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### DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

Report for the Quarter ending June 30, 1901.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
THE ARSENAL, CENTRAL PARK,  
August 9, 1901.

Hon. ROBERT A. VAN WYCK, Mayor :

SIR—I have the honor to inclose herewith the quarterly report of the Commissioners of Parks for the different borough divisions of The City of New York for the quarter ending June 30, 1901.

Respectfully,  
WILLIS HOLLY, Secretary, Park Board.

### BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND RICHMOND.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
THE ARSENAL, CENTRAL PARK,  
July 29, 1901.

Hon. ROBERT A. VAN WYCK, Mayor :

SIR—I have the honor to inclose herewith the quarterly report of the operations and financial condition of the Department of Parks of the boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, required by the Charter, for the three months ending June 30, 1901.

Respectfully,  
GEORGE C. CLAUSEN, Commissioner of Parks,  
Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond.

During this quarter of the year, the work of setting out plants in the various parks receives much attention. About 125,000 bedding plants were used in the various parks, and about 80,000 plants reserved in the nurseries for stock and propagating purposes. Planting of trees and shrubs was also carried on extensively. A large number of trees on streets and parkways under the jurisdiction of the Department were replaced. Owing to the unusual weather of the past winter, a large number of trees were winter-killed, especially large Turkey oaks and large and small coniferous trees. Many ornamental shrubs also suffered. This has added largely to the work of removing dead wood, upon which the gardening force has been employed more than usually.

Some progress was made in connection with the development of Riverside Park, but the lateness of the spring season and the very hot weather following has interfered with this work.

Much sodding was done, both in the boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, and the parks presented a very satisfactory appearance in this regard on May 1, the bare areas being very limited. Some of the sod, however, was destroyed by failure on the part of the police to enforce the park regulations and will have to be replaced. Considerable tracts of lawns in shady places were dug up, renovated and seeded, giving satisfactory results.

All trees and shrubs planted within the last four years have been cultivated, requiring considerable labor. This work was quite extensive in Riverside Park. During the dry spells, the lawns and plantations were watered and preserved as far as possible from burning.

The old sheds at Claremont Hotel, Riverside Park, were removed, and an attractive parterre laid out and a flower garden was also laid out around the Conservatory, Central Park, many new flowering plants and palms being used.

Flower shows at the Conservatory were given until the latter part of May. The number of visitors exceeded even the large attendance during the same quarter last year.

Permits for children's picnics and parties were issued during May and June, as follows :

|                                  |        |
|----------------------------------|--------|
| Central Park—Ball Ground.....    | 32,965 |
| East Green.....                  | 22,168 |
| Ramble.....                      | 1,087  |
| Peacock Lawn.....                | 2,394  |
| Lawn north of Museum of Art..... | 8,633  |
| North Meadow.....                | 49,515 |

|                        |         |
|------------------------|---------|
| Mount Morris Park..... | 120,262 |
| Battery Park.....      | 9,833   |
| Jeannette Park.....    | 1,000   |
|                        | 500     |

Total..... 131,945

The following permits were issued for games :

|                  |              |
|------------------|--------------|
| Lawn tennis..... | 855 permits. |
| Croquet.....     | 341 "        |

The following general permits were also issued during the quarter :

|                                  |              |
|----------------------------------|--------------|
| Carting on park roadways.....    | 234 permits. |
| Picking dandelions.....          | 68 "         |
| Photographing and sketching..... | 612 "        |
| Storing miniature yachts.....    | 23 "         |
| Cricket.....                     | 4 "          |

In connection with tennis playing 192 tennis courts were laid out and kept in condition. The croquet grounds also were kept in proper condition.

During the quarter 1,521 loads of rubbish were collected and sent to the dumps.

All of the buildings through the parks were repaired, the rolling stock overhauled, 2,563 stakes made for the Engineers, 1,119 settees were repaired and delivered at the various parks, 59 new pieces of rolling stock were constructed, and all of the ironwork and structures painted where necessary. The roads and walks were repaired, cleaned and put in good condition, the sewer basins cleaned and repaired, curbstones reset where necessary, and the buildings, bridges, etc., in the parks maintained and kept in good condition. About 700 new settees were constructed during the quarter.

Very effective work was accomplished by the Entomologist and the force under his direction. By having the pruners precede the Entomologist's force, much dead wood was removed and with it quantities of noxious insects and their eggs, thus obviating the necessity for spraying the same. The trees are unusually clean and healthy, a result obtainable only through constant watchfulness and thorough work in the destruction and suppression of insect life.

The work done under the direction of the Chief Engineer and the Engineering Corps during the quarter is given below :

### New York Public Library Building.

Contract No. 1—  
300 cubic yards of Old Reservoir removed.  
5,965 cubic yards of excavation of earth for foundation, etc.  
16,720 cubic feet of concrete footings laid.  
67,430 cubic feet of rubble masonry walls built.  
910 cubic yards of back filling of trenches, etc.

Contract No. 2—  
Work was begun April 8, but owing to delays due to complications with the work under Contract No. 1 little has been accomplished, except the installation and operation of a pumping plant and the driving of sheet piling.

### Riverside Drive—Viaduct over Ninety-sixth Street.

105 cubic yards of foundation excavation.  
15,000 cubic yards of borrowed filling in place.  
66 cubic yards of foundation concrete up to neat work.  
13 cubic yards of east retaining-wall rubble masonry built.  
1,126 cubic yards of anchor-walls above foundation built.  
4,521 cubic feet of granite sidewalk portals built.  
127 linear feet of granite anchor-wall coping laid.  
58 cubic feet of granite east retaining-wall coping laid.  
160,000 pounds of iron and steel in place.  
160 cubic yards of foundation excavation.  
297 cubic yards of foundation walls rubble and concrete built.  
206 cubic yards of foundation excavation for same.  
120 cubic yards of foundation walls rubble and concrete built.  
163 cubic yards of walls on Ninety-sixth street below coping built.  
137 cubic feet of coping and capstone of Ninety-sixth street walls set.  
8 cubic yards of wall below coping along railroad built.  
59 linear feet of coping along railroad wall set.  
Two-thirds of tool-house built.  
One-tenth of public comfort building built.

### Extension of East River Park Sea-wall.

57 cubic yards of excavation of all kinds for trench for sea-wall.  
22 cubic yards of concrete in place.  
155 cubic yards of wall masonry laid.

### Repairs to Pavement, etc., Cathedral Parkway.

2,900 linear feet of old curb reset.  
160 linear feet of new curb furnished and set.  
This work was begun June 3.

### Repairs to Pavements, etc., Mulberry Bend Park.

Work was begun on June 3, and the following accomplished :  
The water-mains surrounding the park were stripped, old house-service taps removed, mains plugged, trenches refilled and roadway pavements properly restored.  
140 linear feet of curb taken up and reset.  
460 linear feet of edging taken up, redressed and reset.  
1,400 square feet of cement walk pavement laid.

### Thomas Jefferson Park.

Regulating, grading and depositing of clean earth was carried on. An additional contract for similar work on that part of the park formerly the property of the gas company was executed and the work on this (the Kane) contract was completed during the quarter.

Contract No. 1—  
11,500 cubic yards of excavation and the removal of the same.  
14,400 cubic yards of filling in place.  
Contract No. 2—  
6,122 cubic yards of excavation and removal of the same.  
5,284 cubic yards of filling in place.

### West Eighty-sixth Street, between Central Park West and Amsterdam Avenue.

Contract for paving with asphalt, etc., was executed and work begun June 20. The old curb was taken up during the quarter.

### Central Park.

Repaving with asphalt walks in vicinity of McGown's Pass Tavern—  
13,886.85 square feet of rock asphalt mastic wearing surface laid.  
20.21 cubic yards of concrete in place.  
Repaving walks near Terrace Bridge, etc.—  
1,143.72 square feet of rock asphalt mastic wearing surface laid.  
8.23 cubic yards of concrete in place.  
Repairing walks at entrance One Hundred and Tenth street and Central Park West—  
2 cubic yards of concrete in place.  
610.38 square feet of rock asphalt mastic wearing surface laid.  
In addition to the above the Engineering Corps has been engaged upon surveys, plans, specifications, etc., for many works of construction and repair and upon several plans and estimates for the Board of Estimate and Apportionment. Also upon the inspection of pavements laid under guarantees, in the measurement of materials purchased and in tabulating bids and the general office work of the bureau.

### Expenditures during Three Months ending June 30, 1901.

|  |           |
|--|-----------|
| Riverside Park and Drive, Completion of Construction—Grading and Construction of Drainage and Walks.....   | \$639 82  |
| Riverside Park and Drive, Completion of Construction—Construction of a Viaduct over West Ninety-sixth street.....  | 65,442 56 |
| Riverside Park and Drive, Completion of Construction—Constructing Walks, etc., east of the westerly wall of drive, between Seventy-ninth and One Hundred and Fourth streets, etc.....  | 150 00    |
| Riverside Park and Drive, Completion of Construction—Improvements, between Ninety-sixth and One Hundred and Twenty-fourth streets, Planting, etc., around Grant's Tomb, Grading, etc., between One Hundred and Twentieth and One Hundred and Twenty-seventh streets..... | 6,060 47  |
| New York Public Library Fund.....  | 11,984 56 |
| Improvement of Parks, Parkways and Drives—Hancock Park, Improvement of.....  | 20 00     |
| Improvement of Parks, Parkways and Drives—Improving Swedish School-house, Central Park.....  | 51 00     |
| Improvement of Parks, Parkways and Drives—Asphalting in other localities in Central Park.....  | 29 02     |
| Improvement of Parks, Parkways and Drives—Constructing new Walks around Arsenal Building, and Repairing and Constructing other Walks in Central Park.....  | 2,295 16  |
| Improvement of Parks, Parkways and Drives—Central Park, Improvement of, between Seventh and Eighth avenues, from One Hundred and Fourth to One Hundred and Tenth street, etc.....  | 50 83     |
| Improvement of Parks, Parkways and Drives—Resurfacing Walks in Parks south of Fifty-ninth street.....  | 89 07     |
| Jefferson Park, Improvement of.....  | 1,727 25  |
| East River Park, Improvement of Extension.....   | 532 74    |
| Equestrian, etc., entrance to Central Park, at West Sixty-sixth street.....  | 1,909 43  |
| Repaving with Asphalt West Eighty-sixth street, etc.....   | 558 20    |
| East River Park, Construction of, chapter 575, Laws of 1887.....   | 376 95    |
| Public Driveway, Construction of.....  | 3,889 71  |
| Cathedral Parkway, Improvement and Completion of, etc.....   | 835 78    |
| Mulberry Bend Park, Construction of.....   | 138 93    |



## Balances of Appropriations, June 30, 1901.

| TITLES.   | AMOUNT.     | PAYMENTS.   | BALANCES.   |
|---|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| Salaries of Commissioners, Secretary and Employees of Board of Parks. | \$29,300 00 | \$14,649 78 | \$14,650 22 |
| BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND RICHMOND.                                    |             |             |             |
| Administration.....   | 21,580 00   | 12,810 22   | 12,769 78   |
| Labor, Maintenance and Supplies.....                                  | 496,000 00  |             |             |
| Supplies.....   |             | 71,767 83   |             |
| Pay-rolls.....  |             | 185,566 46  | 238,665 71  |
| Zoological Department.....  | 32,500 00   |             |             |
| Supplies.....   |             | 10,907 35   |             |
| Pay-rolls.....  |             | 7,878 07    | 13,714 58   |
| Maintenance of Museums—   |             |             |             |
| American Museum of Natural History.....                               | 130,000 00  | 61,651 55   | 68,348 45   |
| Metropolitan Museum of Art.....                                       | 95,000 00   | 42,149 21   | 52,050 79   |
| Music.....  | 25,000 00   | 5,165 00    | 19,835 00   |
| Contingencies.....  | 3,000 00    | 2,378 00    | 622 00      |
| Surveys, Maps and Plans.....  | 2,000 00    | 603 43      | 1,396 57    |
| Aquarium.....   | 40,000 00   | 21,791 20   | 18,208 80   |
| Ambulance Service, Central Park.....                                  | 1,200 00    | 559 97      | 600 03      |
| Care of Grant's Tomb.....   | 5,000 00    |             | 5,000 00    |
| Harlem River Driveway.....  | 20,000 00   | 11,016 47   | 8,983 53    |

From rents, privileges, etc..... \$7,654 22

## BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

NEW YORK, July 2, 1901.

Hon. ROBERT A. VAN WYCK, Mayor :

SIR—The following is a report of the operations of the Department of Parks, Borough of The Bronx, for the quarter ending June 30, 1901 :

## No. 1.

The following moneys were received during the quarter ending June 30, 1901 :

|                                     |            |
|-------------------------------------|------------|
| April—From rents.....               | \$536 67   |
| From licenses, privileges, etc..... | 143 33     |
| May—From rents.....                 | 798 15     |
| From licenses, privileges, etc..... | 149 16     |
| June—From rents.....                | 435 00     |
| From licenses, privileges, etc..... | 125 00     |
| Total.....                          | \$2,187 31 |

## No. 2.

The following expenditures were made on appropriation accounts during the quarter ending June 30, 1901 :

|  |            |
|--|------------|
| On account of Administration, 1901.....                    | \$3,100 00 |
| On account of Maintenance and Construction, 1901.....      | 73,081 21  |
| On account of Music, 1901.....                             | 485 38     |
| On account of Contingencies, 1901.....                     | 1,844 86   |
| On account of Surveys, Maps and Plans, 1901.....           | 15,009 39  |
| On account of Maintenance of Botanical Gardens, 1901.....  | 14,551 64  |
| On account of Maintenance of Zoological Gardens, 1901..... |            |

## No. 3.

## Contracts in Operation and their Condition June 30, 1901.

| DATE.          | NAME OF CONTRACTOR.                             | TITLE OF WORK.  | AMOUNT OF APPROPRIATION. | ESTIMATED AMOUNT OF CONTRACT. | AMOUNT ON HAND MARCH 31, 1901. | AMOUNT CERTIFIED DURING QUARTER. | BALANCE JUNE 30, 1901. |
|----------------|---|---|--------------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------------------|----------------------------------|------------------------|
| Jan. 21, 1896  | Edward A. McQuade.....                          | Improvement of a portion of St. Mary's Park.....  | \$21,000 00              | \$18,110 70                   | \$113 42                       |                                  | \$113 42               |
| May 20, 1899   | John B. Devlin.....                             | For the construction and improvement of a portion of Claremont Park.....  | 15,000 00                | 13,386 80                     | 464 23                         |                                  | 464 23                 |
| Dec. 28, 1897  | John H. Parker Company.....                     | Constructing Museum Buildings, etc.....   |                          |                               |                                |                                  |                        |
| " 8, 1898      | John R. Sheehan.....                            | For furnishing all labor, etc., to erect and complete a range of Horticultural Buildings.....   |                          |                               |                                |                                  |                        |
| June 9, 1899   | John H. Parker Company.....                     | For furnishing all labor and erecting complete the principal entrance of the Museum Building.....   | 516,500 00               | 488,365 00                    | 266 04                         |                                  | 266 04                 |
| Aug. 20, 1900  | Hitchings & Co.....                             | For furnishing all labor and materials necessary for the erection, etc., of a range of Propagating Houses.....                                |                          |                               |                                |                                  |                        |
| " 28, 1898     | Thomas Kelly.....                               | For furnishing all labor and erecting complete the approach to the Municipal Building in Crotona Park.....                                    | 30,000 00                | 24,811 00                     | 471 67                         |                                  | 471 67                 |
| Oct. 5, 1899   | William J. Moore.....                           | For improving small park west side of Fulton avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-ninth and One Hundred and Seventieth streets.....          | 4,045 33                 | 3,284 00                      | 174 60                         | \$11 64                          | 162 96                 |
| Sept. 15, 1899 | John J. Rodgers, Jr.....                        | For regulating, grading and constructing retaining walls and pools for use of New York Zoological Society.....                                |                          |                               |                                |                                  |                        |
| July 13, 1900  | William H. Wright & Son.....                    | For furnishing all labor and all materials for constructing a Shelter Pavilion in the New York Zoological Park.....                           |                          |                               |                                |                                  |                        |
| Aug. 27, 1900  | N. W. Ryan.....                                 | For furnishing all labor and all materials for constructing a Public Comfort Building in the New York Zoological Park.....                    |                          |                               |                                |                                  |                        |
| Oct. 16, 1900  | Hitchings & Co.....                             | For furnishing all labor and all materials for constructing a Green-house in the New York Zoological Park.....                                | 374,163 50               | 126,405 00                    | 282,741 45                     | 55,094 30                        | 227,647 15             |
| " 5, 1899      | John R. Sheehan.....                            | For furnishing all labor for constructing four (4) entrances to New York Zoological Park.....   |                          |                               |                                |                                  |                        |
| Jan. 19, 1901  | Wilbur T. Wright.....                           | For furnishing all labor and all materials for constructing a Workshop and Sheds in the New York Zoological Garden.....                       |                          |                               |                                |                                  |                        |
| " 31, 1901     | Thomas Cockerill & Son.....                     | For furnishing all labor and materials for the erection and completion of a House for Primates in the New York Zoological Garden.....         |                          |                               |                                |                                  |                        |
| Aug. 22, 1899  | John B. McDonald.....                           | For regulating and grading a portion of the Bronx and Pelham parkway.....   |                          |                               |                                |                                  |                        |
| Nov. 26, 1900  | John G. Tait.....                               | For the construction of a bridge over the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad, Harlem River Branch at the Bronx and Pelham Parkway..... | 109,455 00               | 92,806 10                     | 36,834 28                      | 3,579 50                         | 33,254 78              |
| Jan. 10, 1900  | John B. Devlin.....                             | For regulating, grading and paving the existing roads near the Botanical Museum.....  | 34,000 00                | 19,402 00                     | 2,001 85                       |                                  | 2,001 85               |
| July 10, 1900  | John B. Devlin & Co.....                        | For grading, paving and improving existing roads from the Bronx and Pelham parkway to and around Nursery.....                                 | 12,000 00                | 7,422 00                      | 1,414 10                       |                                  | 1,414 10               |
| Nov. 12, 1900  | The John J. Hart Company.....                   | For grading, paving and improving existing roads from Lorillard Mansion Gate to Bleecker street, etc.....                                     | 22,000 00                | 12,847 32                     | 8,101 04                       | 8,101 00                         | 04                     |
| " 24, 1900     | William Henderson.....                          | For furnishing all labor and all materials for constructing complete a Skate and Golf House at Van Cortlandt Park.....                        | 20,000 00                | 18,400 00                     | 11,005 14                      | 10,824 72                        | 180 42                 |
| Jan. 23, 1901  | John H. Devlin.....                             | For grading grounds, constructing, regulating, grading and paving walks and roads, etc., in the Botanical Gardens, Bronx Park.....            |                          |                               |                                |                                  |                        |
| Apr. 15, 1901  | The Wilson & Baillie Manufacturing Company..... | For grading grounds, constructing, regulating, grading and paving walks and roads, etc., in the Botanical Gardens, Bronx Park.....            | 20,000 00                | 179,906 05                    | 198,916 02                     | 22,133 34                        | 176,482 68             |
| " 30, 1901     | John R. Sheehan & Co.....                       | For furnishing all labor and furnishing and erecting all materials necessary to erect and complete the range of Horticultural Buildings.....  |                          |                               |                                |                                  |                        |
| Jan. 16, 1901  | William H. Masterson.....                       | For constructing and improving a portion of the Bronx and Pelham parkway, from the western terminus of the improved portion, etc.....         |                          |                               |                                |                                  |                        |
| Apr. 29, 1901  | James J. Marks.....                             | For furnishing and delivering broken stone, etc., in Parks, Borough of the Bronx.....   | 172,000 00               | 129,867 72                    | 171,861 94                     | 9,241 17                         | 162,620 77             |
| May 8, 1901    | John B. McDonald.....                           | For regulating and grading portions of the Bronx and Pelham parkway.....  |                          |                               |                                |                                  |                        |

All of which is respectfully submitted.

NEW YORK, July 1, 1901.

Hon. AUGUST MOEBUS, Commissioner of Parks :

DEAR SIR—In submitting my second quarterly report, for the quarter ending June 30, 1901, of the work performed by the force under my supervision, I would respectfully mention the following.

1. Furnishing all labor and materials for constructing a Public Comfort Building in the New York Zoological Park in Bronx Park, in The City of New York. N. W. Ryan, contractor.

This contract was executed August 27, 1900; the contractor ordered to begin work on September 21, 1900; the work was completed April 8, 1901, and final estimate forwarded April 26, 1901.

2. Grading, paving and improving existing roads, from the Lorillard Mansion Gate to Bleecker street, and to and across the Blue Bridge connecting with improved roadway near the Botanical Museum in Bronx Park, in The City of New York. The John J. Hart Company, contractors.

On November 12, 1900, this contract was executed and the contractor ordered to begin work December 3, 1900. February 18, 1901, the work was ordered stopped on account of bad weather, and resumed on March 18, 1901. The final estimate was forwarded on June 5, 1901.

3. Furnishing all labor and all materials for constructing a skate and golf house at Van Cortlandt Lake in Van Cortlandt Park, in The City of New York. William Henderson, contractor.

This contract was executed November 24, 1900; the contractor ordered to begin work December 3, 1900; the building completed May 31, 1901, and the final estimate forwarded June 14, 1901.

AUGUST MOEBUS, Commissioner of Parks, Borough of The Bronx.

4. Constructing a bridge over the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad—Harlem River Branch—at the crossing of the Bronx and Pelham parkway. John G. Tait, contractor. This contract was executed on November 26, 1900, and the contractor ordered to begin work on January 21, 1901. This work is still in progress and is being prosecuted satisfactorily.

5. Constructing and improving a portion of the Bronx and Pelham parkway, from the westerly terminus of the improved portion of said parkway—400 feet westerly of the Bear Swamp road—to a point 1,275 feet westerly of said terminus, in Bronx Park, in The City of New York. William H. Masterson, contractor.

January 16, 1901, the contract was executed and the contractor ordered to begin work on February 18, 1901. The work is still in progress and is being prosecuted satisfactorily.

6. Furnishing all labor and all materials for constructing complete a workshop and sheds in the New York Zoological Garden in Bronx Park, in The City of New York. Wilbur T. Wright, contractor.

On January 19, 1901, this contract was executed; contractor ordered to begin work on February 4, 1901, and the work nearing completion.

7. Grading grounds, constructing, regulating, grading and paving walks and roads, furnishing and laying iron water pipes, setting hydrants, etc., in the Botanical Garden in Bronx Park, in The City of New York. John H. Devlin, contractor.

This contract was executed January 23, 1901, and the contractor ordered to begin work on March 4, 1901. This work is still in progress.

8. Furnishing all the labor and materials for the erection and completion of a house for primates in the New York Zoological Garden in Bronx Park, in The City of New York. Thomas Cockerill & Son, contractors.



On January 31, 1901, this contract was executed; the contractors ordered to begin work on March 12, 1901, and the work is still in progress.

9. Furnishing and delivering hardware, etc., at Claremont Park, in the Borough of The Bronx. The Manhattan Supply Company, contractors.

The contract was executed February 23, 1901, and contractors ordered to begin delivery on March 18, 1901. The delivery was completed and final estimate forwarded April 10, 1901.

10. Furnishing and delivering lawn mowers for the Department of Parks, Borough of The Bronx. The Coldwell Lawn Mower Company, contractors.

This contract was executed February 26, 1901, and the delivery of goods ordered to begin on March 18, 1901. This contract cannot be completed until the year 1902, on account of a clause calling for mowers to be kept in repair for one year from date of notification.

11. Furnishing all labor and all materials for constructing three music stands in parks in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York. Joseph E. Butterworth, contractor.

On March 18, 1901, this contract was executed and the contractor ordered to begin work on April 1, 1901.

The three music stands, one each in Claremont, Van Cortlandt and Pelham Bay Parks, were completed on June 24, 1901, but the final estimate will not be forwarded until after July 1.

12. Grading grounds, constructing, regulating, grading and paving walks, constructing retaining-walls, erecting iron railing, etc., in small park, between Fulton and Franklin avenues and One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, in The City of New York. Charles L. Doran, contractor.

This contract was executed April 9, 1901, and the contractor ordered to begin work April 29, 1901. The work has from the first proceeded very slowly but is now being pushed with more vigor.

13. Furnishing all labor and all materials for erecting iron-pipe railing on portions of retaining-walls along the Spuyten Duyvil parkway in the Twenty-fourth Ward, in The City of New York. The J. W. Fisk Iron Works, contractors.

On April 10, 1901, this contract was executed and contractors notified to begin work on April 29, 1901. This work is still in progress.

14. Grading grounds, constructing, regulating, grading and paving walks and roads, furnishing and laying iron water pipes, constructing basin for statuary fountain, erecting garden fountain and drinking fountain, constructing stone seats, etc., in front of the Museum Building and cornice and roof ornaments on Botanical Museum in the Botanical Garden, in Bronx Park, in The City of New York. The Wilson & Baillie Manufacturing Company, contractors.

This contract was executed April 15, 1901, and the contractors were notified to begin work on May 1, 1901.

This work is in a favorable condition and is progressing with vigor.

15. Furnishing and delivering broken stone, coarse screenings and fine screenings, where required, in the parks in the Borough of The Bronx. James J. Marks, contractor.

This contract was executed April 29, 1901, and the delivery ordered to begin May 9, 1901. The materials are being delivered as needed for surfacing the roads in Pelham Bay and Claremont Parks and in small park in front of Hall of Fame, opposite the New York University grounds.

16. Furnishing all the labor and furnishing and erecting all the materials necessary to erect and complete the range of Horticultural Buildings in the Botanical Garden in Bronx Park, in The City of New York. John R. Sheehan & Co., contractors.

On April 30, 1901, this contract was executed and the contractors ordered to begin work on May 20, 1901. Considerable progress has been made on this work, which is in a fair way of an early completion.

17. Regulating and grading portions of the Bronx and Pelham parkway in The City of New York. John B. McDonald, contractor.

This contract was executed on May 8, 1901, and the contractor ordered to begin work on June 1, 1901. The work is progressing rapidly.

18. Rebuilding portions of the retaining-walls on the Spuyten Duyvil parkway in The City of New York. The John J. Hart Company, contractors.

This contract was executed on June 19 and the contractors notified to begin work on July 1, 1901.

Bids were opened on June 13, 1901, by the Park Board for the following:

No. 1. Furnishing materials and laying water-pipes and vitrified-pipe sewers, constructing manholes, etc., in the Zoological Garden in Bronx Park in The City of New York. Contract awarded to Stone & Thurston.

No. 2. Constructing a concrete dam and appurtenances across the Bronx river in the Zoological Garden in Bronx Park in The City of New York. Contract awarded to John C. Rodgers, Jr., and

No. 3. Constructing a motor road and excavating for tree plantations in the Zoological Garden in Bronx Park in The City of New York. Contract awarded to John H. Devlin.

Soundings have been made by Contractor John G. Tait, locating rock, etc., on the site of proposed new bridge over Eastchester Bay in Pelham Bay Park, and detail plans and calculations are now being made in this office preliminary to advertising for bids for its construction.

The topographical survey of Pelham Bay Park is still in progress.

The work in the Botanical and Zoological Gardens and other parks and parkways is well in hand and progressing satisfactorily, with the exceptions heretofore noted.

Yours respectfully,  
(Signed) MARTIN SCHENCK, Chief Engineer.

#### BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS.

OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS,  
BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS,  
ROOM 14, BOROUGH HALL, BROOKLYN, July 1, 1901.

Hon. ROBERT A. VAN WYCK, Mayor of The City of New York:

SIR—I have the honor to transmit to you, in accordance with the usual custom, a quarterly report of the proceedings and finances of the Department of Parks of the boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, from April 1 to June 30, inclusive, 1901.

Yours very respectfully,  
GEORGE V. BROWER, Commissioner.

#### STATEMENT OF WORK PERFORMED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS, DURING THE THREE MONTHS FROM APRIL 1 TO JUNE 30, INCLUSIVE, 1901.

##### Prospect Park.

The regular work of maintenance has been carefully carried on.

All the drives and gutters in Prospect Park have been kept clean and in good repair throughout their entire length, and the walks and shelters have been regularly swept and maintained in good condition.

The trimming of the trees and shrubbery was continued, and old and diseased trees were removed. A large amount of worthless shrubbery, which impeded some of the park views, was cut out. The spraying of trees, to destroy insects, was thoroughly carried on with the new spraying machine, which has proven very satisfactory.

All the lawns, meadows, etc., about 80 acres in area, have been mown and their borders trimmed from time to time, weeds taken out, grass seed sown in bare places and borders sodded.

The mounds at the main entrance, as well as the borders of the sidewalk along Eastern parkway, have also received careful attention.

All the park drives and the plazas at the entrances have been regularly sprinkled, the catch-basins (about nine hundred) and drains cleaned and kept open, and the lake was cleaned of refuse every day.

Over 2,700 shrubs and evergreens were planted in Prospect Park and taken care of.

New designs were executed in the flower gardens and over 350,000 bedding plants set out.

The old-fashioned flower garden on Breeze Hill was thoroughly weeded and dug over, new plants being put in and seeds sown, and it is now in an excellent condition.

The rose garden and lily ponds have been replanted and received careful cultivation, and have afforded much pleasure to visitors.

##### Fifteenth Street Entrance.

The circle at the Fifteenth street entrance has received special attention, the grass being regularly cut and the borders trimmed and the young trees taken care of.

About 1,500 berberis were planted around the borders of the circle, to form a hedge, and beds of hydrangeas were planted in the centres, making this entrance very attractive.

##### Concerts, etc.

The band concerts in Prospect Park commenced on Saturday, June 1, and have been continued every Saturday and Sunday afternoon.

The usual number of picnics have been held on the picnic grounds and have been largely attended.

Large numbers of people have enjoyed the privileges of the croquet and lawn tennis grounds, and the parade grounds are being constantly used by baseball and cricket players.

##### Mechanical Work.

During the quarter the mechanics have been employed principally in outside work, such as repairing shelters, fountains, closets, fences, platforms, steps, etc., throughout the whole park system, making new and repairing old settees, trusses and tables for picnic grounds, new cages for birds and animals, etc. They also built a new rustic bridge at the Swan Lake, two reviewing stands (capacity 1,000 persons) and 17,000 seats for the Sunday-schools on Anniversary Day, a reviewing stand at Carroll Park, one at Leonard and Meserole streets, and a reviewing stand on the Prospect Park Plaza for the Decoration Day parade.

##### East Side Lands.

The work at the East Side Lands has steadily continued, over 13,200 cubic yards of soil being placed on the mounds during the quarter.

##### Parade Grounds.

These grounds have been taken care of, the grass being mown as often as was necessary to keep the grounds in good condition for the baseball and cricket players.

##### The Outside Parks.

The smaller parks, including Fort Greene, Tompkins, Bedford, Carroll, Highland, City, Winthrop, Cooper, City Hall, Brooklyn Heights, Municipal, Bushwick, Bensonhurst, Dyker Beach, Canarsie, New Lots Playground, College Point, Flushing, Jamaica, Long Island City, Linden (Corona), Stuyvesant, Underhill, Zindel, Cooper Gore, Lincoln Terrace, Cuyler, and Saratoga and Irving squares, have all been kept clean and in good condition. The walks and shelters were swept and cleaned daily, the grass cut and its borders trimmed, grass seed sown in bare places, and the trees and shrubbery sprayed and brushed to destroy caterpillars and other insects. Flower-beds were prepared in a majority of the parks, and were planted with flowers from the Prospect Park propagating houses.

##### Red Hook Park.

Red Hook Park was officially opened to the public on Saturday, June 15, upon which occasion addresses were made and a band concert given, the ceremonies being largely attended.

In addition to the regular work of maintenance, over 400 shrubs and evergreens were planted and taken care of, grass seed sown and sods planted. The weeds in the park were removed and the grass mown, and the borders along the walks filled in with top-soil.

##### Sunset Park.

The tees and greens of the golf links in Sunset Park were restored and put in good condition, and the grounds have proven more popular with the public than ever before.

##### Fort Hamilton Park.

This park has been planted and sown with grass seed, and trees have been planted both inside and around the park.

##### Forest Park.

In addition to the regular work of guarding the park and cleaning the roads, etc., the force has been employed in laying out a nine-hole golf course, which is now ready to be opened to the public.

##### Ocean Parkway, Bay Parkway (Twenty-second Avenue) and Fort Hamilton Avenue.

These parkways have been regularly cleaned and sprinkled as required, being maintained in excellent condition.

The bicycle paths on each side of Ocean parkway were repaired and resurfaced with blue limestone screenings.

The West drive of Ocean parkway was also repaired, the borders along the Speedway were sodded and the grass cut along the entire borders of the Boulevard.

The main drive was also resurfaced for about 1,500 feet south from the Speedway, and about 700 feet north from Avenue D.

##### Eastern Parkway.

In addition to keeping the Eastern parkway clean and sprinkled, the roadway was repaired with broken stone from Brooklyn avenue to Pitkin avenue.

Catch-basins were built and 50 feet of sewer-pipe were laid at Albany avenue, all the holes were filled up and 60 feet of curbing were laid on the parkway.

The paths on each side were resurfaced with blue limestone screenings.

##### Eastern Parkway Extension, etc.

Eastern parkway extension, Highland Boulevard, Stone avenue and other streets in the Twenty-sixth Ward under the jurisdiction of the Department of Parks have all received the necessary attention.

Stone avenue was repaired with broken stone, both north and south of Glenmore avenue.

Eastern parkway extension, Pitkin avenue and Glenmore avenue (to the end of the line) were repaired and resurfaced where necessary, and part of New Lots road that was in a bad condition, was entirely made over.

In addition these roadways were kept clean and regularly sprinkled.

##### Bay Ridge Parkway (Shore Drive).

The archway under Second avenue, which forms a part of the Bay Ridge parkway extension, is practically completed, and the archway under Third avenue is nearing completion, and the cars are now running over it.

The work done on the Bay Ridge parkway to date, is as follows:

Earth excavation, 10,948 cubic yards; concrete in foundation, 671 cubic yards; rubble masonry, 2,050 cubic yards; Ohio sandstone cut and in place, 9,560 cubic feet; brick in archways, 250,000.

##### The Finances.

The following is a statement of the finances of the Department up to and including June 30, 1901:

#### Statement of Appropriations, Expenditures and Balances of the Department of Parks, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, as of June 30, 1901.

|                                       | APPROPRIATIONS, 1901. | EXPENDED.   | BALANCES.   |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------------|-------------|-------------|
| Administration.....                   | \$20,400 00           | \$10,239 82 | \$10,160 18 |
| Labor, Maintenance and Supplies ..... | 469,000 00            | 150,368 24  | 318,631 76  |
| Maintenance of Museums.....           | 55,000 00             | 26,484 27   | 28,515 73   |
| Music.....                            | 10,993 45             | 1,730 00    | 9,263 45    |

#### Appropriations (Balances from 1900).

|                                      |             |             |             |
|--------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| Labor, Maintenance and Supplies..... | \$44,910 52 | \$30,148 33 | \$14,762 19 |
|--------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|

#### Appropriations (Balances from 1899).

|                                      |            |            |            |
|--------------------------------------|------------|------------|------------|
| Labor, Maintenance and Supplies..... | \$9,199 14 | \$3,138 48 | \$6,060 66 |
|--------------------------------------|------------|------------|------------|



## Bond Accounts (Brooklyn Balances).

|  | APPROPRIATIONS, 1901. | EXPENDED.  | BALANCES.  |
|--|-----------------------|------------|------------|
| East Side Lands.....   | \$170 59              | .....      | \$170 59   |
| Park Improvement Fund.....   | 1,689 24              | .....      | 1,689 24   |
| Park Site and Improvement Fund.....                                  | 838 27                | .....      | 838 27     |
| Memorial Monument Fund.....  | 17,000 00             | \$6,000 00 | 11,000 00  |
| Museum of Arts and Sciences Fund.....                                | 424 87                | .....      | 424 87     |
| Memorial Arch Fund.....  | 13,116 57             | 10,000 00  | 3,116 57   |
| Park Purchase Fund.....  | 457 03                | .....      | 457 03     |
| Bay Ridge Parkway (Shore Drive).....                                 | 93,230 44             | 18,288 19  | 74,942 25  |
| County Street Improvement Fund.....                                  | 728 91                | .....      | 728 91     |
| County Improvement of Streets (Additional).....                      | 52 74                 | .....      | 52 74      |
| Maintenance and Improvement of Public Parks on Brooklyn Heights..... | 3,436 18              | 390 00     | 3,046 18   |
| Museum of Arts and Sciences (Erection of an Additional Wing).....    | 220,170 75            | 65,800 29  | 154,370 47 |

## REVENUE FROM PARKS AND PARKWAYS.

During the three months the sum of \$1,847.02 was received from rents of houses and revenue from park privileges, which amount was turned over to the City Chamberlain, for deposit to the credit of the "Revenue Fund."

## DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS.

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
NEW YORK, August 29, 1901.

Supervisor of the City Record:

DEAR SIR—In accordance with the provisions of section 1546, chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, I transmit the following report of the transactions of the Department of Highways for the week ending August 28, 1901.

Respectfully,  
WM. N. SHANNON,  
Deputy Commissioner of Highways.

|   | BOROUGH.   |            |           |         |           |
|---|------------|------------|-----------|---------|-----------|
|   | MANHATTAN. | THE BRONX. | BROOKLYN. | QUEENS. | RICHMOND. |
| <b>Public Moneys Received during the Week.</b>                |            |            |           |         |           |
| For restoring and re-paving pavement.....                     |            |            |           |         |           |
| Water connections, openings.....                              |            | \$26 00    | \$401 00  | \$16 00 | .....     |
| Sewer connections, openings.....                              |            | 116 00     | 170 00    | 30 00   | .....     |
| General account.....  | \$1,476 64 | .....      | 117 20    | .....   | .....     |
| For redemption of obstructions seized.....                    | 13 50      | .....      | .....     | .....   | .....     |
| For vault permits.....  | 301 40     | 650 00     | .....     | .....   | .....     |
| For shed permits.....   | 35 00      | .....      | .....     | .....   | .....     |
| For use of steam roller.....                                  | .....      | 6 00       | .....     | .....   | .....     |
| Total.....  | \$1,826 54 | \$808 00   | \$688 20  | \$96 00 | .....     |
| <b>Permits Issued.</b>  |            |            |           |         |           |
| Permits to open streets, to tap water-pipes.....              | .....      | 9          | 40        | 14      | 3         |
| Permits to open streets, to repair water connections.....     | 62         | 12         | 90        | 14      | 14        |
| Permits to open streets, to make sewer connections.....       | .....      | 47         | 45        | 2       | 5         |
| Permits to open streets, to repair sewer connections.....     | .....      | 4          | 31        | 1       | 2         |
| Permits to place building material on streets.....            | 101        | 10         | 11        | 1       | .....     |
| Permits to construct street vaults.....                       | 13         | 1          | 2         | .....   | .....     |
| Permits, special.....   | .....      | 20         | 147       | 9       | 14        |
| Permits to construct sheds.....                               | 7          | .....      | .....     | .....   | .....     |
| Permits to erect awnings.....                                 | .....      | .....      | 1         | .....   | .....     |
| Permits to cross sidewalks.....                               | 6          | 3          | 3         | 1       | .....     |
| Permits for subways, steam-mains and various connections..... | 132        | 23         | .....     | 2       | .....     |
| Permits to repair sidewalks.....                              | 38         | .....      | .....     | 6       | .....     |
| <b>Obstructions Removed.</b>                                  |            |            |           |         |           |
| Obstructions removed from various streets and avenues.....    | 18         | 10         | 16        | .....   | .....     |
| <b>Repairs to Pavement.</b>                                   |            |            |           |         |           |
| Square yards of pavement repaired.....                        | 8,175      | 152        | 5,078     | 399     | 232       |

Requisitions drawn on Comptroller..... \$100,056 64

Statement of Laboring Force Employed in the Department of Highways during Week ending August 24, 1901.

| NATURE OF WORK.                                    | BOROUGH.   |           |            |           |            |           |            |           |            |           |
|--|------------|-----------|------------|-----------|------------|-----------|------------|-----------|------------|-----------|
|  | MANHATTAN. |           | THE BRONX. |           | BROOKLYN.  |           | QUEENS.    |           | RICHMOND.  |           |
|  | Mechanics. | Laborers. | Mechanics. | Laborers. | Mechanics. | Laborers. | Mechanics. | Laborers. | Mechanics. | Laborers. |
| Re-paving and renewal of pavements.....            | 254        | 318       | 4          | 113       | 34         | 8         | 77         | 123       | 14         | 49        |
| Boulevards, roads and avenues, maintenance of..... | 17         | 85        | 24         | 9         | 20         | 571       | 125        | 5         | 13         | 76        |
| Roads, streets and avenues.....                    | 7          | 41        | 10         | 4         | .....      | .....     | .....      | 60        | 176        | 40        |
| Total.....   | 278        | 444       | 38         | 126       | 20         | 605       | 125        | 13        | 90         | 199       |

## REPORT OF CHANGES IN FORCE FOR THE WEEK ENDING AUGUST 28, 1901.

## Borough of Manhattan.

Resigned—1 Laborer.  
Reinstated—1 Laborer.  
Promoted to Foreman—1 Assistant Foreman.

Increased from \$3.50 to \$4—1 Foreman.  
Resigned—Inspector of Paving.  
Employed—2 horses and carts.

## Borough of The Bronx.

Appointed—1 Foreman of Construction and 1 Flagger.  
Deceased—1 Laborer.

## Borough of Queens.

Appointed—8 Laborers.

## DEPARTMENT OF SEWERS.

DEPARTMENT OF SEWERS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
September 3, 1901.

Supervisor of the City Record:

DEAR SIR—In accordance with section 1546, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, I herewith transmit, for publication in the CITY RECORD, a statement of the transactions of the Department of Sewers for the week ending August 10, 1901.

MATTHEW F. DONOHUE, Deputy and Acting Commissioner of Sewers.

|  | NUMBER<br>OF. | AMOUNT.     | AMOUNTS.        |             |
|--|---------------|-------------|-----------------|-------------|
|  |               |             | Appropriations. | Funds.      |
| <i>Moneys Received.</i>  |               |             |                 |             |
| For sewer permits.....   | .....         | \$1,284 33  | .....           | .....       |
| Number of permits issued.....                                      | 141           | .....       | .....           | .....       |
| For new sewer connections.....                                     | 83            | .....       | .....           | .....       |
| For old sewer connections (repairs).....                           | 55            | .....       | .....           | .....       |
| For other purposes.....  | 3             | .....       | .....           | .....       |
| <hr/>  |               |             |                 |             |
| Requisitions drawn on Comptroller.....                             | 15            | \$44,628 63 | \$9,676 35      | \$34,952 28 |
| Linear feet of sewer built.....                                    | 7,591         | .....       | .....           | .....       |
| Number of basins built.....  | 4             | .....       | .....           | .....       |
| Linear feet of sewer cleaned.....                                  | 12,080        | .....       | .....           | .....       |
| Number of basins cleaned.....                                      | 641           | .....       | .....           | .....       |
| Linear feet of sewer examined.....                                 | 12,860        | .....       | .....           | .....       |
| Number of basins examined.....                                     | 1,018         | .....       | .....           | .....       |
| Number of basins repaired.....                                     | 5             | .....       | .....           | .....       |
| Linear feet of sewer repaired.....                                 | 147           | .....       | .....           | .....       |
| Number of manhole heads and covers reset.....                      | 8             | .....       | .....           | .....       |
| Square yards of pavement relaid.....                               | 6             | .....       | .....           | .....       |
| Number of basin hoods put in.....                                  | 4             | .....       | .....           | .....       |
| Linear feet culverts, drains and ditches repaired and cleaned..... | 5,004         | .....       | .....           | .....       |
| Number of basins relieved.....                                     | 1             | .....       | .....           | .....       |
| Number of manholes built.....                                      | 22            | .....       | .....           | .....       |
| Number of manhole covers put on.....                               | 8             | .....       | .....           | .....       |
| Linear feet of box drains relaid.....                              | 299           | .....       | .....           | .....       |
| Cubic feet of brickwork built.....                                 | 56            | .....       | .....           | .....       |
| Number of basin grates put in.....                                 | 10            | .....       | .....           | .....       |
| Linear feet of pipe sewer relieved.....                            | 1,100         | .....       | .....           | .....       |
| Cubic feet of earth excavated.....                                 | 7,694         | .....       | .....           | .....       |
| Carloads of dirt removed.....                                      | 648           | .....       | .....           | .....       |

## Laboring Force Employed during the Week.

|                                      |    |                       |     |
|--------------------------------------|----|-----------------------|-----|
| Inspectors of Construction.....      | 50 | Mechanics.....        | 21  |
| Inspectors of Sewer Connections..... | 26 | Laborers.....         | 369 |
| Foremen.....                         | 51 | Horses and Carts..... | 110 |
| Assistant Foremen.....               | 29 |                       |     |
| Firemen.....                         | 10 |                       |     |

## DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Docks, held Monday, July 1, 1901, at 2 o'clock P. M. Present—President Cram and Commissioner Meyer.

Absent—Commissioner Murphy.

The minutes of the meetings held June 21 and 28, 1901, were approved.

The communication from the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund in relation to the proposed sale of the franchises of the Hamilton, South, Wall, Fulton and Catharine Ferries was taken from the table, placed on file, and

On motion, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That Philip A. Smyth, auctioneer, be and hereby is authorized to offer for sale at public auction, at Pier "A," Battery place, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on Friday, July 19, 1901, at 2 o'clock P. M., the franchises of the ferries as more particularly hereinafter described, for a term of ten years from May 1, 1901, upon the terms and conditions specified:

1. The Fulton Ferry, to and from Fulton street, in the Borough of Manhattan, from and to Fulton street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, comprising all that certain wharf property consisting of bulkheads, slips and adjacent Piers Nos. 21 and 22, now used and required for ferry purposes, at the foot of Fulton street, in the Borough of Manhattan, the surface of said piers, however, being reserved, excepting so far as the same may be required and is now occupied by fences or guards for protection behind the racks or piles in the slips, as shown on maps filed in the Department of Docks and Ferries; and also, all that certain wharf property consisting of bulkheads, slips and adjacent piers now used and required for ferry purposes, at the foot of Fulton street, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

2. The Wall Street Ferry, from and to Wall street, in the Borough of Manhattan, to and from Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, comprising all that certain wharf property belonging to The City of New York, consisting of one-half the bulkhead and slip and adjacent Pier No. 15, on the southerly side thereof, excepting the surface, now used and required for ferry purposes, at the foot of Wall street, in the Borough of Manhattan.

3. The Catharine Ferry, from and to Catharine street, in the Borough of Manhattan, to and from Main street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, comprising all that certain wharf property consisting of bulkheads, slips and adjacent Piers Nos. 34 and 35, except the surface, now used and required for ferry purposes, at the foot of Catharine street, in the Borough of Manhattan; and also, all that certain wharf property consisting of bulkheads, slips and half the adjacent pier on the westerly side of the slip, now used and required for ferry purposes, at the foot of Main street, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

4. The South Ferry, from and to Whitehall street, in the Borough of Manhattan, to and from Atlantic avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, comprising all that certain wharf property consisting of bulkheads, slips and Pier No. 2, northerly side, excepting the surface, and short pier, southerly side, now used and required for ferry purposes, at the foot of Whitehall street, in the Borough of Manhattan; and also, all that certain wharf property, consisting of bulkheads, slips and adjacent piers, now used and required for ferry purposes, at the foot of Atlantic avenue, Borough of Brooklyn.

5. The Hamilton Avenue Ferry, from and to Whitehall street, Borough of Manhattan, to and from Hamilton avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, comprising all that certain wharf property consisting of bulkheads, slips and Pier No. 2, northerly side, excepting the surface, and short pier, southerly side, now used and required for ferry purposes, at the foot of



Whitehall street, in the Borough of Manhattan, and all that certain wharf property consisting of bulkheads, slips and adjacent piers now used and required for ferry purposes, at the foot of Hamilton avenue, Borough of Brooklyn.

#### TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE.

The leases will be sold subject to the approval of the terms thereof by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

The franchise or the right to operate said ferries shall be sold all together under one bid, to the highest bidder, with a lease of the said wharf property belonging to the City, used and required for ferry purposes at the respective landings of said ferries, in the cities of New York and Brooklyn; the upset price at which same shall be offered for sale is hereby appraised and fixed at 5 1/10 per cent. of the gross receipts per annum. The highest bidder or purchaser of the lease other than the Union Ferry Company of New York and Brooklyn will be required to purchase and pay for the property of said company at the appraised valuation thereof, to wit: \$3,229,401.

No bids will be received which shall be less than the upset price mentioned above.

The purchaser will be required at the time of sale to pay, in addition to the auctioneer's fee, to the Department of Docks and Ferries 25 per cent. of the amount of the annual rent bid as security for the execution of the lease, which 25 per cent. will be applied to the payment of the rent first accruing under the lease when executed, or will be forfeited to the Department if the purchaser refuses or neglects to execute the lease, with good and sufficient security, to be approved by the Board of Docks, within ten days after being notified that the lease is prepared and ready for execution at the office of the Department of Docks and Ferries, Pier "A," North river, foot of Battery place.

Two sufficient sureties, to be approved by the Board of Docks, will be required under said lease, to enter into a bond or obligation, jointly or severally with the lessees, in the sum of double the annual rent, for the faithful performance of all the covenants and conditions of the lease.

Any person or corporation that may acquire said ferry franchises after the expiration of said term shall be required to purchase, at a fair appraised valuation, to be made in the same manner as prescribed in the existing lease of said ferries, the boats, buildings and other property of the former lessees or grantees actually necessary for the purpose of such ferries, provided that the Corporation of The City of New York shall not be deemed thereby to covenant to purchase said property in any event, but the obligation resting upon it shall be deemed to be fully satisfied and fulfilled by making such purchase by the grantee a condition of sale of said ferry franchise.

The leases shall be prepared and approved by the Corporation Counsel.

The lease will contain the usual covenants and conditions, in conformity with the provisions of law and the ordinances of the Municipal Assembly relative to ferries, and shall provide that the lessees will maintain and operate said ferries during the whole term, and will provide ample accommodations in the way of safe and capacious boats and sufficiency of trips, as to the sufficiency of which accommodations the decision of the Board of Docks shall be final; also conditions that the lessees shall dredge the ferry slips, etc., as required by the Board of Docks; that during the term of the lease they will erect and build, at their own expense, and will at all times well and sufficiently repair, maintain and keep in good order all and singular the floats, racks, fenders, bridges and other fixtures of the landing places, and in the event of any damage to the bulkheads or piers from collision by the ferryboats, or otherwise, from any accident or negligence on their part, they will immediately repair and restore said wharf property to its previous condition free of cost to The City of New York; that if at any time during the term of the lease the Board of Docks shall require any of the wharf property used for ferry purposes in order to proceed with the water-front improvements in the vicinity of the ferry landings, the said lessees shall surrender and vacate the premises without any claim upon the City for any damages whatever, upon written notice being given to the lessees three months in advance of the intention of said Board; that such notice shall specify, by the general terms of description or by reference to the plans and specifications of the proposed work of improvement, the character of the alterations and improvements to be made in regard to said water-front, affecting the property and rights hereby authorized to be demised, and upon receiving said notice the lessee may elect to terminate the lease of said ferry privileges or franchise by serving notice of such election upon the Board of Docks within one month after receiving the notice from the Board of Docks of its intention to improve the water-front in the vicinity of the ferry landing; also, that in case only a portion of said wharf property shall be required for the purposes aforesaid, then a reasonable reduction will be made from the rent reserved by said lease; that sworn returns of the amounts of ferry receipts shall be made to the Board of Docks, when required by said Board, and that the books of accounts of the ferry shall be subject to the inspection of said Board.

The rates of ferriage and charges for vehicles and freight shall not exceed the rates now charged.

The form of lease which the purchaser will be required to execute can be seen at the office of the Board of Docks.

The right to reject any bid is reserved if deemed by the Board of Docks to be for the best interests of the City.

The communication from the Consolidated Gas Company, requesting that the lease of the bulkheads between Twentieth and Twenty-second streets, East river, be amended so as to provide for two renewal terms of ten years each, was referred to the Treasurer.

The application of John A. McCarthy for a ten years' lease of Pier 60 and bulkhead between Piers 60 and 61, East river, together with the new-made land in rear of said bulkhead, was referred to Commissioner Meyer.

The following permits were granted, to continue during the pleasure of the Board:

Anning J. Smith, to land the steamer "Nassau" at the Battery Landing on Sundays, compensation therefor to be fixed by the Treasurer.

Thomas Mulry & Son, to load cellar dirt on scows at the bulkhead between Piers 14 and 15, East river, instead of at the bulkhead between Piers 13 and 14, East river, as heretofore granted, the consent of the owner of the property having been obtained.

The following permits were granted, the work to be done under the supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief:

Consolidated Gas Company, to make general repairs to gas-mains and service pipes along the water front for a period of six months from July 1, 1901; all pavement to be taken up and relaid by the force of the Department at the cost and expense of said company.

Central Railroad Company of New Jersey, to make general repairs to Piers, old 8, 12, 13, 14 and 15, North river, for a period of six months from July 1, 1901, all work to be kept within existing lines.

Frederick Ecks, to repair the water pipe leading to Pier 16, North river, for the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company; all pavement to be taken up and relaid by the force of the Department at the cost and expense of said Ecks.

American Ice Company, to transfer the hoisting engine, boiler and engine house from the bulkhead foot of West Twentieth street to the Pier foot of East Thirty-third street.

Union Ferry Company, to make general repairs to the Hamilton, South, Wall, Fulton and Catharine ferry premises on the East river, for a period of three months from July 1, 1901, all work to be kept within existing lines.

American Malting Company, to repair the bulkhead foot of East Sixty-fourth street.

Staten Island Rapid Transit Ferry Company, to repair the pile cluster at the easterly ferry rack at St. George, Staten Island.

Burlee Dry Dock Company, to repair its pier at Port Richmond, Staten Island.

The following permits were granted to continue during the pleasure of the Board, the work to be done under the supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief:

Knickerbocker Steamboat Company, to place water-meters on the piers foot of West Fiftieth and West One Hundred and Twenty-ninth streets, North river, the meters to be placed thereat in accordance with the regulations of the Department of Water Supply; and to use a horse for coaling its boats at the Pier foot of West Fiftieth street, the sheathing on the pier to be properly protected.

Orange County Contract Company, to run a 7-inch sewer pipe through the bulkhead north of Forty-eighth street, East river.

Bohemian Boat Club, to place its boat-house at the foot of Lenox avenue, Harlem river, compensation therefor to be fixed by the Treasurer.

William E. Lutjens, to lay tracks temporarily on the Pier foot of Broadway, Astoria, Borough of Queens, to be used in connection with the unloading of broken stone, etc., thereat.

New Amsterdam Gas Company, to construct a cribwork to grade over the rock filling at its property at Ravenswood, Borough of Queens.

The following communications were ordered on file:

From the Comptroller—Approving sureties on Contracts Nos. 706, 707 and 708.

From the Corporation Counsel—

1st. Approving form of lease to Henry B. Turner of the inner 350 feet of the south side of the Pier foot of East Twenty-second street. Commissioners authorized to execute same.

2d. Approving forms of bonds submitted by the Uvalde Asphalt Paving Company for the maintenance of the asphalt pavement laid between Hubert and North Moore streets, and in the vicinity of Vestry street, and between Desbrosses and Canal streets, North river.

3d. Requesting information in relation to the claim of this Department against Charles J. O'Neill for the cost of repairing the Pier foot of Third street, East river, where damaged by the tug "Ant." Action of the Secretary in furnishing same approved.

4th. Transmitting form of agreement for the purchase of the property owned by Alfred P. Coburn, between Eighteenth and Nineteenth streets, North river. Commissioners authorized to execute same and the Secretary directed to transmit the agreement to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund for approval when executed.

5th. Advising that the claim of this Department for the cost of repairing the bulkhead

between Piers 48 and 49, East river, formerly owned by Amelia Stuyvesant, cannot be deducted from the amount awarded to her in the proceedings for the acquisition of said property.

On motion, the Treasurer was authorized to charge off from the books of the Department the claim of \$2,475.40, the cost of repairing said bulkhead.

6th. In relation to the claim of the Mott Haven Company to the title to premises leased to Church E. Gates & Co., on the easterly side of the Harlem river, opposite One Hundred and Forty-sixth street, and stating that the matter is now being considered in connection with the street opening proceeding, and that no action need be taken by this Board pending the decision in said proceeding.

From the Central-Hudson Steamboat Company—Accepting the terms and conditions of the resolution adopted June 7, 1901, agreeing to extend Pier, new 24, North river, out to the present pierhead-line.

From W. B. Franklin, Commander U. S. S. "New Hampshire"—Stating that the "New Hampshire" vacated the berth at the Pier foot of East Twenty-eighth street on June 20, 1901. Permit revoked to take effect as of that date.

From the Compagnie Generale Transatlantique—Giving notice of its intention to take advantage of the privilege of a renewal lease of Pier, new 42, North river. Secretary directed to request the Corporation Counsel to prepare the form of renewal lease.

From the Twenty-eighth and Twenty-ninth Street Crosstown Railroad Company—Consenting to the dissolution of the injunction restraining this Department from proceeding with the improvement of the water-front between Fourteenth and Twenty-third streets, North river, provided this Department will lay said company's tracks on the new-made land after the improvements shall have been completed. Commissioners authorized to execute an agreement to that effect and the Secretary directed to transmit said agreement to the Corporation Counsel when executed.

From Frank A. Collins—Withdrawing application of Daniel A. Skinnell for permission to construct a cribwork at his property at Bayside, Long Island. Permit revoked.

From William H. Eisman & Co.—Reporting collision between their tug "Senator D. C. Chase" and Pile Driver No. 4 while in tow of the tug "Pier." Secretary directed to state that the Department is not liable for any damage to their tug.

From M. B. Martin—Requesting an extension of time in which to remove the dumping-board from the Pier foot of One Hundred and Thirty-third street, North river.

On motion, the time in which to remove said dumping-board and to vacate the premises was extended to August 1, 1901.

From George McConnell—Requesting an extension of time in which to remove his runway and float at the foot of Lexington avenue, Harlem river.

On motion, the time in which to remove said runway and float was extended to July 15, 1901.

From the American Dock and Trust Company—Requesting information as to whether the Staten Island Rapid Transit Ferry Company is not obliged, under the terms of its lease, to handle merchandise in bulk over the ferry between the boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond. Secretary directed to state that the ferry companies are not obliged to handle merchandise in bulk.

From the Pennsylvania Railroad Company—Requesting that a location in the vicinity of West Thirteenth street, North river, be assigned to it for use as a freight station after the work of improvement thereat shall have been completed.

From O'Brien Brothers—Requesting permission to erect a dumping-board for cellar dirt on the Pier foot of Sixtieth street, East river. Application denied.

From Bernard Rolf—Requesting an extension of time for the completion of Contract No. 688. On motion, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the time for the completion of the work of building the freight shed on Pier, new 4, East river, under Contract No. 688, Bernard Rolf, contractor, be and hereby is extended to and including June 18, 1901, provided the written consent of the sureties on said contract be filed in this Department.

From the Central Crosstown Railroad Company—Requesting that action be taken on its application for permission to extend the tracks at the foot of East Twenty-third street.

On motion, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That permission be and hereby is granted the Central Crosstown Railroad Company to extend its tracks from their present location near the westerly side of the marginal street at the foot of East Twenty-third street to the newly-made land in front of the ferry at the foot of said street, the work to be done under the direction and supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief of this Department, provided said company shall file in this Department a written agreement that it will at all times during the continuance of this permit maintain in good order and condition the pavement within an area between a line two feet north of the northernmost rail and a line two feet southerly of the southernmost rail, of all tracks and switches that may be laid under this permit; that a grooved rail shall be used for all such tracks and switches; that it will pay for the privilege of maintaining the tracks hereby permitted at a rate of compensation to be hereafter fixed by the Treasurer of this Department, and that it will remove said tracks and switches and restore the premises to proper and suitable condition for use whenever directed so to do by the Board of Docks.

From the New York Contracting and Trucking Company—Requesting a lease of the pier to be built at the foot West Ninety-sixth street.

On motion, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That by virtue of the power and authority vested in this Board by law, and in pursuance of the statutes in such case made and provided, this Board hereby agrees to lease, assign and to farm let unto the New York Contracting and Trucking Company, all and singular, the wharfage and crange which may arise, accrue and become due for the use and occupation in the manner and at the rates prescribed by law, of the pier at the foot of West Ninety-sixth street, North river, Borough of Manhattan, for a term of ten years commencing from the day when said pier is completed and ready for occupancy, for the rent or sum of thirty-six hundred dollars (\$3,600) per annum, payable quarterly in advance to the Treasurer of this department; the lessee shall have the privilege of two renewal terms of ten years each, the rental for the renewal terms to be at an advance of five per cent. on each renewal.

The said company shall have the privilege of erecting and maintaining during the term of this lease or any renewal thereof a dumping-board on said pier, together with the necessary runways, ramps and approaches thereto, it being understood and agreed that this resolution shall be of no force or effect unless the said New York Contracting and Trucking Company shall, within ten days from receipt of a copy hereof, file in this Department its written acceptance of the terms and conditions thereof, and agree to execute a lease containing the usual covenants and conditions at present embodied in the lease of wharf property now used by this Department, except that the lessee shall do all dredging.

From John Fleming—Requesting leases of the premises now occupied by Brown & Fleming at Pier, old 42, North river, at the foot of West Fifty-fifth street, and at the bulkhead foot of East Fortieth street.

On motion, the following resolutions were adopted:

Resolved, That the permits granted Brown & Fleming to erect and maintain dumping-boards at Pier, old 42, North river, pier foot of West Fifty-fifth street, and the bulkhead foot of East Fortieth street be and they are hereby revoked, to take effect July 1, 1901.

Resolved, That the premises described in the following resolution be and hereby are set aside for the erection of a dumping-board by John Fleming, for the purpose of loading cellar dirt and other material.

Resolved, That by virtue of the power and authority vested in this Board by law, and in pursuance of the statutes in such case made and provided, this Board hereby agrees to lease, assign and to farm let unto John Fleming all and singular the following-described wharf property:

101 feet 2 inches of the southerly side of Pier, old 42, North river, near the foot of Canal street, commencing at a point about 350 feet distant from the inner end of said pier and extending outshore 101 feet 2 inches, being the portion of said pier now occupied by Brown & Fleming, together with the privilege of erecting and maintaining thereat a dumping-board extending from a line parallel to and 18 feet north of the southerly line of said pier to a line 18 feet south of the said southerly line of said pier—in all a distance of about 32 feet.

The lease of the above-described premises shall be for a term of ten years from July 1, 1901, and the lessee shall have the privilege of a renewal for a further term of ten years, the rental for such renewal in each case to be at an advance of five per centum on the rental of the first term.

The rental for the premises above described shall be at the rate of \$2,800 per annum, payable quarterly in advance to the Treasurer of this Department.

The said John Fleming shall have the privilege of erecting and maintaining during the term of this lease, or any renewal thereof, on wharf property contiguous to above-described premises, the necessary runways, ramps and approaches to said dumps, and the Board of Docks hereby agrees to set aside such wharf property under its jurisdiction as may be required for such runways, ramps and approaches necessary for the operation of said dumps.

It is understood and agreed that the above resolution shall be of no force or effect unless the said John Fleming shall within ten days from receipt hereof file in this Department his written acceptance of this resolution, and agree to execute a lease containing the usual covenants and conditions at present embodied in the leases of wharf property now used by this Department, except that the lessee shall do all dredging.

Resolved, That the premises described in the following resolution be and hereby are set aside for the operation of a dumping-board by John Fleming, for the purpose of loading cellar dirt and other material:

Resolved, That by virtue of the power and authority vested in this Board by law, and in pursuance of the statutes in such case made and provided, this Board hereby agrees to lease, assign and to farm-let unto John Fleming all and singular the following-described wharf property:

Two hundred feet of the southerly side of the pier at the foot of West Fifty-fifth street, extending from the inner end of said pier outshore a distance of 200 feet, being the portion of said



pier now occupied by Brown & Fleming, together with the privilege of erecting and maintaining during the term of said lease, or any renewal thereof, a dumping-board extending from a line parallel to and about 18 feet north of the southerly line of said pier foot of West Fifty-fifth street to a line 18 feet south of the southerly side of said pier—in all a distance of about 36 feet.

The lease of the above described premises shall be for a term of ten years from July 1, 1901, and the lessee shall have the privilege of a renewal for a further term of ten years, the rental for such renewal term to be at an advance of five per centum on the rental for the first term. The rental for the premises above described shall be at the rate of \$1,250 per annum, payable quarterly in advance to the Treasurer of this Department.

The said John Fleming shall have the privilege of erecting and maintaining during the term of this lease, or any renewal thereof, on wharf property contiguous to the above-described premises, the necessary runways, ramps and approaches to said dump, and the Board of Docks hereby agrees to set aside such wharf property under its jurisdiction as may be required for such runways, ramps and approaches necessary for the operation of said dump.

It is understood and agreed that the above resolution shall be of no force or effect unless the said John Fleming shall, within ten days from receipt of a copy thereof, file in this office his written acceptance of the terms and conditions of this resolution and agree to execute a lease containing the usual covenants and conditions embodied in the form of lease of wharf property now used by this Department; except that the lessee shall do all dredging.

Resolved, That the premises described in the following resolution be and hereby are set aside for the operation of a dumping-board by John Fleming, for the purpose of loading cellar dirt and other material.

Resolved, That by virtue of the power and authority vested in this Board by law, and in pursuance of the statutes in such case made and provided, this Board hereby agrees to lease, assign and to farm let unto John Fleming all and singular the following described wharf property:

The bulkhead foot of East Fortieth street, East river, about sixty feet, being the premises now occupied by Brown & Fleming, together with the privilege of erecting and maintaining on said bulkhead, during the term of said lease, or any renewal thereof, a stationary dumping-board, in accordance with plans and specifications to be submitted to and approved by the Engineer-in-Chief of this Department; or that the said lessee shall have the privilege of mooring to said bulkhead a floating dumping-board.

The lease of the above-described premises shall be for a term of ten years from July 1, 1901, and the lessee shall have the privilege of a renewal for a further term of ten years, the rental for such renewal term to be at an advance of five per centum on the rental for the first term. The rental for the premises above described shall be at the rate of \$600 per annum, payable quarterly in advance, to the Treasurer of this Department.

The said John Fleming shall have the privilege of erecting and maintaining during the term of this lease, or any renewal thereof, on wharf property contiguous to the above-described premises, the necessary runways, ramps and approaches to said dump, and the Board of Docks hereby agrees to set aside such wharf property under its jurisdiction as may be required for such runways, ramps and approaches necessary for the operation of said dump.

It is understood and agreed that the above resolutions shall be of no force or effect unless the said John Fleming shall, within ten days from receipt of copy thereof, file in this office his written acceptance of the terms and conditions of this resolution, and agree to execute a lease containing the usual covenants and conditions embodied in the form of lease of wharf property now used by this Department; except that the lessee shall do all dredging.

From the President—Recommending that no compensation be charged the Consolidated Gas Company for the temporary dump or for the use of the north side of the Pier foot of West Twentieth street, North river, it having been agreed that facilities would be afforded said company in consideration of its permitting the City to enter into possession of the premises between Sixteenth and Eighteenth streets, North river. Recommendation adopted.

From the Dock Superintendent—Report for the two weeks ending June 29, 1901.

From the Engineer-in-Chief—

1st. Report for the week ending June 22, 1901.

2d. Reporting that the Pennsylvania Railroad Company vacated the freight station at the foot of West Thirteenth street, North river, on June 15, 1901.

3d. Recommending that repairs be made by the force of the Department to the Pier foot of East Thirty-fifth street; to the bulkhead-platform between East Sixtieth and Sixty-first streets; to the southerly Pier foot of East Eighty-sixth street, and to the bulkhead foot of Degraw street, Gowanus canal. Recommendations adopted.

The Engineer-in-Chief reported that the following work had been done by the force of the Department under Secretary's Orders:

No. 20974. Repaired Pier, old 42, North river.  
No. 21057. Repaired Pier, new 43, North river.  
No. 21077. Repaired Pier foot of West Thirtieth street.  
No. 20996. Repaired bulkhead foot of West Ninety-sixth street.  
No. 20814. Placed cleats on Pier, new 4, East river.  
No. 20369. Repaired crib-bulkhead foot of Corlears street, East river.  
No. 20973. Repaired north half of Pier foot of Eighth street, East river.  
No. 20946. Repaired Pier foot of East Twenty-eighth street.  
No. 20947. Repaired the rip-rap wall and pavement in rear of the bulkhead foot of Sixty-third street, East river.  
No. 20944. Repaired pavement in rear of crib-bulkhead foot of One Hundred and Seventh street, Harlem river.

No. 20072. Repaired pavement leading to the bulkhead between One Hundred and Thirty-seventh and One Hundred and Forty-first streets, Harlem river.

The Engineer-in-Chief reported that the following work had been superintended under Secretary's Orders.

No. 20834. Placing of floating bath at Battery wall.  
No. 21035. Placing of asphalt over driveway at entrance to Pier, new 26, North river.  
No. 21007. Erection of awning shed on newly made land between Piers, new 31 and 32, North river.

No. 20967. Repairs to Piers, new 39 and 40, North river.  
No. 20994. Repairs to Pier, new 41, North river.  
No. 20883. Placing of sign at entrance to Pier, new 43, North river.  
No. 20971. Repairs to spring piles at southerly side of Pier, new 43, North river.  
No. 20576. Repairs to Pier foot of West Twenty-second street.  
No. 21028. Replacing of scale on bulkhead between Piers, new 54 and 55, North river.  
No. 20952. Placing of bath on south side of Pier foot of West Thirty-fifth street.  
No. 20562. Repairs to Pier foot of West Fortieth street.  
No. 21009. Dredging under contract in the slips adjoining the Pier foot of West Fortieth street.

No. 21016. Dredging under contract between Forty-second and Forty-fourth streets, North river.

No. 20798. Removal of capsized material from slip between Fifty-fourth and Fifty-fifth streets, North river.

No. 21027. Dredging at the dumping-board foot of West Fifty-fifth street.

No. 21039. Dredging under contract at southerly side of Pier foot of West One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street.

No. 20795. Renewal of mooring-posts on bulkhead north of Pier 10, East river.

No. 20877. Replacing of fender and placing of additional piles on Pier, new 27, East river.

No. 21002. Dredging at dumping-board foot of Jackson street, East river.

No. 21015. Driving of mooring-piles at bulkhead between Jackson and Corlears streets, East river.

No. 20851. Placing of bath at bulkhead between Jackson and Corlears streets, East river.

No. 20936. Extension of ice-platform south of Rivington street, East river.

No. 21029. Replacing of scales on bulkhead foot of Rivington street, East river.

No. 21010. Erection of ice-platform, scales and tally-house on bulkhead between Piers 56 and 57, East river.

No. 20990. Placing of bath on north side of Pier foot of Eighth street, East river.

No. 20979. Erection of tally-house on Pier foot of East Twenty-second street.

No. 20982. Construction of temporary landing float and house north of Twenty-third street, East river.

No. 21056. Dredging at dumping-board foot of Fortieth street, East river.

No. 20965. Repairs to bulkhead foot of Forty-third street, East river.

No. 20791. Repairs to water pipe foot of Fifty-fifth street, East river.

No. 20929. Placing of floating baths between Sixty-fourth and Sixty-sixth streets, East river.

No. 21068. Dredging in front of bulkhead between Ninety-fifth and Ninety-sixth streets, East river.

No. 21022. Dredging at the dump between Ninety-fourth and Ninety-fifth streets, East river.

No. 21021. Dredging at the foot of One Hundred and Seventh street, East river.

No. 21040. Erection of ice-bridge and scales on bulkhead south of One Hundred and Eighth street, Harlem river.

No. 20987. Erection of extension to platform south of Pier foot of One Hundred and Twentieth street, Harlem river.

No. 21037. Repairs to bulkhead foot of One Hundred and Twentieth street, Harlem river.

No. 20867. Repairs to docks and bulkheads on north side of Harlem river east of Third Avenue Bridge.

No. 20970. Repairs to pavement upon approach to bulkhead between One Hundred and Thirty-eighth and One Hundred and Thirty-ninth streets, Harlem river.

No. 19631. Filling-in of salt meadows at Classon's Point, Long Island, and construction of small pier thereat.

No. 20962. Repairs to Piers foot of South First and South Second streets, Brooklyn.

No. 20972. Dredging at the marine railway slip foot of Court street, Brooklyn.

No. 20955. Dredging at dry dock foot of Twenty-sixth street, Brooklyn.

No. 21031. Repairs to cribwork foot of Fifty-third street, Brooklyn.

No. 21012. Construction of bulkhead foot of Bay Twenty-second street and Cropsey avenue, Bath Beach, Brooklyn.

No. 20897. Erection of foundation for club-house foot of Nineteenth avenue, Gravesend Bay, Brooklyn.

No. 20911. Dredging in slip between Piers 3 and 4 at American Docks, Tompkinsville, S. I.

No. 20848. Repairs to bulkhead at Port Richmond, S. I.

No. 20904. Placing of boat-house foot of Water street, Stapleton, S. I.

The Acting Treasurer, Commissioner Meyer, submitted his report of receipts for the week ending June 27, 1901, amounting to \$8,648.08, which was received and ordered to be spread in full on the minutes, as follows:

| DATE.                         | FROM WHOM.                        | FOR WHAT.   | AMOUNT.    |
|-------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---|------------|
| 1901.                         |                                   |   |            |
| June 22                       | Metro. St. Rwy. Co.               | 1 mos. rent, reclaimed land bet. 43d and 44th sts., N. R.                       | \$40 00    |
| " 22                          | "                                 | 100 ft. bhd. N. of E. 125th st., with 10,000 sq. ft. improved land              | 250 00     |
| " 22                          | "                                 | new-made land W. of 12th ave., bet. 50th and 52d sts., N. R.                    | 250 00     |
| " 24                          | N. J. Steamboat Co.               | 1 u. w. covered by extd. to Pier, old 41, N. R.                                 | 250 00     |
| " 24                          | D. Brinkman                       | pfm. bet. 81st and 82d sts., E. R.  | 28 13      |
| " 24                          | "                                 | W. of pfm. bet. 81st and 82d sts., E. R.  | 18 75      |
| " 24                          | Cent. Brewing Co.                 | pfm. on piles in front of crib bet. 68th and 69th sts., E. R.                   | 37 50      |
| " 24                          | Moquin, Offerman & H. Coal Co.    | bhd. bet. 95th and 96th sts., N. R.   | 800 00     |
| " 24                          | J. M. Ceballos & Co.              | 1 u. w. covered by changes in lines of Pier 10, E. R., 2,000 sq. ft.            | 125 00     |
| " 25                          | John J. O'Hare                    | pfm. on bhd. S. of pier at 3d st., E. R.  | 50 00      |
| " 25                          | Shanley & Ryan                    | bhd. and 1 u. w. pier at Delancey st., E. R.                                    | 125 00     |
| " 26                          | John J. Reilly                    | ice bridge, etc., N. side pier at 54th st., N. R.                               | 185 00     |
| " 26                          | M. B. Martin                      | dump-board N. 1/2 pier ft. W. 133d st., N. R.                                   | 75 00      |
| " 26                          | Penna. R. R. Co.                  | 1 u. w. covered by ferry structures S. of S. side Watts st., N. R. (add'l rent) | 1,178 41   |
| " 26                          | Brown & Fleming                   | dump-bd. on Pier, old 42, N. R.   | 233 34     |
| " 26                          | "                                 | S. inner side pier ft. W. 55th st., N. R.                                       | 104 17     |
| " 27                          | J. Reeber's Sons                  | S. 1/2 block bet. 107th and 108th sts., E. R.                                   | 25 00      |
| " 27                          | Peter J. Moran                    | bath-houses, etc., ft. W. 151st st.   | 40 00      |
| " 24                          | N. Y. & So. B'klyn. Fy. S. T. Co. | ferry ft. Whitehall st. to S. Brooklyn  | 1,750 25   |
| " 25                          | N. Y. & College Pt. Fy. Co.       | ferry E. 99th st. to College Pt., L. I.   | 625 00     |
| " 21                          | No. and East River Stbt. Co.      | Cost of cutting gangway through backing log on N. side of Pier 37, E. R.        | 5 56       |
| " 25                          | Geo. W. Rogers                    | Set plans Pier ft. Burling slip also bhd. bet. 135th and 137th sts., H. R.      | 10 00      |
| " 26                          | A. C. Gildersleeve                | Set plans crib bet. 131st and 132d sts., H. R.                                  | 5 00       |
| " 25                          | Dock Masters                      | Wharfage, Manhattan, June, 1901   | 1,142 27   |
| " 25                          | "                                 | Brooklyn, June, 1901  | 106 53     |
| " 25                          | "                                 | Queens, June, 1901  | 5 84       |
| " 27                          | Collectors                        | Manhattan, March, 1901  | 2 00       |
| " 27                          | "                                 | April, 1901   | 20 52      |
| " 27                          | "                                 | Brooklyn, April, 1901   | 14 12      |
| " 27                          | "                                 | Manhattan, May, 1901  | 1,049 76   |
| " 27                          | "                                 | Brooklyn, May, 1901   | 145 93     |
| " 27                          | "                                 | Queens, May, 1901   | 8 00       |
| Date deposited, June 28, 1901 |                                   |   | \$8,646 08 |

Respectfully submitted,  
PETER F. MEYER, Acting Treasurer.

The Auditing Committee submitted a report of eighteen bills or claims, amounting to \$66,689.09, which had been approved and audited. The report was ordered to be spread in full on the minutes as follows:

| Audit No. | Names.                                   | Construction. | Amount.  | Total.     |
|-----------|--|---------------|----------|------------|
| 19676.    | Wyckoff, Seamans & Benedict, typewriter  |               | \$92 25  |            |
| 19677.    | John P. Kane & Co., Portland cement      |               | 5,055 00 |            |
| 19678.    | James Shewan & Son, docking, etc.        |               | 300 00   |            |
| 19679.    | J. Edward Ogden & Co., screw-bolts, etc. |               | 1,425 30 |            |
| 19680.    | Dowd Lumber Company, spruce, etc.        |               | 814 29   |            |
| 19681.    | Alexander Pollock, supplies, etc.        |               | 1,327 10 |            |
| 19682.    | Henry P. Drew, supplies                  |               | 482 50   |            |
|           |  |               |          | \$9,496 44 |

#### General Repairs.

|        |   |             |
|--------|---|-------------|
| 19683. | Uvalde Asphalt Paving Company, asphalt paving | \$53,786 25 |
| 19684. | Thomas Kelly, use of horse, etc.              | 210 00      |
| 19685. | Henry P. Drew, rubber matting                 | 518 65      |
| 19686. | Martin B. Brown Company, printing, etc.       | 12 75       |
| 19687. | Felix S. McAuliff, music                      | 336 00      |
| 19688. | Maurice Z. Hanau, music                       | 438 00      |
| 19689. | Thomas F. Usher, music                        | 441 00      |
| 19690. | Eugene A. Johnson, music                      | 336 00      |
| 19691. | Bowron's Concert Band, music                  | 336 00      |
| 19692. | Dave Braham, music                            | 441 00      |
| 19693. | Thomas F. Shannon, music                      | 336 00      |
|        |   | \$57,191 65 |
|        |   | \$66,688 09 |

Respectfully submitted,  
J. SERGEANT CRAM, } Auditing  
PETER F. MEYER, } Committee.

The action of the Secretary in transmitting the same, with requisitions for the amount, to the Finance Department for payment, approved.

The following requisitions were passed:

| Register No. | For What.                    | Estimated Cost. |
|--------------|------------------------------|-----------------|
| 17769.       | Naphtha                      | \$70 00         |
| 17770.       | Rip-rap, per cubic yard      | 55              |
| 17771.       | Ash, etc.                    | 99 05           |
| 17772.       | Asphalt pavement             | 21,782 25       |
| 17773.       | Asphalt pavement             | 20,465 00       |
| 17774.       | Asphalt pavement             | 12,154 25       |
| 17775.       | Derrick stone embankment     | 10,000 00       |
| 17776.       | Broken stone, per cubic yard | 1 10            |



| Register No.    | For What.                               | Estimated Cost. |
|-----------------|---|-----------------|
| 17777.          | Broken stone, per cubic yard.           | \$1 08½         |
| 17778.          | Sand, per cubic yard.                   | 75              |
| 17779.          | Portland cement, per barrel.            | 1 68½           |
| 17780.          | White pine, per M.                      | 65 00           |
| 17781.          | Rip-rap, per cubic yard.                | 55              |
| 17782.          | Badges.                                 | 50 00           |
| 17783.          | Typewriter.                             | 90 00           |
| 17784.          | Cobble, per cubic yard.                 | 70              |
| 17785.          | Portland cement, per barrel.            | 1 68½           |
| 17786.          | Sand, per cubic yard.                   | 75              |
| 17787.          | Awnings.                                | 72 00           |
| 17788.          | Towing, per hour.                       | 4 75            |
| 17789.          | Dredging.                               | 101,000 00      |
| 17790.          | Dredging.                               | 40,000 00       |
| 17791.          | Sprinkling, per day.                    | 5 50            |
| 17792.          | Sprinkling, per day.                    | 5 50            |
| 17793.          | Sprinkling, per day.                    | 5 50            |
| 17794.          | Sprinkling, per day.                    | 5 50            |
| 17795.          | Broken stone, per cubic yard.           | 1 08½           |
| 17796.          | Gunny bags.                             | 950 00          |
| Requisition No. |   |                 |
| 870.            | Stationery, etc.                        | 128 29          |
| 420Z.           | Use of horse, cart and driver, per day. | 3 50            |

The action of the Secretary in transmitting to the Corporation Counsel the application of the Midland Railroad Terminal Company for an injunction restraining this Department from removing the fence at Midland Beach, Borough of Richmond, was approved.

On motion, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, pursuant to authority vested in them under the provisions of section 180 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, be and they are hereby requested to direct the Comptroller to prepare and issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount of three million dollars for the uses and purposes of this Department for the year 1901.

On motion, the Secretary was directed to request the Department of Highways to repair the hydrants on Piers, new 15, 21, 25, 27, 29, 40, 44, 51 and 52, on the North river, and on the Piers foot of East Twenty-sixth and East Twenty-eighth streets, on the East river.

On motion, the Secretary was directed to notify the Pennsylvania Railroad Company to show cause why the permit granted for the temporary awning shed at Pier, new 29, North river, should not be revoked.

The Secretary reported that the pay-rolls for the week ending June 21, 1901, amounting to \$18,016.18; for the week ending June 28, 1901, amounting to \$18,189.89, and for the month of June, 1901, amounting to \$26,291.89, had been approved, audited and transmitted to the Department of Finance for payment.

The Board went into executive session at 2.45 P. M.

The communication from the Engineer-in-Chief recommending that the salary of J. G. Bassinger, Assistant Engineer, be increased to \$2,400 per annum, was placed on file, and

On motion, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the compensation of J. G. Bassinger, Assistant Engineer, be and hereby is fixed at the rate of two thousand four hundred dollars per annum, to take effect July 1, 1901.

On motion, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That Cormac McLaughlin, formerly employed in the Department of Street Cleaning as Driver, and John Bescher, Peter Breen, Michael Reilly, Frank Veprosky, William Wesley, Gustav Wolf and Marcus Wotic, formerly employed in said Department as Sweepers, having been discharged from that Department for lack of work, be and they are hereby re-employed in this Department, and their titles be and are hereby changed to Laborers, with compensation at the rate of twenty-five cents per hour each, while employed, they having served in the Department of Street Cleaning in their former positions for over the prescribed period of one year.

On motion, the Board adjourned to meet Thursday, July 11, 1901, at 2 o'clock P. M.

WM. H. BURKE, Secretary.

## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

TRANSACTIONS FROM AUGUST 12 TO AUGUST 17, 1901, INCLUSIVE.

AUGUST 12, 1901.

COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVED AND DISPOSED OF.

Filed.

From City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia—Asking to be informed whether the contract of the Columbia Rubber Works for furnishing 500 feet of fire-hose has been satisfactorily completed. Reply communicated.

From Fire Marshal, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens—Report of transactions to 10th instant.

From Chief of Battalion in Charge of Hospital Stables—Reporting death of horse No. 1378, on 10th instant, in service with Engine 74.

From Deputy and Acting Chief of Department—

1. Returning request of the Department of Public Buildings, Lighting and Supplies, for removal of a telegraph pole from entrance to Adeo Park, Williamsbridge, with report thereon that the pole was shifted August 5. Copy of report forwarded.

2. Recommending that application from the Manhattan Fire Alarm Company for permission to connect premises No. 430 West One Hundred and Eighteenth street with box 742 and No. 14 Morningside avenue with box 742, be granted. Recommendation approved.

From Deputy Commissioner—Report of testimony submitted and penalties inflicted at trials of delinquent members of the Uniformed Force held at Headquarters, Borough of Brooklyn, on 7th instant, as follows:

Fireman 1st grade Patrick Lavin, Engine 134, for "disrespect to superior officer." Reprimanded.

Fireman 2d grade Edward Viehmann, Hook and Ladder 55, for "neglect of duty." Fined three days' pay.

Fireman 1st grade Francis McKenna, Engine 112, detailed to Engine 161, for "absence without leave." Fined three days' pay.

Fireman 1st grade James J. Connors, Engine 153, for "absence without leave," "being under the influence of liquor, drug or compound," "disrespect to superior officer," and "disobedience of orders." Fined twenty days' pay.

Referred.

From S. B. Hollis, Foreman—Forwarding list of members of Defender Hose Company of Eastchester, who are entitled to pay as Firemen. To Chief of Department.

From Foreman Engine 12—Reporting a chimney fire on 9th instant, premises No. 123 Park row. To Inspector of Combustibles.

From Foreman Engine 44—Reporting a defective chimney flue, premises No. 332 East Eighty-fifth street. To Fire Marshal.

From Foreman Engine 46—Reporting a chimney fire, premises No. 1980 Bathgate avenue, on 9th instant. To Inspector of Combustibles.

From Foreman Engine 55—Reporting a violation of section 771 of the Charter, premises Nos. 30 to 36 Crosby street. To Inspector of Combustibles.

From Foreman Engine 56—

1. Reporting a defective chimney flue, premises No. 134 West Ninetieth street. To Fire Marshal.

2. Reporting a chimney fire on 9th instant, premises No. 134 West Ninetieth street. To Inspector of Combustibles.

From Foreman Hook and Ladder 15—Reporting a violation of section 761 of the Charter, premises No. 165 Maiden lane. To Inspector of Combustibles.

BILLS AUDITED.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

Schedule 50, of 1901—

Allowances of Volunteer Fire Companies, Borough of Richmond. \$1,000 00

AUGUST 13, 1901.

COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVED AND DISPOSED OF.

Filed.

From Department of Finance—

1. Advising that there is no available balance of appropriation from which a transfer could be made to pay a proportion of the expense of restoring the fire alarm telegraph system on Broadway, from Sixty-fourth to One Hundred and Fourth street. Chief of Department notified.

2. Advising that the Comptroller's certificates has been indorsed on the agreements with Horgan & Slattery, Architects, and H. de B. Parsons, Supervising Engineer, to prepare drawings and specifications for new apparatus houses and repairs to fire-boats, and on contract with James J. Spearing for alterations, etc., to quarters of Engine 24, at No. 78 Morton street, and that they are now all valid contracts. Certificates ordered attached to contracts.

From M. J. O'Connell—Requesting a copy of annual report. Reply communicated.

From Herman C. Windhorn—Requesting a copy of the signal station book. Reply communicated.

From Foreman in Charge of Repair Shops—Reporting the receipt from the International Fire-engine Company on 7th instant of three third-size La France fire-engines, registered numbers 461, 462 and 463, for service in the boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

From Foreman Engine 6—Reporting death on 10th instant of Retired Foreman William H. Fleming.

From Foreman Engine 133—Reporting loss of a copy of the Rules and Regulations by Fireman 1st grade Frederick G. Ceder. Fine imposed.

From Deputy and Acting Chief of Department—

1. Recommending that permission be obtained from the Department of Docks and Ferries to set a telegraph pole on bulkhead foot of Gansevoort street, North river. Recommendation approved.

2. Returning communication from Gardner & Cox, offering to charter boats, etc., with report thereon that the Department is not in need of boats of the kind mentioned. Reply forwarded.

Referred.

From Edwards & Robinson, attorneys—Summons and complaint in the matter of the New York Life Insurance and Trust Company against Thomas H. Bell and others for foreclosure of a mortgage. To Corporation Counsel.

From George W. Homans, Jr.—Complaining that a member of the Uniformed Force was guilty of conduct unbecoming an officer and a gentleman. To Chief of Department.

From George Stearing—Complaining of insufficient means of escape from premises No. 528 West One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street. To Department of Buildings.

From H. L. Moxley—Reporting that the requirements of the Department are being complied with at premises Nos. 75 and 77 Spring street, and requesting an extension of time in which to complete the work. To Chief of Department.

From John T. Mulry—Concerning the cause of recent fire at No. 85 Charlton street. To Inspector of Combustibles.

From Assistant Foreman Hook and Ladder 22—Reporting violation of section 771 of the Charter, premises Nos. 251 to 255 West Ninety-seventh street. To Inspector of Combustibles.

APPOINTED.

Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

Alice Burns, as Cleaner, at \$1.50 per diem, to take effect from 14th instant.

RETIRED ON HALF-PAY.

Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

Fireman 1st grade George Mathews, Hook and Ladder 53, on application, in writing, and after more than twenty years' service, to take effect from September 1, 1901.

EXPENDITURES AUTHORIZED.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

Repairs and extensions to telegraph system. \$500 00

AUGUST 14, 1901.

COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVED AND DISPOSED OF.

Filed.

From Corporation Counsel—Advising that the pensions of John Tierney, Lawrence Fagan and Edward Finn, Retired Firemen, Borough of Brooklyn, should be paid at the rate of \$700 per annum. Bookkeeper notified.

From Assistant Foreman Engine 28—Reporting recovery of badge 656 by Fireman 4th grade William Fredericks. Fine remitted.

From Foreman Engine 49—Reporting death on 13th instant of Engineer of Steamer Felix K. Jewell of his command. Municipal Civil Service Commission notified.

From Fireman 1st grade William H. D'Olier, Engine 126—Waiving right of promotion to rank of Assistant Foreman, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx. Municipal Civil Service Commission notified.

From Assistant Foreman Hook and Ladder 24—Reporting new horse on trial as suitable for the service.

From Buildings Superintendent—Reporting slight accident to Peter Leonard, Driver, on 10th instant.

From Deputy Commissioner—Recommending transfer from the Department of Water Supply of Michael A. O'Brien, as Clerk, Fire Marshal's office.

BILLS AUDITED.

Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

Schedule 73, of 1900—

Apparatus, supplies, etc. \$890 00

Schedule 35, of 1900—

Apparatus, supplies, etc. 21,304 73

AUGUST 15, 1901.

COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVED AND DISPOSED OF.

Filed.

From Municipal Civil Service Commission—Advising that certain changes in titles of employees in Brooklyn are in accordance with the Civil Service Regulations.

From editor Coal Trade Journal—Requesting copy of the annual report for the year 1900. Copy forwarded.

From Deputy and Acting Chief of Department—

1. Recommending that application be made to the Empire City Subway Company (Limited) for duct space in subway on Fifth avenue, from Thirtieth to Thirty-third street. Recommendation approved.

2. Returning application of H. L. Moxley for an extension of time to complete stand pipes, etc., premises Nos. 75 and 77 Spring street, with report. Reply forwarded.

3. Returning request of the Police Department for certificate of inspection of premises No. 397 West street, known as the International Music Hall, with report thereon that requirements of the Department have been complied with. Police Department notified.

Referred.

From Samuel Harris, Attorney—In reference to a report of a chimney fire and defective chimney flue, premises No. 134 West Ninetieth street. To Inspector of Combustibles.

From Foreman Engine 9—Reporting violation of section 65, Building Code, premises No. 84 Market street. To Department of Buildings.

From Foreman Engine 44—Reporting chimney fire on 14th instant, premises No. 1540 Second avenue. To Inspector of Combustibles.

From Foreman Engine 58—Reporting defective chimney flue, premises No. 208 West One Hundred and Twenty-first street. To Fire Marshal.

BILLS AUDITED.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

Schedule 51, of 1901—

Apparatus, supplies, etc. \$6,111 29

AUGUST 16, 1901.

COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVED AND DISPOSED OF.

Filed.

From Thomas W. Manley—Tendering resignation as Fireman on probation. Resignation accepted.

From Cowperthwait & Sons—Requesting information concerning a member of the Uniformed Force. Reply communicated.

Referred.

From Foreman Hook and Ladder 18—Reporting violation of section 103, Building Code, premises No. 43 Attorney street. To Department of Buildings.

From Foreman Engine 44—Reporting defective chimney flue, premises No. 319 East Seventy-fourth street. To Fire Marshal.

AUGUST 17, 1901.

COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVED AND DISPOSED OF.

Filed.

From Fire Marshal, boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx and Richmond—Report of transactions for two weeks ending 17th instant.



The Deputy and Acting Chief of Department, to whom was referred a communication from the Department of Finance that there is no balance of appropriation that can be transferred for the purpose of being expended in restoring the fire alarm system damaged by the Rapid Transit Railway contractors on line of Broadway, submitted a report recommending that the Corporation Counsel be requested to prepare a form of contract to be entered into between this Department and the Underground Rapid Transit Construction Company for the work to be done. Recommendation approved.

Referred.

From Standard Underground Cable Company—Requesting information respecting specifications for conductor cable acceptable to the Department for system along Broadway. To Chief of Department.

From Foreman Engine 9—Reporting violation section 103, Building Code, premises No. 84 Market street.

From Foreman Engine 20—Reporting violation section 771 of the Charter, premises Nos. 58 and 70 Marion street. To Inspector of Combustibles.

From Assistant Foreman Hook and Ladder 4—Reporting chimney fire, premises No. 795 Seventh avenue, 17th instant. To Inspector of Combustibles.

#### BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS.

##### COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVED AND DISPOSED OF.

Referred.

From Dora Nichols, widow of late Engineer of Steamer Charles Nichols—Reporting that she had remarried. To Secretary of Relief Fund.

From Commanding Officers of Companies—Reporting chimney fires as follows:

Engine 105, premises No. 24 Myrtle avenue.

Engine 122, premises No. 1164 Greene avenue.

Hook and Ladder 55, premises No. 624 Carlton avenue.

##### BILLS AUDITED.

Schedule 73, of 1900..... \$890 00  
Schedule 35, of 1901..... 21,304 73

##### TRANSFER.

Alice Burns, Cleaner, from Department of Charities, from 14th instant.

AUGUSTUS T. DOCHARTY, Secretary.

### METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATORY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

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

Abstract of Registers from Self-recording Instruments for the Week ending August 31, 1901.

#### Barometer.

| DATE.      | AUGUST. | 7 A. M.              |                      |        | 2 P. M.              |                      |          | 9 P. M.              |                      |       | MEAN FOR THE DAY.    |                      |       | MAXIMUM.             |                      |       | MINIMUM.             |                      |       |
|------------|---------|----------------------|----------------------|--------|----------------------|----------------------|----------|----------------------|----------------------|-------|----------------------|----------------------|-------|----------------------|----------------------|-------|----------------------|----------------------|-------|
|            |         | Reduced to Freezing. | Reduced to Freezing. | Time.  | Reduced to Freezing. | Reduced to Freezing. | Time.    | Reduced to Freezing. | Reduced to Freezing. | Time. | Reduced to Freezing. | Reduced to Freezing. | Time. | Reduced to Freezing. | Reduced to Freezing. | Time. | Reduced to Freezing. | Reduced to Freezing. | Time. |
| Sunday,    | 25      | 29.996               | 29.978               | 29.970 | 29.979               | 30.000               | 9 A. M.  | 29.940               | 0 A. M.              |       |                      |                      |       |                      |                      |       |                      |                      |       |
| Monday,    | 26      | 29.972               | 29.942               | 29.950 | 29.955               | 29.972               | 7 A. M.  | 29.912               | 5 P. M.              |       |                      |                      |       |                      |                      |       |                      |                      |       |
| Tuesday,   | 27      | 30.000               | 30.010               | 30.050 | 30.020               | 30.078               | 12 P. M. | 29.954               | 0 A. M.              |       |                      |                      |       |                      |                      |       |                      |                      |       |
| Wednesday, | 28      | 30.120               | 30.140               | 30.122 | 30.127               | 30.160               | 11 A. M. | 30.074               | 3 A. M.              |       |                      |                      |       |                      |                      |       |                      |                      |       |
| Thursday,  | 29      | 30.112               | 30.064               | 30.020 | 30.065               | 30.130               | 0 A. M.  | 30.000               | 12 P. M.             |       |                      |                      |       |                      |                      |       |                      |                      |       |
| Friday,    | 30      | 29.952               | 29.910               | 29.900 | 29.921               | 30.000               | 0 A. M.  | 29.872               | 5 P. M.              |       |                      |                      |       |                      |                      |       |                      |                      |       |
| Saturday,  | 31      | 29.896               | 29.880               | 29.880 | 29.885               | 29.900               | 9 A. M.  | 29.852               | 5 P. M.              |       |                      |                      |       |                      |                      |       |                      |                      |       |

Mean for the week..... 29.993 inches.  
Maximum " at 11 A. M., August 28..... 30.160  
Minimum " at 5 P. M., August 31..... 29.852  
Range "..... .308

#### Thermometers.

| DATE.      | AUGUST. | 7 A. M.   |           |       | 2 P. M.   |           |       | 9 P. M.   |           |       | MEAN.     |           |         | MAXIMUM.  |           |       | MINIMUM.  |           |          | MAXIMUM. |
|------------|---------|-----------|-----------|-------|-----------|-----------|-------|-----------|-----------|-------|-----------|-----------|---------|-----------|-----------|-------|-----------|-----------|----------|----------|
|            |         | Dry Bulb. | Wet Bulb. | Time. | Dry Bulb. | Wet Bulb. | Time. | Dry Bulb. | Wet Bulb. | Time. | Dry Bulb. | Wet Bulb. | Time.   | Dry Bulb. | Wet Bulb. | Time. | Dry Bulb. | Wet Bulb. | Time.    | In Sun.  |
| Sunday,    | 25      | 67        | 65        | 77    | 70        | 73        | 71    | 72.3      | 68.6      | 80    | 5 P. M.   | 72        | 5 P. M. | 67        | 7 A. M.   | 65    | 7 A. M.   | 135       | 1 P. M.  |          |
| Monday,    | 26      | 68        | 66        | 77    | 70        | 72        | 71    | 72.3      | 69.0      | 78    | 4 P. M.   | 71        | 4 P. M. | 68        | 6 A. M.   | 66    | 8 A. M.   | 133       | 1 P. M.  |          |
| Tuesday,   | 27      | 70        | 69        | 77    | 70        | 72        | 71    | 72.3      | 68.3      | 80    | 4 P. M.   | 70        | 4 P. M. | 67        | 12 P. M.  | 66    | 12 P. M.  | 136       | 1 P. M.  |          |
| Wednesday, | 28      | 67        | 62        | 74    | 67        | 71        | 67    | 70.6      | 65.3      | 76    | 3 P. M.   | 68        | 7 P. M. | 65        | 6 A. M.   | 62    | 7 A. M.   | 130       | 1 P. M.  |          |
| Thursday,  | 29      | 63        | 63        | 80    | 68        | 71        | 66    | 73.0      | 65.6      | 81    | 5 P. M.   | 68        | 2 P. M. | 65        | 6 A. M.   | 62    | 6 A. M.   | 138       | 11 A. M. |          |
| Friday,    | 30      | 70        | 64        | 80    | 69        | 73        | 67    | 74.3      | 66.6      | 81    | 4 P. M.   | 70        | 4 P. M. | 65        | 6 A. M.   | 62    | 6 A. M.   | 125       | 1 P. M.  |          |
| Saturday,  | 31      | 72        | 67        | 79    | 70        | 72        | 69    | 74.3      | 68.6      | 79    | 1 P. M.   | 70        | 3 P. M. | 69        | 6 A. M.   | 66    | 6 A. M.   | 134       | 11 A. M. |          |

Mean for the week..... 72.7 degrees.  
Maximum " at 4 P. M., 30th..... 81  
Minimum " at 6 A. M., 28th..... 65  
Range "..... 16  
Wet Bulb. Mean for the week..... 67.4 degrees.  
Maximum " at 5 P. M., 25th..... 72  
Minimum " at 7 A. M., 28th..... 62  
Range "..... 10

#### Wind.

| DATE.<br>AUGUST. |       | DIRECTION. |         |         | VELOCITY IN MILES.       |                          |                          |                             | FORCE IN POUNDS PER SQUARE FOOT. |         |         |      |             |
|------------------|-------|------------|---------|---------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------------------|---------|---------|------|-------------|
|                  |       | 7 A. M.    | 2 P. M. | 9 P. M. | 7 A. M.<br>to<br>7 A. M. | 7 A. M.<br>10<br>2 P. M. | 2 P. M.<br>to<br>9 P. M. | Distance<br>for the<br>day. | 7 A. M.                          | 2 P. M. | 9 P. M. | Max. | Time.       |
| Sunday,          | 25... | NNW        | N       | NE      | 50                       | 49                       | 11                       | 110                         | ¾                                | 0       | 0       | 4    | 9 A. M.     |
| Monday,          | 26... | NW         | NE      | SE      | 5                        | 33                       | 27                       | 65                          | 0                                | 0       | 0       | ¾    | 0.30 P. M.  |
| Tuesday,         | 27... | NE         | NE      | E       | 11                       | 43                       | 24                       | 78                          | 0                                | ¾       | 0       | ¾    | 10.40 A. M. |
| Wednesday,       | 28... | NNE        | ENE     | SE      | 18                       | 53                       | 29                       | 100                         | 0                                | ¾       | 0       | ¾    | 11 A. M.    |
| Thursday,        | 29... | NNE        | ESE     | ESE     | 14                       | 22                       | 29                       | 65                          | 0                                | ¾       | 0       | ¾    | 3 P. M.     |
| Friday,          | 30... | NW         | SSE     | S       | 1                        | 15                       | 43                       | 59                          | 0                                | ½       | 0       | ¾    | 2.40 P. M.  |
| Saturday,        | 31... | ENE        | SE      | E       | 13                       | 32                       | 29                       | 74                          | 0                                | ¾       | 0       | ¾    | 1 P. M.     |

Distance traveled during the week..... 551 miles.  
Maximum force "..... 4 pounds.

| DATE.      | AUGUST. | Hygrometer.     |         |         |       | Clouds.            |         |         |       | Rain and Snow. Ozone.             |         |         |             |
|------------|---------|-----------------|---------|---------|-------|--------------------|---------|---------|-------|-----------------------------------|---------|---------|-------------|
|            |         | FORCE OF VAPOR. |         |         |       | RELATIVE HUMIDITY. |         |         |       | DEPTH OF RAIN AND SNOW IN INCHES. |         |         |             |
|            |         | 7 A. M.         | 2 P. M. | 9 P. M. | Mean. | 7 A. M.            | 2 P. M. | 9 P. M. | Mean. | 7 A. M.                           | 2 P. M. | 9 P. M. | Mean.       |
|            |         | 7 A. M.         | 2 P. M. | 9 P. M. | Mean. | 7 A. M.            | 2 P. M. | 9 P. M. | Mean. | 7 A. M.                           | 2 P. M. | 9 P. M. | Mean.       |
| Sunday,    | 25      | .591            | .639    | .731    | .653  | 89                 | 69      | 90      | 82    | 4 Cir.                            | 4 Cir.  | 8 Cu.   | .....       |
| Monday,    | 26      | .612            | .639    | .745    | .665  | 89                 | 69      | 95      | 84    | 2 Cir.                            | 5 Cu.   | 1 Cu.   | .....       |
| Tuesday,   | 27      | .695            | .601    | .622    | .639  | 95                 | 65      | 85      | 81    | 9 Cu.                             | 2 Cir.  | 2 Cu.   | .....       |
| Wednesday, | 28      | .489            | .568    | .628    | .555  | 74                 | 67      | 80      | 73    | 4 Cir.                            | 0       | 0       | .....       |
| Thursday,  | 29      | .509            | .524    | .572    | .535  | 74                 | 51      | 75      | 66    | 0                                 | 0       | 0       | .....       |
| Friday,    | 30      | .516            | .561    | .581    | .552  | 70                 | 55      | 71      | 65    | 9 Cu.                             | 0       | 0       | .....       |
| Saturday,  | 31      | .595            | .612    | .668    | .625  | 76                 | 62      | 85      | 74    | 4 Cir.                            | 8 Cu.   | 10      | 11.30 P. M. |

Total amount of water for the week..... .03 inches.  
Duration for the week..... 0 day, 00 hours, 30 minutes.

| DATE.      | AUGUST. | 7 A. M.          |                  | 2 P. M.          |                  |
|------------|---------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|
|            |         | 7 A. M.          | 2 P. M.          | 7 A. M.          | 2 P. M.          |
| Sunday,    | Aug. 25 | Mild, pleasant.  | Mild, pleasant.  | Mild, pleasant.  | Mild, pleasant.  |
| Monday,    | " 26    | Mild, pleasant.  | Mild, pleasant.  | Mild, pleasant.  | Mild, pleasant.  |
| Tuesday,   | " 27    | Close, hazy.     | Close, hazy.     | Close, hazy.     | Close, hazy.     |
| Wednesday, | " 28    | Mild, pleasant.  | Mild, pleasant.  | Mild, pleasant.  | Mild, pleasant.  |
| Thursday,  | " 29    | Warm, hazy, dew. | Warm, hazy, dew. | Warm, hazy, dew. | Warm, hazy, dew. |
| Friday,    | " 30    | Hazy, dew.       | Hazy, dew.       | Hazy, dew.       | Hazy, dew.       |
| Saturday,  | " 31    | Mild, pleasant.  | Mild, pleasant.  | Mild, pleasant.  | Mild, pleasant.  |

DANIEL DRAPER, Ph. D., Director.

### DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

AN ABSTRACT OF THE TRANSACTIONS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK FOR THE WEEK ENDING JULY 20, 1901 (SECTION 1546, GREATER NEW YORK CHARTER).

#### BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

##### Removal of Incumbrances.

(Section 545, Greater New York Charter.)

|  |     |
|--|-----|
| Unredeemed incumbrances on hand July 13, 1901..... | 212 |
| Incumbrances seized during the week.....           | 117 |
| Incumbrances redeemed and released.....            | 329 |
| Unredeemed incumbrances on hand.....               | 159 |

##### Moneys

|  |            |
|--|------------|
| transmitted to City Chamberlain, as follows:                       |            |
| For trimming scows, for week ending July 15, 1901.....             | \$1,750 00 |
| For redemption of incumbrances, for week ending June 29, 1901..... | 277 25     |

##### Bills and Pay-rolls

|   |            |
|---|------------|
| transmitted to Comptroller, as follows: |            |
| Schedule No. 153, Sundries—             |            |
| Barry & Co., D. J.....                  | \$145 20   |
| Bloomer, George.....                    | 203 75     |
| Byrnes, Henry L.....                    | 75 00      |
| Bradley & Currier Company.....          | 9 00       |
| Bowser & Co., S. F.....                 | 12 00      |
| Central Union Gas Company.....          | 411 00     |
| Consolidated Rubber Tire Company.....   | 40 05      |
| Chilton Manufacturing Company.....      | 165 50     |
| Dailey, John D.....                     | 82 40      |
| ".....                                  | 938 66     |
| ".....                                  | 995 00     |
| ".....                                  | 965 00     |
| ".....                                  | 975 00     |
| Gates, Church E., & Co.....             | 235 20     |
| Initial Towel Supply Company.....       | 28 00      |
| Mitchell & Son, W. P.....               | 161 16     |
| McGrath & Cannon.....                   | 23 93      |
| Northern Union Gas Company.....         | 09         |
| Rader, G. W., and another.....          | 300 00     |
| Smith, George H.....                    | 100 00     |
| Schildwachter, Charles C.....           | 235 40     |
| The Claffin Company, H. B.....          | 91 90      |
| The Edison Company, New York.....       | 6 46       |
| Van Ness Company, J. Newton.....        | 75 15      |
| Total.....                              | \$6,272 85 |

|  |            |
|--|------------|
| Schedule No. 154, Sundries—                |            |
| Carroll, James.....                        | \$163 75   |
| Cleary, William.....                       | 315 75     |
| Conroy & Nolan.....                        | 188 62     |
| Dempsey, Timothy.....                      | 129 25     |
| Dunn, Patrick.....                         | 44 00      |
| Ford, Daniel E.....                        | 119 00     |
| Johnson, John.....                         | 137 38     |
| Kelly, William.....                        | 50 00      |
| McNamara, John J.....                      | 299 24     |
| Mackey, Charles.....                       | 123 50     |
| Nimphius, Adam.....                        | 241 50     |
| O'Connell, J. H.....                       | 298 00     |
| Savage, John.....                          | 385 38     |
| The New York Mutual Gas-light Company..... | 2 16       |
| Total.....                                 | \$2,497 53 |

|  |             |
|--|-------------|
| Schedule No. 155—  |             |
| J. H. Timmerman (City Paymaster), wages of Stokers for month of July, 1901.....                                | \$80 00     |
| Schedule No. 156—  |             |
| J. H. Timmerman (City Paymaster), salaries of Commissioner, Superintendent, etc., for month of July, 1901..... | \$2,491 64  |
| Schedule No. 157—  |             |
| J. H. Timmerman (City Paymaster), salaries of Clerical Force for month of July, 1901.....                      | \$5,066 59  |
| Schedule No. 158—  |             |
| J. H. Timmerman (City Paymaster), salaries of Uniformed Force for month of July, 1901.....                     | \$13,519 29 |
| Schedule No. 159—  |             |
| J. H. Timmerman (City Paymaster), wages of Sweepers, etc., for week ending July 18, 1901.....                  | \$21,187 92 |
| Schedule No. 160—  |             |
| J. H. Timmerman (City Paymaster), wages of Department Cart Drivers, etc., for week ending July 18, 1901.....   | \$12,840 54 |



Number of Loads of Material Collected during the Week ending July 21, 1901 (July 15 to 21, inclusive).

|                       | CARTLOADS<br>GARBAGE. | CARTLOADS<br>ASHES. | CARTLOADS<br>REFUSE AND<br>OTHER MATERIAL. | CARTLOADS,<br>TOTAL. |
|-----------------------|-----------------------|---------------------|--|----------------------|
| Department carts..... | 3,383 1/4             | 14,889              | 3,556 1/4                                  | 21,828 1/4           |
| Permit carts.....     | 254 1/4               | 7,234               | 450  | 7,938 1/4            |
| Total.....            | 3,637 1/2             | 22,123              | 4,006 1/2                                  | 29,767               |

**Contracts Entered Into.**

|   |             |
|---|-------------|
| Milton Rathbun Company, forage for boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.....                     | \$26,977 78 |
| Magnus Larson, No. 164 Sixth street, Long Island City, cleaning streets and collection, Queens— |             |
| First Ward, per month.....  | \$1,094 00  |
| Third Ward, per month.....  | 544 00      |
| William C. Card, Elmhurst, cleaning streets and collection, Queens, Second Ward, per month..... | \$640 00    |

**BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.**  
*Moneys*

transmitted to City Chamberlain, as follows:  
For picking at dumps for week ending July 13, 1901..... \$107 00

*Bills and Pay-rolls*

transmitted to Comptroller, as follows:

|                               |            |
|-------------------------------|------------|
| Schedule No. 132, Sundries—   |            |
| Breen, John F.....            | \$139 75   |
| Burkhardt, John.....          | 78 00      |
| Delaney, P.....               | 7 50       |
| Department of Correction..... | 57 49      |
| Downey, James.....            | 166 75     |
| Ferguson, A. & C.....         | 147 00     |
| Gallagher, John.....          | 4,192 49   |
| Kieselbach, H. C.....         | 72 00      |
| Reynolds, Geo. S.....         | 86 00      |
| Warth, John F.....            | 42 55      |
| Warth, John F.....            | 750 00     |
| Total.....                    | \$5,739 53 |

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|---|------------|
| Schedule No. 133—   |            |
| J. H. Timmerman (City Paymaster), salaries of Uniformed Force for month of July 1901..... | \$2,383 33 |

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|---|------------|
| Schedule No. 134—   |            |
| J. H. Timmerman (City Paymaster), salaries of Clerical Force for month of July, 1901..... | \$1,883 30 |

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|---|-------------|
| Schedule No. 135—   |             |
| J. H. Timmerman (City Paymaster), wages of Sweepers, etc., for week ending July 18, 1901..... | \$11,515 54 |

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| Schedule No. 136—  |            |
| J. H. Timmerman (City Paymaster), wages of Department Cart Drivers, etc., for week ending July 18, 1901..... | \$5,004 30 |

Number of Loads of Material Collected during the Week ending July 21, 1901 (July 15 to 21, inclusive.)

|                   |        |
|-------------------|--------|
| Ashes.....        | 7,867  |
| Sweepings.....    | 2,687  |
| Permit ashes..... | 208    |
| Total.....        | 10,762 |

**BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.**  
*Bills and Pay-rolls*

transmitted to Comptroller, as follows:

|                            |          |
|----------------------------|----------|
| Schedule No. 46, Sundries— |          |
| Fox, Richard T.....        | \$1 20   |
| Hogel, Frederick A.....    | 2 40     |
| Kearney, Vincent.....      | 2 55     |
| McKee, James.....          | 6 00     |
| Quinlan, Thomas F.....     | 92 41    |
| Rice, Robert D.....        | 2 00     |
| Stanley & Donnelly.....    | 57 60    |
| Wanty, Joseph W.....       | 2 75     |
| Wanty, Joseph W.....       | 1 60     |
| Total.....                 | \$168 51 |

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| Schedule No. 47—   |          |
| J. H. Timmerman (City Paymaster), salaries of Uniformed Force for month of July, 1901..... | \$350 00 |

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|--|---------|
| Schedule No. 48—   |         |
| J. H. Timmerman (City Paymaster), wages of Sweepers for week ending July 18, 1901..... | \$58 69 |

**BOROUGH OF QUEENS.**  
*Bills and Pay-rolls*

transmitted to Comptroller, as follows:

|                                       |            |
|---------------------------------------|------------|
| Schedule No. 50, Sundries—            |            |
| Williams, Alfred.....                 | \$4 82     |
| Card, William C.....                  | 575 00     |
| Consolidated Rubber Tire Company..... | 55 00      |
| Dennler, Mary L.....                  | 32 00      |
| Foley, Thomas.....                    | 900 00     |
| Griffin, Patrick J.....               | 875 00     |
| Godfrey, Charles J.....               | 123 36     |
| Hicks, John F.....                    | 988 00     |
| Hohfeler, Mathias.....                | 312 00     |
| Mitchell, W. P. & Sons.....           | 450 00     |
| McGee, Joseph, Foundry Company.....   | 12 17      |
| Smith, George H.....                  | 32 17      |
| Stearns, Frederick L.....             | 72 00      |
| Wynn, W. A.....                       | 14 42      |
| Wynn, W. A.....                       | 700 00     |
| Total.....                            | \$5,145 94 |

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| Schedule No. 52, Sundries—               |          |
| Adikes, J. & T.....                      | \$1 65   |
| Boyce & Barnes Company.....              | 123 17   |
| Boyd, J. W.....                          | 19 70    |
| Roden & Wise.....                        | 80 00    |
| Biffar, H. W.....                        | 4 00     |
| Keilly Bros.....                         | 4 50     |
| Pearsall, Lewis.....                     | 143 88   |
| Trudden, Frank.....                      | 46 00    |
| The Dixon Garbage Crematory Company..... | 157 36   |
| Weber, Philip J.....                     | 16 51    |
| Wood, John A. & Son.....                 | 9 92     |
| Total.....                               | \$606 69 |

Schedule No. 53—

|  |          |
|--|----------|
| J. H. Timmerman (City Paymaster), wages of Assistants to Section Foreman, etc., for week ending July 18, 1901..... | \$266 88 |
|--|----------|

Schedule No. 54—

|  |          |
|--|----------|
| J. H. Timmerman (City Paymaster), wages of Crematory Laborers, etc., for July, 1901..... | \$420 00 |
|--|----------|

Schedule No. 55—

|   |          |
|---|----------|
| J. H. Timmerman (City Paymaster), Salary of Deputy Commissioner and District Superintendent for July, 1901..... | \$458 33 |
|---|----------|

Number of Loads of Material Collected during the Week ending July 21, 1901 (July 15 to 21, inclusive).

|                | LOADS IN LOTS. | LOADS AT<br>CREMATORIES. | LOADS AT<br>BARREN<br>ISLAND. | GRAND<br>TOTAL. |
|----------------|----------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------|
| Ashes.....     | 603            | .....                    | .....                         |                 |
| Sweepings..... | 244 1/2        | .....                    | .....                         |                 |
| Rubbish.....   | 13 1/2         | 41                       | .....                         |                 |
| Garbage.....   | .....          | 291 1/4                  | 160                           |                 |
| Total.....     | 861            | 332 1/4                  | 160                           | 1,353 1/4       |

F. M. GIBSON, Deputy Commissioner, Borough of Manhattan,  
designated with full powers of Commissioner.

**MUNICIPAL COURT OF THE CITY  
OF NEW YORK.**

MUNICIPAL COURT OF  
THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
BOROUGH OF THE BRONX,  
SECOND DISTRICT,  
THIRD AVENUE AND 158TH STREET,  
September 4, 1901.

Supervisor of the City Record:

DEAR SIR—I beg to advise you of the following reappointments made by me this day for service in this Court, viz.:

Of William M. Browne, residing at Hunt's Point, as Stenographer, at a salary at the rate of \$2,000 per annum.

Of Timothy J. Kelly, residing at No. 758 East One Hundred and Sixty-second street, as Attendant, at a salary at the rate of \$1,000 per annum.

Of Peter Koelble, residing at No. 737 Forest avenue, as Attendant, at a salary at the rate of \$1,000 per annum.

each of said appointments being for the term of two years, the previous terms of said persons having expired.

Yours truly,  
JOHN M. TIERNEY,  
Justice.

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Branch Office, "Richmond Building," New Brighton, S. I.; WILLIAM H. McCABE, Deputy Chief in Borough of Richmond.

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 CASPAR GOLDBERMAN, Secretary pro tem.  
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 OBEID L. LUSK, M. D., Assistant Sanitary Superintendent, Borough of Queens.  
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 JOHN GUILFOYLE, Commissioner for the Borough of Brooklyn.  
 DANIEL CAMPBELL, Commissioner for the Boroughs of Queens and Richmond.  
 A. J. JOHNSON, Secretary.  
 Office of the Department for the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, No. 220 Fourth Avenue, Borough of Manhattan.  
 Office of the Department for the Borough of Brooklyn, Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn.  
 Office of the Department for the Boroughs of Queens and Richmond, Richmond Hall, New Brighton, Staten Island, Borough of Richmond. Branch office: Room 1, second floor, Town Hall, Jamaica, Long Island, Borough of Queens.

## DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.  
 THOMAS L. FEITNER, President of the Board; EDWARD C. SHEEHY, ARTHUR C. SALMON, THOMAS J. PATTERSON, FERDINAND LEVY, Commissioners; HENRY BERLINGER, Chief Clerk.

## BUREAU OF MUNICIPAL STATISTICS.

Nos. 13 to 21 Park Row, Room 1911. Office hours from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, from 9 A. M. to 12 M.  
 JOHN T. NAGLE, M. D., Chief of Bureau.  
 Municipal Statistical Commission: FREDERICK W. GRUBE, LL. D., ANTONIO RASINES, RICHARD T. WILSON, JR., ERNEST HARVIER, J. EDWARD JETTER, THOMAS GILLERAN.

## MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

No. 346 Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 CHARLES H. KNOX, President, ALEXANDER T. MASON and WILLIAM N. DYKMAN, Commissioners.  
 LEE PHILLIPS, Secretary.

## BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Office, No. 320 Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 EDWARD McCUE (President), EDWARD CAHILL, THOMAS A. WILSON, PATRICK M. HAVERTY and JOHN E. MEYENBERG, Board of Assessors. WILLIAM H. ASPER, Secretary. THOMAS J. SHELLEY, Chief Clerk.

## DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

Board of Education.  
 Park Avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.  
 MILES M. O'BRIEN, President; A. EMERSON PALMER, Secretary.

## School Board for the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

Park Avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan.  
 MILES M. O'BRIEN, President; WILLIAM J. ELLIS, Secretary.

## School Board for the Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 131 Livingston street, Brooklyn. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.  
 CHARLES E. ROBERTSON, President; GEORGE G. BROWN, Secretary.

## School Board for the Borough of Queens.

Flushing, Long Island.  
 PATRICK J. WHITE, President; JOSEPH H. FITZPATRICK, Secretary.

## School Board for the Borough of Richmond.

Savings Bank Building, Stapleton, Staten Island.  
 WILLIAM J. COLE, President; ROBERT BROWN, Secretary.

## SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 WILLIAM F. GRELL, Sheriff; HENRY P. MULVANY, Under Sheriff.

## SHERIFF'S OFFICE, KINGS COUNTY.

County Court-house, Brooklyn.  
 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.  
 WILLIAM WALTON, Sheriff; JAMES DUNNE, Under Sheriff.

## SHERIFF'S OFFICE, QUEENS COUNTY.

County Court-house, Long Island City, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 JOSEPH H. DE BRAGGA, Sheriff; JOSIAH C. BENNETT, Under Sheriff.

## SHERIFF'S OFFICE, RICHMOND COUNTY.

County Court-house, Richmond, S. I., 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 FRANKLIN C. VITT, Sheriff.  
 THOMAS H. BANNING, Under Sheriff.

## REGISTER'S OFFICE.

East side City Hall Park. Office hours from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M. During the months of July and August the hours are from 9 A. M. to 2 P. M.  
 ISAAC FROMME, Register; JOHN VON GLAHN, Deputy Register.

## REGISTER, KINGS COUNTY.

Hall of Records. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., excepting months of July and August, then from 9 A. M. to 2 P. M., provided for by statute.  
 JAMES R. HOWE, Register.  
 WARREN C. TREDWELL, Deputy Register.

## COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

Room 127 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 CHARLES WELDE, Commissioner; Deputy Commissioner.

## SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

No. 111 Fifth Avenue. 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 H. W. GRAY, Commissioner.  
 FREDERICK P. SIMPSON, Assistant Commissioner.

## COMMISSIONER OF JURORS, KINGS COUNTY.

5 Court-house.  
 WILLIAM E. MELODY, Commissioner.

## COMMISSIONER OF JURORS, QUEENS COUNTY.

Office hours, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 10 A. M. to 12 M.  
 EDWARD J. KNAUER, Commissioner.  
 H. HOMER MOORE, Assistant Commissioner.

## COMMISSIONER OF JURORS, RICHMOND COUNTY.

CHARLES J. KULLMAN, Commissioner.  
 WILLIAM J. DOWLING, Deputy Commissioner.  
 Office open from 9 A. M. until 4 P. M.; Saturdays, from 9 A. M. to 12 M.

## NEW YORK COUNTY JAIL.

No. 70 Ludlow street, 6 A. M. to 10 P. M., daily.  
 WILLIAM F. GRELL, Sheriff.  
 PATRICK H. PICKETT, Warden.

## KINGS COUNTY JAIL.

Raymond street, between Willoughby street and DeKalb Avenue, Brooklyn, New York.  
 WILLIAM WALTON, Sheriff; RICHARD BERGIN, Warden.

## COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

Nos. 8, 9, 10 and 11 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 WILLIAM SOMMER, County Clerk.  
 GEORGE H. FAHRBACH, Deputy.

## KINGS COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

Hall of Records, Brooklyn, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 PETER P. HUBERTY, County Clerk.

## QUEENS COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

Jamaica, N. Y., Fourth Ward, Borough of Queens.  
 Office hours, April 1 to October 1, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.  
 October 1 to April 1, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Saturdays, to 12 M.  
 County and Supreme Court held at the Queens County Court-house, Long Island City. Court opens 9:30 A. M. to adjourn 5 P. M.  
 JAMES INGRAM, County Clerk.  
 CHARLES DOWLING, Deputy County Clerk.

## RICHMOND COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

County Office Building, Richmond, S. I., 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 EDWARD M. MULLER, County Clerk.  
 CROWELL M. CONNER, Deputy County Clerk.

## NEW EAST RIVER BRIDGE COMMISSION.

Commissioners' Office, No. 258 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 LEWIS NIXON, President; JAMES W. BOYLE, Vice-President; JAMES D. BELL, Secretary; JULIAN D. FAIRCHILD, Treasurer; JOHN W. WEBER, SMITH E. LANE and THE MAYOR, Commissioners.  
 Chief Engineer's Office, No. 84 Broadway, Brooklyn, E. D., 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

## DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

New Criminal Court Building, Centre street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 EUGENE A. PHILBIN, District Attorney; WILLIAM J. MCKENNA, Chief Law Clerk.

## KINGS COUNTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

Office, County Court-house, Borough of Brooklyn, Hours, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.  
 JOHN F. CLARKE, District Attorney.

## QUEENS COUNTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

Office, Queens County Court-house, Long Island City, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 JOHN B. MERRILL, District Attorney.  
 CLARENCE A. DREW, Chief Clerk.

## RICHMOND COUNTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

Port Richmond, S. I.  
 EDWARD S. RAWSON, District Attorney.

## CORONERS.

Borough of Manhattan.  
 Office, New Criminal Court Building. Open at all times of day and night.  
 EDWARD T. FITZPATRICK, JACOB E. BAUSCH, EDWARD W. HART, ANTONIO ZUCCA.

## Borough of The Bronx.

No. 761 East One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street. Open from 8 A. M. to 12, midnight.  
 ANTHONY MCOWEN, THOMAS M. LYNCH.

## Borough of Brooklyn.

Office, Room 17, Borough Hall. Open all times of day and night, except between the hours of 12 M. and 5 P. M., on Sundays and holidays.  
 ANTHONY J. BURGER, GEORGE W. DELAP.

## Borough of Queens.

Office, Borough Hall, Fulton street, Jamaica, L. I.  
 PHILIP T. CROBIN, LEONARD ROUFF, JR., and SAMUEL S. GUY, Jr.  
 CHARLES J. SCHNEIDER, Clerk.

## Borough of Richmond.

No. 64 New York Avenue, Rosebank.  
 Open for the transaction of business all hours of the day and night.  
 JOHN SEAYER, GEORGE C. TRANTREE.

## SURROGATES' COURT.

New County Court-house. Court open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., except Saturdays, when it closes at 12 M.  
 FRANK T. FITZGERALD, ABNER C. THOMAS, Surrogates; WILLIAM V. LEARY, Chief Clerk.

## KINGS COUNTY SURROGATES' COURT.

Hall of Records, Brooklyn.  
 GEORGE B. ABBOT, Surrogate.  
 MICHAEL F. MCGOLDRICK, Chief Clerk.  
 Court opens 10 A. M. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

## COUNTY JUDGE AND SURROGATE.

County Office Building, Richmond, S. I.  
 STEPHEN D. STEVENS, County Judge.

## CHANGE OF GRADE DAMAGE COMMISSION, TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS.

Room 58, Schermerhorn Building, No. 96 Broadway. Meetings, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, at 3 P. M.  
 WILLIAM E. STILLINGS, Chairman; CHARLES A. JACKSON, OSCAR S. BAILEY, Commissioners.  
 LAMONT McLOUGHLIN, Clerk.

## EXAMINING BOARD OF PLUMBERS.

Rooms, 14, 15 and 16, Nos. 149 to 151 Church street.  
 President, JOHN RENEHAN; Secretary, JAMES E. MCGOVERN; Treasurer, EDWARD HALEY, HORACE LOOMIS, P. J. ANDREWS, *ex-officio*.  
 Office open during business hours every day in the year, except legal holidays. Examinations are held on Monday, Wednesday and Friday after 1 P. M.

## KINGS COUNTY TREASURER.

Court-house, Room 14.  
 JOHN W. KIMBALL, Treasurer, THOMAS F. FARRELL, Deputy Treasurer.

## QUEENS COUNTY COURT.

County Court-house, Long Island City.  
 County Court opens at 9:30 A. M.; adjourns at 5 P. M.  
 County Judge's office always open at Flushing, N. Y.  
 HARRISON S. MOORE, County Judge.

## THE COMMISSIONER OF RECORDS, KINGS COUNTY.

Room 1, Hall of Records. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 GEORGE E. WALDO, Commissioner.  
 FRANK M. THORNBURN, Deputy Commissioner.  
 THOMAS D. MOSSCROP, Superintendent.  
 JOSEPH H. GREENELLE, Secretary.

## SUPREME COURT.

County Court-house, 10:30 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 Special Term, Part I., Room No. 16.  
 Clerk's Office, Part I., Room No. 15.  
 Special Term, Part II., Room No. 13.  
 Clerk's Office, Part II., Room No. 12.  
 Special Term, Part III., Room No. 18.  
 Clerk's Office, Part III., Room No. 19.  
 Special Term, Part IV., Room No. 20.  
 Special Term, Part V., Room No. 30.  
 Special Term, Part VI., Room No. 31.  
 Special Term, Part VII., Room No. 39.  
 Trial Term, Part II., Room No. 34.  
 Clerk's Office, Room No. 23.  
 Trial Term, Part III., Room No. 22.  
 Trial Term, Part IV., Room No. 21.  
 Trial Term, Part V., Room No. 24.  
 Trial Term, Part VI., Room No. 35.  
 Trial Term, Part VII., Room No. 36.  
 Trial Term, Part VIII., Room No. 27.  
 Trial Term, Part IX., Room No. 29.  
 Trial Term, Part X., Room No. 28.  
 Trial Term, Part XI., Room No. 37.  
 Trial Term, Part XII., Room No. 26.  
 Appellate Term, Room No. 29.  
 Clerk's Office, Appellate Term, Room No. 30.  
 Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 38.  
 Assignment Bureau, Room No. 32.  
 Justices—GEORGE C. BARRETT, ABRAHAM R. LAWRENCE, CHARLES H. TRUAX, CHARLES F. MACLEAN, JAMES FITZGERALD, MILES BRACH, DAVID LEVENTRITT, LEONARD A. GEIGERICH, HENRY BISCHOFF, JR., JOHN J. FREEDMAN, GEORGE P. ANDREWS, P. HENRY DUGRO, DAVID MCADAM, JOHN PROCTOR CLARK, HENRY A. GILDERSLEEVE, FRANCIS M. SCOTT, JAMES A. O'GORMAN, JAMES A. BLANCHARD, WILLIAM SOMMER, Clerk.

## CITY COURT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

No. 39 Chambers street, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 General Term.  
 Trial Term, Part I.  
 Part II.  
 Part III.  
 Part IV.  
 Special Term Chambers will be held 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Clerk's Office, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 JAMES M. FITZSIMONS, Chief Justice; JOHN H. MCCARTHY, LEWIS J. CONLAN, JOHN P. SCHUCHMAN, EDWARD F. O'DWYER, THEODORE F. HASCALL, FRANCIS B. DELEHANTY, Justices. THOMAS F. SMITH, Clerk.

## CRIMINAL DIVISION, SUPREME COURT.

New Criminal Court Building, Centre street. Court opens at 10:30 o'clock A. M.  
 EDWARD R. CARROLL, Clerk. Hours from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

## APPELLATE DIVISION, SUPREME COURT.

Court-house, Madison Avenue, corner Twenty-fifth street. Court opens at 1 P. M.  
 CHARLES H. VAN BRUNT, Presiding Justice; CHESTER B. McLAUGHLIN, EDWARD PATTERSON, MORGAN J. O'BRIEN, GEORGE L. INGRAHAM, WILLIAM RUMSRY, EDWARD W. HATCH, Justices. ALFRED WAGSTAFF, Clerk; WILLIAM LAMB, Jr., Deputy Clerk.

## COUNTY COURT, KINGS COUNTY.

County Court-house, Brooklyn, Rooms 10, 22, 23 and 27. Court opens 10 A. M., daily, and sits until business is completed, Part I., Room No. 23, Part II., Room No. 10, Court-house. Clerk's Office, Rooms 22 and 27, open daily from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.  
 JOSEPH ASPINALL and WM. B. HURD, Jr., County Judges.  
 JAMES S. REGAN, Chief Clerk.

## COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

Held in the building for Criminal Courts, Centre, Elm, White and Franklin streets. Court opens at half-past 10 o'clock.



RUFUS B. COWING, City Judge; JOHN W. GOFF, Recorder; JOSEPH E. NEWBERRY, MARTIN T. McMAHON and WARREN W. FOSTER, Judges of the Court of General Sessions. EDWARD K. CARROLL, Clerk.  
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

## COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.

Building for Criminal Courts, Centre street, between Franklin and White streets, Borough of Manhattan. Court opens at 10 A. M.

Justices—First Division—ELIZUR B. HINSDALE, WILLIAM TRAVERS JEROME, WILLIAM E. WYATT, JOHN B. MCKEAN, WILLIAM C. HOLBROOK, WILLIAM M. FULLER, Clerk; JOSEPH H. JONES, Deputy Clerk.  
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Second Division—Trial days—Borough Hall, Brooklyn, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, at 10 o'clock; Town Hall, Jamaica, Borough of Queens, Tuesdays, at 10 o'clock; Town Hall, New Brighton, Borough of Richmond, Thursdays, at 10 o'clock.

Justices—JOHN COURTNEY, HOWARD J. FORKER, PATRICK KEADY, JOHN FLEMING, THOMAS W. FITZGERALD, JOSEPH L. KERRIGAN, Clerk; JOHN J. DOERMAN, Deputy Clerk.  
Clerk's office, Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn, open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

## CITY MAGISTRATES' COURTS.

Courts open from 9 A. M. until 4 P. M.

City Magistrates—HENRY A. BRANN, ROBERT C. CORNELL, LEROY P. CRANE, JOSEPH M. DEUEL, CHARLES A. FLANNERY, LORENZ ZELER, CLARENCE W. MEADE, JOHN O. MOORE, JOSEPH POOL, JOHN B. MAYO, EDWARD HOGAN, WILLIAM H. OLMSTED, PHILIP BLOCH, Secretary.

First District—Criminal Court Building.  
Second District—Jefferson Market.  
Third District—No. 60 Essex street.  
Fourth District—Fifty-seventh street, near Lexington avenue.

Fifth District—One Hundred and Twenty-first street, southeastern corner of Sylvan place.  
Sixth District—One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street and Third avenue.  
Seventh District—Fifty-fourth street, west of Eighth avenue.

## SECOND DIVISION.

## Borough of Brooklyn.

First District—Nos. 318 Adams street. EDWARD J. DOOLEY, Magistrate.

Second District—Court and Butler streets. JAMES G. TIGHE, Magistrate.

Third District—Myrtle and Vanderbilt avenues, JOHN NAUMER, Magistrate.

Fourth District—Nos. 6 and 8 Lee avenue. E. GASTON HIGGINOTHAM, Magistrate.

Fifth District—Ewen and Powers streets. FRANK E. O'REILLY, Magistrate.

Sixth District—Gates and Reid avenues. HENRY J. FURLONG, Magistrate.

Seventh District—No. 31 Grant street, Flatbush. ALFRED E. STEERS, Magistrate.

Eighth District—Coney Island. ALBERT VAN BRUNT VOORHEES, Jr., Magistrate.

## Borough of Queens.

First District—Nos. 21 and 23 Jackson avenue, Long Island City. MATTHEW J. SMITH, Magistrate.

Second District—Flushing, Long Island. LUKE J. CONNORTON, Magistrate.

Third District—Far Rockaway, Long Island. EDMUND J. HEALY, Magistrate.

## Borough of Richmond.

First District—New Brighton, Staten Island. JOHN CROAK, Magistrate.

Second District—Stapleton, Staten Island. NATHANIEL MARSH, Magistrate.

Secretary to the Board, JARED J. CHAMBERS, No. 318 Adams street, Borough of Brooklyn.

## MUNICIPAL COURTS.

## BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

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

DANIEL E. FINN, Justice. FRANK L. BACON, Clerk.  
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Second District—Second, Fourth, Sixth and Fourteenth Wards, and all that portion of the First Ward lying south and east of Broadway and Whitehall street. Court-room, corner of Grand and Centre streets.

HERMAN BOLTE, Justice. FRANCIS MANGIN, Clerk.  
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Court opens daily at 10 A. M., and remains open until daily calendar is disposed of and close of the daily business, except on Sundays and legal holidays.

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

WM. F. MOORE, Justice. DANIEL WILLIAMS, Clerk.  
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Fourth District—Tenth and Seventeenth Wards. Court-room, No. 30 First street, corner Second avenue. Court opens 9 A. M. daily, and remains open to close of business.

GEORGE F. ROESCH, Justice. JOHN E. LYNCH, Clerk.  
Fifth District—Seventh, Eleventh and Thirteenth Wards. Court-room, No. 154 Clinton street.

BENJAMIN HOFFMAN, Justice. THOMAS FITZPATRICK, Clerk.  
Sixth District—Eighteenth and Twenty-first Wards. Court-room, northwest corner Twenty-third street and Second avenue. Court opens 9 A. M. daily, and continues open to close of business.

DANIEL F. MARTIN, Justice. ABRAM BERNARD, Clerk.  
Seventh District—Nineteenth Ward. Court-room, No. 151 East Fifty-seventh street. Court opens every morning at 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays), and continues open to close of business.

HERMAN JOSEPH, Justice. PATRICK McDAVITT, Clerk.  
Eighth District—Sixteenth and Twentieth Wards. Court-room, northwest corner of Twenty-third street and Eighth avenue. Court opens at 10 A. M. and continues open to close of business.

Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. each Court day.  
Trial days and Return days, each Court day.

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

JOSEPH P. FALLON, Justice. WILLIAM J. KENNEDY, Clerk.  
Clerk's office open daily from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Tenth District—Twenty-second Ward and all that portion of the Twelfth Ward which is bounded on the north by the centre line of One Hundred and Tenth street, on the south by the centre line of Eighty-sixth street, on the east by the centre line of Sixth avenue, and on the west by the North river. Court-room, No. 314 West Fifty-fourth street. Court opens daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

THOMAS E. MURRAY, Justice. HUGH GRANT, Clerk.  
Eleventh District—That portion of the Twelfth Ward which lies north of the centre line of West One Hundred and Tenth street and west of the centre line of Lenox or Sixth avenue, and of the Harlem river north of the terminus of Lenox or Sixth avenue. Court-room,

corner of One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street and Columbus avenue. Court opens daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted), from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
FRANCIS J. WORCESTER, Justice. HERMAN B. WILSON, Clerk.

## BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

First District—All that part of the Twenty-fourth Ward which was lately annexed to the City and County of New York by chapter 1034 of the Laws of 1895, 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 opens daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Trial of causes are Tuesday and Friday of each week.

WILLIAM W. PENFIELD, Justice. JOHN N. STEWART, Clerk.  
Second District—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards. Court-room, corner of Third avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street. Office hours from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court opens at 10 A. M.

JOHN M. TIERNNEY, Justice. HOWARD SPEAR, Clerk.  
BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

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

JOHN J. WALSH, Justice. EDWARD MORAN, Clerk.  
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Second District—Seventh, Eighth, Ninth, Eleventh, Twentieth, Twenty-first, Twenty-second and Twenty-third Wards. Court-room located at No. 794 Broadway, Brooklyn.

GERARD B. VAN WART, Justice. WILLIAM H. ALLEN, Clerk.  
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

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

WILLIAM J. LYNCH, Justice. JOHN W. CARPENTER, Clerk.  
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. until 4 P. M. Court opens at 10 o'clock.

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

THOMAS H. WILLIAMS, Justice. HERMAN GOHLING-HORST, Clerk; JAMES P. SINNOTT, Assistant Clerk.  
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Fifth District—Twenty-ninth, Thirtieth, Thirty-first and Thirty-second Wards. Court-room on Bath avenue and Bay Twenty-second street, Bath Beach.

CORNELIUS FURGERSON, Justice. JEREMIAH J. O'LEARY, Clerk.  
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

## BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

First District—First Ward (all of Long Island City, formerly comprising five Wards). Court-room, Queens County Court-house (located temporarily).

THOMAS C. KADIRN, Justice. THOMAS F. KENNEDY, Clerk.  
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. each week day. Court held each day, except Saturday.

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

WILLIAM RASQUIN, Jr., Justice. HENRY WALTER, Jr., Clerk.  
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Third District—JAMES F. McLAUGHLIN, Justice; GEORGE W. DAMON, Clerk.  
Court-house, Town Hall, Jamaica.  
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court held on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, at 10 A. M.

## BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

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

JOHN J. KENNEY, Justice. FRANCIS F. LEMAN, Clerk.  
Court office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court held each day, except Saturday, from 10 A. M.

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

GEORGE W. STAKE, Justice. PETER TIERNAN, Clerk.  
Court office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court held each day from 10 A. M., and continues until close of business.

CHANGE OF GRADE DAMAGE COMMISSION, TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 537 of the Laws of 1893, entitled "An act providing for ascertaining and paying the amount of damages to lands and buildings suffered by reason of changes of grade of streets or avenues, made pursuant to chapter 721 of the Laws of 1887, providing for the depression of railroad tracks in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, in the City of New York, or otherwise," and the acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, notice is hereby given that public meetings of the Commissioners appointed pursuant to said acts will be held at Room 58, Schermerhorn Building, No. 96 Broadway, in the City of New York, on Monday, Wednesday and Friday of each week, at 2 o'clock P. M., until further notice.

Dated New York, January 3, 1900.  
WILLIAM E. STILLINGS,  
CHARLES A. JACKSON,  
OSCAR S. BAILEY,  
Commissioners.

LAMONT McLOUGHLIN,  
Clerk.

## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS, FIRE DEPARTMENT,  
NOS. 157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET,  
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
CITY OF NEW YORK, September 6, 1901.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Fire Commissioner at the above office of the Fire Department, until 10.30 A. M. of

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 1901,  
for furnishing and delivering the following supplies:

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.  
No. 1. FOR FURNISHING TWENTY-FIVE (25) FIRE-ALARM SIGNAL BOXES AND KEYLESS DOORS.

The time for the full delivery of the contract is thirty (30) days and the amount of security required is Two Thousand Five Hundred (\$2,500) Dollars.

Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.  
No. 2. FOR FURNISHING FORTY (40) MILES OF TELEGRAPH WIRE.

Twenty (20) miles of the wire to be furnished under this contract is to be delivered within thirty (30) days from date of execution of contract; the balance, twenty (20) miles, to be delivered within sixty (60) days from date of execution of contract.

The amount of security required is Two Thousand (\$2,000) Dollars.

## The contracts must be bid for separately.

The person or persons making an estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed with the title given above, of the work for which the estimate is made, with his or their name or names and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the date and hour above named, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read, and the award of the contract made according to law, as soon thereafter as practicable.

Each estimate shall contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein, and if no other person be so interested it shall distinctly state that fact; also that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud, and that no member of the Municipal Assembly, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, or of a guaranty or surety company duly authorized by law to act as a surety, and shall contain the matters set forth in the blank form of bid mentioned below.

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by a certified check or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the bond required, as provided in section 420 of the Greater New York Charter.

The Fire Commissioner reserves the right to reject all bids if he should deem it for the interest of the City so to do.

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies or the nature and extent of the work required, or of the materials to be furnished, bidders are referred to the printed specifications.

Bidders are requested, in making their bids or estimates, to use the blank prepared for that purpose by the Commissioner, a copy of which, and also the proper envelope in which to inclose the same, together with the form of agreement, including specifications, approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel, and showing the manner of payment for the work, can be obtained upon application therefor at the Headquarters of the Fire Department, in the Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

JOHN J. SCANNELL,  
Fire Commissioner.

## BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS,  
NOS. 19 TO 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by the laying out of the extension of Cambreling avenue, from Grote street to East One Hundred and Eighty-first street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, and that a meeting of the said Board will be held in the office of the said Board, on the 18th day of September, 1901, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which such proposed laying out will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by said Board on the 21st day of August, 1901, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by the laying out of the extension of Cambreling avenue, from Grote street to East One Hundred and Eighty-first street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

Cambreling avenue, to be laid out 50 feet in width in such manner that its easterly line at East One Hundred and Eighty-first street, is 120.68 feet from the western line of Crotona avenue, and the easterly line of Cambreling avenue at the southerly side of East One Hundred and Eighty-second street is 220.9 feet from the western line of Crotona avenue.

This easterly line of the proposed Cambreling avenue is to be extended northerly to Grote street, cutting off a strip about 29 feet in width from the block between One Hundred and Eighty-second street and Grote street.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed laying out of the above-named avenue, at a meeting of this Board to be held in the office of this Board on the 18th day of September, 1901, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions, and a notice to all persons affected thereby, that the proposed laying out of the above-named avenue will be considered at a meeting of this Board to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the CITY RECORD for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 18th day of September, 1901.

Dated New York, August 27, 1901.  
MAURICE F. HOLAHAN,  
President.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS,  
NOS. 19 TO 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out the public places at the junction of Highland Boulevard and Bushwick avenue, in the Twenty-sixth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, and that a meeting of the said Board will be held in the office of the said Board, at Nos. 19 to 21 Park row, Borough of Manhattan, on the 18th day of September, 1901, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which such proposed laying out will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions, adopted by said Board on the 21st day of August, 1901, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out the public places at the junction of Highland Boulevard and Bushwick avenue, in the Twenty-sixth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

"A"

Beginning at the intersection of the southern side-line of Highland Boulevard, as laid out and certified by the Commissioner of the Department of Parks of Kings County, July 23, 1895, with the western side-line of Gillen place, as laid out on the Town Survey Commissioners' Map of Kings County, filed in the office of the Register November 13, 1874;

1. Thence southerly along the western side-line of Gillen place to the northeastern side-line of Bushwick avenue as extended and confirmed May 5, 1881;

2. Thence northwesterly along the northeastern side-line of Bushwick avenue to the southern side-line of Highland Boulevard;

3. Thence easterly along the southern side-line of Highland Boulevard to the point of beginning.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed laying out of the above-named public places at a meeting of this Board to be held in the office of this Board on the 18th day of September, 1901, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions, and a notice to all persons affected thereby, that the proposed laying out of the above-named avenue will be considered at a meeting of this Board to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the CITY RECORD for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 18th day of September, 1901.

Dated New York, August 27, 1901.  
MAURICE F. HOLAHAN,  
President.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS,  
NOS. 19 TO 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out the public places at the junction of Highland Boulevard and Bushwick avenue, in the Twenty-sixth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, and that a meeting of the said Board will be held in the office of the said Board, at Nos. 19 to 21 Park row, Borough of Manhattan, on the 18th day of September, 1901, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which such proposed laying out will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions, adopted by said Board on the 21st day of August, 1901, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out the public places at the junction of Highland Boulevard and Bushwick avenue, in the Twenty-sixth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

"A"

Beginning at the intersection of the southern side-line of Highland Boulevard, as laid out and certified by the Commissioner of the Department of Parks of Kings County, July 23, 1895, with the western side-line of Gillen place, as laid out on the Town Survey Commissioners' Map of Kings County, filed in the office of the Register November 13, 1874;

1. Thence southerly along the western side-line of Gillen place to the northeastern side-line of Bushwick avenue as extended and confirmed May 5, 1881;

2. Thence northwesterly along the northeastern side-line of Bushwick avenue to the southern side-line of Highland Boulevard;

3. Thence easterly along the southern side-line of Highland Boulevard to the point of beginning.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed laying out of the above-named public places at a meeting of this Board to be held in the office of this Board on the 18th day of September, 1901, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions, and a notice to all persons affected thereby, that the proposed laying out of the above-named avenue will be considered at a meeting of this Board to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the CITY RECORD for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 18th day of September, 1901.

Dated New York, August 27, 1901.  
MAURICE F. HOLAHAN,  
President.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS,  
NOS. 19 TO 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out the public places at the junction of Highland Boulevard and Bushwick avenue, in the Twenty-sixth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, and that a meeting of the said Board will be held in the office of the said Board, at Nos. 19 to 21 Park row, Borough of Manhattan, on the 18th day of September, 1901, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which such proposed laying out will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions, adopted by said Board on the 21st day of August, 1901, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1897, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out the public places at the junction of Highland Boulevard and Bushwick avenue, in the Twenty-sixth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

"A"

Beginning at the intersection of the southern side-line of Highland Boulevard, as laid out and certified by the Commissioner of the Department of Parks of Kings County, July 23, 1895, with the western side-line of Gillen place, as laid out on the Town Survey Commissioners' Map of Kings County, filed in the office of the Register November 13, 1874;

1. Thence southerly along the western side-line of Gillen place to the northeastern side-line of Bushwick avenue as extended and confirmed May 5, 1881;

2. Thence northwesterly along the northeastern side-line of Bushwick avenue to the southern side-line of Highland Boulevard;

3. Thence easterly along the southern side-line of Highland Boulevard to the point of beginning.

## "B"

Beginning at the intersection of the southern side-line of Highland Boulevard as laid out and certified by the Commissioner of the Department of Parks of Kings County, July 23, 1895, with the western side-line of Fanchon place, as laid out on the Town Survey Commissioners' Map of Kings County, filed in the office of the Register November 13, 1874;

1. Thence southerly along the western side-line of Fanchon place to the northeastern side-line of Bushwick avenue as extended and confirmed May 5, 1881;

2. Thence northwesterly along the northeastern side-line of Bushwick avenue to the eastern side-line of Gillen place, as laid out on the Town Survey Commissioners' Map of Kings County, filed in the office of the Register November 13, 1874;

3. Thence northerly along the eastern side-line of Gillen place to the southern side-line of Highland Boulevard;

4. Thence easterly along the southern side-line of Highland Boulevard to the point of beginning.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed laying out of the above-named public places at a meeting of this Board to be held in the office of this Board on the 18th day of September, 1901, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions, and a notice to all persons affected thereby, that the proposed laying out of the above-named public places will be considered at a meeting of this Board to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the CITY RECORD and corporation newspapers for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 18th day of September, 1901.

Dated New York, August 27,



## THE CITY RECORD.

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WILLIAM A. BUTLER,  
Supervisor.

## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK, 1899.  
**OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY** Clerk of the Police Department of The City of New York, No. 300 Mulberry street, Room No. 9, for the following property, now in his custody, without claimants: Boats, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, wine, blankets, diamonds, canned goods, liquors, etc.; also small amount money taken from prisoners and found by Patrolmen of this Department.

ANDREW J. LALOR,  
Property Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.  
**OWNERS WANTED BY THE DEPUTY PROP** erty Clerk of the Police Department of The City of New York—Office, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn—for the following property, now in his custody, without claimants: Boats, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, wine, blankets, diamonds, canned goods, liquors, etc.; also small amount money taken from prisoners and found by Patrolmen of this Department.

CHARLES D. BLATCHFORD,  
Deputy Property Clerk.

## MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION,  
No. 245 Broadway,  
New York, August 26, 1901.

**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT** an examination for the position of OFFICE BOY will be held, commencing Monday, September 9, 1901.

The subjects of this examination are as follows: Handwriting, writing from dictation, English spelling, arithmetic and letter-writing.

Applications for this examination will not be issued or received after Wednesday, September 4, 1901, 4 P. M.

LEE PHILLIPS,  
Secretary.

## DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION,  
CORNER PARK AVENUE AND FIFTY-NINTH STREET,  
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

## PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE RE-** ceived by the Committee on Buildings of the Board of Education of The City of New York, at the Hall of the Board, southwest corner of Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan, until 4 o'clock P. M., on

**MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 16, 1901.**

## Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 1. FOR INSTALLING ELECTRIC-LIGHT WIRING, FIXTURES AND ELECTRIC BELL SYSTEM FOR NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 136, ON FOURTH AVENUE, BETWEEN FORTIETH AND FORTY-FIRST STREETS, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

No. 2. FOR INSTALLING ELECTRIC-LIGHT WIRING, FIXTURES AND ELECTRIC BELL SYSTEM IN NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 137, ON SARATOGA AVENUE, BETWEEN CHAUNCEY AND BAINBRIDGE STREETS, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

No. 3. FOR INSTALLING HEATING AND VENTILATING APPARATUS IN NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 136, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

No. 4. FOR INSTALLING HEATING AND VENTILATING APPARATUS IN NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 137, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

No. 5. FOR FURNITURE FOR NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 136, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

**Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.**  
No. 6. FOR SANITARY WORK OF ADDITION TO AND ALTERATIONS IN PUBLIC SCHOOL 22, CORNER STANTON AND SHERIFF STREETS, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

No. 7. CONSTRUCTING PRIVATE SEWER AT NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 182 ON EAST SIDE OF AVENUE C, BETWEEN EIGHTH AND NINTH STREETS, UNIONPORT, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

No. 8. FOR INSTALLING HEATING AND VENTILATING APPARATUS IN NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 184, ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTEENTH AND ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTEENTH STREETS, BETWEEN FIFTH AND LENOX AVENUES, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

No. 9. FOR FURNITURE, ITEM 4, FOR NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 178, ON NORTH SIDE OF ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-THIRD STREET, BETWEEN GRANT AND MORRIS AVENUES, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

## Borough of Queens.

No. 10. FOR FURNITURE FOR NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 79, SEVENTH AVENUE, BETWEEN FOURTEENTH AND FIFTEENTH STREETS, WHITESTONE, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The security required on Contract No. 1 is Twenty-two Hundred Dollars (\$2,200).

The security required on Contract No. 2 is Twenty-two Hundred Dollars (\$2,200).

The security required on Contract No. 3 is Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000).

The security required on Contract No. 4 is Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000).

The security required on Contract No. 5 is Eleven Hundred Dollars (\$1,100) on Item 1; Two Hundred Dollars (\$200) on Item 2; Thirteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,300) on Item 3; Six Hundred Dollars (\$600) on Item 4; Twenty-seven Hundred Dollars (\$2,700) on Item 5.

The security required on Contract No. 6 is Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000).

The security required on Contract No. 7 is Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000).

The security required on Contract No. 8 is Twenty-five Thousand Dollars (\$25,000).

The security required on Contract No. 9 is Seven Hundred Dollars (\$700).

The security required on Contract No. 10 is Eight Hundred Dollars (\$800) on Item 1; Eight Hundred

Dollars (\$800) on Item 2; Eight Hundred Dollars (\$800) on Item 3; Fifteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,500) on Item 4; Four Hundred Dollars (\$400) on Item 5.

The time allowed to complete Contract No. 1 is sixty (60) days.

The time allowed to complete Contract No. 2 is sixty (60) days.

The time allowed to complete Contract No. 3 is sixty (60) days.

The time allowed to complete Contract No. 4 is sixty (60) days.

The time allowed to complete Contract No. 5 is sixty (60) days.

The time allowed to complete Contract No. 6 is four (4) months.

The time allowed to complete Contract No. 7 is forty-five (45) days.

The time allowed to complete Contract No. 8 is ninety (90) days.

The time allowed to complete Contract No. 9 is sixty (60) days.

The time allowed to complete Contract No. 10 is sixty (60) days.

The person or persons making an estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed with the title given above, of the work for which the estimate is made, with his or their name or names and the date of presentation, to the Committee on Buildings of said Department, at the said office, on or before the date and hour above named, and which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the Committee on Buildings and read, and the award of the contract made to the lowest bidder, according to estimate.

Each estimate shall contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein; and that no officer of The City of New York is directly or indirectly interested therein, as provided in sections 246 to 352 of the Revised Ordinances, 1897, and in the blank form of bid mentioned below and furnished by the Department.

The estimate must be verified.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in The City of New York, or of a guaranty or surety company duly authorized by law to act as a surety, and shall contain the matters set forth in the blank form of bid mentioned below.

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by a certified check or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the bond required, as provided in section 420 of the Greater New York Charter.

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies or the nature and extent of the work required or of the materials to be furnished, bidders are referred to the printed specifications and the plans.

Bidders are requested, in making their bids or estimates, to use the blank prepared for that purpose by the Committee on Buildings, a copy of which, and also the proper envelope in which to inclose the same, together with the form of agreement, including specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, and showing the manner of payment for the work, can be obtained upon application therefor at the estimating room, eighth floor, Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan.

The By-Laws of the Board of Education may be examined at the office of the Secretary.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, 1901.

RICHARD H. ADAMS,  
CHARLES F. ROBERTSON,  
ABRAHAM STERN,  
WILLIAM J. COLE,  
PATRICK J. WHITE,  
JOHN R. THOMPSON,  
JOSEPH J. KITTEL,  
Committee on Buildings.

## DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING,  
MAIN OFFICE, NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW,  
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

**PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR** THE REMOVAL OF SNOW AND ICE FOR THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE** received at the main office of the Department of Street Cleaning until 12 o'clock M., of

**WEDNESDAY, THE 18th DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1901,**

for the removal of snow and ice from the streets of the Borough of Brooklyn during the coming winter, and for furnishing materials and all the labor required and necessary to perform the said work.

**Borough of Brooklyn.**

No. 1. FOR THE REMOVAL OF SNOW AND ICE FROM THE STREETS OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN DURING THE COMING WINTER.

The amount of security required will be Fifty Thousand Dollars, and in addition a special deposit of Ten Thousand Dollars. The time allowed for the performance of the contract terminates April 15, 1902.

Sealed bids or estimates will be received until 12 o'clock M. of

**FRIDAY, THE 20th DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1901,**

for the removal of snow and ice in the Borough of The Bronx.

**Borough of The Bronx.**

No. 2. FOR THE REMOVAL OF SNOW AND ICE FROM THE STREETS OF THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX DURING THE COMING WINTER.

The amount of security required will be Twenty-five Thousand Dollars, and in addition, a special deposit of Two Thousand Five Hundred Dollars. The time allowed for the performance of the contract terminates April 15, 1902.

Sealed bids will be received until 12 o'clock M. of

**MONDAY, THE 23rd DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1901,**

for the removal of snow and ice from the streets of the Borough of Manhattan during the coming winter.

**Borough of Manhattan.**

No. 3. FOR THE REMOVAL OF SNOW AND ICE FROM THE STREETS OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN DURING THE COMING WINTER.

The amount of security required will be at the rate of Ten Thousand Dollars for each district for which the contract is awarded, in addition to which a special deposit of One Thousand Dollars for each said street cleaning district for which a contract is awarded will be required; the time allowed for the performance of the contract terminates April 15, 1902.

The person or persons making a bid or estimate must furnish the same in a sealed envelope indorsed with the title of the work, with his or their name or names and place of residence and date of presentation at the said office, on or before the date and hour above mentioned, at which time and place the bids or estimates will be publicly opened by the head of the Department, and the award of the contract made according to law as soon as practicable thereafter.

Each bid or estimate shall contain the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein, and if no other person be so interested it shall distinctly state that fact; that it is made without any connection with any other person making an

estimate for the same purpose and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; that no member of the Municipal Assembly, head of a department, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, chief of a bureau, school commissioner or any public officer of the City is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates or in any portion of the profits thereof, as principal, surety or otherwise.

The bid or estimate shall be verified by the oath in writing of the person making the same, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in The City of New York, or of a guaranty or surety company duly authorized by law to act as a surety, and shall contain the matters set forth in the blank form of bid mentioned below.

Each bid or estimate must be accompanied by a certified check on a state or national bank of The City of New York, or money, as provided by section 420 of the Greater New York Charter.

For the nature and extent of the work and other practical matters in relation thereto bidders are referred to the printed specifications.

The Commissioner reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if he deems it for the interest of the City so to do.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates on the blank form prepared by the Commissioner, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

Dated THE CITY OF NEW YORK, September 3, 1901.

P. E. NAGLE,  
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

**PERSONS HAVING BULKHEADS TO FILL,** in the vicinity of New York Bay, can procure material for that purpose—ashes, street sweepings, etc., such as is collected by the Department of Street Cleaning—free of charge, by applying to the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row, Borough of Manhattan.

PERCIVAL E. NAGLE,  
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

## DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
September 4, 1901.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATE WILL BE** received by the Commissioner of Correction at the office of the Department of Correction, No. 148 East Twentieth street, in The City of New York, until 11 A. M. on

**TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 1901,**

for furnishing and delivering the following-named, 250 barrels flour, viz:

**Borough of Brooklyn.**

FOR FURNISHING 125 BARRELS NO. 1 FLOUR, 125 BARRELS NO. 2 FLOUR.

(SEE SPECIFICATIONS.)

The time to be allowed for the full completion of each contract and the amount of security required for the faithful performance of the several contracts mentioned above are respectively as follows:

**Time.**

Delivery to be completed within ninety days after award.

**Security.**

Not less than 50 per cent. of amount of bid.

The person or persons making an estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed with the title given above, of the work for which the estimate is made, with his or their name or names and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the date and hour above named, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read, and the award of the contract made according to law as soon thereafter as practicable.

Each estimate shall contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein, and if no other person be so interested it shall distinctly state that fact; also that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and that no member of the Municipal Assembly, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in The City of New York, or of a guaranty or surety company duly authorized by law to act as a surety, and shall contain the matters set forth in the blank form of bid mentioned below.

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by a certified check or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the bond required, as provided in section 420 of the Greater New York Charter.

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies or the nature and extent of the work required or of the materials to be furnished, bidders are referred to the printed specifications.

For samples, bidders are referred to the Kings County Penitentiary.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the Commissioner, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner, or at the office of the General Bookkeeper and Auditor.

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,  
Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE** received by the Commissioner of Correction at the office of the Department of Correction, No. 148 East Twentieth street, in The City of New York, until 11 A. M. of

**TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 1901,**

for furnishing and delivering the following-named supplies set forth, viz:

**Borough of Manhattan.**

FOR FURNISHING SOAP, STEEL WIRE BRADS, PAINTERS' AND CARPENTERS' AND LAUNDRY SUPPLIES, LUMBER AND MISCELLANEOUS SUPPLIES.

The time to be allowed for the full completion of each contract and the amount of security required for the faithful performance of the several contracts mentioned above are respectively as follows:

To be delivered within 10 days after notice of award.

**Security.**

Not less than 50 per cent. of amount of bid.

The person or persons making an estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed with the title given above, of the work for which the estimate is

made, with his or their name or names and the date of presentation to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the date and hour above named, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read, and the award of the contract made according to law as soon thereafter as practicable.

Each estimate shall contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein, and if no other person be so interested it shall distinctly state that fact; also that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud, and that no member of the Municipal Assembly, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in The City of New York, or of a guaranty or surety company duly authorized by law to act as a surety, and shall contain the matters set forth in the blank form of bid mentioned below.

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by a certified check or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the bond required, as provided in section 420 of the Greater New York Charter.

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies or the nature and extent of the work required or of the materials to be furnished, bidders are referred to the printed specifications.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the Commissioner, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner, or at the office of the General Bookkeeper and Auditor.

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,  
Commissioner.

## DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

PIER A, BATTERY PLACE, NORTH RIVER,  
THE CITY OF NEW YORK, August 7, 1901.

**THE DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES** will sell at public auction, on the premises, to the highest bidder, on the

**13TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1901,**

at 10 o'clock A. M., by Philip A. Smyth, auctioneer, all the buildings and parts of buildings hereinafter described:

**Northeast corner of Little West Twelfth Street and Thirteenth Avenue.**

Lot No. 1. Two-story brick building on northeast corner of Little West Twelfth street and Thirteenth avenue, having a frontage of about 40 feet on Little West Twelfth street, and of about 30 feet on Thirteenth avenue.

**Southeast corner of West Thirteenth Street and Thirteenth Avenue.**

Lot No. 2. Two-story brick building, with one-story brick extension, on the southeast corner of West Thirteenth street and Thirteenth avenue, having a frontage on West Thirteenth street of about 43 feet, and on Thirteenth avenue of about 17 feet.

**Little West Twelfth Street, about 30 feet East of Thirteenth Avenue.**

Lot No. 3. Buildings formerly known as Varnish Works, situated on lot on Little West Twelfth street, about 300 feet east of Thirteenth avenue, comprising one two-story brick building, about 16 feet front and about 43 feet deep; also one-story brick stable in rear of same; also brick chimney in rear of stable, together with all the frame sheds adjacent to these buildings.

**TERMS OF SALE.**

Twenty-five per cent. of the purchase money must be paid to the auctioneer in cash at the time and place of sale; the balance of the purchase money to be paid to Philip A. Smyth, at his office, No. 30 Pine street, before 12 o'clock M., on the 16th day of September, 1901.

All the buildings and their foundations of every class and description within the hereinbefore described area are to be torn down to the level of the existing curb, and any structures which may exist within any of the buildings, such as engine beds, boiler settings, boilers, tanks, etc., shall also be torn down to the same level. All tin from roofs, and galvanized or black iron from roofs, cornices, sides of buildings or partitions, shall be removed from the premises. All brick laid in lime mortar or in mortar which may be readily broken from the bricks; all floor beams, joists, studding, flooring, ceiling, roofing boards and woodwork of every description, and all gas, water, steam and soil piping shall be removed from the premises. All combustible matter, such as tar and felt roofing, broken lath and fragments of timber, chips, splinters, etc., which are of no value, shall be gathered together by the purchaser and burned. The final rubbish, such as lime mortar, brickwork in cement mortar or in mortar which cannot be readily broken from the brick, plaster, roofing gravel, etc., will not be removed by the purchaser, but will be left on the premises within the building lines; and the removal of all buildings, parts of buildings, sheds, planking and all other material must be made by the purchaser, who must commence the said removal within three days from the date of the receipt of a notification from the Engineer-in-Chief that the work is ready to be begun, and continue the same diligently until completed.

The structures must be torn down to the level of the first story within fifteen days from the date of the receipt of the above notice, and all of the materials comprised in the buildings as hereinbefore provided must be entirely removed from said premises within thirty days from the date of the receipt of the notice above mentioned; and if the purchaser or purchasers fail to commence the said removal as specified, and to diligently prosecute the same, as above set forth, then the Department of Docks and Ferries may, at its option, complete the said removal and charge the expense of the same to the said purchaser, who shall sign the present terms of sale and agree to be bound thereby.

And for the further securing of the removal of the said buildings, etc., hereinbefore mentioned, the purchaser will be required at the time of sale and the award of said property to him, to execute a bond in such form and with such sureties as may be approved by the Commissioners of the Department of Docks and Ferries of The City of New York, and in a penalty of One Thousand (\$1,000) Dollars, that he will in all things carry out the terms of sale and comply with the conditions thereof, and remove all of said property within the time required by the said terms of sale.

The form of bond to be executed by the purchaser may be seen at the office of the Commissioners of the said Department at Pier "A," Battery place, North river.

J. SERGEANT CRAM,  
CHAS. F. MURPHY,  
PETER F. MEYER,  
Commissioners composing the Board of Docks.



DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

PROPOSALS FOR \$3,000,000.00 OF THREE AND ONE-HALF PER CENT. CORPORATE STOCK OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

PRINCIPAL AND INTEREST PAYABLE IN GOLD.

EXEMPT FROM ALL TAXATION IN THE STATE OF NEW YORK, EXCEPT FOR STATE PURPOSES.

EXECUTORS, ADMINISTRATORS, GUARDIANS AND OTHERS HOLDING TRUST FUNDS ARE AUTHORIZED BY SECTION 9 OF ARTICLE 1 OF CHAPTER 417 OF THE LAWS OF 1897, TO INVEST IN THIS STOCK.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, at his office, No. 280 Broadway, in The City of New York, until

MONDAY, THE 16th DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1901.

at 2 o'clock P. M., when they will be publicly opened in the presence of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, or such of them as shall attend, as provided by law, for the whole or a part of the following-described Registered Stock of The City of New York, bearing interest at the rate of three and one-half per cent. per annum, from and including the date of payment thereof, to wit:

| AMOUNT.        | TITLE.   | AUTHORITY.   | PRINCIPAL PAYABLE. | INTEREST PAYABLE SEMI-ANNUALLY ON |
|----------------|--|--|--------------------|-----------------------------------|
| \$3,000,000.00 | Corporate Stock of The City of New York, for the Construction of the Rapid Transit Railroad..... | Chapter 4 of the Laws of 1891, as amended; sections 45, 169 and 170 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897; chapter 7 of the Laws of 1900, and resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, adopted March 1, 1900..... | Nov. 1, 1949       | May 1 and Nov. 1                  |

The above-described stock is free and exempt from all taxation in the State of New York, except for State purposes, pursuant to the provisions of section 169 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897.

The principal of and interest on said stock are payable in gold coin of the United States of America, of the present standard of weight and fineness, pursuant to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopted June 9, 1898.

CONDITIONS OF SALE.

No proposal for stock shall be accepted for less than the par value the same.  
 Proposals containing conditions other than those herein set forth will not be received or considered.  
 Every bidder, as a condition precedent to the reception or consideration of his proposal, shall deposit with the Comptroller in money, or by a certified check drawn to the order of said Comptroller upon one of the state or national banks of The City of New York, two per cent. of the par value of the stock bid for in said proposal.  
 No proposal will be received or considered which is not accompanied by such deposit.  
 All such deposits shall be returned by the Comptroller to the persons making the same within three days after the decision has been rendered as to who is or are the highest bidder or bidders, except the deposit made by the highest bidder or bidders.  
 If said highest bidder or bidders shall refuse or neglect, within five days after service of written notice of the award to him or them, to pay to the City Chamberlain the amount of the stock awarded to him or them, at its par value, together with the premium thereon, less the amount deposited by him or them, the amount or amounts of deposit thus made shall be forfeited to and retained by said City as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal, and shall thereafter be paid to the Sinking Fund of The City of New York for the Redemption of the City Debt.  
 Upon the payment into the City Treasury of the amounts due by the persons whose bids are accepted, respectively, certificates thereof shall be issued to them as authorized by law.  
 The proposals, together with the security deposits, should be inclosed in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Proposals for Bonds of The City of New York," and said envelope inclosed in another sealed envelope, addressed to the Comptroller of The City of New York.

BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE—COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, August 31, 1901.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
 BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF TAXES,  
 NO. 57 CHAMBERS STREET,  
 BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
 NEW YORK, September 3, 1901.

TAXPAYERS WHO DESIRE TO OBTAIN their bills promptly should make immediate written requisition (blanks may be procured in the borough offices), stating their property by Section or Ward, Block and Lot or Map number, making copy of same from their bills of last year.

If a taxpayer is assessed for personal tax, the requisition should also request bill for such tax.  
 Each requisition should be accompanied by an envelope bearing the proper address of the applicant and with return postage prepaid.

In case of any doubt in regard to Ward, Section, Block or Lot number, Taxpayers should take their deeds to the Department of Taxes and Assessments and have their property located on the maps of that Department and forward to the Deputy Receiver of Taxes with the requisition a certified memorandum of their property, which will be furnished by the Department of Taxes and Assessments.

Taxpayers in this manner will receive their bills at the earliest possible moment and avoid any delay caused by waiting on lines, as is required in case of personal application.

The requisition must be addressed and mailed to the Deputy Receiver of Taxes in whatever borough the property is located, as follows:

John J. McDonough, No. 57 Chambers street, Borough of Manhattan, New York.  
 John B. Underhill, corner Third and Tremont avenues, Borough of The Bronx, New York.  
 James B. Bouck, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn, New York.  
 Frederick W. Bleckwenn, corner Jackson avenue and Fifth street, Long Island City, Borough of Queens, New York.  
 Matthew S. Tully, Richmond Building, Richmond Terrace, New Brighton, Borough of Richmond, New York.

DAVID E. AUSTEN,  
 Receiver of Taxes.

INTEREST ON CITY BONDS AND STOCK.

THE INTEREST DUE OCTOBER 1, 1901, ON the Registered Bonds and Stock of The City of New York will be paid on that day by the Comptroller, at his office in the Stewart Building, corner of Broadway and Chambers street (Room 27).  
 The Transfer Books thereof will be closed from September 15 to October 1, 1901.

The interest due October 1, 1901, on the Coupon Bonds and Stock of the former City of New York will be paid on that day by the Knickerbocker Trust Company, No. 66 Broadway.

The interest due October 1, 1901, 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.

BIRD S. COLER,  
 Comptroller.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
 COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, August 31, 1901.

INTEREST ON CITY BONDS AND STOCK.

THE INTEREST DUE NOVEMBER 1, 1901, ON the Registered Bonds and Stock of The City of New York will be paid on that day by the Comptroller, at his office in the Stewart Building, corner of Broadway and Chambers street (Room 27).

The Transfer Books thereof will be closed from September 30, 1901, to November 1, 1901.

The interest due November 1, 1901, 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 November 1, 1901, 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.

BIRD S. COLER,  
 Comptroller.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
 COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, August 31, 1901.

PETER F. MEYER, AUCTIONEER.

CORPORATION SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

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

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 11, 1901, at 12 o'clock M., at the New York Real Estate Salesrooms, No. 111 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, certain premises situated in the Borough of The Bronx, and described as follows:

All that certain piece or parcel of land acquired by The City of New York, in a proceeding to obtain lands for the purposes of a reservoir, under the provisions of chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883, and which piece of land cannot be utilized for such purposes, the same being known and designated on the Tax Maps of the Twenty-fourth Ward of the Borough of The Bronx as Lot 30, in Block 3205 of Section 11, and which is more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of the westerly line of Davidson avenue with the southerly line of Kingsbridge road, as said avenue and road are shown on Section 16 of the Final Maps of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, and running thence southerly along the westerly line of Davidson avenue two and thirty one-hundredths feet to the old Kingsbridge road; thence westerly along the old Kingsbridge road four and nine one-hundredths feet to a deflection in the old Kingsbridge road; thence westerly and continuing along the old Kingsbridge road seventeen and twenty-two one-hundredths feet to the southerly line of Kingsbridge road as now established; thence easterly along the southerly line of the said Kingsbridge road twenty-one and sixty-two one-hundredths feet to the point or place of beginning, containing thirty and eighty-nine one-hundredths square feet, be the said several dimensions more or less; together with all the right, title and interest of The City of New York in and to the old Kingsbridge road lying between the westerly line of Davidson avenue and a line drawn parallel with and 100 feet westerly therefrom, and the southerly line of Kingsbridge road, as now established.

The City's interest in said premises to be sold upon the following

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE.

The highest bidder for said parcel will be required to pay 10 per cent. of the amount of his bid or purchase money and the auctioneer's fee at the time of sale.  
 The deed for the premises to be delivered within thirty days from the date of sale.

The Comptroller may, at his option, resell the property struck off to the highest bidder who shall fail to comply with the terms of sale, and the party who fails to comply therewith will be held liable for any deficiency resulting from such resale.

The right to reject any bid is reserved.  
 The map of the property to be sold may be seen upon application at the Comptroller's Office, Room 55, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, under resolution adopted July 17, 1901.

BIRD S. COLER,  
 Comptroller.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
 COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, August 31, 1901.

OFFICIAL PAPERS.

MORNING—"MORNING JOURNAL," "TELEGRAPH," "Daily News," "Commercial Advertiser," "Weekly Union," "Semi-weekly," "Harlem Local Reporter," "German—"Morgen Journal."

WILLIAM A. BUTLER,  
 Supervisor, City Record.

SEPTEMBER 6, 1890.

SUPREME COURT.

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 TENTH AVENUE, from Fifteenth street to Twentieth street, in the Twenty-second 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, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof to be held for the hearing of motions, at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 18th day of September, 1901, 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 993 of title 4 of chapter 19 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897.

Dated BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, NEW YORK, September 6, 1901.

JOHN A. CLARRY,  
 SAMUEL SOLOMON,  
 E. V. PARDESSUS,  
 Commissioners.

M. E. FINNIGAN,  
 Clerk.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening SCOTT AVENUE, from Metropolitan avenue to Flushing avenue, in the Eighteenth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, of The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objection thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office in the office of the Law Department, Room 20, Borough Hall, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on or before the 28th day of September, 1901, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 1st day of October, 1901, at 10.30 o'clock A. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of The City of New York, in the Borough of Brooklyn, Room 20, Borough Hall, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, there to remain until the 12th day of October, 1901.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, which, taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Beginning on the southerly side of Metropolitan avenue, at a point which would be intersected by a line drawn at right angles with Meadow street and distant 200 feet easterly from the corner formed by the intersection of the easterly line of Gardner avenue with the northerly side of Meadow street, and running thence southerly along said line, and also on a line parallel with Gardner avenue and distant 200 feet easterly therefrom to the northerly side of Flushing avenue; running thence northeasterly along Flushing avenue to a point distant 169 feet 13 1/2 inches, more or less, northeasterly from the corner formed by the intersection of the northerly line of Johnson avenue with the northwesterly line of Flushing avenue, and running thence northerly on a line at right angles with Flushing avenue 138 feet 7 1/2 inches to a point; running thence northerly on a line parallel with Scott avenue, and distant 200 feet easterly therefrom to the centre of Newtown creek; thence northwesterly as said Newtown creek winds and turns, to Metropolitan avenue, and thence westerly along Metropolitan avenue to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 23d day of October, 1901, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK, September 6, 1901.

WALTER T. BENNETT, Chairman,  
 JOHN BRESLIN,  
 JOHN M. ZURN,  
 Commissioners.

M. E. FINNIGAN,  
 Clerk.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening SIXTY-SECOND STREET, from Tenth avenue to Sixth avenue, in the Thirtieth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, of The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objection thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office in the office of the Law Department, Room 20, Borough Hall, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New

York, on or before the 28th day of September, 1901, and that we the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 1st day of October, 1901, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of The City of New York, in the Borough of Brooklyn, Room 20, Borough Hall, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, there to remain until the 12th day of October, 1901.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, which, taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the easterly line of Sixth avenue with the centre line of the block between Sixty-second and Sixty-third streets as said streets and avenue are laid down on the Map of the Town Survey Commission, which was filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings June, 1874; and running thence easterly along said centre line of the block between Sixty-second and Sixty-third streets to the westerly line of Tenth avenue as said avenue is laid down on the aforesaid map; thence northerly along said westerly line of Tenth avenue to the centre line of the block between Sixty-second and Sixty-third streets as said streets are laid down on the aforesaid map; running thence westerly along said centre line of the block between Sixty-second and Sixty-third streets to the easterly line of Sixth avenue aforesaid; and thence southerly along said easterly line of Sixth avenue to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court-house in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 23d day of October, 1901, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK, September 6, 1901.

WILLIAM AMATHIS, Chairman,  
 WILLIAM ATTERVEY,  
 FRANCIS M. SCANZE,  
 Commissioners.

M. E. FINNIGAN,  
 Clerk.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening AVENUE C, from West street to Gravesend avenue, in the Twenty-ninth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, of The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office in the office of the Law Department, Room 20, Borough Hall, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on or before the 28th day of September, 1901, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 30th day of September, 1901, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of The City of New York, in the Borough of Brooklyn, Room 20, Borough Hall, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, there to remain until the 12th day of October, 1901.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, which, taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the easterly line of West street with the centre line of the block between Avenue C and Fourteenth avenue as said avenues are laid down on the Map of the Town Survey Commission, which was filed in the office of the Register of Kings County, June, 1874; running thence easterly along said centre line of the block to the westerly line of Gravesend avenue; thence southerly along said westerly line of Gravesend avenue to the centre line of the block between Avenues C and D; thence westerly along said centre line to the easterly line of West street aforesaid; thence northerly along the westerly line of West street to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 23d day of October, 1901, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK, September 6, 1901.

JOHN M. ZURN, Chairman,  
 HENRY JOSEPHS,  
 EDWIN A. ROCKWELL,  
 Commissioners.

M. E. FINNIGAN,  
 Clerk.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening TWELFTH AVENUE, from Sixth street to Sixty-fifth street, in the Thirtieth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn of The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office in the office of the Law Department, Room 20, Borough Hall, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on or before the 28th day of September, 1901, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 30th day of September, 1901, at 10.30 o'clock A. M.



PARCEL "D."

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the northwesterly line of Fifteenth avenue with the southwesterly line of Fifty-second street aforesaid, as



Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the southerly line of Sixty-second street with the easterly line of Ninth avenue as laid down on the aforesaid map; running thence westerly along the southerly line of Sixty-second street 8 feet to the westerly line of Ninth avenue aforesaid; thence southerly and deflecting 90 degrees to the left 1,800 feet to the northerly line of Bay Ridge avenue; then easterly along the north-

Dated BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, August 26, 1901.  
JOHN WHALEN,  
Corporation Counsel,  
Borough Hall,  
Borough of Brooklyn,  
New York City



## SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to EIGHTY-FIRST STREET, from Fourth avenue to Fourteenth avenue, in the Thirtieth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH** cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term of said Court for the hearing of motions, to be held at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, on the 10th day of September, 1901, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of Eighty-first street, from Fourth avenue to Fourteenth avenue, in the Thirtieth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

## PARCEL "A."

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the northerly line of Fourth avenue with the southerly line of Eighty-first street, as said street and avenue are laid down on the map of the Town Survey Commission, filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings June 17, 1874; running thence northerly along the southeasterly line of Fourth avenue 64.31 feet to the southeasterly line of Eighty-first street aforesaid; thence easterly along said line and deflecting 111 degrees 5 minutes 4 seconds to the right 1,586.19 feet to the northwesterly line of Sixth avenue as laid down on the aforesaid map; thence southerly along said last-mentioned line 64.31 feet to the southerly line of Eighty-first street aforesaid, and thence westerly along said line 1,586.19 feet to the point or place of beginning.

## PARCEL "B."

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the southeasterly line of Sixth avenue with the southerly line of Eighty-first street as laid down on the aforesaid map; running thence northerly along the said southeasterly line of Sixth avenue 64.31 feet to the northerly line of Eighty-first street aforesaid; thence easterly deflecting 111 degrees 5 minutes 4 seconds to the right 1,530.41 feet to the northwesterly line of Tenth avenue as laid down on the aforesaid map; thence southerly along said last-mentioned line 64.31 feet to the southerly line of Eighty-first street aforesaid, and thence westerly along said line 1,530.41 feet to the point or place of beginning.

## PARCEL "C."

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the northerly line of Tenth avenue with the southerly line of Eighty-first street as laid down on the aforesaid map; running thence northerly along the northerly line of Tenth avenue 60 feet to the northerly line of Eighty-first street aforesaid; thence easterly and deflecting 90 degrees to the right 3,040 feet to the westerly line of Fourteenth avenue as laid down on the aforesaid map; thence southerly along said last-mentioned line 60 feet to the southerly line of Eighty-first street aforesaid, and thence westerly along said last-mentioned line 3,040 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, August 26, 1901.  
JOHN WHALEN,  
Corporation Counsel,  
Borough Hall,  
Borough of Brooklyn,  
New York City.

## SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to NINETY-SEVENTH STREET, from Fourth avenue to Fort Hamilton avenue, in the Thirtieth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH** cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term of said Court for the hearing of motions, to be held at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, on the 10th day of September, 1901, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of Ninety-seventh street, from Fourth avenue to Fort Hamilton avenue, in the Thirtieth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the westerly line of Fourth avenue with the southerly line of Ninety-seventh street, as the said street and avenue are laid down on the map of the Town Survey Commission, filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings, June 1874; running thence northerly along the westerly line of Fourth avenue 60 feet to the northerly line of Ninety-seventh street aforesaid; thence easterly along said line and deflecting 77 degrees 44 minutes 14 seconds to the right 103.30 feet to a point; thence easterly and still along said last-mentioned line and deflecting 18 degrees 15 minutes 46 seconds to the right 562.50 feet to the easterly line of Fort Hamilton avenue as laid down on the aforesaid map; thence southerly along said line deflecting 90 degrees to the right 50 feet to the southerly line of Ninety-seventh street aforesaid; thence westerly along said line and deflecting 90 degrees to the right 562.50 feet to a point, and thence westerly still along said line 108.35 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, August 26, 1901.  
JOHN WHALEN,  
Corporation Counsel,  
Borough Hall,  
Borough of Brooklyn,  
New York City.

## SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to EAST SEVENTH STREET, from Church lane to Caton avenue, in the Twenty-ninth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH** cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term of said Court for the hearing of motions, to be held at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, on the 13th day of September, 1901, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the

appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of East Seventh street, from Church lane to Caton avenue, in the Twenty-ninth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the northerly line of Caton avenue with the westerly line of East Seventh street, as the same are laid down on the map of the Town Survey Commission, filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings in June, 1874; running thence easterly along the northerly line of said Caton avenue 60 feet to the easterly line of East Seventh street aforesaid; thence southerly along said line deflecting 90 degrees to the right 1,011.54 feet to the southerly line of Church lane; thence westerly along said line deflecting 77 degrees 44 minutes 14 seconds to the right 13.81 feet to the westerly line of East Seventh street aforesaid, and thence northerly along said last-mentioned line 1,033.26 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, August 26, 1901.  
JOHN WHALEN,  
Corporation Counsel,  
Borough Hall,  
Borough of Brooklyn,  
New York City.

## 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 SUBURBAN PLACE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Crotona Park, East, to Boston road, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of The City of New York.

**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 10th day of September, 1901, 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 title 4 of chapter 17 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, August 2, 1901.

GEO. C. DE LACY,  
WM. H. DELANY,  
JAMES R. TORRANCE,  
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,  
Clerk.

## FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, acting by and through the Board of Docks, relative to acquiring right and title to, and possession of the wharfage rights, terms, emoluments and privileges appurtenant to Pier old No. 4, East river, 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, to be taken for the improvement of the water front of The City of New York on the East river, at or near BROAD STREET, pursuant to the plan heretofore adopted by the Board of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

**WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS** of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands or wharf property, and all persons interested therein, or in any rights, privileges or interests pertaining thereto, affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the 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, Rooms Nos. 312 and 313, No. 253 Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 18th day of September, 1901, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 30th day of September, 1901, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage maps and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, at the office of said bureau, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 30th day of September, 1901.

Third—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III, to be held in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 29th day of October, 1901, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York City, August 28, 1901.

HENRY THOMPSON, Chairman  
WILLIAM B. ELLISON,  
MICHAEL COSGROVE,  
Commissioners.

JOHN J. PRINCE, Clerk.

## SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title to BEDFORD AVENUE, from a point in the Eastern parkway where said Bedford avenue is already opened and extended in a southerly direction to Flatbush avenue, in the Twenty-fourth and Twenty-ninth Wards, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH** cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term of said Court for the hearing of motions, to be held at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, on the 13th day of September, 1901, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of Bedford avenue, from a point in the Eastern parkway where said Bedford avenue is already opened and ex-

tended in a southerly direction to Flatbush avenue, in the Twenty-fourth and Twenty-ninth Wards, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point where the westerly line of Bedford avenue intersects the former city line dividing the late City of Brooklyn from the late Town of Flatbush, as said avenue and line are laid down on the map of the Town Survey Commission, filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings June 1874, and running thence easterly along the said former city line 82.67 feet to the easterly line of Bedford avenue, as now laid down on the map of The City of New York; thence southerly along said line and deflecting 101 degrees 35 minutes 32 seconds to the right 553.57 feet to the northerly line of Sullivan street; thence southerly along said line and deflecting 26 degrees 20 minutes 3 seconds 70.43 feet to the southerly line of Sullivan street; thence southerly along said easterly line of Bedford avenue deflecting 6 degrees 19 minutes 7 seconds to the right 4.9 8.49 feet to the northerly line of Church avenue; thence southerly and along said easterly line of Bedford avenue and deflecting 3 degrees 12 minutes 50 seconds to the right 80.3 feet to the southerly line of Church avenue aforesaid; thence southerly and still along said easterly line of Bedford avenue and deflecting 6 seconds to the right 1,348.65 feet to the northerly line of Vernon avenue; thence southerly along said easterly line of Bedford avenue 23 degrees 19 minutes 4 seconds to the left 71.38 feet to the southerly line of Vernon avenue aforesaid; thence southerly along said easterly line of Bedford avenue aforesaid deflecting 3 degrees 9 minutes 42 seconds to the right 644.73 feet to the northerly line of Beverly road (formerly Avenue B); thence southerly along said easterly line of Bedford avenue deflecting 19 degrees 32 minutes 16 seconds to the right 80.8 feet to the southerly line of said Beverly road aforesaid; thence southerly and still along the easterly line of Bedford avenue, as said avenue is now laid down on the map of The City of New York, and deflecting 2 degrees 35 minutes 50 seconds to the left 2,076.65 feet, more or less, to the northwesterly line of Flatbush avenue, as laid down on the aforesaid map; thence northwesterly along said last mentioned line 151.38 feet to the westerly line of Bedford avenue aforesaid; thence northerly along said line and deflecting 31 degrees 54 minutes 04 seconds to the right 2,028.13 feet, more or less, to the northerly line of Beverly road; thence northerly along said westerly line of Bedford avenue and deflecting 16 degrees 56 minutes 26 seconds to the left 721.16 feet to the northerly line of Vernon avenue; thence northerly along said westerly line of said Bedford avenue and deflecting 20 degrees 9 minutes 22 seconds to the right 1,283.53 feet to the northerly line of Church avenue; thence northerly along said westerly line of Bedford avenue deflecting 3 degrees 12 minutes 56 seconds to the left 4,956.28 feet to the southerly line of Sullivan street; thence northerly along said westerly line of Bedford avenue deflecting 10 degrees 26 minutes 13 seconds to the left 71.18 feet to the northerly line of said Sullivan street, and thence northerly along said westerly line of Bedford avenue aforesaid 561.90 feet to the point or place of beginning.

That portion of Bedford avenue lying between Eastern parkway and the line dividing the former City of Brooklyn from the late Town of Flatbush having already been legally opened by Commissioners appointed for that purpose, whose report was confirmed by the Supreme Court on the 5th day of February, 1874.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, August 31, 1901.

JOHN WHALEN,  
Corporation Counsel,  
Borough Hall,  
Borough of Brooklyn,  
City of New York.

## FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to WEST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-FIRST STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), between Kingsbridge road and Haven avenue, 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 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, Rooms Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 30th day of September, 1901, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 1st day of October, 1901, at 3.30 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage maps and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of 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 21st day of September, 1901.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the easterly line of Boulevard Lafayette with the westerly prolongation of the middle line of the block between West One Hundred and Seventy-third street and West One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street; running thence easterly along said prolongation and middle line of the block to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between Fort Washington avenue and Broadway; thence southerly along said middle line of the blocks to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between West One Hundred and Seventy-second street and West One Hundred and Seventy-third street; thence easterly along said middle line of the blocks to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between Eleventh avenue and Audubon avenue; thence easterly along said middle line of the block and its easterly prolongation to a point 100 feet easterly of the easterly line of Amsterdam avenue; thence southerly along a line parallel to and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Amsterdam avenue to its intersection with the easterly prolongation of the middle line of the blocks between West One Hundred and Seventy-third street and West One Hundred and Seventy-first street; thence westerly along said middle line of the blocks to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between Audubon avenue and Eleventh avenue; thence southerly along said middle line of the blocks to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between West One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and West One Hundred and Seventieth street; thence westerly along said middle line of the blocks and the westerly prolongation thereof to its intersection with the easterly line of Boulevard Lafayette; thence northerly along said easterly line of Boulevard Lafayette to the point or place of beginning; excepting from said area streets, avenues and roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened, as streets are shown on our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III, to be held in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 29th day of October, 1901, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York City, August 21, 1901.

GEO. C. DE LACY, Chairman,

WILLIAM A. GRAMER,

Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,  
Clerk.

## 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 ANDREWS AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Burnside avenue to East One Hundred and Eightieth street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York.

**WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS** of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us, at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 21st day of September, 1901, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 1st day of October, 1901, at 3 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage maps and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 30th day of September, 1901.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the easterly prolongation of that part of the middle line of the block between Burnside avenue and East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, lying westwardly from Aqueduct avenue with a line drawn parallel to the southeasterly side of Aqueduct avenue and distant 100 feet southeasterly therefrom; running thence northeasterly along and parallel line to its intersection with the easterly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to and distant 280 feet northerly from the northerly side of that part of East One Hundred and Eightieth street lying westwardly from Aqueduct avenue; thence westerly along said easterly prolongation and parallel line to its intersection with the northerly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to the westerly side of Loring place and distant 100 feet westerly therefrom; thence southerly along said northerly prolongation and parallel line to the northerly side of Burnside avenue; thence southerly on a line parallel to Andrews avenue to its intersection with the middle line of the block between Burnside avenue and East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street; thence easterly along said middle line of the block and its prolongation easterly to the point or place of beginning, as such streets are shown on the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, 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 our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III, to be held in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 29th day of October, 1901, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York City, August 21, 1901.

SMITH E. LARUE, Chairman,  
JOHN WEGMANN,  
JAMES A. FLACK,  
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,  
Clerk.

## SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to DE RUSSEY STREET, from Eighty-sixth street to Dyker Beach Park, in the Thirtieth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH** cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term of said Court for the hearing of motions, to be held at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, on the 14th day of September, 1901, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of De Russey street, from Eighty-sixth street to Dyker Beach Park, in the Thirtieth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the southerly line of Eighty-sixth street with the easterly line of De Russey street, as said streets are laid down on the map of the Town Survey Commission filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings June, 1874; running thence westerly along the southerly line of Eighty-sixth street 60 feet to the westerly line of De Russey street aforesaid; thence southerly along said line and deflecting 90 degrees to the left 1,220 feet, more or less, to the Dyker Beach Park; thence easterly along said line deflecting 90 degrees to the right 60 feet to the easterly line of De Russey street aforesaid; and thence northerly along said last-mentioned line 1,220 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, August 26, 1901.

JOHN WHALEN,  
Corporation Counsel,  
Borough Hall,  
Borough of Brooklyn,  
New York City.