety-fourth street, if prolonged southeasterly, would intersect the right of way of the New York and Harlem Railroad Company; thence northwesterly across Webster avenue to East One Hundred and Ninety-fourth street and thence northwesterly through East One Hundred and Ninety-fourth street to a point between Valentine avenue and the Grand Boulevard and Concourse, at the intersection of East One Hundred and Ninety-fourth street and Kingsbridge road; thence in a general northwesterly direction through Kingsbridge road to a point where said Kingsbridge road intersects the right of way of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company.

Also beginning at a point on the westerly side of the right of way of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company on the easterly side of Exterior street, about 300 feet south from West One Hundred and Ninety-fourth street; thence westerly across said Exterior street to and along private property of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company;

— the said right of way and the location of the said splicing chambers being shown on a map entitled:

"N. Y. C. & H. R. R. Leased and Operated Lines. Electrification of Lines. Location Plan—Cable Ducts. Kingsbridge Road and 194th Street, New York City."

—dated October 30, 1905, signed by W. J. Wilgus, Vice-President, copy of which is annexed hereto and made a part of this grant.

Sec. 2. The grant of this franchise, right and privilege is subject to the following conditions:

First—The said franchise, right and privilege to lay one subway in each of the streets, avenues or highways, and between the limits as hereinbefore described, and the franchise, right and privilege to maintain and operate the same shall be held and enjoyed by the said Company, its lessees or successors, for a term of twenty-five years from the date of the signing of this contract, with the privilege of renewal of said grant for a further period of twenty-five years, upon a fair revaluation of said franchise, right and privilege.

If the Company shall determine to exercise its privilege of renewal, it shall make application to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, or to any authority which shall be authorized by law to act for the City in place of the said Board. Such application shall be made at any time not earlier than two years and not later than one year before the expiration of the original term of this grant. The determination of the revaluation shall be sufficient, if agreed to in writing by the Company, and by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, or by such other authority in its place. If the Company and the Board, or such other authority in its place for the City, shall not reach such agreement on or before the day one year before the expiration of the original term of this grant, then the annual rate of compensation for such succeeding twenty-five years shall be reasonable, and either the City (by the Board or by such other authority in its place) or the Company shall be bound upon request of the other to enter into a written agreement with such other, fixing the rate of such compensation at such amount as shall be reasonable; and if the parties shall not forthwith agree upon what is reasonable, then the parties shall enter into a written agreement fixing such annual rate at such amount as shall be determined by three disinterested freeholders selected in the following manner:

One disinterested freeholder shall be chosen by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, or its successors in authority; one disinterested freeholder shall be chosen by the Company; these two shall choose a third disinterested freeholder, and the three so chosen shall act as appraisers and shall make the revaluations aforesaid. Such appraisers shall be chosen at least six months prior to the expiration of the contract, and their report shall be filed with the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, or its successors in authority, within three months after they are chosen. They shall act as appraisers, and not as arbitrators. They may base their judgment upon their own experience and upon such information as they may obtain by inquiries and investigations without the presence of either party. They shall have the right to examine the books of the Company and its officers under oath. The valuations so ascertained, fixed and determined shall be conclusive upon both parties, but shall not in any event be less than the minimum amount fixed as the sum to be paid annually for the last year of this original grant. If in any case the annual rate shall not be fixed prior to the termination of the original term of this grant, then the Company shall pay the annual rate theretofore prevailing until the new rate shall be determined, and shall then make up to the City the amount of any excess of the annual rate then determined over the previous annual rate. The compensation and expenses of the said appraisers shall be borne jointly by the City and the Company, each paying one-half thereof.

Second—Upon the termination of this contract, or if the same be renewed, then at the termination of the said renewal term, or upon the termination of the rights hereby granted for any other cause, all subways and appurtenances thereto, constructed pursuant to this contract, shall be and become the property of The City of New York, without compensation therefor, and the same may be used by The City for any purpose whatsoever. If, however, at the termination of this grant, as above, the City, by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, or its successors in authority, shall so order by resolution, the said Company shall remove, at its own expense, said subway and all appurtenances thereto, and shall restore the streets and pavements to their original condition.

Third—The Company, its successors or assigns, shall pay to The City of New York for this privilege an annual sum of four thousand five hundred dollars (\$4,500). Such sum shall be paid into the treasury of The City of New York on November 1 of each year, and shall be for the annual amount due to September 30 next preceding; provided, however, that the first payment shall be only for that proportion of four thousand five hundred dollars (\$4,500) as the time of signing of this contract by the Mayor before September 30 next preceding shall bear to the whole of one year.

Any and all payments made by the terms of this franchise to The City of New York by the Company shall not be considered in any manner in the nature of a tax, but such payments shall be in addition to any and all taxes of whatsoever kind or description now or hereafter required to be paid by any ordinance of The City of New York or by any law of the State of New York.

Fourth—The annual charges or payments shall continue throughout the whole term of the privilege hereby granted, whether original or renewal, as hereinbefore provided, notwithstanding any clause in any statute or in the charter of any other company, providing for payments of subway rights or franchises at a different rate, and no assignment, lease or sublease of the rights or privileges hereby granted, whether original

or renewal, or of any part thereof, or of any of the routes mentioned herein, or of any part thereof, shall be valid or effectual for any purpose unless the said assignment, lease or sublease shall contain a covenant on the part of the assignee or lessee that the same is subject to all the conditions of this grant, and that the assignee or lessee assumes and will be bound by all of said conditions, and especially said condition as to payment, anything in any statute or in the charter of such assignee or lessee to the contrary notwithstanding, and that the said assignee or lessee waives any more favorable conditions created by such statute or its charter, and that it will not claim by reason of thereof or otherwise, exemption from liability to perform each and all of the conditions of this grant. Nothing herein contained shall apply to any mortgage or mere lienor, but shall apply to any purchaser upon foreclosure or under or by virtue of any provision of a mortgage or lien.

Fifth—The rights and privileges granted hereby shall not be assigned either in whole or in part, or leased or sublet in any manner, nor shall title thereto or right, interest or property therein pass to or vest in any other person or corporation whatsoever, either by the act of the Company, its successor or assigns, or by operation of law, whether under the provisions of the statutes relating to the consolidation or merger of corporations or otherwise, without the consent of The City of New York, acting by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, or its successor in authority, evidenced by an instrument under seal, anything herein contained to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding, and the granting, giving or waiving of any one or more of such consents shall not render unnecessary any subsequent consent or consents. This provision, however, shall not apply to the making of a mortgage, but shall apply to a sale under foreclosure.

Sixth—The grant of this privilege is subject to whatever right, title or interest the owners of abutting property or others may have in and to the streets, avenues and highways on the route herefore described.

Seventh—The Company shall commence construction of the subway herein authorized within two months after the signing of this contract, and shall complete the construction of the same within five months from the same date, otherwise this grant shall cease and determine, and all sums paid or which may be deposited with the Comptroller of the City as hereinafter provided, shall thereupon be forfeited to the City; provided, however, that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment may in its discretion extend such time for a period not exceeding one year, but such extension shall not be made unless the reasons given by the grantee for non-fulfillment are in the opinion of the Board, for causes over which the grantee had no control and was in no wise responsible.

Eighth—The operation of electrical conduits, conductors and devices, is subject to such rules and regulations as the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity shall from time to time have adopted or may hereafter adopt, for the installation and operation of apparatus of this character in and through the streets of this City, and no work shall be done under its franchise until and unless the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity shall have issued a permit for its construction.

Ninth—All construction which shall be made under this grant shall be done in a manner solely upon the terms and conditions hereafter to be imposed by the President of the Borough of The Bronx and the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, or their respective successors in authority. The said Company shall submit a working plan of construction to the said President and to the said Commissioner, which shall include and show in detail the method of construction of said subway, connections, splicing chambers or manholes and other appurtenances, and the mode of protection of all subsurface construction under the streets, avenues and highways described in the routes.

Tenth—The Company shall give notice to the President of the Borough of The Bronx and to the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, in writing, of its intention to begin construction of the work hereby authorized, at least forty-eight hours before such construction commences. The Company shall also give notice to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in writing, of the date on which work is commenced and also the date on which the same is completed.

Eleventh—Any pavement disturbed during the construction or repair of said subway at any time during the term of the grant shall be restored to its original condition by the Company. The Company shall pave and keep in permanent repair that portion of the surface of the street in which said subway is constructed immediately adjacent to and for a distance of five feet in all directions around the cover or covers of each and every splicing chamber, under the supervision of the local authorities whenever the same become in a state of disrepair or whenever required by them to do so, and in such manner as they may prescribe. And it shall not be necessary in the event that the portion of the surface of the street, avenue or highway which the said Company obligates itself to keep in repair shall not be repaired by the Company as hereinbefore provided, for the City to give any notice to the Company of such state of disrepair, but the City may make such repairs and charge the same to the Company which the said Company agrees to pay.

Twelfth—The Company shall, in the course of construction of the subway, maintain and care for all underground and overground structures in its route, or directly interfered with by its construction, and any necessary interference shall be subject to reasonable regulation by the department of the government of the City under control or charge thereof.

Thirteenth—Any alteration which may be required in the sewerage or drainage system of the City, or to any subsurface structures laid in the streets, avenues and highways along the route of the subway, on account of the construction or operation of the same, shall be made at the sole cost of the Company, and in such manner as the proper City officials may prescribe.

Fourteenth—Any alteration in the subway and its appurtenances which shall be made necessary shall, after due notice of the said alteration has been served upon the Company by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, be made at the sole cost of the Company, and in such manner as the City officials having authority and jurisdiction may prescribe.

Fifteenth—Should the City require for any public improvement the space occupied by the subway in the streets, avenues or highways for which permission is herein granted, the Company shall, at its own expense, alter the position of and rebuild said subway as directed by the proper City officials.

Sixteenth—All plans for the drainage of the subway and splicing chambers shall be submitted to and approved by the President of the Borough of The Bronx.

Seventeenth—The said Company shall bear the expense of inspection, which may be required by the President of the Borough of The Bronx and the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, of all the work of construction required, or removal of the said subway, which shall be done under this grant.

Eighteenth—Correct maps shall be furnished to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, the Comptroller, President of the Borough of The Bronx and the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, by the Company, showing the exact location of the subway, the splicing chambers or other appurtenances constructed, with reference to the curb lines of the streets and the street surface, and the same shall be furnished to the said several departments or officials within sixty days after the completion of the work authorized by this grant.

Nineteenth—The grant of this privilege shall not affect in any way the right of The City of New York to grant a similar privilege upon the same or other terms and conditions to any other person or corporation.

Twentieth—The Company shall assume all liability by reason of the construction and operation of the subway, and the City shall assume no liability whatsoever to either persons or property by reason of its construction.

As a condition of this grant the Company, its successor or assigns, hereby agrees to repay to the City any damages which the City shall be compelled to pay by reason of any acts or defaults of the Company, its successor or assigns. Due notice of any such demand shall be given to the Company.

Twenty-first—In case of any violation or breach or failure to comply with any of the provisions herein contained, this contract may be forfeited or avoided by The City of New York by a suit brought by the Corporation Counsel, on notice of ten days to the said Company.

Twenty-second—The subway hereby authorized shall be used only by the Company, and for no purpose other than transmission of electrical current in the operation, management and maintenance of its railroads owned or leased.

Twenty-third—If the said Company, its successor or assigns, shall fail to maintain its structures in good condition throughout the full term of its occupancy of such streets, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York may give written notice to the said Company specifying any default on the part of said Company, and requiring said Company to remedy the failure of the Company to remedy said default within a reasonable time, said Company shall for each day thereafter during which the default or defect remains, pay to The City of New York a sum of fifty dollars (\$50) as fixed or liquidated damages, or the said City, in case such structures which may affect the surface of the streets shall not be put in good condition within a reasonable time after notice by the Board as aforesaid, shall have the right to make all needed repairs at the expense of the Company, in which case the said Company shall pay to the City the amount of the cost of such repairs with legal interest thereon, all of which sums may be deducted from the fund hereinbefore provided.

Twenty-fourth—This grant is upon the express condition that the Company, within thirty days after the execution of this contract and before anything is done in exercise of the rights conferred thereby, shall deposit with the Comptroller of The City of New York the sum of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000), either in money or in securities to be approved by him, which fund shall be security for the performance by the Company of the terms and conditions of this grant, especially those which relate to the payment of the annual charges for the privilege and the penalties herein provided, and in case of default in the performance by said Company of such terms and conditions, The City of New York shall have the right, after due notice, to collect the same from said fund without legal proceedings, or after default in the payment of the annual charges shall collect the same, with interest, from said fund after ten days' notice in writing to the said Company. In case of any drafts so made upon this security fund, the said Company shall, upon thirty days' notice in writing, pay to the Comptroller of The City of New York a sum of money sufficient to restore the said fund to the original amount of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000), and in default thereof the grant hereby made may be canceled and annulled at the option of the Comptroller of The City of New York, acting on behalf of said City. No action or proceeding or rights under the provisions of this section shall affect other legal rights, remedies or causes of action belonging to The City of New York.

Twenty-fifth—The Company promises, covenants and agrees on its part and behalf to conform to and abide by and perform all the terms, conditions and requirements in this contract fixed and contained.

In witness whereof, the party of the first part, by its Mayor, thereunto duly authorized by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of said City, has caused the corporate name of said City to be hereunto signed, and the corporate seal of said City to be hereunto affixed, and the party of the second part, by its officers, thereunto duly authorized, has caused its corporate name to be hereunto signed, and its corporate seal to be hereunto affixed, the day and year first above written.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
By _____ Mayor.
(Corporate Seal).
Attest:

City Clerk.
THE NEW YORK CENTRAL
AND HUDSON RIVER
RAILROAD COMPANY,
By _____ President.
Attest:

Secretary.
(Seal).

Resolved, That the results of the inquiry made by this Board as to the money value of the franchise or right proposed to be granted and the adequacy of the compensation proposed to be paid therefor, and of the terms and conditions, including the provisions as to rates and charges, are as hereinbefore specified and fully set forth in and by the foregoing form of proposed contract for the grant of such franchise or right;

Resolved, That these resolutions and resolutions, including the said resolution for the grant of a franchise or right applied for by the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company and the said form of proposed contract for the grant of such franchise or right containing said results of such inquiry, after the same shall be entered in the minutes of this Board, shall be published for at least twenty (20) days immediately prior to May 10, 1907, in "The Sun" and "The New York Times," two daily newspapers designated by the Mayor therefor and published in The City of New York, at the expense of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company, together with the following notice, to wit:

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, before authorizing any contract for the grant of the franchise or right applied for by the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company and fully set forth and described in the foregoing form of proposed contract for the grant of such franchise or right, and before adopting any resolutions authorizing

any such contract, will at a meeting of said Board, to be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on May 10, 1907, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., hold a public hearing thereon at which citizens shall be entitled to appear and be heard.

JOSEPH HAAG,
Secretary.

New York, April 5, 1907.

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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET, NEW YORK.

BOROUGHS OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received at the office of the Department of Public Charities, foot of East Twenty-sixth street, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, until 2:30 o'clock p. m.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 1, 1907,

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE ERECTION AND COMPLETION OF CONEY ISLAND HOSPITAL, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract is two hundred and fifty (250) consecutive working days.

The surety required will be Seventy-five Thousand Dollars (\$75,000).

The bidder will state one aggregate price for the whole work described and specified, as the contract is entire and for a complete job.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of Helmle & Huberty, Architects, No. 190 Montague street, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, where plans and specifications may be seen.

ROBERT W. HEBBERD,
Commissioner.

Dated April 19, 1907.

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

AUCTION SALE.

MONDAY, APRIL 29, 1907,

THE UNDERSIGNED WILL SELL AT public auction at office, foot of East Twenty-sixth street, on

at 11 a. m., the following, viz.:

Bones (estimated), 100,000 pounds.

To be collected and removed from Blackwell's Island three times a week.

Grease (estimated), 30,000 pounds.

To be collected monthly from Blackwell's Island.

Old iron (estimated), 100,000 pounds.

To be collected twice a year at pier on Metropolitan Hospital grounds, east side, near north end of Blackwell's Island, in a lighter to be provided by the buyer upon being notified.

Rags (estimated), 30,000 pounds.

Iron-bound barrels (estimated), 300.

Kerosene barrels (estimated), 100.

Pork barrels (estimated), 100.

Tea lead (estimated), 5,000 pounds.

Two (2) rowboats.

One (1) coach.

Two (2) horses, viz.:

the case of bones and grease, which must be removed every other day by the purchaser without previous notice.

Each successful bidder will be required to pay 25 per cent. of the estimated amount of his purchase. Such amount shall be fixed by the Commissioner, and said purchasers shall pay said sum to him on the day of the sale, and shall pay the balance in cash or certified check on a New York City bank to the General Medical Superintendent upon delivery of the goods.

The Commissioner reserves the right to reject all bids, also the right to order a resale of any articles that shall not have been removed by the purchaser within ten days after a written notice has been mailed to him to do so. This, however, does not apply to the bones and grease, which, if not removed every other day, the Commissioner reserves the right to sell without notice.

In all cases of resale, the purchaser is to forfeit to the use of The City of New York the 25 per cent. paid at the time of sale.

The City of New York, April 18, 1907.

ROBT. W. HEBBERD,
Commissioner of Public Charities.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE BOARD OF HEALTH OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH UNTIL 9:45 O'CLOCK A. M. ON

TUESDAY, MAY 7, 1907,

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND FURNISHING AND ERECTING ALL THE MATERIALS NECESSARY OR REQUIRED TO ERECT AND COMPLETE A FENCE AT THE KINGSTON AVENUE HOSPITAL, KINGSTON AVENUE AND FENMORE STREET, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is 100 consecutive working days.

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

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Chief Clerk of the Department of Health, southwest corner of Fifty-fifth street and Sixth avenue, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

THOMAS DARLINGTON, M. D., President;

ALVAH H. DOTY, M. D., THEODORE A. BINGHAM, Board of Health.

Dated April 23, 1907.

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

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

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

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT PETITIONS have been presented to me, and are on file in my office for inspection, for:

No. 558. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for Tibbett avenue, from West Two Hundred and Thirtieth street to West Two Hundred and Forty-second street.

No. 581. Paving with iron slag pavement on concrete foundation Clay avenue, from Wenderover avenue to One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street, and readjusting curb where necessary.

No. 582. Paving with wood block on concrete foundation and setting curb where necessary on Longfellow avenue, between Freeman street and One Hundred and Seventy-second street.

No. 583. Paving with asphalt blocks on a concrete foundation the roadway of East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street, from Arthur avenue, to the Southern Boulevard, where the gradient is less than 5.5 per cent., and with iron slag block or granite blocks on a concrete foundation where the gradient is greater than 5.5 per cent., and setting curb where necessary.

No. 584. Constructing a receiving basin and appurtenances at the northeast corner of Creston avenue and East One Hundred and Eighty-second street.

No. 585. Constructing a sewer and appurtenances in Valentine avenue, between East Two Hundred and First street and Bronx Park Boulevard.

No. 586. Constructing a sewer and appurtenances in Anthony avenue, between Burnside avenue and East One Hundred and Eightieth street.

No. 587. Constructing a sewer and appurtenances in West One Hundred and Seventieth street, between Inwood avenue and Boscobel avenue.

The petitions for the above will be submitted by me to the Local Board having jurisdiction thereof on April 25, 1907, at 4:30 p. m., at the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, Municipal Building, Crotona Park, One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue.

Dated April 12, 1907.

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

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

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT PETITIONS have been presented to me, and are on file in my office for inspection, for:

No. 588. Constructing a drain in Parker avenue, commencing at the existing drain in said Parker avenue, north of Lyon avenue, and running to the existing drain south of Lyon avenue; and in Lyon avenue, from Parker avenue eastward to connect with existing drain crossing Lyon avenue.

No. 589. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for Lafayette avenue, from the centre of the Bronx river to Clason Point road.

No. 590. Regulating and grading, setting curbstones and flagging of sidewalks a space four feet wide, laying crosswalks, building approaches and erecting fences where necessary in Lafayette avenue, from the Bronx river to Clason Point road.

The petitions for the above will be submitted by me to the Local Board having jurisdiction thereof on April 25, 1907, at 2:30 p. m., at the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, Municipal Building, Crotona Park, One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue.

Dated April 12, 1907.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX AT THE ABOVE OFFICE UNTIL 11 O'CLOCK A. M. ON

THURSDAY, MAY 2, 1907.

NO. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE ERECTION AND COMPLETION OF A FREE PUBLIC BATH BUILDING TO BE ERECTED ON PLOT OF LAND SITUATED ON THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF ELTON AVENUE AND ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-SIXTH STREET, IN THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be 350 days.

The amount of security required will be Seven Thousand Dollars.

NO. 2. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURBSTONE, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSWALKS, BUILDING APPROACHES AND PLACING FENCES IN BAYCHESTER AVENUE, FROM WHITE PLAINS ROAD TO BOSTON ROAD.

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

35,600 cubic yards of earth excavation.

81,500 cubic yards of rock excavation.

117,300 cubic yards of filling.

17,200 linear feet of new curbstone, furnished and set.

65,700 square feet of new flagging, furnished and laid.

11,400 square feet of new bridgestone for crosswalks, furnished and laid.

1,400 cubic yards of dry rubble masonry in retaining walls, culverts and gutters.

150 cubic yards of rubble masonry in mortar.

20 cubic yards of brick masonry.

1,100 cubic yards of concrete.

1,450 linear feet of vitrified stoneware pipe 12 inches in diameter.

1,430 linear feet of vitrified stoneware pipe 18 inches in diameter.

1,000 linear feet of vitrified stoneware pipe 30 inches in diameter.

10,000 feet (B. M.) of lumber, furnished and laid.

25 manholes, complete.

27 inlets (as shown on the plan), complete.

69,000 pounds of steel rods in place.

5,000 pounds of cast iron in place.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be 500 working days.

The amount of security required will be Seventy-five Thousand Dollars.

NO. 3. FOR PAVING WITH ASPHALT BLOCKS ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF CRESTON AVENUE, FROM EAST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-FOURTH STREET TO EAST ONE HUNDRED AND NINETY-EIGHTH STREET, AND SETTING CURB WHERE NECESSARY.

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

15,150 square yards of completed asphalt block pavement, and keeping the same in repair for five years from date of acceptance.

1,050 cubic yards of rock excavation.

1,050 linear feet of new curbstone, furnished and set.

2,450 cubic yards of concrete, including mortar bed.

8,900 linear feet of old curbstone, rejoined, recut on top and reset in concrete.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be 75 consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Fifteen Thousand Dollars.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Chief Clerk of the Department of Health, southwest corner of Fifty-fifth street and Sixth avenue, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

LOUIS F. HAFFEN, President.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX AT THE ABOVE OFFICE UNTIL 11 O'CLOCK A. M. ON

THURSDAY, APRIL 25, 1907.

NO. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING RUBBER BOOTS TO THE BUREAU OF SEWERS.

3 dozen pairs rubber hip boots, No. 7, Gold Seal brand, or equal.

4 dozen pairs rubber hip boots, No. 8, Gold Seal brand, or equal.

4 dozen pairs rubber hip boots, No. 9, Gold Seal brand, or equal.

3 dozen pairs rubber hip boots, No. 10, Gold Seal brand, or equal.

1 dozen pairs rubber hip boots, No. 11, Gold Seal brand, or equal.

2 pairs rubber half hip boots, No. 5, Gold Seal brand, or equal.

6 pairs rubber half hip boots, No. 6, Gold Seal brand, or equal.

30 pairs rubber half hip boots, No. 7, Gold Seal brand, or equal.

42 pairs rubber half hip boots, No. 8, Gold Seal brand, or equal.

30 pairs rubber half hip boots, No. 9, Gold Seal brand, or equal.

18 pairs rubber half hip boots, No. 10, Gold Seal brand, or equal.

2 pairs rubber half hip boots, No. 11, Gold Seal brand, or equal.

The time allowed for the delivery of the articles will be as directed during the year 1907.

The amount of security required will be Eight Hundred Dollars.

NO. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING PAVING BRICKS, CEMENT, ETC., TO THE BUREAU OF HIGHWAYS.

31,000 paving bricks, as per sample.

60 barrels block filling (asphalt), 60 gallons per barrel.

150 barrels Portland cement.

To be delivered as directed and required during the year 1907.

The amount of security required will be Eight Hundred Dollars.

NO. 3. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURBSTONE, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSWALKS, BUILDING APPROACHES AND PLACING FENCES IN BELMONT AVENUE, FROM EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-FIFTH STREET TO EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SEVENTH STREET (TREMONT AVENUE).

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

4,900 cubic yards of earth excavation.

8,700 cubic yards of rock excavation.

2,600 cubic yards of filling.

2,000 linear feet of new curbstone, furnished and set.

8,100 square feet of new flagging, furnished and laid.

150 square feet of new bridge stone for crosswalks, furnished and laid.

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

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

The amount of security required will be Seven Thousand Dollars.

NO. 4. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURBSTONE, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSWALKS, BUILDING APPROACHES AND NECESSARY DRAINS AND APPURTENANCES IN WEST FARMS ROAD, FROM THE BRONX RIVER TO THE EASTERN SIDE OF MORRIS PARK AVENUE, AND PAVING THE ROADWAY THEREOF WITH GRANITE BLOCKS ON A SAND FOUNDATION.

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

5,800 cubic yards of earth excavation.

3,000 cubic yards of rock excavation.

5,800 cubic yards of filling.

2,350 linear feet of new curbstone furnished and set.

950 square yards of old paving blocks to be purchased by the contractor and removed.

The amount of this item to be deducted from the final estimate.

8,900 square feet of new flagging furnished and laid.

2,400 square feet of new bridgestone for crosswalks, furnished and laid.

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

50 cubic yards of rubble masonry in mortar.

2 manholes, complete.
275 cubic yards of rock to be excavated and removed.
3 cubic yards of class "B" concrete, in place, additional to that shown on the plan.
1,000 feet (B. M.) of timber for foundations, furnished and laid and sheeting furnished and left in place.
5 linear feet of 12-inch drain pipe, furnished and laid.

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

The amount of security required will be Eight Hundred Dollars.

No. 17. FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWERS AND APPURTENANCES IN BRYANT AVENUE, BETWEEN GARRISON AVENUE AND LAFAYETTE AVENUE.

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

10 linear feet of pipe sewer, 18-inch.
285 linear feet of pipe sewer, 15-inch.
1,190 linear feet of pipe sewer, 12-inch.
189 spurs for house connections, over and above the cost per linear foot of sewer.

15 manholes, complete.
5 receiving basins, complete.
1,000 cubic yards of rock to be excavated and removed.

10 cubic yards of class "B" concrete, in place, additional to that shown on the plan.

130 cubic yards of rubble masonry in mortar for foundations, in place.
1,000 feet (B. M.) of timber for foundations, furnished and laid and sheeting furnished and left in place.

10 linear feet of 12-inch drain pipe, furnished and laid.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be one hundred and fifty working days.

The amount of security required will be Five Thousand Dollars.

No. 18. FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWERS AND APPURTENANCES IN BURNSIDE AVENUE, SOUTH SIDE, BETWEEN CRESTON AVENUE AND THE GRAND BOULEVARD AND CONCOURSE; AND IN THE GRAND BOULEVARD AND CONCOURSE (WEST SIDE), BETWEEN MT. HOPE PLACE AND EAST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTIETH STREET.

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

500 linear feet of pipe sewer, 15-inch.
1,465 linear feet of pipe sewer, 12-inch.
105 spurs for house connections, over and above the cost per linear foot of sewer.

24 manholes, complete.
1 receiving basin, complete.

1,460 cubic yards of rock to be excavated and removed.

5 cubic yards of concrete in place, exclusive of concrete in sewer sections, as shown on plan.

1,000 feet (B. M.) of timber for foundations, furnished and laid and sheeting furnished and left in place.

10 linear feet of 12-inch drain pipe, furnished and laid.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be 275 working days.

The amount of security required will be Five Thousand Five Hundred Dollars.

No. 19. FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN MOSHOLU PARKWAY NORTH, BETWEEN PERRY AVENUE AND JEROME AVENUE.

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

570 linear feet of concrete sewer, 3-foot 3-inch diameter.
1,285 linear feet of concrete sewer, 2-foot 9-inch diameter.

14 linear feet of pipe sewer, 24-inch.
6 linear feet of pipe sewer, 18-inch.
730 linear feet of pipe sewer, 15-inch.
585 linear feet of pipe sewer, 12-inch.
211 spurs for house connections, over and above the cost per linear foot of sewer.

28 manholes, complete.
4,400 cubic yards of rock to be excavated and removed.

25 cubic yards of Class "B" concrete in place, additional to that shown on the plan.

175 cubic yards of rubble masonry in mortar, for foundations in place.

5,000 feet (B. M.) of timber for foundations, furnished and laid, and sheeting furnished and left in place.

100 linear feet of 12-inch drain pipe, furnished and laid.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be 350 working days.

The amount of security required will be Fourteen Thousand Dollars.

No. 20. FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIFTH STREET, BETWEEN JEROME AVENUE AND THE EAST SIDE OF GRAND BOULEVARD AND CONCOURSE; AND IN THE GRAND BOULEVARD AND CONCOURSE (WEST SIDE), BETWEEN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIFTH STREET AND A POINT ABOUT 90 FEET SOUTH OF THE CENTRE LINE OF McCLELLAN STREET; AND IN THE GRAND BOULEVARD AND CONCOURSE (EAST SIDE), BETWEEN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIFTH STREET AND EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-SIXTH STREET.

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

265 linear feet of concrete sewer, 49-inch by 56-inch, including steel bars for reinforcement, as shown on plan.

303 linear feet of concrete sewer, 45-inch by 50-inch, including steel bars for reinforcement, as shown on plan.

298 linear feet of concrete sewer, 3-foot diameter.

704 linear feet of pipe sewer, 30-inch.

827 linear feet of pipe sewer, 18-inch.

425 linear feet of pipe sewer, 15-inch.

640 linear feet of pipe sewer, 12-inch.

235 spurs for house connections, over and above the cost per linear foot of sewer.

30 manholes, complete.

1,425 cubic yards of rock to be excavated and removed.

25 cubic yards of concrete in place, exclusive of concrete in sewer sections, as shown on plan.

50 cubic yards of rubble masonry in mortar, for foundations in place.

100 cubic yards of broken stone for foundations, in place.

30,000 feet (B. M.) of timber for foundations, furnished and laid, and sheeting furnished and left in place.

10,000 linear feet of piles below sills, furnished, driven and cut off, and shod when required.

100 linear feet of 12-inch drain pipe, furnished and laid.

20 receiving basins, complete.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be 300 working days.

The amount of security required will be Fifteen Thousand Dollars.

No. 21. FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWERS AND APPURTENANCES IN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTIETH STREET, BETWEEN EXISTING SEWER WEST OF WYTHE PLACE AND THE GRAND BOULEVARD AND CONCOURSE; AND IN THE GRAND BOULEVARD AND CONCOURSE (WEST SIDE), BETWEEN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET AND EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SECOND STREET; ACROSS THE GRAND BOULEVARD AND CONCOURSE, AT THE NORTH SIDE OF BELMONT STREET; IN THE GRAND BOULEVARD AND CONCOURSE (EAST SIDE), BETWEEN BELMONT STREET AND EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-THIRD STREET; IN THE GRAND BOULEVARD AND CONCOURSE (WEST SIDE), BETWEEN MORRIS AVENUE AND EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SIXTH STREET; AND IN THE GRAND BOULEVARD AND CONCOURSE (EAST SIDE), BETWEEN EASTBURN AVENUE AND WEEKS AVENUE.

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

10 linear feet of pipe sewer, 18-inch.
285 linear feet of pipe sewer, 15-inch.
1,190 linear feet of pipe sewer, 12-inch.

189 spurs for house connections, over and above the cost per linear foot of sewer.

15 manholes, complete.

8 receiving basins, complete.

1,000 cubic yards of rock to be excavated and removed.

10 cubic yards of class "B" concrete, in place, additional to that shown on the plan.

130 cubic yards of rubble masonry in mortar for foundations, in place.

1,000 feet (B. M.) of timber for foundations, furnished and laid and sheeting furnished and left in place.

10 linear feet of 12-inch drain pipe, furnished and laid.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be one hundred and fifty working days.

The amount of security required will be Five Thousand Dollars.

No. 22. FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWERS AND APPURTENANCES IN BURNSIDE AVENUE, SOUTH SIDE, BETWEEN CRESTON AVENUE AND THE GRAND BOULEVARD AND CONCOURSE; AND IN THE GRAND BOULEVARD AND CONCOURSE (WEST SIDE), BETWEEN MT. HOPE PLACE AND EAST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTIETH STREET.

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

500 linear feet of pipe sewer, 15-inch.
1,465 linear feet of pipe sewer, 12-inch.

105 spurs for house connections, over and above the cost per linear foot of sewer.

24 manholes, complete.

1 receiving basin, complete.

1,460 cubic yards of rock to be excavated and removed.

5 cubic yards of concrete in place, exclusive of concrete in sewer sections, as shown on plan.

1,000 feet (B. M.) of timber for foundations, furnished and laid and sheeting furnished and left in place.

10 linear feet of 12-inch drain pipe, furnished and laid.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be 350 working days.

The amount of security required will be Fourteen Thousand Dollars.

No. 23. FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN MOSHOLU PARKWAY NORTH, BETWEEN PERRY AVENUE AND JEROME AVENUE.

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

570 linear feet of concrete sewer, 3-foot 3-inch diameter.

1,285 linear feet of concrete sewer, 2-foot 9-inch diameter.

14 linear feet of pipe sewer, 24-inch.

6 linear feet of pipe sewer, 18-inch.

730 linear feet of pipe sewer, 15-inch.

585 linear feet of pipe sewer, 12-inch.

211 spurs for house connections, over and above the cost per linear foot of sewer.

28 manholes, complete.

4,400 cubic yards of rock to be excavated and removed.

25 cubic yards of Class "B" concrete in place, additional to that shown on the plan.

175 cubic yards of rubble masonry in mortar, for foundations in place.

5,000 feet (B. M.) of timber for foundations, furnished and laid, and sheeting furnished and left in place.

100 linear feet of 12-inch drain pipe, furnished and laid.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be 350 working days.

The amount of security required will be Fourteen Thousand Dollars.

No. 24. FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIFTH STREET, BETWEEN JEROME AVENUE AND THE EAST SIDE OF GRAND BOULEVARD AND CONCOURSE; AND IN THE GRAND BOULEVARD AND CONCOURSE (WEST SIDE), BETWEEN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIFTH STREET AND A POINT ABOUT 90 FEET SOUTH OF THE CENTRE LINE OF McCLELLAN STREET; AND IN THE GRAND BOULEVARD AND CONCOURSE (EAST SIDE), BETWEEN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIFTH STREET AND EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-SIXTH STREET.

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

265 linear feet of concrete sewer, 49-inch by 56-inch, including steel bars for reinforcement, as shown on plan.

303 linear feet of concrete sewer, 45-inch by 50-inch, including steel bars for reinforcement, as shown on plan.

298 linear feet of concrete sewer, 3-foot diameter.

704 linear feet of pipe sewer, 30-inch.

827 linear feet of pipe sewer, 18-inch.

425 linear feet of pipe sewer, 15-inch.

640 linear feet of pipe sewer, 12-inch.

235 spurs for house connections, over and above the cost per linear foot of sewer.

30 manholes, complete.

1,425 cubic yards of rock to be excavated and removed.

25 cubic yards of concrete in place, exclusive of concrete in sewer sections, as shown on plan.

50 cubic yards of rubble masonry in mortar, for foundations in place.

100 cubic yards of broken stone for foundations, in place.

30,000 feet (B. M.) of timber for foundations, furnished and laid, and sheeting furnished and left in place.

10,000 linear feet of piles below sills, furnished, driven and cut off, and shod when required.

100 linear feet of 12-inch drain pipe, furnished and laid.

20 receiving basins, complete.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be 300 working days.

The amount of security required will be Fifteen Thousand Dollars.

and within twenty months from the date of delivery of the contract.

SEALED BIDS OR PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT THE SAID OFFICE OF THE BOARD, AT NO. 320 BROADWAY, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK, UNTIL

TUESDAY, MAY 14, 1907,

AT 12 O'CLOCK NOON, AT WHICH TIME OR AT A LATER DATE TO BE FIXED BY THE BOARD THE PROPOSALS WILL BE PUBLICLY OPENED.

Proposals must be in the form prescribed by the Board, copies of which may be obtained at the office of the Board.

Each proposal must be signed and acknowledged and also verified by an affidavit of the bidder (or if it be a corporation then by an officer thereof) to the effect that the several matters therein stated are in all respects true. If the proposal is made by a firm, it will be sufficient if the proposal is signed and acknowledged, and the affidavit sworn to, by one member of the firm.

Each proposal must specify an office within The City of New York at which notices may be delivered; and delivery of a notice at such office shall be deemed a sufficient delivery and notice to the bidder.

Each proposal or bid must contain the name and place of residence of the person or 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; and if the bidder shall be a corporation, there shall be submitted a certified copy of its certificate of incorporation, with a certificate of the amount of stock paid in in cash, and the names and business addresses of all officers and directors of the corporation shall be stated; also, that it is made without any connection with any other person making a proposal or bid for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud, and that no member of the Board of Aldermen, head of department, chief of bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the corporation, or any member or employee of the Board, is interested, directly or indirectly, as contracting party, partner, stockholder or otherwise in or in the performance of the contract, or in the supplies, work or business to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof.

No proposal will be allowed to be withdrawn for any reason whatever after it shall have been deposited with the Board.

The Board is not obliged by law to accept any of the proposals received by it, but may reject all such proposals and readvertise, or may accept any of such proposals as will in the judgment of the Board best promote the public interest, and award a contract accordingly, subject to approval by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, as required by law.

The award of the contract or contracts (if awarded) will be made by the Board within ten days after the opening of the proposals. The

The tracks are to be of standard gauge. The tunnels are to have a height of not less than 13 feet in the clear, and a maximum width of 15 feet for each track, except at stations, curves, etc., where the width may be increased. The roof of the tunnels is generally to be as near the surface of streets as street conditions and grades will permit, but will be depressed whenever necessary to avoid grade crossings as well as where approaching the Harlem river. The roof and sides of the tunnels will be of iron or steel and masonry.

Entrances to stations will in general be placed within private property, rights in which will be acquired for the purpose.

Construction is to be generally carried on by means of tunnelling or excavation under cover, except as may be otherwise specially provided in the contract, or in places where the Board shall give express permission to construct by open excavation. In the City Hall Park, Battery Park or other places under the jurisdiction of the Department of Parks, all trees injured or destroyed in the course of construction are to be replaced by the contractor under the direction and to the satisfaction of said Department.

The Board has included in the detailed plans for construction, provisions for pipe galleries through and along the principal longitudinal streets of all portions of the route except Sections 5-A and 5-C-3. Bids for the construction of the railroad on any one or more of these sections must be accompanied by bids for the construction of the pipe galleries appurtenant to such section or sections; and if not so accompanied will not be considered by the Board. The Board reserves the right to accept a bid for the construction of any section of the railroad and at the same time to reject the accompanying bid for pipe galleries.

The Board has also included in the detailed plans for construction, provisions for third tracks in Thirty-fifth and Thirty-sixth streets, and for two additional tracks under Greenwich street, Battery place and Battery Park south of Morris street, and additional station and terminal facilities in Battery Park. Such additional tracks and facilities are intended ultimately to form part of other railways heretofore duly authorized and approved. Bids for the construction of Sections 5-D-3 and 5-D-1 must be accompanied by separate bids for the construction of such additional tracks and station and terminal facilities; and if not so accompanied will not be considered by the Board.

If proposals satisfactory to the Board are received for the construction of one or more of the several parts of the road as above described, the Board may contract (subject to the approval of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment as provided by law) for those parts for which satisfactory proposals are received, reserving the right to make a separate contract or separate contracts thereafter for the remaining part or parts.

A fuller description of the said routes is set forth, and other requirements, provisions, details and specifications are stated in the printed form of contract now on file in the office of the Board, No. 320 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, and in the detailed drawings therein referred to, at which office copies of the contract and of the form of bond and contractor's proposal may be had on application. The contract drawings may be inspected at the same office. The printed form of contract and the detailed drawings are to be deemed a part of this invitation.

The words "the railroad" wherever used hereafter in this invitation are to be construed to mean the part or parts included in any contract entered into in pursuance hereof.

Payments to the contractor for construction will be made monthly as the work proceeds, as provided in the form of contract.

The work of construction (including pipe galleries and the additional tracks and terminal facilities above mentioned) is to be completed as soon as practicable, and within the periods mentioned in the form of contract.

Proposals may be submitted for construction alone; or, at the option of the bidder, for construction, equipment, maintenance and operation. In case a satisfactory proposal is received from any person, firm or corporation to construct, equip, maintain and operate the railroad, the contract will provide for maintenance and operation for a term of twenty years, and for a renewal thereof for a further term of twenty years from the expiration of the original term, all as stated in the form of contract; the contractor to pay an annual rental for the use of the railroad which shall be ascertained as stated in the form of contract and which shall begin as soon as any portion of the railroad shall be declared by the Board to be ready for operation.

SEALED BIDS OR PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT THE SAID OFFICE OF THE BOARD, AT NO. 320 BROADWAY, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK, UNTIL

THURSDAY, APRIL 25, 1907,

AT 12 O'CLOCK NOON, AT WHICH TIME OR AT A LATER DATE TO BE FIXED BY THE BOARD THE PROPOSALS WILL BE PUBLICLY OPENED.

Proposals shall be in the form prescribed by the Board, copies of which may be obtained at the office of the Board.

Each proposal must be signed and acknowledged and also verified by an affidavit of the bidder (or if it be a corporation then by an officer thereof) to the effect that the several matters therein stated are in all respects true. If the proposal is made by a firm, it will be sufficient if the proposal is signed and acknowledged, and the affidavit sworn to, by one member of the firm.

Each proposal must specify an office within The City of New York at which notices may be delivered; and delivery of a notice at such office shall be deemed a sufficient delivery and notice to the bidder.

Each proposal or bid must contain the name and place of residence of the person or 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; and if the bidder shall be a corporation, there shall be submitted a certified copy of its certificate of incorporation, with a certificate of the amount of stock paid in cash, and the names and business addresses of all officers and directors of the corporation shall be stated; also, that it is made without any connection with any other person making a proposal or bid for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud, and that no member of the Board of Aldermen, head of department, chief of bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the corporation, or any member or employee of the Board, is interested, directly or indirectly, as contracting party, partner, stockholder or otherwise in or in the performance of the contract, or in the supplies, work or business to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof.

Bidders shall specify separately in their proposals the amounts for which they will construct each separate part as described above; the amounts for which they will construct pipe galleries; and the amounts for which they will construct the additional tracks and station and terminal facilities above mentioned if they bid on Section 5-D-1, or 5-D-3. They may, however, make their bid for any one section of this proposed railroad conditional upon either the ac-

ceptance or rejection of their bid for any one or more of the other sections which they shall specify, or upon the acceptance or rejection of their bids for any other rapid transit railroad construction submitted by them at the same time.

The price stated for the construction of each separate part shall include the furnishing of all materials and the performance of all labor requisite to the complete construction of such part, including all sewer and street construction and reconstruction and other work caused by or incidental to the construction of the same as set out in the proposed form of contract.

Bidders who submit proposals to construct and also equip, maintain and operate the railroad must specify their proposals, in addition to the matters hereinbefore contained, the following:

(A) An estimate of the cost of the equipment of the railroad upon which the proposal is based. The word "equipment" includes motors, cars, machinery, power houses, all real estate upon which any such power houses shall stand, rails, ties, ballast, telephone and telegraph appliances, and other real and personal property as specified in the form of contract. Such equipment is to remain the property of the contractor, but will be subject to a lien of the City to secure performance by the contractor of all the obligations of the contract, including the payment of rental under the lease during its entire term and during any extension thereof.

(B) The maximum fare (not to exceed 5 cents) which will be charged a single passenger for a continuous ride over the whole or any part of the railroad.

(C) What transportation facilities over railways connecting or to connect with the rapid transit railroad the contractor will assure to the City, specifying separately in Schedule "A," forming part of the proposal, the connecting lines over which a continuous trip shall be assured to passengers for a single fare not exceeding 5 cents, without change of cars; in Schedule "B," forming part of the proposal, the connecting lines over which a continuous trip shall be assured to passengers for a single fare not exceeding 5 cents, but with or without change of cars at the option of the contractor, and in Schedule "C," forming part of the proposal, the connecting lines over which a continuous trip shall be assured to passengers with or without change of cars at the option of the contractor, for fares exceeding 5 cents per trip but within limitations to be specified.

No proposal will be allowed to be withdrawn for any reason whatever after it shall have been deposited with the Board.

The Board is not obliged by law to accept any of the proposals received by it, but may reject all such proposals and readvertise, or may accept any of such proposals as will in the judgment of the Board best promote the public interest and award a contract or contracts accordingly, subject to approval by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, as required by law. If any part or parts of the road are not contracted for, the Board reserves the right to make a separate contract or separate contracts thereafter for the remaining part or parts.

The award of the contract or contracts (if awarded) will be made by the Board within fifteen days after the opening of the proposals.

The bidder or bidders whose proposal shall be accepted shall in person or by duly authorized representative attend at the said office of the Board within ten days after the delivery of a notice by the Board that the proposal is accepted and that the contract is approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment; and such bidder or bidders shall then deliver a contract in the form referred to, duly executed with its execution duly proved.

At the time of the delivery of a contract the contractor will be required to furnish security to the City as follows:

(1) By depositing in cash or approved securities for each part of the road for which the contract is made the following amounts, viz.: For Section 5-O-1..... \$125,000 00 For Section 5-O-2..... 125,000 00 For Section 5-O-3..... 125,000 00 For Section 5-A..... 25,000 00 For Section 5-B..... 150,000 00 For Section 5-C-1..... 100,000 00 For Section 5-C-2..... 50,000 00 For Section 5-C-3..... 5,000 00 For Section 5-D-1..... 150,000 00 For Section 5-D-2..... 150,000 00 For Section 5-D-3..... 150,000 00

If the contract covers two or more parts of the road, the deposit shall be the aggregate of the deposits required in respect of each of the several parts contracted for.

(2) By giving a bond in a penalty equal to the amount of the deposit as above required. At the option of the contractor, cash or approved securities may be deposited instead of giving bond.

If securities are deposited for any purpose under this contract they must be of the character of securities in which savings banks may invest their funds and must be approved by the Board. Bonds must be in one of the forms annexed to the form of contract.

In addition, and as further security to the City, 10 per cent. of each amount certified from time to time to be due to the contractor will be retained until the railroad is completed.

Each bidder must state in his proposal the names and places of business of the proposed sureties on the bond proposed to be given, and describe any securities proposed to be deposited.

Bidders whose proposals are otherwise satisfactory to the Board may, in case the sureties or securities named by them are not approved by the Board, substitute in their proposals the names of new sureties or a different schedule of securities approved by the Board; but such substitution must be made within five days after notice of disapproval by the Board, unless this period is extended by the Board.

In case of failure or neglect to execute and deliver the contract or to make the required deposit or to execute and deliver the required bond, such bidder or bidders will, at the option of the Board, be deemed either to have made the contract or to have abandoned the contract. In the latter case the Board shall give notice thereof to the defaulting bidder or bidders. And the Board may thereupon proceed to make another contract with such, if any, of the original bidders, as, in the opinion of the Board, it will be to the best interest of the City to contract with, or may by new advertisement invite further proposals. The defaulting bidder or bidders shall thereupon be liable to the City for all loss and damage by it sustained, including the excess, if any, of the amount it shall pay any other contractor over the amount of the bid of such defaulting bidder or bidders, and without abatement by reason of any increase of rental which such excess may produce to the City.

Every proposal must, when submitted, be enclosed in a sealed envelope indorsed "Proposal for Constructing Rapid Transit Railroad (Lexington Avenue Route) Sections—," and must be delivered to the Board or to its secretary; and in the presence of the person offering the proposal it will be deposited in a sealed box in which all proposals will be deposited. No proposals will be received or deposited unless accompanied by a certified check drawn upon a National or State bank or trust company within The City of New York and satisfactory to the Board, payable to the order of the Comptroller of The City of New York, for an amount equal to ten per cent. of the deposit above required to

be made upon the delivery of a contract for construction of the section or sections of the proposed Rapid Transit Railroad to which such proposal relates.

If the Board shall give notice to any bidder that his or its proposal is accepted and the contract is approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and if the bidder shall fail within ten days thereafter or within such further period, if any, as may be prescribed by the Board, to execute and deliver the contract and make the deposit in cash or securities, and to execute and deliver the bond with sureties, then this invitation to contractors and proposal accepted as aforesaid shall be a contract binding the bidder to pay to the City the damages by it sustained by reason of such failure, and in such case the bidder hereby absolutely assigns to the City the ownership of the check accompanying his or its proposal as a payment on account of such damages.

Such check must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the proposal, but must be separately delivered to the Board or to its secretary, who will give a proper voucher for the deposit.

All such deposits made by bidders whose proposals shall not be accepted by the Board will be returned to the person or persons making the same within five days after the contract shall be executed and delivered. The deposit of the successful bidder or bidders will be returned when the contract is executed and its provisions as to security are complied with.

THE BOARD OF RAPID TRANSIT RAILROAD COMMISSIONERS FOR THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

By A. E. ORR, President.

BION L. BURROWS, Secretary.

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*This section will not be contracted for at present if a contract for Section 5-D-3 is let.

INVITATION TO CONTRACTORS.

SEVENTH AND EIGHTH AVENUE AND JEROME AVENUE SUBWAY ROUTES.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK (HEREIN after called The City), acting by its Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners (hereinafter called the Board), contemplates building a rapid transit railroad along the routes described below.

By this advertisement The City invites proposals to construct such railroad upon the routes and in accordance with the detailed plans and specifications adopted therefor. Such proposals may be submitted for any one or more of the fifteen separate parts of which such railroad consists as hereinafter stated. The points within the City between which the said several parts of the said road are to run, and the routes to be followed, are briefly as follows, beginning at the southerly end of the said routes and continuing to the northerly end thereof:

Section 4-D-1: Begins at a terminal under the Battery Park and then runs northerly under Greenwich street to a point thirty feet north of the northerly side of Morris street.

Section 4-D-2: Begins at the northerly end of Section 4-D-1 and runs northerly under Greenwich street and West Broadway to the centre line of Chambers street. This section will also include what is designated as the Barclay street loop.

Section 4-C: Begins at the northerly end of Section 4-D-2 and runs northerly under West Broadway to West Fourth street.

Section 4-B: Begins at the northerly end of Section 4-C and runs under Washington square to the intersection of Waverley place and Macdougal street and then under private property to Sixth avenue near the corner of Clinton place and then under Greenwich avenue to West Eleventh street. It then passes under private property to a point near the corner of Seventh avenue and West Twelfth street and continues northerly under Seventh avenue to a point about half way between Twenty-fifth and Twenty-sixth streets.

Section 4-O-1: Begins at the northerly end of Section 4-B and runs northerly under Seventh avenue to the southerly line of Forty-first street.

Section 4-O-2: Begins at the northerly end of Section 4-O-1 and runs northerly to the northwesterly side of Forty-third street, passing under the existing subway.

Section 4-O-3: Is an alternative for Section 4-O-2. It begins at the northerly end of Section 4-O-1 and runs northerly so as to afford a suitable connection extending under Seventh avenue at Broadway or Times square to a point about Forty-third street, where a junction can be made with the existing subway.

Section 4-A: Begins near the intersection of the centre line of Seventh avenue with the northwesterly side of Forty-third street at the northerly end of Section 4-O-2, above described, and runs thence northerly under Seventh avenue to the Central Park, and thence under the Central Park to Central Park West, near the intersection of Sixty-second street.

Section 4-AA-1: Begins at the northerly end of Section 4-AA-1 and runs thence under Central Park West to about the centre of the Plaza at the intersection of Central Park West with One Hundred and Tenth street.

Section 4-AA-2: Begins at the northerly end of Section 4-AA-1 and runs northerly under Eighth avenue to a point between One Hundred and Forty-ninth and One Hundred and Fifty streets. It then runs under Macomb's lane to One Hundred and Fifty-third street and forms a loop under One Hundred and Forty-fourth street and private property, coming back to Eighth avenue. It also includes a spur running northerly along Eighth avenue to a point about half way between One Hundred and Fifty-fourth and One Hundred and Fifty-fifth streets.

Section 15-A: Begins at the northerly end of Section 4-AA-2 and runs thence northeasterly under Eighth avenue and private property to and under the Harlem river, and under private property in the Borough of The Bronx to a point under One Hundred and Sixty-second street west of Ogden avenue. It then continues eastward under One Hundred and Sixty-second street and private property to a point in the westerly side of Jerome avenue about opposite its intersection with the centre line of One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street produced, and thence continues under Jerome avenue to a point about half way between One Hundred and Sixty-fourth and One Hundred and Sixty-fifth streets.

Section 15-AA-1: Begins at the northerly end of Section 15-A and runs northerly under and along Jerome avenue to a point about half way between One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street and Fordham road.

Section 15-AB-1: Begins at the northerly end of Section 15-AA-1, and runs northerly under Jerome avenue to the point of junction of Jerome avenue with Woodlawn road, opposite the Woodlawn Cemetery.

Sections 4-H-1 and 4-H-2 hereinabove described are alternatives for Sections 4-C, 4-B, 4-O-1, 4-O-2, 4-O-3 and 4-A above mentioned. If the said six last mentioned sections, or any of them, are contracted for, Sections 4-H-1 and 4-H-2

will not be included in the contract for which proposals are now invited.

Section 4-H-1: Begins at the northerly end of Section 4-D-2 above described and runs northerly under Hudson street to a point between Eleventh street and Bank street, and then under Eighth avenue to the northerly line of Twenty-third street.

Section 4-H-2: Begins at the northerly end of Section 4-H-1 and runs northerly under Eighth avenue and Central Park West to the point near the intersection of Sixty-second street at which the northerly end of Section 4-A above described is located.

The general plan of construction calls for a railroad placed in subway or tunnels. The road is intended to be operated by electricity or some other power not requiring combustion within the tunnels, and the motors are intended to be capable of moving trains at a speed not less than forty miles per hour for long distances, exclusive of stops. There will be four tracks from the terminal in Battery Park to about One Hundred and Fiftieth street. There will be two tracks in the Macomb's lane loop and two tracks from One Hundred and Fiftieth street and Eighth avenue northerly under the Harlem river and Jerome avenue.

There will be a single-track loop constituting a part of Section 4-D-2 which will begin under West Broadway at a point near Murray and Warren streets and then pass under private property, Greenwich street and Barclay street to a point near the northwest corner of West Broadway and Barclay street.

Suitable stations as shown on the detailed plans, together with crossovers, turnouts and sidings as may be necessary, are also to be provided.

The tracks are to be of standard gauge. The tunnels are to have a height of not less than 13 feet in the clear, and a maximum width of 15 feet for each track, except at stations, curves, etc., where the width may be increased. The roof of the tunnels is generally to be as near the surface of streets as street conditions and grades will permit, but will be depressed whenever necessary to avoid grade crossings as well as where approaching the Harlem river. The roof and sides of the tunnels will be of iron or steel and masonry.

Entrances to stations will in general be placed within private property, rights in which will be acquired for the purpose.

Construction is to be generally carried on by means of tunnelling or excavation under cover, except as may be otherwise specially provided in the contract, or in places where the Board shall give express permission to construct by open excavation. In Battery Park, Washington square and Central Park, or other places under the jurisdiction of the Department of Parks, all trees injured or destroyed in the course of construction are to be replaced by the contractor under the direction and to the satisfaction of said Department.

The Board has included in the detailed plans for construction, provisions for pipe galleries through and along the principal longitudinal streets except in those portions described above as Section 15-A and a part of Section 4-O-2.

Bids for the construction of the railroad on any one or more of these sections must be accompanied by bids for the construction of the pipe galleries appurtenant to such section or sections; and if not so accompanied will not be considered by the Board. The Board reserves the

cate of incorporation, with a certificate of the amount of stock paid in in cash, and the names and business addresses of all officers and directors of the corporation shall be stated; also that it is made without any connection with any other person making a proposal or bid for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud, and that no member of the Board of Aldermen, head of department, chief of bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the corporation, or any member or employee of the Board, is interested, directly or indirectly, as contracting party, partner, stockholder or otherwise, in or in the performance of the contract, or in the supplies, work or business to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof.

Bidders shall specify separately in their proposals the amounts for which they will construct each separate part as described above; and the amounts for which they will construct pipe galleries. They may, however, make their bid for any one section of this proposed railroad conditional upon either the acceptance or rejection of their bid for any one or more of the other sections which they shall specify, or upon the acceptance or rejection of their bids for any other Rapid Transit Railroad construction submitted by them at the same time.

The price stated for the construction of each separate part shall include the furnishing of all materials and the performance of all labor requisite to the complete construction of such part, including all sewer and street construction and reconstruction and other work caused by or incidental to the construction of the same as set out in the proposed form of contract.

Bidders who submit proposals to construct and also to equip, maintain and operate the railroad, must specify in their proposals in addition to the matters hereinbefore contained, the following:

(A) An estimate of the cost of the equipment of the railroad upon which the proposal is based. The word "equipment" includes motors, cars, machinery, power houses, all real estate upon which any such power house shall stand, rails, ties, ballast, telephone and telegraph appliances, and other real and personal property as specified in the form of contract. Such equipment is to remain the property of the contractor, but will be subject to a lien of the City to secure performance by the contractor of all the obligations of the contract, including the payment of rental under the lease during its entire term and during any extension thereof.

(B) The maximum fare (not to exceed five cents) which will be charged a single passenger for a continuous ride over the whole or any part of the railroad.

(C) What transportation facilities over railroads connecting or to connect with the Rapid Transit Railroad the contractor will assure to the City, specifying separately in Schedule A forming part of the proposal the connecting lines over which a continuous trip shall be assured to passengers for a single fare not exceeding five cents without change of cars; in Schedule B, forming part of the proposal the connecting lines over which a continuous trip shall be assured to passengers for a single fare not exceeding five cents, but with or without change of cars at the option of the contractor; and in Schedule C, forming part of the proposal the connecting lines over which a continuous trip shall be assured to passengers with or without change of cars at the option of the contractor, for fares exceeding five cents per trip but within limitations to be specified.

No proposal will be allowed to be withdrawn for any reason whatever after it shall have been deposited with the Board.

The Board is not obliged by law to accept any of the proposals received by it, but may reject all such proposals and readvertise, or may accept any of such proposals as will in the judgment of the Board best promote the public interest and award a contract or contracts accordingly, subject to approval by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, as required by law. If any part or parts of the road are not contracted for, the Board reserves the right to make a separate contract or separate contracts thereafter for the remaining part or parts.

The award of the contract or contracts (if awarded) will be made by the Board within fifteen days after the opening of the proposals. The bidder or bidders whose proposal shall be accepted shall in person or by duly authorized representative attend at the said office of the Board within ten days after the delivery of a notice by the Board that the proposal is accepted and that the contract is approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment; and such bidder or bidders shall then deliver a contract in the form referred to, duly executed with its execution duly proved.

At the time of the delivery of a contract, the contractor will be required to furnish security to the City as follows:

(1) By depositing in cash or approved securities for each part of the road for which the contract is made the following amounts, viz.: For Section 4-D-1..... \$25,000.00 For Section 4-D-2..... 50,000.00 For Section 4-C..... 100,000.00 For Section 4-B..... 100,000.00 For Section 4-O-1..... 60,000.00 For Section 4-O-2..... 20,000.00 For Section 4-O-3..... 20,000.00 For Section 4-A..... 100,000.00 For Section 4-AA-1..... 200,000.00 For Section 4-AA-2..... 200,000.00 For Section 15-A..... 60,000.00 For Section 15-AA-1..... 100,000.00 For Section 15-AB-1..... 100,000.00 For Section 4-H-1..... 200,000.00 For Section 4-H-2..... 175,000.00

If the contract covers two or more parts of the road, the deposit shall be the aggregate of the deposits required in respect of each of the several parts contracted for.

(2) By giving a bond in a penalty equal to the amount of the deposit as above required. At the option of the contractor, cash or approved securities may be deposited instead of giving a bond.

If securities are deposited for any purpose under this contract they must be of the character of securities in which savings banks may invest their funds and must be approved by the Board. Bonds must be in one of the forms annexed to the form of contract.

In addition, and as further security to the City, 10 per cent. of each amount certified from time to time to be due to the contractor will be retained until the railroad is completed.

Each bidder must state in his proposals the names and places of business of the proposed sureties on the bond proposed to be given, and describe any securities proposed to be deposited.

Bidders whose proposals are otherwise satisfactory to the Board may, in case the sureties or securities named by them are not approved by the Board, substitute in their proposals the names of new sureties or a different schedule of securities approved by the Board; but such substitution must be made within five days after notice of disapproval by the Board, unless this period is extended by the Board.

In case of failure or neglect to execute and deliver the contract or to make the required deposit or to execute and deliver the required bond, such bidder or bidders will, at the option of the Board, be deemed either to have made the contract or to have abandoned the contract. In the

latter case the Board shall give notice thereof to the defaulting bidder or bidders. And the Board may thereupon proceed to make another contract with such, if any, of the original bidders, as, in the opinion of the Board, it will be to the best interest of the City to contract with, or may by new advertisement invite further proposals. The defaulting bidder or bidders shall thereupon be liable to the City for all loss and damage by it sustained, including the excess, if any, of the amount it shall pay any other contractor over the amount of the bid of such defaulting bidder or bidders, and without abatement by reason of any increase of rental which such excess may produce to the City.

Every proposal must, when submitted, be enclosed in a sealed envelope indorsed "Proposal for Constructing Rapid Transit Railroad (Seventh Avenue Route, etc.), Sections —," and must be delivered to the Board or to its Secretary; and in the presence of the person offering the proposal it will be deposited in a sealed box in which all proposals will be deposited. No proposals will be received or deposited unless accompanied by a certified check drawn upon a national or State bank or trust company within The City of New York and satisfactory to the Board, payable to the order of the Comptroller of The City of New York, for an amount equal to 10 per cent. of the deposit above required to be made upon the delivery of a contract for construction of the section or sections of the proposed rapid transit railroad to which such proposal relates.

If the Board shall give notice to any bidder that his or its proposal is accepted and the contract is approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and if the bidder shall fail within ten days thereafter or within such further period, if any, as may be prescribed by the Board, to execute and deliver the contract and make the deposit in cash or securities, and to execute and deliver the bond with sureties, then this invitation to contractors and proposal accepted as aforesaid shall be a contract binding the bidder to pay to the City the damages by it sustained by reason of such failure, and in such case the bidder hereby absolutely assigns to the City the ownership of the check accompanying his or its proposal as a payment on account of such damages.

Such check must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the proposal, but must be separately delivered to the Board or to its Secretary, who will give a proper voucher for the deposit.

All such deposits made by bidders whose proposals shall not be accepted by the Board will be returned to the person or persons making the same within five days after the contract shall be executed and delivered. The deposit of the successful bidder or bidders will be returned when the contract is executed and its provisions as to security are complied with.

THE BOARD OF RAPID TRANSIT RAILROAD COMMISSIONERS FOR THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

By A. E. ORR,
President.

BION L. BURROWS,
Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

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

PUBLIC NOTICE.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

SALE OF UNUSED PROPERTY.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT on MONDAY, MAY 6, 1907,

at 10 a. m., at Stable "G," Pacific street, between Utica and Rochester avenues, Borough of Brooklyn, pursuant to section 541 of the Greater New York Charter, the following unused property of the Department of Street Cleaning will be sold at public auction:

75 horses, more or less.
3 colts, more or less.
30,000 pounds old iron, including 28 old steel cart bodies, more or less.
977 feet old garden hose, more or less.
26 pounds old bicycle rubber tires, more or less.
294 old pipe horse collars, more or less.
90 old cart saddles, more or less.
2,166 pounds old harness, consisting of breechings, bridles, halters, Boston backers, lines, belly bands, bridle fronts and Dutch collars, more or less.

278 old truck and cart harness, more or less.
7 sets old carriage harness, more or less.
1 set single wagon harness, more or less.
4,917 pounds old canvas truck, cart and quarter blankets, more or less.
882 pounds old woolen stable and street blankets, more or less.
14 old iron manure wheelbarrows, more or less.
60 pounds horse hair, manes and tails only, more or less.
10 old bicycles, more or less.
4 old hoisting blocks, more or less.

TERMS OF SALE.

The horses are to be paid for in full at the time of the sale and to be removed before 3 o'clock p. m. on the day of the sale; on the rest of the property a deposit of 75 per cent. of the purchase price will be required on the day of the sale. The articles sold are to be removed within ten (10) days, or in default thereof the said deposit shall be forfeited to the City of New York as liquidated damages.

WM. H. EDWARDS,

Deputy and Acting Commissioner.

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MAIN OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING, ROOM 1403, NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

TUESDAY, MAY 7, 1907,
Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx
and Brooklyn.

CONTRACT FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 224 WHEELS, 400 HUBS AND 425 HUB-BANDS.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before June 30, 1907.

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

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, each, or other unit of measure by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total and awards made to the lowest bidder.

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

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

WM. H. EDWARDS,
Deputy and Acting Commissioner
of Street Cleaning.

Dated April 2, 1907.

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

MAIN OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING, ROOM 1403, NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

TUESDAY, APRIL 30, 1907,
Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

CONTRACT FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 200 DRAFT HORSES.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before June 15, 1907.

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

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

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

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

WM. H. EDWARDS,
Deputy and Acting Commissioner
of Street Cleaning.

Dated April 17, 1907.

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

ASHES, ETC., FOR FILLING IN LANDS.

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

MACDONOUGH CRAVEN,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

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OFFICIAL PAPERS.

Morning—"The Sun," "The New York Times."

Evening—"The Globe," "The Evening Mail."

Weekly—"Democracy," "Real Estate Record and Guide."

German—"Staats-Zeitung."

Designated by the Board of City Record, January 22, 1906. Amended March 1, 1906, November 20, 1906, and February 20, 1907.

SUPREME COURT—FIRST DEPARTMENT.

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 uplands, lands, wharf property, wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges of and to the uplands and lands necessary to be taken for the improvement of the water front of The City of New York, on the North river, between TWENTIETH STREET AND TWENTY-FIRST STREET and the westerly side of ELEVENTH AVENUE and the Hudson river, pursuant to a plan heretofore adopted by the Board of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held at the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 7th day of May, 1907, at 10:30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, April 24, 1907.

JOSEPH M. SCHENCK,

Clerk.

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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 wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges appertaining to PIERS (OLD) NOS. 16 AND 17, EAST RIVER, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, not now owned by The City of New York, and all right, title and interest in and to said piers or any portion thereof, not now owned by The City of New York, and all wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges appertaining to all that certain bulkhead, dock or wharf property on or near the southerly line of South street, in said borough and City, between the easterly side of Pier (old) No. 16 and the westerly side of Pier (old) No. 17, and between the easterly side of Pier (old) No. 17 and the westerly side of Pier (old) No. 18, East river, not now owned by The City of New York, 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.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held at the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 7th day of May, 1907, at 10:30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, April 24, 1907.

JOSEPH M. SCHENCK,

Clerk.

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FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended. Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, April 24, 1907.

JOSEPH M. SCHENCK,
Clerk.
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FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of FAIRVIEW AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Eleventh avenue to Broadway, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

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

First—That we have completed our supplemental and amended estimate of assessment for benefit and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 15th day of May, 1907, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 17th day of May, 1907, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said supplemental and amended estimate of assessment, together with our benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said City, there to remain until the 17th day of May, 1907.

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

Beginning at the point of intersection of a line drawn at right angles to the easterly line of Broadway, from a point midway of the block between Fairview avenue and West One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street with a line parallel to and 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Broadway; thence running northerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the westerly prolongation of the northerly line of Hillside avenue; thence easterly along said westerly prolongation of Hillside avenue to the corner formed by the intersection of the southeasterly line of Nagle avenue and the northerly line of Hillside avenue; thence northeasterly along the southeasterly line of Nagle avenue to the corner formed by the intersection of the southeasterly line of Nagle avenue and the easterly line of Ellwood street; thence easterly on a straight line to its intersection with a line drawn at right angles to the westerly line of St. Nicholas avenue and distant 100 feet westerly therefrom from a point midway of the block between Nagle avenue and Fairview avenue; thence southeasterly along the last-mentioned right-angled line and its southeasterly prolongation to its intersection with a line parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly of the northerly line of Fort George avenue; thence easterly along said line parallel to Fort George avenue and southeasterly and southerly along a line parallel to and 100 feet northeasterly and easterly from the northeasterly and easterly line of Amsterdam avenue to its intersection with the easterly prolongation of the northerly line of West One Hundred and Ninetieth street; thence westerly along said last-mentioned prolongation and northerly line of West One Hundred and Ninetieth street and its westerly prolongation to its intersection with the middle line of the block between Wadsworth avenue and Broadway; thence southerly along said middle line of the block to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to West One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street from a point in the easterly line of Broadway midway of the block between Fairview avenue and West One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street; thence westerly along said parallel line to the point or place of beginning; excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That, provided there be no objections filed to said abstract, our final report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court House, in The City of New York, on the 20th day of June, 1907, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Fifth—In case, however, objections are filed to said abstract of estimate of assessment, the notice of motion to confirm our final report herein will stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified, and of which notice will be given to all those who have theretofore appeared in this proceeding, as well as by publication in the City Record, pursuant to sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, April 19, 1907.

HAROLD SWAIN,
Chairman;
SAMUEL S. SLATER,
JOHN J. QUINLAN,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.
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FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of BARRY STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Leggett avenue to Longwood avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department.

ment, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held at the County Court House in The City of New York, on the 6th day of May, 1907, at 10:30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the Office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of the Greater New York Charter as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, April 23, 1907.

T. CHANNON PRESS,
THOMAS KIERNAN,
SEYMORE MORK,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.
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FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of FOX STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Longwood avenue to Inter-avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held at the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 6th day of May, 1907, at 10:30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, April 23, 1907.

HENRY LIPPS, JR.,
GEO. J. CLARKE,
GERALD J. BARRY,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.
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FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to WHITE PLAINS ROAD (although not yet named by proper authority), from the northern boundary of The City of New York to Morris Park avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE supplemental and additional bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held at the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 6th day of May, 1907, at 10:30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, April 22, 1907.

CHAS. DONOHUE,
SAM'L MCMILLAN,
EDWIN W. FISKE,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.
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FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of WHITE PLAINS ROAD (although not yet named by proper authority), from Morris Park avenue to West Farms road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE supplemental and additional bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held at the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 6th day of May, 1907, at 10:30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, April 22, 1907.

HENRY LIPPS, JR.,
JACOB STAHL, JR.,
RODERICK J. KENNEDY,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.
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FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of AVE-NU B, from East Twenty-first street to Marginal street, wharf or place, as laid out on July 14, 1905, in the Eighteenth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the

State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held at the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 3d day of May, 1907, at 10:30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, April 20, 1907.

SAMPSON H. WEINHANDLER,
W. J. HIRSCHFELD,
EMMET J. MURPHY,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.
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FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of FOX STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Longwood avenue to Inter-avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE supplemental and additional bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held at the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 6th day of May, 1907, at 10:30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, April 20, 1907.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.
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Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, April 20, 1907.

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Clerk.
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FIRST DEPARTMENT.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE supplemental and additional bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held at the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 6th day of May, 1907, at 10:30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE supplemental and additional bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held at the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 6th day of May, 1907, at 10:30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, April 20, 1907.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.
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FIRST DEPARTMENT.

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be in attendance at our said office on the 10th day of May, 1907, at 11 o'clock a. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate of damage, together with our damage maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said City, there to remain until the 10th day of May, 1907.

Third—That we propose to assess for benefit, which assessment will appear in our last partial and separate abstract of estimate and assessment, and will be contained in our last partial and separate report, all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at the point of intersection of a line parallel to and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of St. Nicholas avenue with the easterly prolongation of a line parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of West One Hundred and Sixty-first street; running thence westerly along said prolongation and parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Broadway; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of West One Hundred and Sixtieth street; thence westerly along said parallel line to the easterly line of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company; thence northerly along said middle line to its intersection with a line parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of West One Hundred and Sixty-first street; thence westerly along said parallel line to the easterly line of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company; thence northerly along said property line to its intersection with a line parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of West One Hundred and Sixty-first street; thence easterly along said parallel line to the easterly line of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company; thence northerly along said property line to its intersection with a line parallel to and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Broadway; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of West One Hundred and Sixty-first street; thence easterly along said parallel line and its easterly prolongation to its intersection with a line parallel to and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of St. Nicholas avenue; thence southerly along said parallel line to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That, provided there be no objections filed to said abstract, our first partial and separate report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 13th day of June, 1907, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Fifth—In case, however, objections are filed to said abstract of estimate of damage, the notice of motion to confirm our first partial and separate report herein will stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified, and of which notice will be given to all those who have theretofore appeared in this proceeding, as well as by publication in the City Record, pursuant to sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, April 5, 1907.

MICHAEL W. RAYENS,
JAMES T. MEEHAN,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

a18,m6

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the widening of RIVERSIDE DRIVE, from West One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street to West One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMIS-
sioners 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 of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 8th day of May, 1907, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 10th day of May, 1907, at 12 o'clock m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate of damage, together with our damage maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said City, there to remain until the 10th day of May, 1907.

Third—That we propose to assess for benefit, which assessment will appear in our last partial and separate abstract of estimate and assessment, and will be contained in our last partial and separate report, all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at the point of intersection of a line parallel to and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Edgecombe road with the easterly prolongation of a line parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of West One Hundred and Sixtieth street; running thence westerly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Broadway; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the line parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of West One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street; thence westerly along said parallel line and its westerly prolongation to its intersection with the middle line of the block between Riverside drive and the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad; thence northerly along said middle line of the block to its intersection with the line parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of West One Hundred and Sixty-first street; thence easterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the line parallel to and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Broadway; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the line parallel to and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Edgecombe road; thence southerly along said parallel line to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That, provided there be no objections filed to said abstract, our first partial and separate report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 13th day of June, 1907, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Fifth—In case, however, objections are filed to said abstract of estimate of damage, the notice of motion to confirm our first partial and separate report herein will stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified, and of which notice will be given to all those who have theretofore appeared in this proceeding, as well as by publication in the City Record, pursuant to sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, April 5, 1907.

JNO. B. TRAINER,
Chairman;

MICHAEL T. DALY,
THOMAS S. SCOTT,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

a18,m6

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, acting by and through the Commissioner of Docks, relative to acquiring right and title to and possession of certain uplands and lands, wharf property, wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges necessary to be taken for the improvement of the water front of The City of New York, on the North river, between West Fifteenth and West Eighteenth streets, and the easterly side of the marginal street, wharf or place adopted by the Board of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, and the North river, pursuant to the plan heretofore adopted by the Board of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A 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, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held at the County Court House in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, on the 29th day of April, 1907, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, and that said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, April 15, 1907.

JOSEPH M. SCHENCK,
Clerk.

a16,26

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, acting by and through the Commissioner of Docks, relative to acquiring right and title to and possession of the wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges appurtenant to the dock or wharf property known as GOUVERNEUR SLIP, PIER WEST, formerly known as Pier (Old) No. 51, East river, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, not now owned by The City of New York, and all right, title and interest in and to said pier, or any portion thereof, not now owned by The City of New York, for the improvement of the waterfront 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.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY an order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, bearing date the 5th day of April, 1907, and filed and entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 12th day of April, 1907, Messrs. Thomas P. Dinnean and Samuel Sanders were appointed Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled proceedings in the place and stead of Henry W. Wolf and David Barry, deceased.

Notice is further given, pursuant to the statutes in such case made and provided, that the said Thomas P. Dinnean and Samuel Sanders will attend at a Special Term of the Supreme Court, to be held in Part II. thereof, in the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 26th day of April, 1907, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, or by any person having an interest in said proceeding, as to their qualifications to act as Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in said proceeding.

Dated New York, April 12, 1907.

WILLIAM B. ELLISON,
Corporation Counsel,
Hall of Records,
Borough of Manhattan,
New York City.

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FIRST JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of the Commissioner of Public Works of The City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of WEST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTIETH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Broadway to Riverside drive, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 8th day of May, 1907, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 10th day of May, 1907, at 4 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate of damage, together with our damage maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said City, there to remain until the 10th day of May, 1907.

Third—That we propose to assess for benefit, which assessment will appear in our last partial and separate abstract of estimate and assessment, and will be contained in our last partial and separate report, all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at the point of intersection of a line parallel to and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Edgecombe road with the easterly prolongation of a line parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of West One Hundred and Sixtieth street; running thence westerly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Broadway; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the line parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of West One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street; thence westerly along said parallel line and its westerly prolongation to its intersection with the middle line of the block between Riverside drive and the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad; thence northerly along said middle line of the block to its intersection with the line parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of West One Hundred and Sixty-first street; thence easterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the line parallel to and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Broadway; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the line parallel to and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Edgecombe road; thence southerly along said parallel line to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That, provided there be no objections filed to said abstract, our first partial and separate report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 12th day of June, 1907, at 9:30 o'clock a. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said supplemental and amended second partial and separate estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 8th day of May, 1907, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 10th day of May, 1907, at 9:30 o'clock a. m.

Third—That, provided there be no objections filed to said abstract, our supplemental and amended second partial and separate final report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 12th day of June, 1907, at 9:30 o'clock a. m.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, April 17, 1907.

ARTHUR BERRY,
Chairman;
E. W. BLOOMINGDALE,
EDWARD B. WHITNEY,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

a17,m4

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises situated in the block bounded by TWENTY-SEVENTH AND TWENTY-EIGHTH STREETS, NINTH AND TENTH AVENUES, in the Borough of Manhattan, as a site for public park purposes, according to law.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held at the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 29th day of April, 1907, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

First—That we have completed our estimate of damage, 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, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on or before the 14th day of May, 1907, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 16th day of May, 1907, at 11 o'clock a. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate of damage, and 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.

partment of The City of New York, in the Borough of Brooklyn, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, there to remain until the 25th day of May, 1907.

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

Beginning on the southerly side of Atlantic avenue, where the same is intersected by the centre line of the block between Grant avenue and Eldert's lane; running thence southerly and along the centre line of the blocks between Grant avenue and Eldert's lane to the northerly side of Liberty avenue; running thence westerly and along the northerly side of Liberty avenue to the centre line of the block between Sheridan avenue and Grant avenue; running thence northerly and along the centre line of the blocks between Sheridan avenue and Grant avenue, to the southerly side of Atlantic avenue; running thence easterly and along the southerly side of Atlantic avenue to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 22d day of July, 1907, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, April 25, 1907.

AUGUSTUS C. FISCHER,
Chairman;
JOHN H. DOUGLASS,
DANIEL G. CAMPION,
Commissioners.

JAMES F. QUIGLEY,
Clerk.
a25,m11

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 SIXTIETH STREET, between the bullock line and Third avenue, in the Eighth and Thirtieth Wards, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held for the hearing of motions, at the Kings County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 9th day of May, 1907, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of title 4 of chapter 17, of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, New York, April 25, 1907.

M. E. FINNEGAN,
A. C. WHEELER,
CHARLES H. COTTON,
Commissioners.

JAMES F. QUIGLEY,
Clerk.
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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 FORTIETH STREET, from the former city line to New Utrecht avenue, in the Thirtieth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held for the hearing of motions, at the Kings County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 9th day of May, 1907, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of title 4 of chapter 17, of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, New York, April 25, 1907.

S. T. MADDOX, JR.,
W. B. VARNAM,
WM. A. FORD,
Commissioners.

JAMES F. QUIGLEY,
Clerk.
a25,m6

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York to acquire certain real estate upon PINE'S STREAM and EAST MEADOW STREAM in the Town of Hempstead, in the County of Nassau, for purposes of water supply.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE report of William H. E. Jay, William J. Youngs and William M. Copp, the Commissioners of Appraisal appointed herein, was filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Nassau on the 17th day of April, 1907, and that the said report will be presented for confirmation or such other action as may be proper, to the Supreme Court, at a Special Term thereof for motions, to be held in and for the County of Kings, at the County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, on the 24th day of May, 1907, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard.

Dated April 17, 1907.

WILLIAM B. ELLISON,
Corporation Counsel,
Borough Hall,
Brooklyn,
New York City.
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COUNTY OF KINGS.

In the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises situated on the NORTHWESTERLY SIDE OF ARION PLACE AND THE SOUTHEASTERLY SIDE OF BELVIDERE STREET, one hundred feet south of Beaver street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, duly selected as a site for school purposes.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT Samuel T. Maddox, Jr.; Lewis L. Fawcett and Edward D. Hennessy, Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled proceeding, have made and signed their final report herein and on April 22, 1907, filed the same in the office of the Board of Education of The City of New York, at Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, and on the same day filed a duplicate of said report in the office of the Clerk of Kings County, in the Hall of Records, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, and that said report will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court, at Special Term for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court House in Kings County, on May 6, 1907, at 10:30 o'clock a.m., or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, April 22, 1907.

WILLIAM B. ELLISON,
Corporation Counsel.
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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises situated on the EASTERN SIDE OF TARGE STREET and the WESTERLY SIDE OF GORDON STREET, 100 feet north of Elm street, in the Borough of Richmond, in The City of New York, duly selected as a site for school purposes, according to law.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Appraisal in the above-entitled proceeding, do hereby give notice to the owner or owners, lessee or lessees, parties or persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises, title to which is sought to be acquired in this proceeding, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate of the loss and damage to the respective owners, lessees, parties or persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands and premises affected by this proceeding, or having any interest therein, and have filed a true report or transcript of such estimate in the office of the Board of Education of The City of New York, situated at the southwest corner of Fifty-ninth street and Park avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, for the inspection of whomsoever it may concern.

Second—That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by the said estimate, or who may object to the same, or any part thereof, may, within ten days after the first publication of this notice, Saturday, April 20, 1907, file their objections, in writing, with us, at our office, Room 401, No. 258 Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York; and we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, at our said office, on the 2d day of May, 1907, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Dated New York, April 19, 1907.

WILLIAM ALLAIRE SHORTT,
RUSSELL BLEECKER,
J. JUDSON WORRELL,
Commissioners.

JOSEPH M. SCHENCK,
Clerk.
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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, acting by and through the Commissioner of Docks, relative to acquiring right and title to and possession of certain lands and premises and lands under water and wharf property necessary to be taken for the improvement of the water front and harbor of The City of New York for ferry purposes, between RICHMOND AVENUE AND FERRY STREET, PORT RICHMOND, in the Borough of Richmond, in The City of New York, pursuant to a certain plan heretofore adopted by the Commissioner of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A 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 for the hearing of motions, to be held at the County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 2d day of May, 1907, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended.

Dated New York, April 19, 1907.

JOSEPH M. SCHENCK,
Clerk.
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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 CORNELIA STREET, from Knickerbocker avenue to the Borough line of Queens, in the Twenty-eighth Ward in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held for the hearing of motions, at the Kings County Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 2d day of May, 1907, at 10:30 o'clock in the fore-

noon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of title 4 of chapter 17, of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, New York, April 19, 1907.

GEORGE H. PERRY,
HINGHAM T. WILSON,
THOMAS WALL,
Commissioners.

JAMES F. QUIGLEY,
Clerk.

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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 an extending the PUBLIC PLACE bounded by Lee avenue, Heves street and the proposed extension of Bedford avenue, in the Nineteenth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held for the hearing of motions, at the Kings County Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 2d day of May, 1907, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, New York, April 19, 1907.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, made and entered herein on the 26th day of September, 1904, and duly filed in the office of the Clerk of Kings County, a copy of which order was filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings on the 30th day of September, 1904, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances in Section 23, Blocks 7630, 7631, 7632, 7633, 7634, 7635, 7636, 7637, 7648, 7649, 7650, 7651, 7652, 7653, 7654, 7655, 7810 and 7815, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate of the loss and damage, if any, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons entitled to or interested in the lands and premises to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, as particularly described in the petition of The City of New York, filed with said order in the office of the Clerk of Kings County, and for the purpose of making a just and equitable assessment of the benefit of said street or avenue so to be opened to the respective owners, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands and premises and not required for the purpose of opening said street or avenue, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the district benefited by said assessment, and the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts and parcels of land participating in said benefit, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by title 4 of chapter 17 of the Charter of The City of New York, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the lands and premises taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department, No. 166 Montague street, Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owner or claimants may desire, within twenty days after date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 14th day of May, 1907, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto; and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, April 19, 1907.

JOSEPH P. CONWAY,
JOHN C. McGROARTY,
JOS. F. CURRIN,
Commissioners.

JAMES F. QUIGLEY,
Clerk.
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KINGS COUNTY.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening FIFTY-FIRST STREET, between Ninth avenue and New Utrecht avenue, in the Thirtieth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held for the hearing of motions, at the Kings County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 2d day of May, 1907, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of title 4 of chapter 17 of the Laws of 1897, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, New York, April 19, 1907.

JOHN C. JUDGE,
PETER J. HICKEY,
CHARLES A. OGREN,
Commissioners.

JAMES F. QUIGLEY,
Clerk.

a19,30

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of EAST NINETY-FOURTH STREET, from First avenue to Fourth avenue, Seventh avenue to Tenth avenue, and Twelfth avenue to Eighteenth avenue, in the Thirtieth and Thirty-first Wards of the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

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

WILLIAM B. ELLISON,
Corporation Counsel,
No. 166 Montague street,
Brooklyn, N. Y.
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First—That we have completed our amended and supplemental 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, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on or before the 7th day of May, 1907, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 8th day of May, 1907, at 11 o'clock a.m.

Second—That the abstracts of our said amended and supplemental estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in said City, there to remain until the 17th day of May, 1907.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of 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 East New York avenue where the same is intersected by the centre line of the block between East Ninety-fourth street and East Ninety-fifth street; running thence southerly and along the centre line of the blocks between East Ninety-fourth street and East Ninety-fifth street to the northerly side of Sea View avenue; running thence westerly along the northerly side of Sea View avenue to the centre line of the block between East Ninety-third street and East Ninety-fourth street; running thence northerly and along the centre line of the blocks between East Ninety-third street and East Ninety-fourth street to the southerly side of East New York avenue; running thence easterly along the southerly side of East New York avenue to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That our final report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 29th day of July, 1907, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, New York, April 17, 1907.

HERSEY EGGINTON,
F. H. KENNY,
Commissioners.

JAMES F. QUIGLEY,
Clerk.

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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening EAST FORTIETH STREET, from Canarsie avenue or lane to Foster avenue (formerly Avenue E), in the Twenty-ninth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held for the hearing of motions, at the Kings County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 30th day of April, 1907, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of title 4 of chapter 17, of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, as amended by chapter 406 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, New York, April 17, 1907.

ANDREW J. PERRY,
JOHN C. McGROATY,
SOLON BARBANELL,
Commissioners.

JAMES F. QUIGLEY,
Clerk.

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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 REPOSE PLACE, from Schenck avenue to Jerome street, in the Twenty-sixth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held for the hearing of motions, at the Kings County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 30th day of April, 1907, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of title 4 of chapter 17, of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, as amended by chapter 406 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, New York, April 17, 1907.

EDWARD RIEGELMANN,
F. B. VANWART,
JOSE E. PIDGEON,
Commissioners.

JAMES F. QUIGLEY,
Clerk.

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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of UNION AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Richmond terrace to the pier and bulkhead line, in the Third Ward, Borough of Richmond, City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, in the above entitled matter, hereby give notice to

all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 8th day of May, 1907, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 8th day of May, 1907, at 11 o'clock a.m.

Second—That the abstracts of our said amended and supplemental estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in said City, there to remain until the 17th day of May, 1907.

Third—That the abstracts of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said City, there to remain until the 17th day of May, 1907.

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

Beginning at the point of intersection of a line parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Richmond terrace with the northerly prolongation of the westerly line of Van Name avenue; running thence southerly along said northerly prolongation and westerly line of Van Name avenue, to a point 150 feet northerly of the northerly line of the Staten Island Rapid Transit Railroad Company; thence westerly at right angles to Van Name avenue to the westerly line of Van Pelt avenue; thence southerly along the westerly line of Van Pelt avenue to the lands of the Staten Island Rapid Transit Railroad Company; thence westerly following the line of the said railroad to a line parallel to and 100 feet westerly of the westerly line of Bush avenue; thence northerly along said parallel line and said line prolonged to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet northerly of the northerly line of Richmond terrace; thence easterly along said parallel line to the point or place of beginning; excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened as shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said abstracts, our final report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof, for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 18th day of June, 1907, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Fifth—In case, however, objections are filed to either of said abstracts of estimate and assessment, the notice of motion to confirm our final report herein will stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified, and of which notice will be given to all those who have heretofore appeared in this proceeding, as well as by publication in the CITY RECORD, pursuant to sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, April 6, 1907.

FRANK H. INNES,
Chairman;
DAVID P. SCHWARTZ,
DAVID RABINOWITZ,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, acting by and through the Commissioner of Docks, relative to acquiring right and title to and possession of certain lands and premises and lands under water and wharf property necessary to be taken for the improvement of the water front and harbor of The City of New York for ferry purposes, between RICHMOND AVENUE AND FERRY STREET, PORT RICHMOND, in the Borough of Richmond, in The City of New York, pursuant to a certain plan heretofore adopted by the Commissioner of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

The real estate to be acquired herein is situated in the Town of Olive, and is to be acquired in fee for the purpose of furnishing an additional supply of pure and wholesome water for The City of New York.

The following is a statement of the boundaries of the lands to be acquired herein, with a reference to the date and place of filing of the map.

All the parcels herein described are to be acquired in fee and are colored pink on the map hereinafter referred to:

All those certain pieces or parcels of real estate situated in the Town of Olive, County of Ulster, and State of New York, shown on a map entitled "Reservoir Department, Section No. 4, Board of Water Supply of The City of New York, Map of real estate, situated in the Town of Olive, County of Ulster, and State of New York, to be acquired by The City of New York under the provisions of chapter 724 of the Laws of 1905, as amended, for the construction of Ashokan Reservoir, and appurtenances, in the vicinity of Olive City and Broadhead," which map was filed in the office of the County Clerk of the County of Ulster, at Kingston, New York, on the 4th day of March, 1907, and is bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at the junction of the centre lines of the Tongore and Samsonville roads, said point being the southeast corner of Parcel No. 145, and running thence along the centre line of the said Samsonville road and the southerly line of said Parcel No. 145 south 67 degrees 18 minutes west 195.4 feet to the southeast corner of Parcel No. 143; thence along the southerly line of said parcel, and still continuing along the centre line of Samsonville road, the following courses and distances: South 40 degrees 47 minutes west 55.7 feet, south 34 degrees 27 minutes west 409.8 feet, south 34 degrees 29 minutes west 55.3 feet, south 53 degrees 16 minutes west 32 feet, south 63 degrees 36 minutes west 290.1 feet and south 58 degrees 28 minutes west 97.7 feet; thence, still continuing along the southerly line of Parcel No. 143, north 3 degrees 44 minutes west 44.6 feet, north 89 degrees 26 minutes west 111.2 feet, south 59 degrees 2 minutes west 293.3 feet and south 28 degrees 26 minutes east 158.4 feet to the centre of the before-mentioned Samsonville road; thence along the same, and still continuing along the southerly line of said Parcel No. 143, south 53 degrees 5 minutes west 116.6 feet and south 71 degrees 30 minutes west 74.7 feet, to the northeast corner of Parcel No. 144; thence along the easterly line of said parcel south 21 degrees 12 minutes east 72.3 feet to the southeast corner of said parcel; thence along the southerly line of same, south 71 degrees 13 minutes west 160.8 feet, south 48 degrees 56 minutes west 100.9 feet, south 64 degrees 51 minutes west 80 feet, south 55 degrees 2 minutes west 102.3 feet, and north 77 degrees 47 minutes west 104.9 feet to a point in the southwesterly line of the before-mentioned Parcel No. 143; thence along the said southerly line, south 55 degrees 3 minutes west 144.7 feet to a point in the easterly line of Parcel No. 142; thence along the said easterly line, south 58 degrees

14 minutes west 47.3 feet, south 25 degrees 19 minutes west 49.6 feet, south 35 degrees 59 minutes west 24.8 feet, and south 11 degrees 36 minutes west 193.5 feet to a point in the easterly line of Parcel No. 140; thence along the said easterly line, south 39 degrees 4 minutes east 52 feet, south 22 degrees 30 minutes west 458.8 feet, and north 67 degrees 43 minutes west 52.2 feet, crossing Samsonville road; thence still continuing along the said easterly line and the southerly line of Parcel No. 140 the following courses and distances: South 72 degrees 17 minutes west 602.6 feet, south 24 degrees 45 minutes west 272.5 feet, south 45 degrees 21 minutes west 399.3 feet, south 56 degrees 30 minutes west 466.4 feet, south 20 degrees 30 minutes west 751.3 feet, and north 70 degrees 28 minutes west 30.9 feet to the westerly line of said parcel; thence along the same, north 44 degrees 6 minutes west 251.1 feet; thence on a curve of 633 feet radius to the right 760 feet, and north 24 degrees 44 minutes east 963.7 feet, partly along the westerly line of Parcel No. 140 and along the westerly line of Parcel No. 141; thence still continuing along the westerly line of Parcel No. 141 on a curve of 1,367 feet radius to the left 479.3 feet; thence north 4 degrees 40 minutes east 4,019.6 feet, partly along the westerly line of said Parcel No. 140, and along the westerly line of Parcel No. 149 and partly along the westerly line of Parcel No. 156; thence still continuing along the westerly line of Parcel No. 156 on a curve of 467 feet radius to the left 59.9 feet to the most southerly point of parcel No. 170; thence along the westerly and southerly lines of said parcel the following curves, courses and distances: On a curve of 467 feet radius to the left 386.2 feet and north 50 degrees 05 minutes west 261.8 feet; thence on a curve of 667 feet radius to the left 453.2 feet and north 89 degrees 00 minutes west 29 feet; thence along the southerly lines of parcels Nos. 179 and 177, north 89 degrees 00 minutes west 981.4 feet; thence on a curve of 1,067 feet radius to the left 647.1 feet and south 56 degrees 15 minutes west 119.3 feet to the most southerly point of the before-mentioned parcel No. 177; thence still continuing along the westerly and southerly lines of said parcel No. 177, north 36 degrees 01 minutes west 73.8 feet, north 10 degrees 43 minutes west 34.4 feet, north 36 degrees 47 minutes west 182.1 feet, north 88 degrees 59 minutes west 143.3 feet and south 86 degrees 32 minutes west 477.5 feet to the most westerly point of said parcel; thence along the westerly line of same, north 20 degrees 26 minutes east 322.8 feet, north 16 degrees 17 minutes east 871.2 feet and north 28 degrees 56 minutes west 480.8 feet to the northwest corner of said parcel; thence along the northerly line of same the following courses and distances: North 50 degrees 14 minutes east 262.4 feet, north 62 degrees 19 minutes east 103.6 feet, south 5 degrees 58 minutes west 166.7 feet, south 68 degrees 54 minutes east 872.3 feet, south 59 degrees 54 minutes east 129.6 feet and north 16 degrees 03 minutes east 553.4 feet to the south property line of the Ulster and Delaware Railroad Company; thence along the same, and still continuing along the northerly line of parcel No. 177, on a curve of 1,179 feet radius to the left 630.7 feet, and north 89 degrees 48 minutes 30 seconds east 52 feet, to the northwest corner of parcel No. 180; thence along the northerly line of said parcel north 89 degrees 48 minutes 30 seconds east 112.5 feet to the northeast corner of said parcel; thence along the northerly lines of the before-mentioned parcel No. 177 and parcel No. 175, north 89 degrees 48 minutes 30 seconds east 2,106.2 feet, crossing Esopus creek to the northwest corner of Parcel No. 174; thence along the northerly line of said parcel and still continuing along the south property line of the Ulster and Delaware Railroad Company the following courses and distances: North 89 degrees 48 minutes 30 seconds east 68 feet; thence on a curve of 1,406 feet radius to the left 395.9 feet, south 45 degrees 10 minutes west 246 feet, south 44 degrees 53 minutes east 33 feet and north 45 degrees 10 minutes east 308.6 feet; thence on a curve of 1,466 feet radius to the left 139.9 feet, north 66 degrees 08 minutes east 92 feet and on a curve of 1,009 feet radius to the right 22.5 feet to the northwest corner of Parcel No. 173; thence along the northerly line of said parcel and still continuing along the south property line of the Ulster and Delaware Railroad Company, on a curve of 1,009 feet radius to the right 840.6 feet, south 64 degrees 54 minutes east 617 feet and on a curve of 1,113 feet radius to the right 156.7 feet to the northwest corner of Parcel No. 171; thence along the northerly line of said Parcel No. 171, and still continuing along the south property line, on a curve of 113 feet radius to the right 474.5 feet; thence on a curve of 1,400 feet radius to the right 214.4 feet; thence on a curve of 1,943 feet radius to the left 372.9 feet and south 34 degrees 35 minutes east 110.7 feet to the most northerly point of Parcel No. 166; thence along the easterly line of said parcel and the west property line of the before-mentioned railroad south 34 degrees 35 minutes east 205.1 feet; thence on a curve of 1,670 feet radius to the left 1,138.1 feet and south 73 degrees 39 minutes east 380.3 feet to the most easterly point of the before-mentioned Parcel No. 166; thence along the easterly line of said parcel south 79 degrees 30 minutes west 344.1 feet and south 6 degrees 23 minutes west 650.4 feet to the southeast corner of said parcel; thence along the southerly line of said parcel the following courses and distances: North 52 degrees 39 minutes west 223.2 feet and north 88 degrees 31 minutes west 349.6 feet, crossing a road leading from Olive Bridge to Shokan; thence south 34 degrees 37 minutes west 281.3 feet, south 36 degrees 05 minutes west 521.1 feet, south 32 degrees 55 minutes west 152.6 feet, south 42 degrees 41 minutes west 164.6 feet, south 52 degrees 49 minutes west 334.9 feet, south 81 degrees 57 minutes west 158.4 feet and north 84 degrees 46 minutes west 108.7 feet to the centre of Esopus creek and the northeast corner of parcel No. 154; thence along the centre of said creek and the easterly line of said parcel, south 5 degrees 02 minutes west 202.9 feet and south 15 degrees 32 minutes east 223.5 feet to the northeast corner of parcel No. 143; thence along the easterly line of said parcel, and still continuing along the centre of said creek, south 15 degrees 32 minutes east 28.9 feet and south 37 degrees 56 minutes east 318.5 feet; thence south 51 degrees 48 minutes west 86.5 feet to the westerly shore line of the before-mentioned creek; thence along the same, and still continuing along the easterly line of parcel No. 143, south 37 degrees 19 minutes east 139.2 feet and south 27 degrees 08 minutes east 139.6 feet; thence south 66 degrees 14 minutes west 396.6 feet to the centre of Tongore road; thence along the same and the easterly lines of the before-mentioned parcel No. 143 and parcel No. 146, south 47 degrees 58 minutes east 132.8 feet to the most northerly point of parcel No. 145; thence along the easterly line of said parcel, and still continuing along the centre of said road, south 43 degrees 31 minutes east 153.8 feet to the point or place of beginning.

The fee is to be acquired by The City of New York in all the real estate parcels Nos. 140 to 180, inclusive, contained in the above description.

14 minutes west 47.3 feet, south 25 degrees 19 minutes west 49.6 feet, south 35 degrees 59 minutes west 24.8 feet, and south 11 degrees 36 minutes west 193.5 feet to a point in the easterly line of Parcel No. 140; thence along the said easterly line, south 39 degrees 4 minutes east 52 feet, south 22 degrees 3

Reference is hereby made to the said map, filed as aforesaid, in the office of the County Clerk of the County of Ulster, for a more detailed description of the real estate to be taken in fee, as above described.

In case any property above described is used for any public purpose, such as a highway, etc., such use shall continue until The City of New York shall have legal right to take possession of or change the same.

Dated March 30, 1907.

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THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT—ULSTER COUNTY.

ASHOKAN RESERVOIR.

SECTION NO. 5.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF COMMISSIONERS OF APPRAISAL.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that it is the intention of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York to make application to the Supreme Court of the State of New York for the appointment of Commissioners of Appraisal, under chapter 724 of the Laws of 1905, as amended. Such application will be made at a Special Term of the Supreme Court, to be held in and for the Third Judicial District, at the Court House in the City of Kingston, Ulster County, N. Y., on May 18, 1907, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard. The object of such application is to obtain an order of the Court appointing three disinterested and competent freeholders, one of whom shall reside in the County of New York, and at least one of whom shall reside in the county where the real estate hereinabove described is situated, to act as Commissioners of Appraisal under said act and discharge all the duties conferred by the said law and the acts amendatory thereof upon such Commissioners of Appraisal, for the purpose of providing an additional supply of pure and wholesome water for The City of New York.

The real estate to be acquired herein is situated in the Town of Olive, and is to be acquired in fee for the purpose of furnishing an additional supply of pure and wholesome water to The City of New York.

The following is a statement of the boundaries of the lands to be acquired herein, with a reference to the date and place of filing of the map.

All the parcels herein described are to be acquired in fee and are colored pink on the map hereinafter referred to.

All those certain pieces or parcels of real estate situated in the Town of Olive, County of Ulster and State of New York, shown on a certain map entitled "Reservoir Department, Section No. 5, Board of Water Supply of The City of New York. Map of real estate, situated in the Town of Olive, County of Ulster and State of New York, to be acquired by The City of New York under the provisions of chapter 724 of the Laws of 1905, as amended, for the construction of Ashokan Reservoir, and appurtenances, in the vicinity of Brown's Station, north of railroad," which map was filed in the office of the County Clerk of the County of Ulster, at Kingston, New York, on the 4th day of March, 1907, and is bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the north property line of the Ulster and Delaware Railroad Company, where the same is intersected by the lines between the Towns of Hurley and Olive, which point is also the most easterly point of parcel No. 181, and running thence along the southerly line of said parcel and the northerly line of said railroad, south 52 degrees 28 minutes west 1,179.7 feet to the most easterly point of parcel No. 182; thence along the southerly line of said parcel and the northerly line of the before-mentioned railroad, south 52 degrees 28 minutes west 1,219.9 feet, and on a curve of 2,898 feet radius to the left 118.9 feet to a point in the southerly line of parcel No. 183 in the centre of Beaver Kill, and the most northerly point of parcel No. 181; thence along the northerly line of said parcel south 53 degrees 18 minutes east 416.2 feet to the point or place of beginning.

The fee is to be acquired by The City of New York in all the real estate Parcels Nos. 181 to 222, inclusive, contained in the above description.

In case any property above described is used for any public purpose, such as a highway, etc., such use shall continue until The City of New York shall have legal right to take possession of or change the same.

Dated March 30, 1907.

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SUPREME COURT—NINTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

NINTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

HILL VIEW RESERVOIR.

Section Number 1.

Notice of Application for the Appointment of Commissioners of Appraisal.

WESTCHESTER COUNTY.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that it is the intention of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York to make application to the Supreme Court of the State of New York for the appointment of Commissioners of Appraisal, under chapter 724 of the Laws of 1905, as amended. Such application will be made at a Special Term of the Supreme Court, to be held in and for the Ninth Judicial District, at the Court House, in the Village of White Plains, Westchester County, N. Y., on Saturday, May 4, 1907, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard. The object of such application is to obtain an order of the Court appointing three disinterested and competent freeholders, one of whom shall reside in the County of New York and at least one of whom shall reside in the county where the real estate hereinabove described is situated, to act as Commissioners of Appraisal under said act and discharge all the duties conferred by the said law and the acts amendatory thereof, upon such Commissioners of Appraisal, for the purpose of providing an additional supply of pure and wholesome water for The City of New York.

The real estate sought to be taken or affected is situated in the City of Yonkers, in the County of Westchester and State of New York.

The following is a brief description of the real estate sought to be taken, a reference to the date and place of filing of the map:

All those certain pieces or parcels of real estate situated in the City of Yonkers, County of Westchester and State of New York, shown on a map entitled "Southern Aqueduct Department, Section No. 1, Board of Water Supply of The City of New York. Map of real estate, situated in the City of Yonkers, County of Westchester and State of New York, to be acquired by The City of New York, under the provisions of chapter 724 of the Laws of 1905, as amended, for the construction of Hill View Reservoir, and appurtenances, north of McLean avenue, between Central Park avenue and Kimball avenue," which map was filed in the office of the Register of the County of Westchester, at White Plains, on the 18th day of February, 1907, and is bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at the southwest corner of Parcel No. 1, in the easterly line of Central Park avenue, and running thence along the westerly line of said parcel and the easterly line of said avenue north 40 degrees 27 minutes east 228.1 feet, thence along the said shore line and the westerly line of Parcel No. 220, north 42 degrees 58 minutes west 188.1 feet; north 16 degrees 38 minutes west 241.1 feet and north

6 degrees 7 minutes east 309.7 feet to a point in the westerly line of Parcel No. 220; thence along the said westerly line north 86 degrees 29 minutes east 376.6 feet and north 3 degrees 25 minutes east 813.8 feet to the northwest corner of said parcel; thence along the northerly line of same, north 84 degrees 49 minutes east 135.2 feet, north 86 degrees 55 minutes east 909.9 feet and north 60 degrees 1 minute east 42.8 feet to the centre of a road leading from Shokan to Browns Station; thence along the centre of said road south 22 degrees 53 minutes east 33.4 feet; thence along the centre of a road leading to Olive, and still continuing along the northerly line of the before-mentioned Parcel No. 220, the following courses and distances: North 81 degrees 17 minutes east 71.9 feet, north 86 degrees 24 minutes east 342.2 feet, north 85 degrees 39 minutes east 280.4 feet, north 68 degrees 20 minutes east 202.9 feet, south 74 degrees 30 minutes east 165.4 feet, north 83 degrees 37 minutes east 164.4 feet and north 69 degrees 49 minutes east 144.7 feet to the northwest corner of Parcel No. 217; thence along the northerly line of said parcel, and still continuing along the centre line of the before-mentioned road north 69 degrees 50 minutes east 198 feet, north 73 degrees 15 minutes east 681.7 feet and north 79 degrees 5 minutes east 438 feet to the northwest corner of Parcel No. 216; thence along the northerly line of said parcel north 79 degrees 5 minutes east 20.1 feet to the northeast corner of said parcel; thence along the easterly line of said parcel south 15 degrees 57 minutes east 500 feet and north 78 degrees 3 minutes east 817.0 feet to a point in the westerly line of Parcel No. 213; thence along the westerly line of same north 21 degrees 19 minutes west 518.8 feet to the northwest corner of said parcel; thence along the northerly line of same north 80 degrees 3 minutes east 716.2 feet to the northeast corner of said parcel; thence along the easterly line of same south 7 degrees 19 minutes east 423.2 feet to the northwest corner of Parcel No. 215; thence along the northerly line of said parcel north 60 degrees 34 minutes east 1,136.2 feet to the most westerly point of Parcel No. 203; thence along the northerly line of said parcel the following courses and distances: North 66 degrees 39 minutes east 305.2 feet, north 42 degrees west 207.3 feet, north 74 degrees 19 minutes east 1,825.1 feet, south 53 degrees 25 minutes east 389.5 feet, south 50 degrees 55 minutes east 1,241.4 feet, south 40 degrees 39 minutes west 122.7 feet, south 46 degrees 21 minutes east 193 feet, north 53 degrees 56 minutes east 142.8 feet and south 52 degrees 39 minutes east 506.8 feet to a point in the westerly line of Parcel No. 183; thence along the westerly line of same north 39 degrees 16 minutes east 3,299.5 feet to the most northerly point of said parcel; thence along the northerly line of same south 52 degrees 41 minutes east 3,950.6 feet; partly along the line between the Towns of Hurley and Olive, to the centre of Beaver Kill, and the most northerly point of parcel No. 181; thence along the northerly line of said parcel south 53 degrees 18 minutes east 416.2 feet to the point or place of beginning.

The fee is to be acquired by The City of New York in all the real estate Parcels Nos. 1 to 56, inclusive, contained in the above description.

Reference is hereby made to the said map, filed as aforesaid in the office of the Register of the County of Westchester, for a more detailed description of the real estate to be taken in fee, as above described.

Dated March 11, 1907.

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NINTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

HILL VIEW RESERVOIR.

Section No. 2.

Notice of Application for the Appointment of Commissioners of Appraisal.

WESTCHESTER COUNTY.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that it is the intention of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York to make application to the Supreme Court of the State of New York for the appointment of Commissioners of Appraisal, under chapter 724 of the Laws of 1905 as amended. Such application will be made at a Special Term of the Supreme Court, to be held in and for the Ninth Judicial District, at the Court House, in the Village of White Plains, Westchester County, N. Y., on Saturday, May 4, 1907, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard. The object of such application is to obtain an order of the Court appointing three disinterested and competent freeholders, one of whom shall reside in the County of New York and at least one of whom shall reside in the county where the real estate hereinabove described is situated, to act as Commissioners of Appraisal under said act and discharge all the duties conferred by the said law and the acts amendatory thereof, upon such Commissioners of Appraisal, for the purpose of providing an additional supply of pure and wholesome water for The City of New York.

The real estate sought to be taken or affected is situated in the City of Yonkers, in the County of Westchester and State of New York.

The following is a brief description of the real estate sought to be taken, a reference to the date and place of filing of the map:

All those certain pieces or parcels of real estate situated in the City of Yonkers, County of Westchester and State of New York, shown on a map entitled "Southern Aqueduct Department, Section No. 1, Board of Water Supply of The City of New York. Map of real estate, situated in the City of Yonkers, County of Westchester and State of New York, to be acquired by The City of New York, under the provisions of chapter 724 of the Laws of 1905, as amended, for the construction of Hill View Reservoir, and appurtenances south of Empire City Race Track, between Central Park avenue and Kimball avenue," which map was filed in the office of the Register of the County of Westchester, at White Plains, N. Y., on the 18th day of February, 1907, and is bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at the most westerly point of Parcel No. 95 in the easterly line of Central Park avenue and running thence along the easterly line of said avenue and the easterly line of Kimball avenue, which map was filed in the office of the Register of the County of Westchester, at White Plains, N. Y., on the 18th day of February, 1907, and is bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at the most westerly point of Parcel No. 95 in the easterly line of Central Park avenue and running thence along the easterly line of said avenue and the easterly line of Kimball avenue, the following courses and distances: North 16 degrees 27 minutes east 116.5 feet; thence on a curve of 1,383 feet radius to the right 694.6 feet; thence north 45 degrees 12 minutes east 1,328.1 feet to the most northerly point of Parcel No. 119; thence along the easterly line of said parcel south 22 degrees 09 minutes west 191.3 feet; thence on a curve of 550 feet radius to the left 438.6 feet and south 28 degrees 32 minutes east 138.3 feet to the northerly line of Parcel No. 118; thence along the northerly and easterly lines of said parcel south 48 degrees 36 minutes east 275.9 feet, south 41 degrees 24 minutes west 129 feet and south 23 degrees 32 minutes east 482 feet to the easterly line of Parcel No. 117; thence along the same south 40 degrees 26 minutes east 498.9 feet and south 49 degrees 06 minutes west 100.5 feet to the southeast corner of Parcel No. 116 in the easterly line of Halsted avenue;

thence along the southerly line of said parcel south 49 degrees 06 minutes west 50 feet to the westerly line of Jerome avenue and the easterly line of Parcel No. 112; thence along the same south 40 degrees 54 minutes east 360.1 feet, crossing Linsly avenue to the southwest corner of Halsted and Linsly avenues, and running thence south 45 degrees 10 minutes west 100.2 feet to the northeast corner of Parcel No. 78; thence along the easterly line of said parcel south 40 degrees 54 minutes east 501.1 feet to the northerly line of Varian avenue; thence along the same and the northerly line of Parcel No. 78 south 45 degrees 16 minutes west 102.2 feet, crossing said Varian avenue, and running along the northerly line of Parcel No. 79 and partly along the northerly line of Parcel No. 77 to the northwest corner of Shipman and Varian avenues; thence along the westerly line of Shipman avenue and the easterly lines of Parcels Nos. 76, 75, 74, 73, 72, 71 and 70, and crossing Varian avenue south 40 degrees 54 minutes east 663.5 feet to the northwest corner of Shipman and Kimball avenues; thence along the northerly line of said parcel south 45 degrees 16 minutes west 102.2 feet, crossing said Shipman avenue, and running along the northerly line of Parcels Nos. 70, 69 and 68 south 67 degrees 46 minutes west 103.6 feet, south 76 degrees 29 minutes west 119.1 feet and south 56 degrees 38 minutes west 76.5 feet to the northwest corner of Coutant and Kimball avenues; thence along the westerly line of Coutant and Kimball avenues; thence along the northerly line of Parcel No. 57 north 44 degrees 41 minutes west 1,230 feet, crossing said Coutant and Kimball avenues; thence along the westerly line of Parcel No. 57 north 44 degrees 41 minutes west 1,230 feet, crossing Varian and Linsly avenues, to a point in the southerly line of Parcel No. 95; thence along the same south 45 degrees 19 minutes west 313.7 feet to the centre of Richmond avenue; thence along the same and the south line of Parcel No. 54 north 44 degrees 41 minutes west 9.8 feet to the westerly line of said Parcel No. 54; thence along the same and the westerly line of Parcel No. 56 north 45 degrees 19 minutes east 313.7 feet to the northwest corner of Parcel No. 56 and the southerly line of Coutant avenue; thence along the southerly line of said avenue and the northerly lines of Parcels Nos. 55, 54, 53, 52 and 51 south 44 degrees 41 minutes east 1,230 feet to the southwest corner of Coutant and Kimball avenues; thence along the westerly line of Kimball avenue and the easterly line of Parcel No. 57 north 44 degrees 41 minutes west 1,230 feet, crossing Varian and Linsly avenues, to a point in the southerly line of Parcel No. 95; thence along the same south 45 degrees 19 minutes west 275 feet to the easterly line of Ware avenue; thence along the same north 44 degrees 41 minutes west 9.8 feet; thence north 45 degrees 19 minutes east 100 feet to the westerly line of Parcel No. 95; thence along the same south 44 degrees 41 minutes east 9.8 feet; thence still continuing along the southerly line of Parcel No. 95 south 45 degrees 19 minutes west 275 feet to the easterly line of Ware avenue; thence along the same north 44 degrees 41 minutes west 9.8 feet; thence north 45 degrees 19 minutes east 100 feet to the westerly line of Parcel No. 95; thence along the same south 44 degrees 41 minutes east 9.8 feet; thence still continuing along the southerly line of Parcel No. 95 south 45 degrees 19 minutes west 275 feet to the point or place of beginning.

The fee is to be acquired by The City of New York in all the real estate, Parcels Nos. 57 to 119, inclusive, contained in the above description.

Reference is hereby made to the said map, filed as aforesaid in the office of the Register of the County of Westchester, for a more detailed description of the real estate to be taken in fee, as above described.

Dated March 11, 1907.

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PROPOSALS FOR BIDS AND ESTIMATES FOR THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS.

The person or persons making a bid or estimate for any services, work, materials or supplies for The City of New York, or for any of its departments, bureaus or offices, shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed with the title of the supplies, materials, work or services for which the bid or estimate is made, with his or their name or names and the date of presentation to the President or Board or to the head of the Department at his or its office, on or before the date and hour named in the advertisement for the same, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the President or Board or head of said Department and read, and the award of the contract made according to law as soon thereafter as practicable.

Each bid or estimate shall contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, and names of all persons interested with him therein, and, if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; also that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud, and that no member of the Board of Aldermen, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of The City of New York, is, shall be or become interested, directly or indirectly, as contracting party, partner, stockholder, surety or otherwise in or in the performance of the contract, or in the supplies, work or business to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate that the several matters stated herein are in all respects true.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in The City of New York, or of a guaranty or surety company duly authorized by law to act as surety, and shall contain the matters set forth in the blank forms mentioned below.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless, as a condition precedent to the reception or consideration of any proposal, it be accompanied by a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of The City of New York