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## BOARD OF ELECTIONS.

Meeting of the Board of Elections held Tuesday, August 23, 1904, at 12 o'clock, M.

Present—Commissioners Voorhis, Page and Fuller.

The reading of the minutes of the meetings of the Board held on the 2d, 10th and 16th inst. was dispensed with.

The Chief Clerk presented an affidavit from Henry McMillen, Deputy Supervisor, City Record, to the effect that the invitation for proposals for stationery, printing and supplies for the next ensuing days of registration and general election had duly appeared in said paper for ten days, as required by law. Ordered on file.

The President opened the estimate-box—Mr. John H. Andrews, representing the Finance Department, being present—and announced that it contained three envelopes, indorsed "Estimate for supplying the Board of Elections of The City of New York with stationery, printing and supplies for registration and election purposes for the year 1904," as per proposals advertised for, as follows:

From Jordan Stationery Company, No. 177 Pearl street, Manhattan Borough, New York City, twenty-three thousand five hundred dollars (\$23,500).

From the J. W. Pratt Company, Nos. 52 to 58 Duane street, Manhattan Borough, New York City, twenty-two thousand eight hundred and ninety dollars (\$22,890).

From Martin B. Brown Company, No. 49 Park place, Manhattan Borough, New York City, twenty-one thousand seven hundred and eighty-seven dollars (\$21,787).

The Chief Clerk also stated that he had received a certified check for \$250 with each of said bids, as follows:

From the Jordan Stationery Company, on the National Bank of Commerce, to the order of the Comptroller, and signed "R. M. Jordan, Treasurer."

From the J. W. Pratt Company, on the New York National Exchange Bank, to the order of the Comptroller, and signed "J. F. Handy, Treasurer."

From Martin B. Brown Company, on the New York National Exchange Bank, to the order of the Comptroller, and signed "G. Radford Kelso, Vice-President."

The representative of the Comptroller stated that the above-mentioned bids appeared to be correct as to form.

On motion, the proposals of Jordan Stationery Company and J. W. Pratt Company were ordered on file, and the following resolution adopted, viz.:

Resolved, That the contract for supplying the stationery, printing and supplies required by the Board of Elections of The City of New York for the general election to be held on November 8, 1904, per proposals advertised for and this day publicly opened, be and is hereby awarded, subject to the approval by the Comptroller of the sureties submitted in said proposal, to Martin B. Brown Company, No. 49 Park place, Borough of Manhattan, New York City (they being the lowest bidders), for the sum of twenty-one thousand seven hundred and eighty-seven dollars (\$21,787).

Resolved, That the Secretary of the Board be and is hereby instructed to forthwith transmit to the Comptroller for approval the proposal with tender of sureties received from Martin B. Brown Company, and also (for disposal, in accordance with law), the surety deposits received from bidders for said contract.

Resolved, That the President be and is hereby authorized to execute such contract for and on behalf of the Board of Elections of The City of New York, upon the approval of sureties by the Comptroller.

The following communications were received and disposed of as stated, viz.:

From Wm. H. Kipp, Chief Clerk, Police Department, dated the 15th inst., referring to the Board and requesting compliance therewith, a communication directed to the Police Commissioner by Captain James E. Hussey, Captain, Twenty-second Police Precinct, requesting the removal of ballot boxes stored in the station-house of said precinct. Referred to the President.

From Elliot H. Goodwin, Secretary, Civil Service Reform Association, dated New York, August 22, 1904, calling the attention of the Board to the provisions of the Civil Service Law in regard to political assessments, transmitting a copy of the same, and requesting the posting thereof in a conspicuous place in this Depart-

ment during the campaign. Referred to the Chief Clerk of the Board to prepare and transmit a copy of said provisions of the Civil Service Law to each of the several branch offices of the Board for posting, as requested.

From A. W. Reynolds, City Clerk, Mount Vernon, N. Y., dated the 19th inst., requesting to be informed as to the size of the "portable registration houses," such as are used in New York City. Referred to the Secretary for answer.

From A. E. Scholes, editor, the Flushing "Daily Times," two communications, dated the 16th and 17th inst., respectively, in reference to the publication of election notices. Filed.

From J. J. O'Leary, No. 445 Fifty-eighth street, Brooklyn, dated the 21st inst., asking for advice in regard to certain provisions of the Primary Law. Referred to the Secretary for answer.

From Wm. H. Jackson, Jr., Secretary, Republican County Committee, Richmond County, dated the 19th inst., suggesting polling places for the Republicans in the Borough of Richmond for the primary election to be held on the 30th inst. Filed.

From the several commanding officers of the Eighth, Tenth, Fifteenth, Seventeenth, Nineteenth, Twentieth, Twenty-first, Twenty-second, Twenty-fourth and Twenty-fifth Police Precincts, reporting that the Maurice O'Meara Company has removed from their respective precinct station-houses old paper stock of weight as therein stated. Filed.

From the Chief Clerk of the Board and the Chief Clerk of the Manhattan Borough office, reporting that the Maurice O'Meara Company has removed from their respective offices old paper stock of weight as therein stated. Filed.

From the Chief Clerk of the Brooklyn Borough office, dated the 17th inst., reporting in regard to the respective adaptability of the premises at Nos. 44 and 46 Gold street, Brooklyn Borough, for use as the polling place for the First Election District, Twentieth Assembly District, Kings County. Filed.

From the Chief Clerks of the Manhattan, The Bronx, Brooklyn and Queens Borough offices, dated the 22d inst., and the Richmond Borough office, dated the 20th inst., reporting in regard to the attendance of the clerical force in their respective offices for the preceding week. Filed.

From the Chief Clerk of the Board, dated the 22d inst., reporting in regard to the attendance of the clerical force in the office of the Board for the preceding week and reporting the receipt of supplies on account of contract with the J. W. Pratt Company. Filed.

From the Chief Clerks of The Bronx, Brooklyn and Queens Borough offices, and the Deputy Chief Clerk of the Richmond Borough office, dated 22d inst., reporting the receipt of supplies on account of contract with the J. W. Pratt Company. Referred to the Chief Clerk of the Board to ascertain and report to the Board whether the supplies reported to have been received are in quantity in conformity with said contract.

From the respective Chairmen of the Executive Committees of the New York County Democratic Committee, dated the 23d inst.; the New York County Republican Committee, dated the 22d and 23d inst.; the Kings County Democratic Committee, dated the 17th and 23d inst.; the Kings County Republican Committee, dated the 19th and 22d inst., and the Queens County Republican Committee, dated the 23d inst., requesting the removal of certain election officers therein named and filing duly authenticated lists of persons to fill the vacancies created by such removals.

On motion, the aforesaid communications and lists were ordered on file, the Secretary directed to transmit a list of the names of the persons proposed for appointment to the Chief Clerks of the proper borough offices for notification of examination, etc., and the following preamble and resolution adopted, viz.:

Whereas, Written requests for the removal of certain election officers, heretofore appointed for the several election and assembly districts in the Counties of New York, Kings and Queens, have been filed with the Board of Elections by the respective Chairmen of the Executive Committees of the New York County Democratic and Republican Committees, the Kings County Democratic and Republican Committees and the Queens County Republican Committee, pursuant to chapter 70 of the Laws of 1904, therefore be it

Resolved, That the persons heretofore appointed and qualified as Inspectors of Election, Poll Clerks or Ballot Clerks for the several election and assembly districts specified be and are hereby each and severally removed and dismissed as such election officers.

Supplemental lists of persons proposed for appointment as election officers to fill the vacancies for the term expiring on September 1, 1904, were received from the Chief Clerks of the New York, The Bronx, Brooklyn, Queens and Richmond Borough offices and duly appointed.

Supplemental lists of persons proposed for appointment as election officers to fill vacancies for the term commencing September 1, 1904, were received from the Chief Clerks of the Brooklyn and Richmond Borough offices and duly appointed.

Additional original lists of persons proposed for appointment as election officers for the term commencing September 1, 1904, were received from the Chief Clerks of the New York, Brooklyn and Richmond Borough offices and duly appointed.

The following bills were approved and ordered to be transmitted to the Finance Department for payment, viz.:

W. H. Hand's Sons, altering ballot boxes.....	\$426 28
August Meitz, storage .....	400 00
Morgan & Brother, storage.....	237 50
A. B. Yetter, storage.....	125 00
	\$1,188 78

The President stated that copies of affidavits and orders to show cause in proceedings instituted under subdivision 11, section 3, Primary Election Law, to have the names of divers electors therein named as respondents stricken from the primary enrollment books of the respective election and assembly districts in which they are alleged to be enrolled with the Democratic Party, viz.: Ninth Assembly District, New York County, First to Twenty-fourth Election Districts, 1,003 respondents; Thirty-fourth Assembly District, New York County, Twentieth to Forty-fifth Election Districts, inclusive, 956 respondents, were served upon him on the 16th inst., and that on the 18th inst. affidavits and orders to show cause, in similar proceedings, against 65 electors alleged to be enrolled in certain election districts in the Twenty-sixth Assembly District, New York County, were received by mail, all of which papers were referred to the Corporation Counsel, with the request that he take such action on behalf of the Board of Elections as to him should appear proper.

The President also stated that copy of affidavit and order to show cause, returnable at a Special Term of the Supreme Court for Motions, Kings County, on August 22, 1904, at 10.30 A. M., why the party enrollment of John F. Tighe, which appears on the enrollment book of the Fourth Election District, Fifth Assembly District, Kings County, as Republican, should not be changed to Democratic, was served upon him on the 18th inst., and referred to the Corporation Counsel for such action on behalf of the Board as to him should appear proper.

Commissioner Fuller moved that the "Brooklyn Free Presse" be designated to publish primary election notices in the Borough of Brooklyn, in addition to the papers heretofore designated to publish such notices in said borough.

Lost. Commissioner Fuller voting in the affirmative, and Commissioners Voorhis and Page in the negative.

The Board then adjourned.

CHARLES B. PAGE, Secretary.

## BOARD OF ELECTIONS.

Meeting of the Board of Elections held Friday, August 26, 1904, at 12 o'clock M. Present—Commissioners Voorhis, Maguire and Fuller.

On motion, Commissioner Fuller was elected Secretary, pro tempore.

The reading of the minutes of the meetings of the Board held on the 2d, 10th, 16th and 23d inst. was dispensed with.

The following communications were received and disposed of as stated, viz.:

From N. Taylor Phillips, Deputy and Acting Comptroller, dated the 25th inst., returning proposal of the M. B. Brown Company for furnishing stationery, printing and supplies for the next ensuing days of registration and general election with his approval of the adequacy and sufficiency of the sureties thereto. Filed.

From the Department of Finance, dated the 24th inst., acknowledging receipt of security deposits accompanying three proposals received by the Board for supplying stationery, printing and supplies for the next ensuing days of registration and election. Filed.

From Arthur Blot, Acting Secretary, Police Department, dated the 25th inst., transmitting copy of general order No. 88, directed to the commanding officers of the several Police precincts in The City of New York, containing instructions to the Police Force in regard to their duties on the day of the primary elections, August 30, 1904. Filed.

From the Flushing "Daily Times," A. E. Scholes, editor, dated the 25th inst., in regard to the publication of primary election notices. Filed.

From the Chief Clerk of the Borough of Brooklyn, dated the 22d inst., reporting that the Maurice O'Meara Company has removed from his office old paper stock of weight as therein stated. Filed.

From the commanding officers of the Twenty-ninth, Thirty-second and Fiftieth Police Precincts, reporting that the Maurice O'Meara Company has removed from their respective precinct station-houses old paper stock of weight as therein specified. Filed.

From the American Steel House Company, F. K. Plumbly, President, dated the 24th inst., acknowledging receipt of notice from the Board that three election booths will be required for the primary elections to be held on the 30th inst. Filed.

From the respective Chairmen of the Executive Committees of the New York County Democratic Committee, dated the 23d, 25th and 26th inst.; the New York County Republican Committee, dated the 25th and 26th inst.; the Kings County Democratic Committee, dated the 24th and 26th inst., and the Kings County Republican Committee, dated the 25th and 26th inst., requesting the removal of certain election officers therein named, and filing duly authenticated lists of persons to fill the vacancies created by such removals.

On motion, the aforesaid communications and lists were ordered on file, the Secretary directed to transmit a list of the names of the persons proposed for appointment to the Chief Clerks of the proper borough offices for notification of examination, etc., and the following preamble and resolution adopted, viz.:

Whereas, Written requests for the removal of certain election officers, heretofore appointed for the several election and assembly districts in the counties of New York and Kings, have been filed with the Board of Elections by the respective Chairmen of the Executive Committees of the New York County Democratic and Republican Committees and the Kings County Democratic and Republican Committees, pursuant to chapter 70 of the Laws of 1904, therefore be it

Resolved, That the persons heretofore appointed and qualified as Inspectors of Elections, Poll Clerks or Ballot Clerks for the several election and assembly districts specified, be and are hereby each and severally removed and dismissed as such election officers.

From F. W. Warnke, dated Brooklyn, the 22d inst., stating that he has removed from the election district in which he enrolled at one of the days of registration in October, 1903, and requesting advice as to his status for voting at the primary election to be held on the 30th inst. Referred to the President for answer.

From A. M. Ritzman, No. 1213 East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, The Bronx, dated the 24th inst., requesting information as to the grounds of his removal as an Inspector of Elections for the Twenty-eighth Election District, Thirty-fifth Assembly District, New York County. Referred to the President for answer.

The President stated that a certified copy of an order signed by Mr. Justice Dickey, Supreme Court, Second District, on the 25th inst., commanding that the party enrollment of John F. Tighe, which appears on the enrollment book for the Fourth Election District, Fifth Assembly District, Kings County, as Republican, be changed to Democrat. Ordered on file, and the Chief Clerk of the Brooklyn Borough office to be notified to comply with the mandate thereof.

The President also stated that he had been served with copies of orders signed by Mr. Justice Davis, Supreme Court, New York County, granted in proceedings heretofore instituted, pursuant to subdivision 11, section 3, Primary Election Law, commanding that the names of 915 electors be stricken from the enrollment books of the respective election districts of the Ninth Assembly District, Manhattan Borough, New York County, in which they are entered as having enrolled with the Democratic Party, and with copies of similar orders against 745 electors enrolled with the Democratic Party in the Thirty-fourth Assembly District, The Bronx Borough, New York County. Ordered, that the aforesaid orders be placed on file, that the Chief Clerks of the proper borough offices of the Board be notified to comply with the mandates thereof, and that certification of the corrections made, pursuant to said orders, be made to the respective Chairmen of the New York County Democratic and Republican Committees, as provided by law.

Supplemental lists of persons proposed for appointment as election officers to fill vacancies for the term expiring on September 1, 1904, were received from the Chief Clerks of the Manhattan and Brooklyn Borough offices and duly appointed.

Supplemental lists of names of persons proposed for appointment as election officers to fill vacancies for the term commencing September 1, 1904, were received from the Chief Clerk of the Brooklyn Borough office and duly appointed.

Additional original lists of persons proposed for appointment as election officers for the term commencing September 1, 1904, were received from the Chief Clerks of the New York and Brooklyn Borough offices and duly appointed.

The Board then adjourned.

RUDOLPH C. FULLER, Secretary, pro tem.

## APPROVED PAPERS.

FOR THE WEEK ENDING SEPTEMBER 10, 1904.

No. 522.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized and requested to draw a warrant for one hundred dollars (\$100) in favor of Charles J. Tobin, the said sum to be payment in full for furnishing to the Board of Aldermen copies of all bills, documents and printed matter introduced into the Legislature of the State of New York, particularly affecting public interests in The City of New York, during the session of 1904, the said amount to be charged to and paid out of the appropriation entitled "City Contingencies, 1904."

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen August 31, 1904.

Approved by the Mayor September 7, 1904.

No. 523.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized and requested to draw a warrant in favor of the Clasp Envelope Company for the sum of thirteen dollars and fifty cents (\$13.50), the said amount to be payment in full for furnishing one thousand clasp envelopes for use in the office of the Clerk of the Board of Aldermen, the said amount to be charged to and paid out of the appropriation entitled "City Contingencies, 1904."

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen August 31, 1904.

Approved by the Mayor September 7, 1904.

No. 524.

AN ORDINANCE to reduce the widths of the roadways of various streets in the Borough of Brooklyn.

Be it Ordained, by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York as follows: That the roadways or driveways of East Twelfth (East 12th) street, East Thirtieth (East 13th) street and East Fourteenth (East 14th) street, from Foster avenue to Avenue H; East Eighteenth (East 18th) street, from Foster avenue to land of the Long Island Railroad (Manhattan Beach Division); also Irving place, De Koven court, Waldorf court and Wellington court, be and the same is hereby reduced from thirty-two (32) feet to thirty (30) feet; also East Nineteenth (East 19th) street, from Foster avenue to land of Long Island Railroad (Manhattan Beach Division),

from thirty-five (35) feet to thirty-four (34) feet; and the widths of the sidewalks on said streets correspondingly widened.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen August 31, 1904.

Approved by the Mayor September 7, 1904.

No. 525.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and requested to draw a warrant in favor of the "Brooklyn Daily Eagle" for the sum of twenty-two dollars (\$22), the said amount to be payment in full for twenty-two bound copies of the Greater New York Charter at one dollar each; the same to be charged to and paid out of the appropriation entitled "City Contingencies, 1904."

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen August 31, 1904.

Approved by the Mayor September 7, 1904.

No. 526.

AN ORDINANCE relative to the distribution of balances of intestate estates remaining in the City Treasury.

Be it Ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York, as follows: Section 1. The Comptroller may distribute and pay any balance of an intestate's estate remaining in the City Treasury to the persons legally entitled thereto, whenever he and the Public Administrator shall be satisfied that the person claiming the same is legally entitled thereto; but, if they be not satisfied thereof they shall report the case to the Board of Aldermen for their direction.

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen August 31, 1904.

Approved by the Mayor September 7, 1904.

No. 527.

Resolved, That James F. Deehan, of Morris Park, in the Borough of Queens, be and he is hereby appointed a City Surveyor.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen August 31, 1904.

Approved by the Mayor September 7, 1904.

No. 528.

Resolved, That Charles H. De Bevoise, of No. 49 Willett street, Jamaica, in the Borough of Queens, be and he is hereby appointed a City Surveyor.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen August 31, 1904.

Approved by the Mayor September 7, 1904.

No. 529.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the various political organizations and associations of The City of New York to erect stands for the purpose of holding political meetings on the sidewalks or carriageways of The City of New York, providing said stands shall be removed within twenty-four hours after having been used; and be it further

Resolved, That permission be given to all political parties to erect, place and keep transparencies, erect poles and swing banners therefrom, the Presidents of the Boroughs consenting thereto, and where banners are swung from houses the property owners consenting thereto, the work to be done and materials supplied at their own expense;

Resolved, That permission also be given to said associations to parade through the streets, avenues and thoroughfares of The City of New York with vehicles containing bells or bands of music, the last privilege to be under the direction of the Chief of Police and the first two privileges to be under the Presidents of the Boroughs, respectively; said permission to continue only until November 10, 1904, any resolution or ordinance heretofore passed to the contrary notwithstanding.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen August 31, 1904.

Approved by the Mayor September 7, 1904.

No. 530.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of four hundred thousand dollars (\$400,000), to provide means to pay the necessary expenses connected with the construction of the bridge over the East river, between the boroughs of Manhattan and Queens, known as the Blackwell's Island Bridge (No. 4).

Be it Ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York as follows: Section 1. The Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment July 15, 1904, and authorizes the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 409 of the Laws of 1904, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount of four hundred thousand dollars (\$400,000), for the purpose of providing means to pay the necessary expenses connected with the construction of the bridge over the East river, between the boroughs of Manhattan and Queens, known as the Blackwell's Island Bridge (No. 4), and that subject to the concurrence of the Board of Aldermen the Comptroller is authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding four hundred thousand dollars (\$400,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purpose aforesaid."

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen August 31, 1904.

Approved by the Mayor September 7, 1904.

No. 531.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000), to meet the expense of permanently bettering the Kings County Court-house.

Be it Ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York, as follows: Section 1. The Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution, adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment July 22, 1904, and authorizes the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 409 of the Laws of 1904, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding ten thousand dollars (\$10,000), to meet the expense of permanently bettering the Kings County Court-house, and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller is authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding ten thousand dollars (\$10,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid."

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen August 31, 1904.

Approved by the Mayor September 7, 1904.

No. 532.

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment July 22, 1904:

"Resolved, That the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment May 27, 1904, which reads as follows:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, that the salaries of the following positions under the jurisdiction of the Board of Armory Commissioners be fixed as follows:

	Per Annum.
Inspector of Masonry.....	\$1,200 00
Inspector of Repairs and Supplies.....	1,200 00

—be and the same is hereby amended by inserting after the words 'Inspector of Masonry, \$1,200 per annum,' the words 'to take effect April 14, 1904.'"

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen August 31, 1904.

Approved by the Mayor September 7, 1904.

No. 533.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Ignatz Kempler, from time to time, and at such times as may be necessary, to erect and maintain a canopy or awning for temporary and storm use, over the sidewalk in front of his premises No. 62

East Fourth street, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided the said awning shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinances in such case made and provided, the work to be done at the expense of the said Ignatz Kempler, under the direction of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen August 31, 1904.  
Approved by the Mayor September 7, 1904.

No. 534.

Resolved, That it is recommended to the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity that Welsbach burners be placed on the four street lamps in front of the Calvary Baptist Church, situated on the north side of West Fifty-seventh street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues, in the Borough of Manhattan.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen August 31, 1904.  
Approved by the Mayor September 7, 1904.

No. 535.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Trustees of St. Paul's Roman Catholic Church to construct and maintain a vault under the sidewalk, commencing at a point about 140 feet from the southeasterly corner of Park avenue, running thence easterly 125 feet in front of their premises on One Hundred and Eighteenth street; also to construct and maintain a vault under the sidewalk commencing at a point about 115 feet from the northeasterly corner of Park avenue, running thence easterly 40 feet, in front of their premises on One Hundred and Seventeenth street, in the Borough of Manhattan, upon payment to The City of New York as compensation for the privilege such nominal amount as may be deemed an equivalent by the President of the Borough of Manhattan, the maximum sum in question not to exceed ten dollars (\$10) for each vault constructed. The work to be done at their own cost and expense, under the direction of the President of the Borough of Manhattan. Such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen August 31, 1904.  
Approved by the Mayor September 7, 1904.

No. 536.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to David Goldschmidt to place and keep an ornamental post, surmounted by a clock, on the sidewalk near the curb, in front of his premises, No. 472 Third avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided that neither post or clock shall be used for advertising purposes; the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the President of the Borough of Manhattan; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen August 31, 1904.  
Approved by the Mayor September 7, 1904.

No. 537.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Simon Wolf to place and keep a watering-trough on the sidewalk near the curb in front of his premises, at corner of One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street and Third avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx; the work to be done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the President of the Borough of The Bronx; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen August 31, 1904.  
Approved by the Mayor September 7, 1904.

No. 538.

Resolved, That it is recommended to the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity that lamp-posts be erected, street lamps placed thereon and the same lighted in West One Hundred and Eighty-first street, between Boulevard Lafayette and Fort Washington road, in the Borough of Manhattan.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen August 31, 1904.  
Approved by the Mayor September 7, 1904.

No. 539.

Resolved, That it is recommended to the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity that two lamp-posts be erected, street lamps placed thereon and the same lighted, in front of the Church of the Advocate, on the west side of Washington avenue, between One Hundred and Eightieth and One Hundred and Eighty-first streets, in the Borough of The Bronx.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen August 31, 1904.  
Approved by the Mayor September 7, 1904.

No. 540.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the American Automobile Association to conduct speed trials for automobiles along the Hempstead and Jamaica Plank road, from the boundary line of the County of Nassau to Creed avenue (2,625 feet); thence along Creed avenue, from Jamaica Plank road to Jericho turnpike (distance about 1,993 feet); thence along Jericho turnpike, from Creed avenue to the boundary line of the County of Nassau (a distance, approximately, 6,557 feet), in the Borough of Queens, on Saturday, October 8, 1904, between the hours of 5 o'clock A. M. and 3 o'clock P. M., to which end any and all ordinances regulating the speed of vehicles are hereby suspended, such suspensions to continue, however, only for the day and places on which the privilege herein mentioned and conveyed is exercised; and, provided, further, that the said American Automobile Association furnish all proper police protection over the territory over which the said speed trials are to be conducted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen August 31, 1904.  
Approved by the Mayor September 7, 1904.

No. 541.

Resolved, That it is recommended to the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity that two lamp-posts be erected, street lamps placed thereon and the same lighted in front of the edifice of the Congregation Lubowitz Venezen, No. 169 Henry street, in the Borough of Manhattan.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen August 31, 1904.  
Approved by the Mayor September 7, 1904.

No. 542.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to George D. Kingston to erect and maintain a terrace and retaining-wall within the stoop line in front of his premises on the south side of East One Hundred and Ninety-eighth street, in the Borough of The Bronx, commencing at a point one hundred and seventy-five feet north of Marion avenue and running thence fifty feet in a westerly direction; said terrace and wall to be erected at his own expense, under the direction of the President of the Borough of The Bronx; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen August 31, 1904.  
Approved by the Mayor September 7, 1904.

No. 543.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to William Stock to erect and maintain a retaining-wall five feet in height in front of his premises on the north side of Buchanan place 100 feet east of Grand avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx; the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the President of the Borough of The Bronx; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen August 31, 1904.  
Approved by the Mayor September 7, 1904.

No. 544.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to William Eagan to erect and maintain a 5-foot retaining wall in front of his premises, southeast corner of Elsmere place and Marmion avenue, Borough of The Bronx, the work to be done and material supplied at his own expense under the direction of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen August 31, 1904.  
Approved by the Mayor September 7, 1904.

No. 545.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Water, Gas and Electricity is hereby respectfully requested to place gas-mains and to erect and maintain gas lamps in Twenty-first avenue (or Two Hundred and Thirty-third street), and in Matilda street, in the Borough of The Bronx.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen August 31, 1904.  
Approved by the Mayor September 7, 1904.

No. 546.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Wm. M. Browne to erect a terrace within the stoop line in front of his premises on the north side of Spofford avenue, twenty-eight feet from the easterly line of Barretto street, Borough of The Bronx, the work to be done at his own expense under the direction of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen August 31, 1904.  
Approved by the Mayor September 7, 1904.

No. 547.

Resolved, That it is recommended to the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity that two lamp-posts be erected, street lamps placed thereon and the same lighted, in front of the chapel of the Sisters of St. Francis, No. 415 West Fifty-first street, in the Borough of Manhattan.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen August 31, 1904.  
Approved by the Mayor September 7, 1904.

P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk.

## METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATORY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

Abstract of Registers from Self-recording Instruments for the Week ending August 27, 1904.

Central Park, The City of 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.

### BAROMETER.

DATE.	AUGUST.	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	MEAN FOR THE DAY.	MAXIMUM.		MINIMUM.	
		Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.
Sunday,	21	29.944	29.886	30.036	29.989	30.038	12 P. M.	29.818	0 A. M.
Monday,	22	30.060	29.978	29.964	30.001	30.060	7 A. M.	29.950	6 P. M.
Tuesday,	23	30.130	30.166	30.192	30.163	30.192	9 P. M.	29.974	0 A. M.
Wednesday,	24	30.208	30.136	30.104	30.149	30.208	7 A. M.	30.100	12 P. M.
Thursday,	25	30.050	29.912	29.830	29.931	30.100	0 A. M.	29.800	12 P. M.
Friday,	26	29.848	29.964	30.082	29.965	30.112	12 P. M.	29.754	3 A. M.
Saturday,	27	30.182	30.142	30.106	30.143	30.200	9 A. M.	30.100	6 P. M.

Mean for the week..... 30.049 inches.  
Maximum " at 7 A. M., August 24..... 30.208 "  
Minimum " at 3 A. M., August 26..... 29.754 "  
Range "..... .454 "

### THERMOMETERS.

DATE.	AUGUST.	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	MEAN.	MAXIMUM.		MINIMUM.		MAXIMUM.
		Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Time.	Dry Bulb.	Time.	In Sun.
Sunday,	21	71	66	80	74	71	75.0	69.0	83	4 P. M.
Monday,	22	72	68	84	75	74	78.0	72.3	84	3 P. M.
Tuesday,	23	68	63	74	65	63	70.0	63.0	77	4 P. M.
Wednesday,	24	68	61	77	66	72	72.3	64.6	81	4 P. M.
Thursday,	25	68	64	82	73	75	75.0	69.3	84	3 P. M.
Friday,	26	71	66	70	66	67	67.6	61.0	74	0 A. M.
Saturday,	27	60	55	70	61	65	65.3	59.0	72	3 P. M.

Mean for the week..... 71.9 degrees.  
Maximum " at 3 P. M., August 22..... 84 "  
Minimum " at 5 A. M., August 27..... 55 "  
Range "..... 29 "

### WIND.

DATE.	AUGUST.	DIRECTION.			VELOCITY IN MILES.			FORCE IN POUNDS PER SQUARE FOOT.		
		7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.
Sunday,	21	WNW	NNW	ENE	61	55	19	135	0	0
Monday,	22	ESE	S	SSW	1	38	54	93	0	1
Tuesday,	23	N	N	NNE	82	82	34	198	1	0
Wednesday,	24	NW	NNW	SSW	53	14	34	51	0	0
Thursday,	25	SW	SSW	SSW	58	66	58	182	0	1
Friday,	26	NW	NW	NNW	83	92	56	231	1	0
Saturday,	27	NW	NW	WSW	27	15	18	60	0	0

Distance traveled during the week..... 950 miles.  
Maximum force..... 7 1/4 pounds.

DATE.	AUGUST.	Hygrometer.				Clouds.			Rain and Snow. Ozone.			
		FORCE OF VAPOR.		RELATIVE HUMIDITY.		CLEAR, OVERCAST, 10.			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.	Time of Beginning.	Time of Ending.	Duration.	Amount of Water.
Sunday,	21	.572	.598	.718	.699	75	58	85	72	0	0	0
Monday,	22	.631	.746	.785	.720	80	64	82	75	0	0	0
Tuesday,	23	.509	.497	.509	.505	74	59	74	69	0	0	0
Wednesday,	24	.443	.492	.595	.510	64	53	76	64	0	0	0
Thursday,	25	.543	.690	.704	.645	79	63	81	74	0	0	0
Friday,	26	.572	.385	.399	.452	75	52	72	66	0	0	0
Saturday,	27	.367	.416	.470	.417	71	57	73	67	0	0	0

Total amount of water for the week..... 0.05 inches.  
Duration for the week..... 1 hour.

DATE.	AUGUST.	7 A.M.		2 P.M.	
Sunday,	21	Mild, pleasant.		Warm, pleasant.	
Monday,	22	Close, hazy.		Warm, pleasant breeze.	
Tuesday,	23	Mild, pleasant.		Warm, pleasant.	
Wednesday,	24	Mild, pleasant.		Warm, pleasant.	
Thursday,	25	Warm, pleasant.		Warm, pleasant.	
Friday,	26	Windy, pleasant.		Mild, pleasant.	
Saturday,	27	Cool, pleasant.		Mild, pleasant.	

DANIEL DRAPER, PH. D., Director.

## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

TRANSACTIONS FROM AUGUST 15 TO AUGUST 20, 1904, INCLUSIVE.

New York, August 15, 1904.

Communications received were disposed of as follows:

Filed.

From Municipal Civil Service Commission—Forwarding certified copy of resolution adopted on the 27th ult., suspending paragraph 6, Rule 13, of the regulations of said Commission, and excepting from examination H. de B. Parsons, Consulting Engineer.

From Deputy Commissioner, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens—

1. Transmitting check from William H. Smith, auctioneer, for the sum of \$561.60, net proceeds of sale on the 5th inst. of nine horses no longer fit for service. Forwarded to Secretary of Relief Fund with instructions to deposit to the credit of said fund.

2. Transmitting charges, testimony and findings in matter of trials of members of the uniformed force held in the borough of Brooklyn, as follows:

June 8, 1904.

Fireman first grade Franklin Ferguson, Engine Company 120—"Failure to pay debt." Charge dismissed.

Fireman first grade Joseph F. Campbell, Engine Company 139—"Failure to pay debt." Charge dismissed.

Fireman first grade John Kelly, Engine Company 106—"Failure to pay debt." Charge dismissed.

June 22, 1904.

Fireman first grade Charles Vaughan, Engine Company 107—"Failure to pay debt." Charge dismissed.

July 13, 1904.

Fireman first grade William H. Foster, Engine Company 108, detailed to Engine Company 126—"Absence without leave." Fined ten days' pay.

Engineer of Steamer Joseph F. Holdsworth, Engine Company 122—"Neglect of duty." Reprimanded.

Fireman third grade William J. Hussey, Engine Company 125—"Absence without leave." Reprimanded.

Ununiformed Fireman John J. Madigan, Engine Company 126—"Absence without leave." Charge dismissed.

Engineer of Steamer James Gallagher, Engine Company 144—"Absence without leave." Four charges. Fined one day's pay on each charge. Total fine, four days' pay.

Fireman first grade Thomas Boland, Engine Company 121—"Neglect of duty." On written plea of guilty, fined one day's pay.

Findings approved.

From Chief of Department—

1. Forwarding, disapproved, recommendation of the Chief of Twenty-seventh Battalion that the name of Fireman first grade August Voges, Engine Company 137, be placed on the Roll of Merit, Class E, for saving a child from being run over by a trolley car, at the intersection of Grand and Humboldt streets, Brooklyn, June 6, 1904. Action approved.

2. Forwarding, disapproved, recommendation of the Chief of the Thirty-third Battalion that the name of Assistant Foreman Richard H. Collins, Hook and Ladder Company 69, be placed on the Roll of Merit, Class E, for stopping a runaway horse June 21, 1904, at the southwest corner of Surf avenue and West Tenth street, Coney Island. Action approved.

From Assistant Foreman Henry Meyers, Engine Company 39—Requesting permission on behalf of the officers and members of said company to present a fire hat to Assistant Foreman William H. Roche, Engine Company 31, recently promoted from the first-mentioned company. Approved.

From K. Berenz, German Consul General—Requesting that all desired information be furnished to the Committee of the Fire and Building Departments of the City of Hamburg, Germany, which is to visit this city to study the organization and methods of this Department. Reply communicated.

From Empire City Subway Company, Limited—Reporting that said company has this day set aside for use of City departments, space in electrical subways, as follows:

One 3-inch trunk duct, One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, or Tremont avenue, from the southeast corner of Webster avenue to the southeast corner of Boston road.

One 3-inch trunk duct, One Hundred and Sixty-first street, north side, from the northeast corner of Melrose avenue to the northwest corner of Jerome avenue.

One 3-inch trunk duct, Webster avenue, east side, from the south side of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, or Tremont avenue, to the northeast corner of Olin avenue.

One 3-inch trunk duct, Olin avenue, south side, from the southeast corner of Webster avenue to the southeast corner of White Plains road.

One 3-inch trunk duct, White Plains avenue, from the southeast corner of Olin avenue to the northwest corner of Fifteenth avenue.

One 3-inch trunk duct, Kingsbridge road (Pelham avenue), from the northeast corner of Webster avenue to the northeast corner of Bailey avenue.

One 3-inch trunk duct, Bailey avenue, east side, from the northeast corner of Kingsbridge road (Pelham avenue) to the southeast corner of Two Hundred and Thirtieth street.

Communicated to Chief of Department.

From George H. Duncan—Requesting copy of the annual report of the Department for 1902. Complied with.

From J. G. Gladwin, Fire Marshal, New Haven, Conn.—Requesting copy of the regulations of the Municipal Explosives Commission.

Referred.

From Foreman Engine Company 23—

1. Reporting no iron or other fireproof shutters, premises No. 514 West Fifty-seventh street, and that stairway leading from first floor to cellar, premises No. 404 West Fifty-seventh street, is obstructed by boxes, etc. To Bureau of Buildings.

2. Reporting storage of combustible material in cellar of premises Nos. 400, 404, 406 and 514 West Fifty-seventh street. To Inspector of Combustibles.

From Foreman Hook and Ladder Company 26—Reporting obstructed fire-hydrant in front of premises No. 143 East One Hundred and Fourteenth street. To Bureau for Recovery of Penalties.

From F. E. Ballenger—Concerning the stopping of a runaway horse at Jerome avenue and One Hundred and Eighty-third street on the 5th inst., by Fireman No. 1122 of this Department. To Chief of Department.

From A. I. Voorhis, Cashier, State Bank—Requesting list of engine houses and firemen assigned thereto in the district bounded by the East river, Bowery and Fourteenth street. To Chief of Department.

From Myron E. Pierce—Requesting information concerning this Department. To Chief of Department.

From Degnon Contracting Company—Relative to proposed removal of fire alarm box from southwest corner of Broadway and Forty-second street to the northeast corner. To Chief of Department.

From Anonymous—

1. Complaining of obstructed fire-escapes, premises No. 64 St. Mark's place, and No. 835 East One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, and of no lights in halls, premises No. 1743 Madison avenue. To Tenement House Department.

2. Complaining of dangerous condition of oil stove, premises No. 25 Park row, and of defective flues, premises No. 45 Greenwich avenue. To Fire Marshal.

3. Complaining of sale of kerosene oil without permit by three grocers in Forty-first street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues. To Bureau of Combustibles.

Bills Audited.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS.

Schedule 44 of 1904—

Apparatus, supplies, etc. \$2,493 36

Notices to provide auxiliary fire appliances were signed this day by Deputy Fire Commissioner Thomas W. Churchill, and returned for service to the Bureau of Violations and Auxiliary Fire Appliances, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, as follows: Nos. 35, 37 and 39 Bond street; Nos. 46 and 55 Great Jones street; Nos. 457, 459, 461,

463, 465, 467, 469 and 542 Greenwich street; Nos. 18, 20 and 22 Desbrosses street; Nos. 73 and 75 Watts street; No. 356 Hudson street; No. 140 Sullivan street; No. 206 Spring street; Nos. 520, 524 and 526 Washington street; Nos. 176, 315, 316 and 327 West street; Nos. 400 and 510 West Broadway; Nos. 76 and 78 Varick street.

The Municipal Civil Service Commission was this day requested to grant a non-competitive examination to Assistant Fire Marshal William L. Beers, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, for promotion to the position of Fire Marshal in said boroughs.

Notice of proposed sale at public auction at the Hospital and Training Stables on the 23d inst. of the following horses no longer fit for service in the Department, was this day forwarded for publication in the CITY RECORD: Nos. 524, 647, 702, 712, 816, 1028, 1263, 1299.

New York, August 16, 1904.

Communications received were disposed of as follows:

Filed.

From Mayor's Office—Reports of the Commissioners of Accounts on the examination of the New York Fire Department Life Insurance and Relief Funds, and concerning the making of returns of receipts by the Bureau of Combustibles to the Secretary of said Fund.

From Bureau of Buildings—Acknowledging receipt of complaint concerning frame building in Wyckoff street, borough of Brooklyn.

From Bureau of Highways—Stating that an order was issued to the Atlantic Alcatraz Asphalt Paving Company on the 30th ult., to repair pavement at Nos. 210 and 212 Spring street, reported in a dangerous condition by the Foreman of Engine Company 30. Chief of Department notified.

From Deputy Commissioner, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens—Returning, properly filled out, declaration blank of Robert H. Farrell, appointed Stenographer and Typewriter in this Department, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

From Chief of Department—

1. Forwarding, approved, application of Lineman Michael J. Cosgrove, Fire Alarm Telegraph Branch, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, for a leave of absence for thirty days without pay from 8 A. M. on the 11th inst. Granted.

2. Returning communication from the United States Local Inspectors, Steamboat Inspection Service, concerning work required on the fireboat "Zophar Mills" (Engine 51), and reporting that the same has been completed, that the boat is now in service, and that the United States Local Inspectors have been notified.

3. Reporting that he is in receipt of a report from the commanding officer of Engine Company 55, calling attention to defective double hydrants on southwest corner Elm and Broome streets, and in front of No. 200 Grand street, and recommending that the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity be requested to place same in proper condition. Recommendation approved and communicated to said Department.

From Chief of Battalion in charge of Hospital and Training Stables—Recommending the sale at public auction of the following horses no longer fit for the service: Nos. 524, 647, 702, 712, 816, 1028, 1263 and 1299. Recommendation approved and sale at public auction ordered on the 23d inst. at noon.

From Bureau of Violations and Auxiliary Fire Appliances—Returning request of Hert's & Tallant, for an inspection of standpipes and perforated pipe system installed at Daly's Theatre, and reporting that the requirements of this Department in said matter have been complied with in said theatre. Said firm notified.

From Superintendent of Buildings—Returning communication from Allen C. Rowe, contractor for completing alterations to quarters of Hook and Ladder Company 18, abandoned by Robert R. Fox, for the payment to him of the difference between the amount of the Fox contract and that of his own, being the sum of \$3,515, reporting adversely thereon and recommending that the matter be submitted for the opinion of the Corporation Counsel. Approved and communicated to Corporation Counsel.

From Foreman Hook and Ladder Company 7—Requesting permission, on behalf of the officers and members of said company, to present a trumpet to Captain James J. Convey, recently promoted. Approved.

From Assistant Foreman Hook and Ladder Company 26—Reporting new horse on trial suitable for the service.

From J. S. Appel—Relative to lack of fire escapes on tenement house, the total number of which is not given. Notified to communicate with the Bureau of Buildings, giving number of building.

Referred.

From Foreman Engine Company 1—Reporting no fire escapes, premises Nos. 158 to 164 West Twenty-seventh street. To Bureau of Buildings.

From Foreman Engine Company 16—Reporting chimney fire on 13th inst. premises No. 316 East Twenty-fifth street. To Inspector of Combustibles.

From Foreman Engine Company 60—Reporting chimney fire on 13th inst., premises No. 718 East One Hundred and Forty-fourth street. To Inspector of Combustibles.

From E. W. Bloomingdale—Requesting a thorough inspection of the House of Refuge relative to requirements in the matter of fire protection equipment. To Bureau of Violations and Auxiliary Fire Appliances.

From Henry E. Hess, manager, New York Fire Insurance Exchange—Requesting to be advised whether fire appliances installed in premises Nos. 594 and 596 Broadway, Nos. 124 to 130 Crosby street, No. 1 West Sixteenth street, Nos. 110 and 112 Fifth avenue, comply with the requirements of this Department. To Bureau of Violations and Auxiliary Fire Appliances.

From Paul F. Delanoise—Requesting copy of assignment book. To Chief of Department.

From Anonymous—

1. Complaining of obstructed fire escapes, premises No. 322 East Sixth street. To Tenement House Department.

2. Complaining of conditions existing in premises No. 419 West Fifty-fourth street. To Inspector of Combustibles.

Bills Audited.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS.

Schedule 45 of 1904—

Apparatus, supplies, etc. \$3,039 65

Expenditures Authorized.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

Making over mattresses and pillows. \$67 00

Steamfitting new Repair Shops building. 72 00

Notices to provide auxiliary fire appliances were signed this day by Deputy and Acting Fire Commissioner Thomas W. Churchill, and returned for service to the Bureau of Violations and Auxiliary Fire Appliances, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, as follows: Nos. 65, 81, 90 and 92, 120 Columbia street; Nos. 2, 4 and 6 East Broadway; No. 2 James street, No. 115 Lewis street, No. 14 New Chambers street, No. 9 Duane street, Nos. 66 and 68 Sheriff street, No. 197 South street, Nos. 312 and 314 East Twenty-second street, Nos. 106 and 108, 124 and 126 East Twenty-third street; Nos. 135 and 137 Third avenue.

The following contracts, having been duly executed in accordance with the provisions of law, were this day forwarded to the Department of Finance for filing therein:

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

Samuel Lewis, No. 126 Pearl street, Manhattan, dated August 9, 1904, for furnishing general supplies, amounting to \$2,228.10.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS.

Windsor Fire Appliance Company, Fifth avenue and Forty-seventh street, dated August 9, 1904, for furnishing 9,000 feet of rubber fire-hose, \$7,574.

F. Donovan & Son, No. 540 Union street, Brooklyn, dated August 2, 1904, for furnishing forage, \$17,102.

Samuel Lewis, No. 126 Pearl street, Manhattan, dated August 9, 1904, for furnishing general supplies, \$1,053.39.

Application of Allen C. Rowe for the payment to him of the difference between the amount of the contract of Robert R. Fox, for alterations and additions to quarters of

Hook and Ladder Company 18 (\$8,100), and that of his own for the completion of contract abandoned by Fox (\$4,585), being the sum of \$3,515, was this day forwarded to the Corporation Counsel accompanied by statement of facts, for advice as to the action proper to be taken by the Commissioner in the matter.

New York, August 17, 1904

Communications received were disposed of as follows:

Filed.

From Department of Finance—

1. Stating that the Comptroller's certificate has been indorsed upon the contract of the Huncke Sponge Company, dated August 8, 1904, for furnishing sponges for use in the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, and upon that of Frederick Pearce, dated August 9, 1904, for furnishing supplies for use in the boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, and that the same are now valid contracts. Deputy Commissioner, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, notified in regard to last-mentioned contract.

2. Transmitting indemnity bond of Selchow & Richter for the use and keeping of explosives for blasting purposes, with approval of the sureties thereon. Bond filed in the Bureau of Combustibles.

From Police Department—Transmitting copy of communication received by said Department from Charles F. Roberts, M.D., Sanitary Superintendent, Department of Health, relative to communication received from this Department dated August 5, 1904, forwarding report of Assistant Foreman John H. Link of violations of the building law at Chinese Opera House, Nos. 7 and 9 Doyers street. Copy forwarded to Chief of Department and Chief of Battalion in charge of Bureau of Violations and Auxiliary Fire Appliances.

From Tenement House Department—

1. Acknowledging receipt of communication of the 15th inst. inclosing complaints of violations of the Tenement House Laws.

2. Transmitting anonymous complaint in regard to erection, without permit, of shop, southeast corner of Second avenue and One Hundred and Third street. Copy of complaint forwarded to Bureau of Buildings.

From Chief of Department—

1. Returning, with report, communication from Kenneth D. Robinson concerning condition of concrete in front of premises Nos. 413 and 415 West Seventeenth street, caused as alleged by the Firemen of Engine Company 3, in the adjoining premises throwing heavy hose nozzles on the sidewalk. Communicated to Mr. Robinson.

2. Returning, with report of the Electrical Engineer, Fire Alarm Telegraph Branch, communication from Edward J. Powers, President, Union Hose Company 8, West New Brighton, Staten Island, concerning failure to receive a supply of tape for fire alarm boxes. Communicated to Mr. Powers.

3. Forwarding, for the attention of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, report of the Foreman of Hook and Ladder Company 26, concerning hydrants in company district which cannot be used by reason of street pavement being torn up for asphaltizing purposes. Communicated to President, Borough of Manhattan.

From Acting Assistant Fire Marshal in charge, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens—Reporting 65 fires week ending the 13th inst.

From Bureau of Violations and Auxiliary Fire Appliances—Reporting, for the information of Henry E. Hess, Manager, New York Fire Insurance Exchange, that the stand-pipe equipment in building in course of erection at Nos. 1242 to 1248 Broadway does not comply with existing laws or requirements of this Department. Mr. Hess notified.

From Superintendent of Buildings—

1. Furnishing, in reply to request of the Engineer of Surface Construction, Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, list of additional apparatus buildings not lighted in 1903 for which provision will be necessary for the year 1905. Communicated to said Department.

2. Recommending that the electric plant in Fire Department Headquarters building be operated as large a part of the day as possible with the force at present employed, that the officer in charge of the building be directed to have the plant started and that should there be anything required in the way of repairs that he be directed to report at once to said Superintendent. Officer in charge of Headquarters building notified to confer with Superintendent of Buildings on the subject.

From Henry Meyers, Assistant Foreman Engine Company 39—Requesting permission, on behalf of the officers and members of said Company, to present a token of esteem to Foreman Edward J. Levy of said Company on the completion of his twenty years' active service in the Department. Approved.

From Foreman Engine Company 141—Requesting permission, on behalf of the officers and members of said Company, to present a loving cup to Foreman John W. Hall, recently promoted from said Company. Granted.

Referred.

From Department of Finance—Transmitting bill for \$63.30 in favor of Title Guarantee and Trust Company for examination of title to property south side of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, west of Lenox avenue. To Bookkeeper.

From Police Department—Requesting inspection of premises Nos. 46 and 48 Bowery, known as Thalia Theatre. To Chief of Department.

From Samuel Zipris—Relative to claim of \$221 against Fireman John F. Higgins. To Chief of Department.

From Pasquale Farengo—Relative to bill of \$43.26 against Fireman James J. Horan. To Chief of Department.

From John J. Gately—Concerning claims of John J. Kelly and Max Schmitt against Fireman Thomas Duggan, Hook and Ladder Company 22. To Chief of Department.

From A. Sebastian, auctioneer—Inclosing account sales and check for \$284.02, net proceeds of condemned hose and other property, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, sold at public auction on the 16th inst. To Secretary of Relief Fund, with directions to deposit to credit of said fund.

From Henry E. Hess, manager, New York Fire Insurance Exchange—Inquiring whether fire appliances installed in premises Nos. 26 to 32 Barclay street, Nos. 35 and 37 West Thirty-first street, and No. 7 West Thirty-eighth street are satisfactory to this Department. To Bureau of Violations and Auxiliary Fire Appliances.

From Anonymous—

1. Complaining of obstructed fire escapes, premises Ninety-third street, between First and Second avenues, and of no lights in halls, premises No. 110 East One Hundred and Second street, and No. 507 West One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street. To Tenement House Department.

2. Complaining of the sale of kerosene oil without permit, premises No. 34 Stanton street. To Inspector of Combustibles.

3. Concerning dangerous conditions existing in premises No. 163 West Forty-eighth street. To Fire Marshal.

Bills Audited.

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

Schedule 21 of 1904—

Maintenance and Extension of Fire Alarm System in the borough of Queens, including apparatus, etc., for volunteer companies.... \$784 49

Expenditures Authorized.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

Feather dusters ..... \$485 00

Steamfitting, quarters Engine Company 31..... 978 00

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS.

Rubber hose ..... \$200 00

Ceiling springs ..... 476 00

150 carriage dusters..... 290 00

6 50-foot extension ladders..... 447 00

6 hose hoisters..... 35 40

Disinfectant ..... 294 00

Notices to provide auxiliary fire appliances were signed this day by Deputy and Acting Fire Commissioner Churchill, and returned for service to the Bureau of Violations and Auxiliary Fire Appliances, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, as follows:

Nos. 3 and 5 West Eighth street, Nos. 17 and 65 East Eleventh street, Nos. 12, 18 to 22 and 126 and 128 Fifth avenue, No. 1 East Fourteenth street, No. 2 East Fifteenth street, Nos. 31 to 35 West Fifteenth street, No. 15 East Seventeenth street, No. 41 West Seventeenth street (through to No. 38 West Eighteenth street), Nos. 226, 228 and 368 Sixth avenue (through to Nos. 74 and 76 West Twenty-third street), No. 58 West Twenty-second street, No. 19 Union Square, No. 36 West Washington square, No. 103 Waverly place.

Appointed.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS.

Probationary Fireman Wm. F. Siegloch to fourth grade Fireman, with salary of \$800 per annum, to take effect from the 18th inst.

The Corporation Counsel was this day requested to advise the Commissioner as to his power to grant a rehearing in the case of former Stoker William P. Chidwick, Engine Company 57 (fire-boat "The New Yorker"), dismissed October 10, 1903, on charges of failing to report for duty when ordered by the Medical Officers and absence without leave.

Advertisement inviting proposals for the erection of a new building for Engine Company 7 and Hook and Ladder Company 1, for the plumbing, gas, electric and heating systems therefor, and for repairs to quarters of Engine Companies 44 and 50, was this day forwarded for publication in the CITY RECORD.

New York, August 18, 1904.

Trials.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

Trials of members of the uniformed force were held this day before Deputy and Acting Commissioner Thomas W. Churchill, and disposed of as follows:

Fireman first grade William J. Tully, Hook and Ladder Company 16, for "Violation section 190, Rules and Regulations." Decision reserved.

Fireman third grade Edward J. Reilly, Engine Company 26, for "Neglect of duty." Found guilty, fined one day's pay and cautioned.

Fireman third grade Charles J. Smyth, Jr., Hook and Ladder Company 18, for "Absence without leave" and "Neglect of duty." Found guilty and fined one day's pay on each charge; two days' pay in all.

Fireman first grade John S. Hannan, Hook and Ladder Company 10, for "Violation section 190, Rules and Regulations" (two charges). Decision reserved pending settlement of claim.

Communications received were disposed of as follows:

Filed.

From Department of Finance—

1. Stating that the Comptroller's certificate has been indorsed upon the contract of the United States Trading Company, dated August 9, 1904, for furnishing supplies, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, and upon the contracts of the Windsor Fire Appliance Company, dated August 9, 1904, and F. Donovan & Son, dated August 10, 1904, for furnishing, respectively, hose and forage for use in the boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens. Deputy Commissioner, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, notified in regard to last two contracts.

2. Transmitting bill, in triplicate, for the sum of \$63.30, in favor of Title Guarantee and Trust Company, for examination of title to property on One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, west of Lenox avenue, and requesting that voucher in payment thereof be forwarded. Complied with.

From Municipal Civil Service Commission—Relative to the application for examination of Assistant Fire Marshal William L. Beers, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, for promotion to the position of Fire Marshal in said boroughs, and stating that the matter will be placed before the Commission at its next meeting.

From Bureau of Buildings—Acknowledging receipt of communication of the 15th inst., inclosing reports of violations of the Building Code.

From Fireman first grade John J. Price, Engine Company 17—

1. Applying for retirement on half pay after more than twenty years' service. Granted, to take effect September 1.

2. Applying for fourteen days' leave of absence with pay, from 8 A. M. on the 18th inst. Granted.

From Fireman first grade John A. Marx, Engine Company 47—

1. Applying for retirement on half pay after more than twenty years' service. Granted, to take effect September 1.

2. Applying for seven days' leave of absence from 8 A. M. on the 25th inst. Granted.

From Engineer of Steamer Francis Curran, Engine Company 123—Applying for retirement on half pay after more than twenty years' service. Granted, to take effect at 8 A. M. on the 21st inst.

From Thomas F. Aram, Clerk—Applying for a promotion examination for fourth grade clerkship. Approved and communicated to Municipal Civil Service Commission.

From Herman F. Lippe and Brother, Contractors—Requesting extension of time to August 25, 1904, on their contract dated March 26, 1903, for the erection of new building on the easterly side of East Eighth street, 175 feet south of East avenue, borough of Queens, for Engine Company 158 and Hook and Ladder Company 65. Approved, and extension of time granted to August 25, 1904.

From George L. Maurer—Concerning examination for Fireman. Reply communicated.

From Bishop Hathaway—Requesting copy of the last annual report. Complied with.

Referred.

From Department of Health—Concerning dangerous conditions existing in premises No. 200 Varick street. To Inspector of Combustibles for report.

From Foreman Engine Company 23—Reporting storage of combustible material in cellar of premises No. 310 West Fifty-ninth street. To Inspector of Combustibles.

From Foreman Engine Company 24—Reporting defective fire escapes, premises No. 285 Bleeker street. To Tenement House Department.

From Empire City Subway Company, Limited—Reporting broken cable in man-hole, southwest corner of Seventh avenue and Eighteenth street. To Chief of Department.

From H. Kaiser—Complaining of dangerous conditions existing in premises No. 924 Eighth avenue. To Fire Marshal.

From Mrs. Kanel—Complaining of defective flue, premises No. 922 Ninth avenue. To Fire Marshal.

From H. J. Heinz—Concerning order to provide fire appliances in premises No. 206 Spring street. To Bureau of Violations and Auxiliary Fire Appliances.

From Anonymous—Complaining of violations of the Tenement House Laws, premises No. 38 Oliver street, No. 514 West Twenty-seventh street, No. 426 East Seventy-second street and No. 774 Prospect avenue. To Tenement House Department.

Appointed.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

Probationary Fireman John H. Geedes as fourth grade Fireman, with salary of \$800 per annum, to take effect from the 19th inst.

The Corporation Counsel was this day requested to advise the Department concerning the construction to be placed upon the words "Permanently bettering and equipping public buildings" in chapter 409, Laws of 1904, amending section 47 of the Greater New York Charter.

The Municipal Civil Service Commission was this day requested to fix a date for the examination of fourth grade Clerk Elmer E. Kinney for promotion to fifth grade; also of first grade Clerk Thomas F. Aram for promotion to fourth grade.

The Comptroller was this day requested to place at the disposal of the Relief Fund the sum of \$25,000 from the excise moneys, pending the readjustment of the fund, the amount being necessary to meet pensions due September 1, 1904.

New York, August 19, 1904.

Communications received were disposed of as follows:

Filed.

From Department of Finance—Stating that the Comptroller's certificate has been indorsed upon the contracts of Samuel Lewis (two in number) each dated August 9, 1904, for furnishing supplies for use, respectively, in the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx and the boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens. Deputy Commissioner of said boroughs notified in regard to last mentioned contract.

From Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Bureau of Lamps and Gas—Granting permission to alter lamp-post, northeast corner of Eighth avenue and One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, to a combination fire-alarm signal and lamp-post. Copy forwarded to Chief of Department.

From Commissioner of Public Works—Relative to request of this Department, forwarded to the President of the borough of Manhattan, that One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, between Amsterdam avenue and Hamilton place, be paved, and stating the necessary steps to be taken in order to accomplish the object in view. Copy forwarded to Chief of Department.

From Chief of Department—

1. Respecting request of the Police Department for an inspection of premises Nos. 114-116 West Sixty-fifth street, known as the Comedy Theatre, and reporting the requirements of this Department relative to such places complied with thereat. Police Department notified.

2. Returning, with inclosures, communication from the President of the borough of The Bronx relative to the placing of hydrants around municipal building in said borough, with the information that the Deputy Chief of Department, Fifth Division, has made, as requested, a recommendation to the Chief Engineer of said borough as to the proper location for hydrants. President, borough of The Bronx notified.

3. Forwarding report of Assistant Foreman Hook and Ladder Company 26 relative to hydrants in company district which cannot be used by reason of the street pavement being torn up for the purpose of asphaltting same, and recommending that the same be communicated to the President of the borough of Manhattan. Recommendation approved.

4. Returning, with information desired, communication from A. I. Voorhis, Manager, State Bank, requesting certain information concerning the number and location of engine houses and the number of Firemen assigned thereto in the district bounded by the East river, Bowery and Fourteenth street. Mr. Voorhis notified.

From Bureau of Violations and Auxiliary Fire Appliances—Returning, with reports, communications from Henry E. Hess, Manager, New York Fire Insurance Exchange, inquiring whether fire appliances installed in the following premises are satisfactory to this Department, to wit: Nos. 26-32 Barclay street, No. 1 West Sixteenth street, Nos. 110-112 Fifth avenue, Nos. 35-37 West Thirty-first street, No. 7 West Thirty-eighth street, Nos. 594-596 Broadway, Nos. 128-130 Crosby street. Communicated to Mr. Hess.

From Superintendent of Buildings—Forwarding, approved, application of fourth grade Clerk Elmer E. Kinney for examination for promotion to fifth grade clerkship. Approved. Municipal Civil Service Commission requested to hold examination.

From Chief of Seventh Battalion—Relative to his application for thirty days' leave of absence, with permission to leave the City on account of ill health.

From Foreman Engine Company 161—Reporting recovery of fire alarm box key No. 1551, heretofore lost by Fireman first grade James Flynn of his command.

From C. F. Byrd, Chief Engineer, Flushing Fire Department—In relation to committee appointed by various companies of the Flushing Fire Department to call upon the Commissioner in regard to the building of extensions to several of their apparatus houses. Reply communicated.

From Eugene L. Lentillon, Secretary, Taxpayers' Protective Association, Far Rockaway, N. Y.—Relative to a matter affecting the Fire Department of said place. Reply communicated.

From Windsor Fire Appliance Company—Acknowledging receipt of copy of contract for furnishing 9,000 feet of rubber hose, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

From Edward Mehling—Acknowledging receipt of copy of opinion of the Corporation Counsel in the matter of the claim of Mrs. Dorothea Beauman for a pension.

Referred.

From Bureau of Violations and Auxiliary Fire Appliances—Reporting compliance with order to provide fire appliances, premises Nos. 13-15 West Twentieth street. To Bureau for Recovery of Penalties.

From Rockaway Beach Taxpayers' Association—Requesting that the engine of Atlantic Engine Company of said place, sent to Brooklyn Repair Shops for repair, be placed in proper condition and returned. To Deputy Commissioner, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, for proper attention and report.

From John E. Fox—Requesting the transfer to his former company of an officer of the uniformed force, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens. To Deputy Commissioner, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

From George F. Reid—Relative to the matter of appointment to the uniformed force. Reply communicated.

From Odle J. Whitlock—Inquiring whether insurance to which relatives of deceased Foreman John J. Cooney were entitled at the time of his death, March 23, 1903, has been paid. Reply communicated. To Secretary of Relief Fund.

From Henry E. Hess, Manager, New York Fire Insurance Exchange—Requesting to be advised whether fire appliances installed in premises Nos. 656-658 Broadway and Nos. 112-116 West Eighty-ninth street are satisfactory to this Department. To Bureau of Violations and Auxiliary Fire Appliances.

From Elisha Lanihan—Relative to the storage of lumber and empty boxes in lot of rear of premises No. 37 King street. To Inspector of Combustibles.

From Irving E. Dobb—Relative to conduct of certain alleged members of the uniformed force on Sixth Avenue Elevated Railroad train on the evening of the 15th inst. To Chief of Department.

From F. W. Peevey, Secretary, Exempt Firemen's Sons' Benevolent Fund Association—Requesting that three pieces of old hose be donated to said company for use on apparatus on occasions of parade. To Chief of Department.

From New York Confectionery Company—Stating that order to provide fire appliances, premises Nos. 76-78 Varick street, has been complied with. To Bureau of Violations and Auxiliary Fire Appliances.

From Anonymous—

1. Complaining of violations of the Tenement House Laws, premises Nos. 128-130 Allen street, No. 530 East Twelfth street. To Tenement House Department.

2. Relative to the storage of rags, premises No. 176 Rivington street. To Tenement House Department. Inspector of Combustibles notified.

3. Relative to conditions alleged to exist in Engine Company 53. To Chief of Department.

4. Relative to dangerous conditions in premises No. 50 Ridge street. To Fire Marshal.

Bills Audited.

#### BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

Schedule 237 of 1904—

Fire Alarm Fund for Sites, Buildings and Telegraph System..... \$676 00

#### BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS.

Schedule 113 of 1904—

Fire Department Fund for Sites and Buildings..... \$10,552 50

#### Expenditures Authorized.

#### BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

Electric wiring, quarters Engine Companies 41 and 43..... \$67 00  
Painting, quarters Engine Company 57..... 690 00  
Painting, quarters Engine Company 60..... 59 00

#### Decisions.

Decisions in cases tried before Deputy Commissioner Churchill June 23, 1904, and decision reserved, were this day rendered as follows:

Engineer of Steamer Hugh T. Dunn, Engine Company 16 (detailed to Engine Company 21) for neglect of duty. Found guilty and fined three days' pay.

Engineer of Steamer Vincent Byrne, Engine Company 16. For neglect of duty. Found guilty and fined one day's pay.

#### Retired on Half Pay.

#### BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

On own application after more than twenty years' service; to take effect September 1, 1904.

Fireman first grade John J. Price, Engine Company 17, and John A. Marx, Engine Company 47.

#### BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS.

Engineer of Steamer Francis Curran, Engine Company 103, to take effect August 21, 1904.

New York, August 20, 1904.

Communications received were disposed of as follows:

Filed.

From Mayor's Office—Transmitting communication from Leonhard Felix Fuld, requesting copy of rules and regulations, of last annual report, and also the issuance to him of a fire line badge. Reply communicated. Mayor's Office notified.

From Tenement House Department—

1. Acknowledging receipt of communication of the 16th and 17th inst., inclosing complaints of violations of the Tenement House Laws.

2. Transmitting anonymous complaint of dangerous conditions existing in premises No. 420 East Fifteenth street. Copy of complaint forwarded to Fire Marshal.

3. Forwarding complaint of storage of naphtha in cellar of premises No. 420 East One Hundred and Twenty-third street. Copy of complaint forwarded to Inspector of Combustibles.

From Bureau of Buildings—Acknowledging receipt of communication of the 17th inst., forwarding complaint of the erection of shop without permit, southeast corner Second avenue and One Hundred and Third street.

From Chief of Department—Forwarding report of the Chief of Second Battalion, relative to meritorious action of members of the uniformed force at fire in premises No. 5 Howard street on the 15th inst., and approving the recommendation therein contained that the name of Fireman first grade Timothy Driscoll, Engine Company 55, be placed on the roll of merit at personal risk, class B, and disapproving the recommendation relative to the placing of the name of Foreman Bartow J. Galvin, Hook and Ladder Company 8 on roll of merit, class D. Action approved.

From Superintendent of Buildings—

1. Returning communication of Jacob F. Oberle, relative to the sum of \$12.20 alleged to be due him for plumbing work, quarters of Engine Companies 13 and 17, and stating that the records do not show the issuance of orders for the work alleged to be done. Mr. Oberle notified.

2. Forwarding requisition for additional electric light work at new buildings in process of construction on Spring street (\$249), One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street (\$197), and One Hundred and Forty-third street (\$197), and stating that the cost should be charged to the buildings as an extra under Clause BB of the respective contracts. Recommendation approved.

From Cornelius Douglas, Jr.—Requesting application blank for membership in the uniformed force. Reply communicated.

From George Bech, Acting Consul, Consulate of Denmark in this City—Introducing Mr. Tronier, an insurance director of Denmark, and requesting that he be allowed the privilege of examining the fire apparatus of the Department. Reply communicated.

From American Surety Company—Requesting to be informed whether contract of John F. Schmaderer for furnishing 750 tons of coal for fire-boats, Manhattan and The Bronx, for the faithful performance of which they executed a bond on March 25 last, has been completed. Reply communicated.

Referred.

From Foreman Engine Company 60—Reporting the storage of turpentine, oil, etc., in premises No. 591 Southern Boulevard. To Inspector of Combustibles.

From New York Telephone Company—Relative to the abandonment of pole line, Amsterdam avenue, between One Hundred and Fifty-second and One Hundred and Fifty-fifth streets, poles 3 to 9, inclusive. To Chief of Department.

From Henry E. Hess, Manager, New York Fire Insurance Exchange—Requesting to be advised if fire appliances installed in premises No. 140 Fifth avenue and Nos. 2 to 6 West Nineteenth street meet the requirements of this Department. To Bureau of Violations and Auxiliary Fire Appliances.

From Andrew Jarvis—Complaining of obstructed fire escapes, premises Nos. 418 and 420 West Seventeenth street. To Tenement House Department.

From Mrs. E. Murray—Forwarding complaint relative to a member of the uniformed force. To Chief of Department.

#### Expenditures Authorized.

#### BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

Furniture, etc., quarters of Engine Company 79..... \$380 00  
Electric wiring, new quarters of Engine Company 30, and for new apparatus houses in Spring, One Hundred and Thirty-ninth and One Hundred and Forty-third streets..... 643 00

#### BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

Small supplies for volunteer companies..... \$100 00

#### Appointed.

#### BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

Probationary Fireman Frederick W. Clausen as fourth grade Fireman, with salary of \$800 per annum, to take effect from 21st inst.

The following contracts having been duly executed in accordance with law were this day forwarded to the Department of Finance for filing therein:

#### BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

George Worthington, No. 40 Warren street, Manhattan, dated August 9, 1904, for furnishing general supplies, \$1,527.

#### BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

George N. Reinhardt, No. 697 East One Hundred and Sixty-second street, dated August 9, 1904, for furnishing forage, \$5,364.

#### BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS.

George Worthington, No. 40 Warren street, dated August 9, 1904, for furnishing general supplies, \$1,141.70.

Contract for general supplies, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, based upon proposals received at public letting held in this Department on the 18th inst., was this day awarded to the United States Trading Company, No. 111 Reade street, Manhattan, as follows:

Class A..... \$1,561 76  
Class B..... 155 87  
Total ..... \$1,717 63

—and the proposal forwarded to the Comptroller for action on the sureties.

#### BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS.

Communications received were disposed of as follows:

Filed.

From Assistant Fire Marshal in Charge—Report of fires for week ending 13th inst.

From Gustav Gebhardt, Secretary, Order of Prosperity—Requesting detail of Fireman to fair. Complied with.

From Superintendent Manhattan Fire Alarm Company—Reporting permanent disconnection of auxiliary to box 4-122, Underland & Co., Vernon avenue, Long Island City.

From Peale, Peacock & Kerr—Stating that complaint has been filed with the Corporation Counsel against The City of New York to the amount of \$13.20 for damage done by fire-boat "David A. Booddy" to hawsers of coal barge "Jack."

From John J. Butler—Requesting that fire alarm box be located at Nineteenth avenue and Sixty-ninth street. Notified that same will soon be installed.

Referred.

From commanding officers of companies, reporting chimney fires as follows:

Foreman Engine Company 133—No. 2208 Fulton street.

Assistant Foreman Hook and Ladder Company 60—No. 157 Livingston street. To Bureau of Combustibles.

ALFRED M. DOWNES, Secretary.

## 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 31, 1904 (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 23, 1904.....	1,316
Incumbrances seized during the week.....	29
	<u>1,345</u>
Incumbrances redeemed and released.....	130
	<u>1,215</u>

## Moneys

transmitted to City Chamberlain as follows:

For redemption of incumbrances, week ending July 2, 1904.....	\$161 20
For privilege of trimming scows, week ending July 10, 1904.....	<u>1,155 56</u>

## Bills and Pay-rolls

transmitted to Comptroller as follows:

Schedule No. 200—	
J. H. Timmerman (City Paymaster), wages of Firemen, etc., week ending July 24, 1904.....	<u>\$90 65</u>
Schedule No. 202—	
J. H. Timmerman (City Paymaster), wages of Sweepers, etc., week ending July 28, 1904.....	<u>\$30,173 13</u>
Schedule No. 203—	
J. H. Timmerman (City Paymaster), wages of Department Cart Drivers, week ending July 28, 1904.....	<u>\$13,291 64</u>
Schedule No. 198—	
Sundry items amounting to.....	<u>\$29,041 28</u>
Schedule No. 199—	
Sundry items amounting to.....	<u>\$100 00</u>
Schedule No. 201—	
Sundry items amounting to.....	<u>\$884 60</u>

Number of Loads of Material Collected during the Week ending July 31, 1904 (July 25 to 31, inclusive).

	CART LOADS ASHES.	CART LOADS RUBBISH.	CART LOADS GARBAGE.	CART LOADS, TOTAL.
Department carts.....	15,197.21	4,119.25	5,327.75	24,644.21
Permit carts.....	6,615.75	1,108.00	286.00	8,009.75
Total.....	<u>21,812.96</u>	<u>5,227.25</u>	<u>5,613.75</u>	<u>32,653.96</u>

## BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

## Moneys

transmitted to the City Chamberlain as follows:

For privilege of trimming scows, week ending July 10, 1904.....	\$35 00
For redemption of incumbrances, week ending June 25, 1904.....	29 30
For redemption of incumbrances, week ending July 2, 1904.....	<u>2 00</u>

## Bills and Pay-rolls

transmitted to Comptroller as follows:

Schedule No. 150—	
Sundry items amounting to.....	<u>\$564 23</u>
Schedule No. 151—	
Sundry items amounting to.....	<u>\$1,512 59</u>
Schedule No. 152—	
J. H. Timmerman (City Paymaster), wages of hired trucks, week ending July 28, 1904.....	<u>\$24 00</u>
Schedule No. 153—	
J. H. Timmerman (City Paymaster), wages of Sweepers, etc., week ending July 28, 1904.....	<u>\$12,432 92</u>
Schedule No. 154—	
J. H. Timmerman (City Paymaster), wages of Department Cart Drivers, week ending July 28, 1904.....	<u>\$7,025 22</u>

Number of Loads of Material Collected during the Week ending July 31, 1904 (July 25 to 31, inclusive).

Ashes.....	5,122 1/2
Paper and rubbish ..	2,006
Permit ashes.....	856
Total.....	<u>7,984 1/2</u>

JOHN MCG. WOODBURY, Commissioner.

## BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

## LOCAL BOARD—STATEN ISLAND DISTRICT.

Meeting, August 31, 1904, 10.30 A. M.

Present—Aldermen Collins and Shea, and the Commissioner of Public Works, presiding.

The minutes of the meeting of June 21 were approved.

Petitions 479, 480.

To grade and macadamize Lisk avenue, Ward 3; to lay out streets. First hearing. Referred to the Commissioner of Public Works.

Petition 487.

To open, grade and pave Quinlan avenue, Far View Heights, Ward 2. First hearing. Referred to the Commissioner of Public Works.

## Amendment of Map.

The Commissioner of Public Works presented a map showing corrections in the official grade of certain streets in Prohibition Park, Ward 1 (Westerleigh street improvements). No objection was made.

## Street Layout, Ward 1.

To place on the map or plan of The City of New York a street layout in a district bounded by Brighton avenue, Jersey street, Richmond turnpike, Woodstock avenue and Glen avenue, including First avenue, Hudson street, Pine street, etc., for the purpose, primarily, of establishing grades and obtaining right of way in order to extend and rectify the sewer system in connection with the Arrietta brook sewer.

Second hearing. The Board was addressed by Mr. Otto Delevie, for the A. D. Irving estate; Mr. Percy R. King, for the Goodhue property; Mr. Cornelius G. Kolff, Mr. Emil Kipper and Mr. Lawrence W. Widdecombe, for the Dejonge interests, and, on motion by Alderman Collins, the matter was laid over to the next meeting.

## Arrochar Watershed, Ward 4.

To construct a proper and effective sewer system in the section known as Sewer District No. 6A. Second hearing. The Commissioner of Public Works read a resolution adopted by the Board of Health of the Department of Health of The City of New York, requesting the President of the Borough of Richmond to take action, and explained his plan for constructing the necessary sewers. The Board was addressed by Mr. David Marsh, Mr. George O. Lord and Mr. Cornelius G. Kolff for Colonel W. W. MacFarland, and, on motion by Alderman Collins, the matter was laid over to the next meeting.

## Petition 483, Resolution 23.

To curb, gutter and flag Hatfield avenue, between Richmond avenue and Nicholas avenue, Ward 3. First hearing. The following resolution was moved by Alderman Shea, and was adopted:

Whereas A petition for a local improvement described below has been received by the President of the Borough of Richmond; and

Whereas, He has appointed a time for a meeting of the Local Board not more than fifteen days after the receipt by him of the said petition, at which meeting the said petition would be submitted by him to the said Local Board, and he has caused a notice to be published in the CITY RECORD that said petition has been presented to him and is on file in his office for inspection, and of the time when and the place where there would be a meeting of this Local Board, at which the said petition would be submitted by him to the said Board, which time was not less than ten days after the publication of this notice; and

Whereas, The said petition was duly submitted thereafter to the said Local Board, which did duly consider the same and give a full hearing thereon; now therefore it is

Resolved, by the Local Board of the Staten Island District, pursuant to titles 2 and 3 of chapter 10 of the Greater New York Charter, That the said petition be and the same hereby is granted; and it is hereby

Resolved, That this Board does hereby initiate proceedings for the said local improvements, to wit:

To set curbs and to lay gutters and to flag the sidewalks in front of the properties taxed as Lots Nos. 643, 651 and 655 in Block 48; Lots Nos. 659, 660, 661 and 664 in Block 49; Lots Nos. 695, 692 and 686 in Block 50; Lots Nos. 721, 717 and 715 in Block 51; Lots Nos. 752 and 743 in Block 53; Lots Nos. 766 and 762 in Block 54; Lots Nos. 787, 786 and 778 in Block 55, and Lot No. 796 in Block 56, in Hatfield avenue, between Richmond avenue and Nicholas avenue, in the Third Ward of the Borough of Richmond; and to do such other work as may be necessary to the completion of the work described.

And it is hereby

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for its approval.

Affirmative—Alderman Collins, Alderman Shea, the Commissioner of Public Works (presiding).

Negative—None.

## Petition 478.

To grade and lay a sewer in Cebra avenue, Ward 1. First hearing. Referred to the Commissioner of Public Works.

## Street Layout, Ward 4.

To place on the map or plan of The City of New York a street layout to include Sea View avenue and other streets. Second hearing. The Commissioner of Public Works stated that his revised map was not yet ready.

## Street Layout, Ward 1.

To place on the map or plan of The City of New York a layout of streets in the St. George District. Second hearing. The Board was addressed by Mr. E. C. Delavan, and the Commissioner of Public Works stated that his revised map was not yet ready.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

MAYBURY FLEMING, Secretary.

## DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 25, 1904—STATED MEETING, 3 P. M.

Present—Commissioners Pallas (President), Schmitt, Kennedy.

A representative of the Comptroller being present, and the meeting open to the public, the estimate-box was opened and all the bids or proposals which had been received, pursuant to duly published advertisements, were opened and read, as follows:

For Work and Materials Required for Building a Buffalo and Deer House for the Central Park Menagerie, Borough of Manhattan.

Names of Bidders.	Amount.
Ralph J. F. Gerstle Company.....	\$3,435 00
John H. Goetschius .....	2,383 00
Mortimer W. Hale.....	4,350 00
Heitzner & Reines .....	2,295 00
William Horne Company .....	3,698 00
Kelly & Kelley.....	4,822 00
William Klenert .....	4,500 00
Otto Metz .....	3,321 00
Neptune B. Smyth.....	3,774 00
Springsted & Adamson .....	3,549 00
William H. Wright & Son.....	3,387 00

For Furnishing and Delivering Coal Where Required on Parks.

## BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

Items.	Quantities.	George F. Sinram. Price. Amount.	Herbert G. Street. Price. Amount.
1. First quality broken coal.....	550 tons	\$4 92	\$2,706 00
2. First quality egg coal.....	300 tons	5 37	1,611 00
			<u>\$4,317 00</u>
			<u>\$4,722 50</u>

For Furnishing and Delivering Harness and Stable Supplies.  
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

Items.	Quantities.	Joseph N. Early.		Ferdinand R. Horn.		Studebaker Brothers Company of New York.		J. Newton Van Ness Company.		George Worthington.	
		Price.	Amount.	Price.	Amount.	Price.	Amount.	Price.	Amount.	Price.	Amount.
1. Team harness, equal to sample.....	7 sets.....	\$49 00	\$343 00	\$54 50	\$381 50	\$54 45	\$381 15	\$59 00	\$413 00	\$54 00	\$378 00
2. Cart harness, equal to sample.....	20 sets.....	27 00	540 00	25 00	500 00	26 45	529 00	24 00	480 00	23 00	460 00
3. Saddles and breechings, equal to sample.....	12.....	14 50	174 00	10 50	126 00	18 45	221 40	13 50	162 00	12 00	144 00
4. Storm covers, equal to sample.....	48.....	2 50	120 00	1 75	84 00	2 10	100 80	3 00	144 00	2 65	127 20
5. Fawn truck blankets, equal to sample.....	36.....	9 00	324 00	9 50	342 00	9 60	345 60	8 80	316 80	10 00	360 00
6. Woolen stable blankets, equal to sample.....	10.....	5 90	59 00	4 50	45 00	5 24	52 40	5 50	55 00	6 50	65 00
7. Blinders with brass letters D. P., equal to sample.....	60 pairs.....	1 10	66 00	55	33 00	49	29 40	52	31 20	50	30 00
8. Brass fronts, with rosettes, equal to sample.....	6 dozen.....	6 00	36 00	3 50	21 00	2 90	17 40	6 50	39 00	2 00	12 00
9. Brass horse scrapers.....	12.....	75	9 00	65	7 80	45	5 40	50	6 00	50	6 00
10. Half check snaffle bits, equal to sample.....	3 dozen.....	3 00	9 00	3 50	10 50	2 74	8 22	3 30	9 90	5 00	15 00
11. One ring bardoon bits, equal to sample.....	3 dozen.....	2 50	7 50	2 50	7 50	2 24	6 72	3 30	9 90	2 50	7 50
12. 3/4-inch brass gag runners, equal to sample.....	1 gross.....	9 00	9 00	10 80	10 80	8 24	8 24	9 00	9 00	2 50	2 50
13. Brass balls for hames, equal to sample.....	6 dozen.....	1 60	9 60	1 75	10 50	1 98	11 88	1 00	6 00	2 50	15 00
14. 1 3/4-inch brass terrets, equal to sample.....	3 dozen.....	2 00	6 00	3 00	9 00	1 98	5 94	2 00	6 00	2 00	6 00
15. Brass check hooks, equal to sample.....	3 dozen.....	2 50	7 50	3 00	9 00	2 48	7 44	2 60	7 80	3 00	9 00
		\$1,719 60		\$1,597 60		\$1,730 99		\$1,695 60		\$1,637 20	

For Furnishing and Delivering Five Thousand (5,000) Cubic Yards Top Soil in Tree Holes, Spuyten Duyvil Parkway.  
BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

Names of Bidders.	Price, 5,000 Cubic Yards.	Amount.
Canepi & Warner.....	\$2 00	\$10,000 00
John H. Devlin.....	1 85	9,250 00
Charles L. Doran.....	2 25	11,250 00
William H. Masterson.....	97	4,850 00
John McBride.....	2 80	14,000 00
Thomas B. Watson.....	1 87	9,350 00
William Young.....	2 50	12,500 00

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.  
A communication was received from the Secretary of the Board of Estimate and

Apportionment, forwarding a copy of a resolution of said Board, transferring the sum of \$3,000 from the appropriation made for "Interest on Revenue Bonds, 1904," to the appropriation to this Department for the boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, for the current year, entitled "Maintenance of Playgrounds, Kindergardens, Bath-houses and Comfort Stations in the Parks."

Filed.

Commissioner Pallas offered the following:  
Resolved, That the proposal of the lowest formal bidder, this day received, for coal for Parks in the Borough of Manhattan, be forwarded to the Comptroller for his approval of sureties, and when approved that a contract for the same be entered into and executed by the President for and on behalf of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Pallas, Schmitt, Kennedy—3.

On motion, the Secretary was directed to communicate with the Commissioner of Police in relation to the rate of speed of vehicles using the parks and parkways, particularly automobiles and motor vehicles, and request that the Police doing duty on the park and parkway drives be instructed to require all vehicles to observe the rules of this Department limiting the rate of speed.

On motion, at 3.50 P. M., the Board adjourned, to meet on the 1st prox. at 11 o'clock, A. M.

CLINTON H. SMITH, Assistant Secretary.

## BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

## BUREAU OF BUILDINGS.

NEW YORK, September 7, 1904.

I herewith submit a report of the operations of the Bureau of Buildings, Borough of The Bronx, for the week ending September 3, 1904:

Plans filed for new buildings; estimated cost, \$268,400.....	32
Plans filed for alterations; estimated cost, \$14,600.....	12
Unsafe cases filed.....	10
Violation cases filed.....	38
Unsafe notices issued.....	25
Violation notices issued.....	40
Fire-escape notices issued.....	1
Complaints lodged with the Bureau.....	4
Number of pieces of iron and steel inspected.....	946

P. J. REVILLE,  
Superintendent of Buildings, Borough of The Bronx.H. A. MARTIN,  
Acting Chief Clerk.

## CHANGES IN DEPARTMENTS.

## AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.

September 9—At a meeting of the Aqueduct Commissioners held September 8, 1904, the following action was taken:

## Appointments.

(Salary to begin when assigned to duty.)  
Walter L. Mohn, No. 692 Chauncey street, Brooklyn, Rodman, salary \$75 per month.

Francis G. Levien, No. 521 East One Hundred and Forty-sixth street, New York City, Rodman, salary \$75 per month. (Inspectors of Masonry, Salary \$4.50 per day, to begin when assigned to duty.)

F. S. Tebbutt, No. 533 West One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, City.  
W. R. Fralick, Croton-on-Hudson, N. Y.C. R. Bulsart, No. 16 Loring place.  
W. H. Fry, No. 183 West Eighty-seventh street.

J. J. Regan, No. 212 East Ninety-fifth street.

J. M. Caterson, Fulton street, Wakefield.

T. J. Gleason, Chestnut street, North Tarrytown, N. Y.

W. M. Burke, Terrace View avenue, Marble Hill.

W. J. Boylan, No. 120 East One Hundred and Fourteenth street.

Francis H. Faulhaber, No. 347 West Fifteenth street.

(Salaries fixed at the rate of \$2.50 per day, to take effect September 13, 1904.)

James P. Dexter, Driver.

Michael Cusick, Laborer.

Peter Denning, Laborer.

Lawrence Bird, Laborer.

Timothy Ring, Flagman.

John J. Murphy, Laborer.

William H. Koehler, Laborer.

## DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES.

September 9—Matthew J. O'Neill, No. 449 West Fifty-fourth street, Manhattan, has been transferred from the position of Stone Cutter, in the Department of Docks and Ferries, to this Department, and his compensation fixed at 56 1/4 cents per hour, to date from September 12, 1904.

Sylvester S. McGrath, No. 367 West Twenty-second street, Manhattan, is appointed as an Architectural Draughtsman and Designer, and his compensation fixed at \$1,500 per annum, to date from the 12th inst.

Charles Geraghty, Westchester, New York City, and Patrick Egan, Unionport, New York City, Laborers, are transferred from the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx to this Department, and their compensation fixed at 25 cents per hour, to date from September 12, 1904.

## OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

## CITY OFFICERS.

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## Mayor's Office.

No. 5 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

Telephone, 1929 Cortlandt.

GEORGE B. MCCLELLAN, Mayor.

JOHN H. O'BRIEN, Secretary.

THOMAS HASSETT, Assistant Secretary.

## Chief Clerk.

## Bureau of Licenses.

9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

Telephone, 706 Cortlandt.

JOHN P. CORRIGAN, Chief of Bureau.

Principal Office, Room 1, City Hall, GARTANO D'AMATO, Deputy Chief, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

Branch Office, Room 12, Borough Hall, Brooklyn; DANIEL J. GRIFFIN, Deputy Chief, Borough of Brooklyn.

Branch Office, Richmond Building, New Brighton, S. I., WILLIAM R. WOELFLE, Financial Clerk, Borough of Richmond.

Branch Office, Hackett Building, Long Island City; CHARLES H. SMITH, Financial Clerk, Borough of Queens.

## THE CITY RECORD OFFICE.

## Bureau of Printing, Stationery and Blank Books.

Supervisor's Office, Park Row Building, No. 21 Park Row, Entrance Room 803, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

Telephone, 1505 and 1506 Cortlandt. Supply Room, No. 2 City Hall.

PATRICK J. TRACY, Supervisor; HENRY McMILLEN, Deputy Supervisor.

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Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway 9 A. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 noon.

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

N. TAYLOR PHILLIPS and JAMES W. STEVENSON, Deputy Comptrollers.

HUBERT L. SMITH, Assistant Deputy Comptroller.

OLIVER E. STANTON, Secretary to Comptroller.

## Main Division.

H. J. STORRS, Chief Clerk, Room 11.

## Bookkeeping and Awards Division.

JOSEPH HAAG, Chief Accountant and Bookkeeper.

## Stock and Bond Division.

JAMES J. SULLIVAN, Chief Stock and Bond Clerk, Room 39.

## Bureau of Audit—Main Division.

WILLIAM MCKINNEY, Chief Auditor of Accounts, Room 27.

## Law and Adjustment Division.

JAMES F. MCKINNEY, Auditor of Accounts, Room 183.

## Investigating Division.

CHARLES S. HERVEY, Auditor of Accounts, Room 178.

## Charitable Institutions Division.

DANIEL C. POTTER, Chief Examiner of Accounts of Institutions, Room 40.

## Bureau of the City Paymaster.

No. 83 Chambers street and No. 65 Reade street

JOHN H. TIMMERMAN, City Paymaster.

## Bureau of Engineering.

Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway.

EUGENE E. MCLEAN, Chief Engineer, Room 55.

## Real Estate Bureau.

MORTIMER J. BROWN, Appraiser of Real Estate Room 157.

## Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.

Borough of Manhattan—Stewart Building, Room O.

DAVID E. AUSTEN, Receiver of Taxes.

JOHN J. McDONOUGH, Deputy Receiver of Taxes.

Borough of The Bronx—Municipal Building, Third and Tremont avenues.

JOHN B. UNDERHILL, Deputy Receiver of Taxes.

Borough of Brooklyn—Municipal Building, Rooms 2-8.

JACOB S. VAN WYCK, Deputy Receiver of Taxes.

Borough of Queens—Hackett Building, Jackson avenue and Fifth street, Long Island City.

FREDERICK W. BLECKWENN, Deputy Receiver of Taxes.

Borough of Richmond—Bay and Sand streets, Stapleton.

JOHN DEMORGAN, Deputy Receiver of Taxes.

## Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears.

Borough of Manhattan—Stewart Building, Room 81.

EDWARD A. SLATTERY, Collector of Assessments and Arrears.

JOHN B. ADGER MULLALLY, Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears.

Borough of The Bronx—Municipal Building, Rooms 1-3.

JAMES J. DONOVAN, Jr., Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears.

Borough of Brooklyn—Municipal Building.

SAMUEL N. GARRISON, Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears.

Borough of Queens—Hackett Building, Jackson avenue and Fifth street, Long Island City.

PATRICK E. LEAHY, Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears.

Borough of Richmond—Bay and Sand streets, Stapleton.

GEORGE BRAND, Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears.

## Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets.

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THOMAS F. BYRNES, Collector of City Revenue and Superintendent of Markets.

JAMES H. BALDWIN, Deputy Collector of City Revenue.

DAVID O'BRIEN, Deputy Superintendent of Markets.

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JOHN H. CAMPBELL, Deputy Chamberlain.

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FREDERICK L. C. KEATING, Commissioner.

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Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.  
Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.  
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Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, Headquarters Fire Department.  
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Telephone, 1047 Gramercy.  
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JAMES H. TULLY, Commissioner.  
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Brooklyn Office, Temple Bar Building, No. 44 Court street.  
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THOMAS C. T. CRAIN, Commissioner.  
JOHN F. SKELLY, First Deputy Tenement House Commissioner.  
WILLIAM BRENNAN, Second Deputy Tenement House Commissioner.

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Telephone, 1204 Columbus.  
EUGENE W. SCHEFFER, Secretary.

CHARLES F. ROBERTS, M. D., Sanitary Superintendent.

WILLIAM H. GUILFOY, M. D., Registrar of Records.  
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MICHAEL J. KENNEDY, Commissioner of Parks for the Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.  
Offices, Litchfield Mansion, Prospect Park, Brooklyn.  
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New Court-house, No. 128 Prince street, corner of Wooster street.  
DANIEL E. FINN, Justice. THOMAS O'CONNELL, 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 opens daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
WM. F. MOORE, Justice. DANIEL WILLIAMS, Clerk.

Fourth District—Tenth and Seventeenth Wards. Court-room, No. 30 First street, corner Second avenue. Clerk's Office open daily from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court opens 10 A. M. daily, and remains open to close of business.  
GEORGE F. ROESCH, Justice. ANDREW LANG, Clerk.

Fifth District—The Fifth District embraces the Eleventh Ward and all that portion of the Thirteenth Ward which lies east of the centre line of Norfolk street and north of the centre line of Grand street and west of the centre line of Pitt street and north of the centre line of Delancey street and northwest of Clinton street to Rivington street, and on the centre line of Rivington street south to Norfolk street. Court-room, No. 154 Clinton street.  
BENJAMIN HOFFMAN, Justice. THOMAS FITZPATRICK, Clerk.

Sixth District—Eighteenth and Twenty-first Wards. Court-room, northwest corner Twenty-third street and Second avenue. Court opens at 9 A. M. daily, and continues open until close of business. Summary proceedings and return cases called at 9.30 A. M. Calendar trial cases, 10 A. M.  
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.

Eighth District—Sixteenth and Twentieth Wards. Court-room, northwest corner of Twenty-third street and Eighth avenue. Court opens at 9 A. M. and continues open until close of business. Summary proceedings and return cases called at 9.30 A. M. Calendar trial cases, 10 A. M.  
Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., and on Saturdays until 12 M.

Trial days and Return days, each Court day.  
JAMES W. McLAUGHLIN, Justice.  
HENRY MERZBACH, Clerk.

Ninth District—Twelfth Ward, except that portion thereof which lies west of the centre line of Lenox or Sixth avenue, and of the Harlem river north of the terminus of Lenox avenue. Court-room, No. 170 East One Hundred and Twenty-first street, southeast

corner of Sylvan place. Court opens every morning at 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays), and continues open to close of business.

JOSEPH P. FALLON, Justice. WILLIAM J. KENNEDY, Clerk.

Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Tenth District—The Tenth District embraces that portion of the Twenty-second Ward south of Seventh street, between Lenox avenue and Seventh avenue; north of the centre line of One Hundred and Twentieth street, between Seventh avenue and Broadway; north of the centre line of One Hundred and Nineteenth street, between Broadway and the North or Hudson river, and west of the centre line of Lenox or Sixth avenue and of the Harlem river; north of the terminus of Lenox or Sixth avenue. Court-room, No. 70 Manhattan street. Clerk's office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court convenes daily at 9.45 A. M.

FRANCIS J. WORCESTER, Justice. HERMAN B. WILSON, Clerk.

Twelfth District—The Twelfth District embraces that portion of the Twenty-second Ward north of Seventh street, and that portion of the Twelfth Ward which lies north of the centre line of Eighty-sixth street and west of the centre line of Seventh avenue and south of the centre line of One Hundred and Twentieth street, between Seventh avenue and Broadway, and south of the centre line of One Hundred and Nineteenth street, between Broadway and the North or Hudson river. Court-room, No. 2630 Broadway.  
ALFRED P. W. SEAMAN, Justice. JAMES V. GILLOON, Clerk.

Thirteenth District—South side of Delancey street, from East river to Pitt street; east side of Pitt street, Grand street, south side of Grand street to Norfolk street, east side of Norfolk street to Division street, south side of Division street to Catharine street, east side of Catharine street to East river. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
LEON SANDERS, Justice; JAMES J. DEVLIN, Clerk.  
Court-room, No. 200 East Broadway.

**BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.**

First District—All that part of the Twenty-fourth Ward which was lately annexed to the City and County of New York by chapter 934 of the Laws of 1895, comprising all of the late Town of Westchester and part of the Towns of Eastchester and Pelham, including the Villages of Wakefield and Williamsbridge. Court-room, Town Hall, Main street, Westchester Village. Court 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. THOMAS F. DELEHANTY, Clerk.  
Office hours from 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Saturdays, closing at 12 M.

Second District—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, except the territory described in chapter 934 of the Laws of 1895. Court-room, corner Third avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street. Office hours from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court opens at 10 A. M.  
JOHN M. TIERNEY, Justice. THOMAS A. MAHER, 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.  
Calendar called at 10 A. M.

Second District—Seventh, Ninth, Eleventh, Twentieth, Twenty-first and Twenty-third Wards. Court-room located at No. 1217 Bedford avenue, Brooklyn. Calendar called at 10 o'clock A. M.  
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. to 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.  
G. J. WIEDERHOLD, Clerk.  
R. M. BENNETT, Assistant Clerk.  
Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Fifth District—Eighth, Twenty-second, Twenty-ninth, Thirtieth, Thirty-first and Thirty-second Wards. Court-house, northwest corner of Fifty-third street and Third avenue.  
CORNELIUS FURGUESON, Justice. JEREMIAH J. O'LEARY, Clerk.  
Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

**BOROUGH OF QUEENS.**

First District—First Ward (all of Long Island City, formerly composing five wards). Court-room, No. 46 Jackson avenue, Long Island City.  
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. each day excepting Saturdays, closing at 12 M. Trial days Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. All other business transacted on Tuesdays and Thursdays.  
THOMAS C. KADEN, Justice. THOMAS F. KENNEDY, Clerk.

Second District—Second and Third Wards, which includes the territory of the late Towns of Newtown and Flushing. Court-room, in Court-house of the late Town of Newtown, corner of Broadway and Court street, Elmhurst, New York. P. O. Address, Elmhurst, New York.  
WILLIAM KASQUIN, JR., Justice. HENRY WALTER, JR., Clerk.  
Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Third District—Fourth and Fifth Wards, comprising the territory of the former towns and villages of Jamaica, Far Rockaway and Rockaway Beach.  
JAMES F. McLAUGHLIN, Justice. GEORGE W. DAMON, Clerk.  
Court-house, Town Hall, Jamaica.  
Telephone, 189 Jamaica.  
Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Court held on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 10 o'clock 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. KENNY, Justice. ANNING S. PRALL, Clerk.  
Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Court held each day, except Saturdays, 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.  
Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Court held each day from 10 A. M., and continued until close of business.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET  
CLEANING.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING, NEW YORK,  
AUGUST 22, 1904.

SALE OF UNUSED PROPERTY—BOROUGH OF  
BROOKLYN.

**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT,**  
pursuant to Section 541 of the Greater New York  
Charter, as amended, a sale will take place at Public  
Auction at 10 A. M., on

**TUESDAY, THE 13TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1904,**

at the Incumbence Yard of the Department of Street  
Cleaning, Atlantic avenue, between Utica avenue and  
Pacific street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, of the fol-  
lowing unused property of this Department, to wit:

- 22 horses, more or less.
- 50 old dirt cart bodies, more or less.
- 41 old double trucks, more or less.
- 23 sets old carriage harness, more or less.
- 1,121 pounds old parts of leather harness, more or less.
- 2,592 pounds old canvass truck, cart, horse and  
quarter blankets, more or less.
- 5,000 pounds old iron, more or less.
- 325 pounds old Manila rope, more or less.
- 91 old woolen stable blankets, more or less.
- 3 awnings, more or less.
- 39 old cart saddles, more or less.
- 5 old single and double wooden blocks, more or less.
- 64 old cart and truck hames, more or less.
- 85 pounds old tire rubber, more or less.
- 1 old blacksmith bellows, more or less.
- 131 old pipe collars, more or less.

F. M. GIBSON,  
Deputy and Acting Commissioner.  
a23,s8

## ASHES, ETC., FOR FILLING IN LANDS.

**PERSONS HAVING LANDS OR PLACES**  
in the vicinity of New York Bay to fill in  
can procure material for that purpose—ashes,  
street sweepings, etc., collected by the Department of  
Street Cleaning—free of charge by applying to the  
Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Nos. 13 to 21  
Park Row, Borough of Manhattan.

JOHN MCGAW WOODBURY,  
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

## 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 of money taken from prisoners  
and found by Patrolmen of this Department.

THOMAS F. O'CONNOR,  
Property Clerk

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK, BOR-  
OUGH OF BROOKLYN.

**OWNERS WANTED BY THE DEPUTY**  
Property Clerk of the Police Department of  
The City of New York—Office, No. 269 State  
street, Borough of Brooklyn—for the following  
property, now in his custody, without claimants:  
Boats, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing,  
boots, shoes, wine, blankets, diamonds, canned  
goods, liquors, etc., also small amount of money  
taken from prisoners and found by Patrolmen of  
this Department.

JOSEPH J. CAREY,  
Deputy Property Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHAR-  
ITIES.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, FOOT OF EAST  
TWENTY-SIXTH STREET, NEW YORK.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

## PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE**  
received by the Department of Public Charities  
at the above office until 12 o'clock M., on

**MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 19, 1904.**

**FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING HOS-  
PITAL SUPPLIES.**  
The time for the performance of the contract is dur-  
ing the year 1904.

The amount of security required is fifty (50) per  
cent. of the amount of the bid or estimate.  
The bidder will state the price per pound, dozen,  
gallon, yard, etc., by which the bids will be tested.  
The extensions must be made and footed up, as the  
bids will be read from the total and awards made  
to the lowest bidder on each line or item, as stated in  
the specifications.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained  
at the office of the General Drug Department, Bellevue  
Hospital Grounds, East Twenty-sixth street, Borough  
of Manhattan.

JAMES H. TULLY,  
Commissioner.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, September 7, 1904.  
s3,19

**See General Instructions to Bidders**  
on the last page, last column, of the "City  
Record."

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, FOOT OF EAST  
TWENTY-SIXTH STREET, NEW YORK.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

## PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE**  
received by the Department of Public Charities  
at the above office until 12 o'clock M., on

**TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 1904.**

**FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING GRO-  
CERIES, PROVISIONS, FLOUR, VEGETABLES,  
ETC.**

The time for the performance of the contract is dur-  
ing the year 1904.

The amount of security required is fifty (50) per  
cent. of the amount of the bid or estimate.

The bidder will state the price per pound, dozen,  
gallon, etc., by which the bids will be tested.  
The extensions must be made and footed up, as the  
bids will be read from the total and awards made to the  
lowest bidder on each line or item, as stated in the  
specifications.

Blank forms and further information may be ob-

tained at the office of the Department, foot of East  
Twenty-sixth street, Borough of Manhattan.

JAMES H. TULLY, Commissioner.  
THE CITY OF NEW YORK, DATED August 31, 1904.  
s1,13

**See General Instructions to Bidders**  
on the last page, last column, of the "City  
Record."

## THE BUREAU OF BUILDINGS.

THE BUREAU OF BUILDINGS FOR THE BOROUGH OF  
MANHATTAN, NO. 225 FOURTH AVENUE, SOUTHWEST  
CORNER EIGHTEENTH STREET, THE CITY OF NEW  
YORK.

AMENDMENT TO SECTION 79 OF THE  
PLUMBING AND DRAINAGE RULES AND  
REGULATIONS.

Section 79 is hereby amended so as to read as  
follows:

"Sec. 79. A fresh-air inlet must be connected with  
the house drain just inside of the house trap; where  
underground it will be of extra heavy cast iron. No  
fresh-air inlet to be used unless it has been approved  
on or after September 26, 1904. All fresh-air inlets  
approved prior to said date are disapproved."

JULY 27, 1904.

ISAAC A. HOPPER,  
Superintendent of Buildings  
for the Borough of Manhattan.  
a1,8,15,22,29-s12,19,26.

## BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

OFFICE OF PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS,  
NEW YORK, September 2, 1904.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORD-**  
ance with section 432 of the Charter of The City  
of New York, that petition signed by property-own-  
ers and residents of the Newtown District for Local  
Improvements to regulate, grade, curb and pave  
with granite pavement Himrod street, from Grand  
View avenue to the Kings County line, in the Second  
Ward of the Borough of Queens, has been filed in this  
office, and is now ready for public inspection, and that  
a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the  
Newtown District for Local Improvements will be  
held in the Borough Office, Long Island City, on the  
29th day of September, 1904, at 10.30 A. M., at which  
meeting said petition will be submitted to the Board.

JOSEPH CASSIDY,  
President.

GEO. S. JERVIS,  
Secretary.

OFFICE OF PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS,  
NEW YORK, September 2, 1904.

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ers and residents of the Newtown District for Local  
Improvements to regulate, grade, curb and pave with  
brick pavement from Grand View avenue to the  
Kings County line, in the Second Ward of the Borough  
of Queens, has been filed in this office, and is now ready  
for public inspection, and that a meeting of the Board  
of Local Improvements of the Newtown District for Local  
Improvements will be held in the Borough Office,  
Hackett Building, Long Island City, on the 29th day  
of September, 1904, at 10.30 A. M., at which meeting  
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for public inspection, and that a meeting of the Board  
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JOSEPH CASSIDY,  
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GEO. S. JERVIS,  
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OFFICE OF PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS,  
NEW YORK, September 2, 1904.

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for public inspection, and that a meeting of the Board  
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Hackett Building, Long Island City, on the 29th day  
of September, 1904, at 10.30 A. M., at which meeting  
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Borough Office, Hackett Building, Long Island City,  
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Board.

JOSEPH CASSIDY,  
President.

GEO. S. JERVIS,  
Secretary.

OFFICE OF PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS,  
NEW YORK, September 7, 1904.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORD-**  
ance with section 432 of the Charter of The City  
of New York, that petition signed by property-own-  
ers and residents of the Newtown District for Local  
Improvements to regulate, grade, curb and pave with  
brick pavement, Bleeker street, from Grand View ave-  
nue to the Kings County line, in the Second Ward  
of the Borough of Queens, has been filed in this office,  
and is now ready for public inspection, and that a  
meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the  
Newtown District for Local Improvements will be held  
in the Borough Office, Hackett Building, Long Island  
City, on the 29th day of September, 1904, at 10.30 A. M.,  
at which meeting said petition will be submitted to the  
Board.

JOSEPH CASSIDY,  
President.

GEO. S. JERVIS,  
Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF  
QUEENS, JACKSON AVENUE AND FIFTH STREET,  
LONG ISLAND CITY.

## Notice of Sale by Public Auction.

**ON THE 20TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER,**  
1904, at 10 o'clock A. M., the President  
of the Borough of Queens will sell at public  
auction, by T. F. Archer, auctioneer, at the Old  
Town Hall in the Village of Jamaica, the building  
and parts of building standing within the  
lines of Wolcott avenue, from the Boulevard to  
De Bevoise avenue, First Ward (Long Island  
City), Borough of Queens:

- No. 1. Picket fence, about 1,075 linear feet.
- No. 2. Wire fence, about 510 linear feet.
- No. 3. Dry rubble stone wall, about 1,260 linear  
feet.
- No. 4. Rail fence, about 300 linear feet.
- No. 5. Dry rubble stone wall, about 970 linear  
feet.
- No. 6. Wire fence, about 780 linear feet.
- No. 7. Picket and old board fence, about 440  
linear feet.
- No. 8. Part of carriage house, 11.15 by 18.5  
by 8.11 by 18.3.
- No. 9. Cow stable, 13.7 by 52.4 feet.

Full particulars of sale can be obtained at the  
office of the President of the Borough of Queens.

## TERMS OF SALE.

Ten per cent. (10%) cash payment at the time  
of sale, and the balance thereof within fifteen  
(15) days after the date of sale. Said parts of  
building, etc., being sold subject to the following  
conditions: Removal of the part of building,  
fences, etc., sold, from the street by the purchaser  
or purchasers within thirty (30) days after the  
date of sale, and should the purchaser or pur-  
chasers fail or neglect to remove the same or  
any part thereof within thirty (30) days, he or  
they shall forfeit his or their purchase money  
therein and all right, title and interest of, in and  
to the ownership of said building, fences, etc.

JOSEPH CASSIDY,  
President, Borough of Queens.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF  
QUEENS, JACKSON AVENUE AND FIFTH STREET,  
LONG ISLAND CITY.

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of the Borough of Queens will sell at public  
auction, by T. F. Archer, auctioneer, at the Old  
Town Hall in the Village of Jamaica, that part  
of the two-story and attic frame building stand-  
ing within the lines of Delap place, between  
Bergen avenue and Grand street, Fourth Ward  
(Jamaica), Borough of Queens; the dimensions  
of said building being about 17.47 feet by 38.25  
feet by 16.39 feet by 38.35.

## TERMS OF SALE.

Ten per cent. cash payment at the time of  
sale and the balance thereof within fifteen (15)  
days from time of sale.  
Said part of building being sold subject to  
the following conditions: Removal of the part  
of the building sold from the street by the pur-  
chaser or purchasers within thirty (30) days  
after the date of sale, and should the purchaser  
or purchasers fail or neglect to remove the same  
or any part thereof within thirty (30) days, he  
or they shall forfeit his or their purchase money  
therein, and all right, title and interest in and  
to the ownership of said building.

JOSEPH CASSIDY,  
President, Borough of Queens.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF  
QUEENS, THIRD FLOOR OF THE BOROUGH HALL, FIFTH  
STREET AND JACKSON AVENUE, LONG ISLAND CITY,  
BOROUGH OF QUEENS, CITY OF NEW YORK.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE RE-**  
ceived by the President of the Borough of Queens  
at the above office, until 11 o'clock A. M., on

**TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 20, 1904.**

**No. 1. FOR REGULATING, GRADING AND  
REPAVING WITH MACADAM PAVEMENT  
THE ROADWAY OF THE MERRICK ROAD,  
FROM A POINT 2,050 FEET SOUTH OF  
LOCUST AVENUE TO THE EASTERLY  
LINE OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS,  
FOURTH WARD.**

The time for the completion of the work and  
the full performance of the contract is fifty (50)  
days.

The amount of security required is Five Thou-  
sand Dollars (\$5,000).

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as  
follows:  
22,000 square yards of macadam pavement.  
1,200 square yards of old stone pavement, to  
be relaid as foundation or in ap-  
proaches, etc.

2,000 cubic yards of earth filling (to be fur-  
nished).

**No. 2. FOR REGULATING, GRADING AND  
REPAVING WITH MACADAM PAVEMENT  
THE ROADWAY OF BROADWAY, FLUSH-  
ING, FROM THE BROADWAY STATION TO  
BELL AVENUE, THIRD WARD.**

The time for the completion of the work and  
the full performance of the contract is fifty (50)  
days.

The amount of security required is Five Thou-  
sand Dollars (\$5,000).

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as  
follows:

24,000 square yards of macadam pavement.

2,000 square yards of old stone pavement, to  
be relaid as foundation or in ap-  
proaches, etc.

4,000 cubic yards of earth filling (to be fur-  
nished).

**No. 3. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVER-  
ING ONE THOUSAND (1,000) BEST MAINE  
GRANITE MONUMENTS.**

The time for the completion of the work and  
the full performance of the contract is thirty (30)  
days.

The amount of security required is Three  
Thousand Dollars (\$3,000).

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as  
follows:

1,000 best Maine granite monuments.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article  
contained in the specifications or schedule herein  
contained or hereto annexed, per yard or other unit of  
measure, by which the bids will be tested.

The extensions must be made and footed up, as bids  
will be read from the total.

The bids will be compared and the contract awarded  
at a lump or aggregate sum.

Blank forms may be obtained and the plans and  
drawings may be seen at the office of the President.

JOSEPH CASSIDY,  
President of the Borough of Queens.

Dated SEPTEMBER 7, 1904. s8,20

**See General Instructions to Bidders**  
on the last page, last column, of the "City  
Record."

## BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF  
MANHATTAN, CITY HALL, THE CITY OF NEW  
YORK.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE**  
received by the President of the Borough of  
Manhattan, at the City Hall, Room No. 16, until  
3 o'clock P. M., on

**WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 21, 1904.**

**No. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LA-  
BOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR RE-  
PAIRS AND REBUILDING OF SEWER AND  
APPURTENANCES IN FIFTY-NINTH  
STREET AT NORTH RIVER.**

The Engineer's estimate of the quantity and  
quality of the material and the nature and ex-  
tent, as near as possible, of the work required,  
is as follows:

- 150 linear feet of wooden barrel sewer of 4-  
feet interior diameter.
- 35 linear feet of brick sewer of 4-feet in-  
terior diameter, including rip rap  
foundation where necessary.
- 1,000 feet, B. M., of timber and planking for  
foundation.

The time allowed to complete the whole work  
is fifty (50) working days.

The amount of the security required is Fifteen  
Hundred Dollars (\$1,500).

**No. 2. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LA-  
BOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR  
BUILDING SEWER IN EAST EIGHTY-  
THIRD STREET, FROM EAST END AVENUE  
TO THE EAST RIVER.**

The Engineer's estimate of the quantity and  
quality of the material and the nature and ex-  
tent, as near as possible, of the work required,  
is as follows:

- 12 linear feet of cast iron water pipe sewer  
of 16-inch interior diameter.
- 185 linear feet of salt glazed vitrified stone-  
ware pipe sewer of 15-inch interior  
diameter, including drop-well man-  
hole.

36 linear feet of salt glazed vitrified stone-  
ware pipe culvert of 12-inch interior  
diameter.

2 receiving-basins of the circular pattern  
with new style grate bars and blue-  
stone head.

100 cubic yards of rock to be excavated and  
removed.

3,500 feet, B. M., of timber and planking for  
foundation.

The time allowed to complete the whole work  
is fifty (50) working days.

The amount of the security required is One  
Thousand Dollars (\$1,000).

**No. 3. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LA-  
BOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR  
BUILDING SEWER AND APPURTENANCES  
IN ST. NICHOLAS AVENUE, WEST SIDE,  
between One Hundred and Eighty-third  
and One Hundred and Eighty-fourth streets.**

The Engineer's estimate of the quantity and  
quality of the material and the nature and extent,  
as near as possible, of the work required, is as  
follows:

139 linear feet of salt glazed vitrified stone-  
ware pipe sewer of 15-inch interior  
diameter.

325 cubic yards of rock to be excavated and  
removed.

500 feet, B. M., of timber and planking for  
bracing and sheet piling.

The time allowed to complete the whole work  
is sixty (60) working days.

The amount of the security required is One  
Thousand Dollars (\$1,000).

**No. 4. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LA-  
BOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR REPAIRS  
TO SEWER IN ALLEN STREET, between  
Hester and Grand streets.**

The Engineer's estimate of the quantity and  
quality of the material and the nature and extent,  
as near as possible, of the work required, is as  
follows:

127 linear feet of brick sewer of 4 feet by  
2 feet 8 inches interior diameter.

The time allowed to complete the whole work  
is thirty (30) working days.

The amount of the security required is Six  
Hundred Dollars (\$600).

The contracts must be bid for separately, and the bids  
will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump  
or aggregate sum for each contract.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article  
contained in the specifications or schedules herein  
contained or hereto annexed, per foot, yard or other unit  
of measure or article, by which the bids will be tested.  
The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids  
will be read from the total.

Blank forms may be had and the plans and drawings  
may be seen at the office of the Commissioner of Public  
Works, Nos. 13-21 Park row, Bureau of Sewers, Bor-  
ough of Manhattan.

JOHN F. AHEARN,  
Borough President.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, September 10, 1904.  
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FORM PLUMBING WORK AND TO COMPLETE THE ALTERATIONS TO THE STEAM HEATING APPARATUS IN THE CITY HALL, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed for fully completing the work will be sixty (60) working days.

The security required will be Two Thousand Five Hundred Dollars.

No. 3. FOR FURNISHING THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR THE PAINTING, CABINET AND CARPENTER WORK, ORNAMENTAL PLASTER WORK, PARQUET FLOORING AND RUGS, IN THE CITY HALL, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed for fully completing the work will be sixty (60) working days.

The security required will be Five Thousand Dollars.

No. 4. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR THE INSTALLATION OF ELECTRIC LIGHTING AND VENTILATING SYSTEMS, IN THE CITY HALL, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed for fully completing the work will be sixty (60) working days.

The security required will be Two Thousand Five Hundred Dollars.

Bidders are directed to name a separate lump sum for each of the above contracts. Each contract will be awarded separately.

Blank forms and specifications can be obtained at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, No. 21 Park row, Borough of Manhattan.

JOHN F. AHEARN,

Borough President.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, September 10, 1904.

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See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY HALL, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Manhattan, at the City Hall, Room No. 16, until 3 o'clock P. M., on

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 1904.

FOR THE ERECTION AND COMPLETION OF A PUBLIC COMFORT STATION (EXCEPTING THE PLUMBING AND GAS-FITTING, AT THE INTERSECTION OF EAST BROADWAY AND GRAND STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time for the completion of the contract is 150 working days.

The amount of security is \$10,000.

The bidder shall state one aggregate price for the whole work described and specified, as the contract is entire and for a complete job.

Blank forms may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the architects, Messrs. Renwick, Aspinwall & Owen, No. 367 Fifth avenue, Borough of Manhattan.

JOHN F. AHEARN,

Borough President.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, September 7, 1904.

51,14

See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

## BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, CORNER THIRD AVENUE AND ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SEVENTH STREET, CROTONA PARK, NEW YORK, September 6, 1904.

### NOTICE OF SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION.

COMMENCING FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 16, 1904, at 10 o'clock A. M., under the direction of Louis F. Haffen, President of the Borough of The Bronx, of the buildings, parts of buildings, sheds, walls, fences, etc., standing within the lines of:

1. Hawkstone street, between Walton avenue and the Grand Boulevard and Concourse.

2. Crotona Park, East, from Crotona Park, South, to Southern Boulevard.

3. Beaumont avenue, from Grote street to East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street.

4. East One Hundred and Eighty-fifth street, from Washington avenue to Third avenue.

Full particulars of sale can be obtained at the office of the President.

TERMS OF SALE.

Cash payment in bankable funds at the time and place of sale, and the entire removal of buildings, parts of buildings, etc., from the street by the purchaser or purchasers within thirty (30) days after the sale. If the purchaser or purchasers fails or fail to effect the removal within that time, he or they shall forfeit his or their purchase money and the ownership of the buildings, parts of buildings, etc.

LOUIS F. HAFEN,

President of the Borough of The Bronx.

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OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, CROTONA PARK, 177TH STREET AND THIRD AVENUE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT PETITIONS have been presented to me, and are on file in my office for inspection, for—

No. 193. Constructing a sewer and appurtenances in Tiffany street, between Spofford ave-

nue and Burnet place; and in Burnet place, between Tiffany street and Barry street.

No. 194. Constructing a sewer and appurtenances in Clay avenue, between East One Hundred and Seventy-third street and East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street.

No. 195. Paving with asphalt block pavement on concrete East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street, between Park avenue and Fulton avenue, and setting curb where necessary.

No. 196. Paving with sheet asphalt (block asphalt where necessary on account of grade) the roadway of Cambrelling avenue, from East One Hundred and Eighty-second street to St. John's College grounds.

No. 197. Regulating and grading, building steps, railings, etc., with necessary drainage, in West One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, between Shakespeare avenue and Bosobel avenue.

The petitions for the above will be submitted by me to the Local Board having jurisdiction thereof, on September 17, 1904, at 11 A. M., at the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, Municipal Building, Crotona Park, One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue.

Dated SEPTEMBER 7, 1904.

LOUIS F. HAFEN,

President of the Borough of The Bronx.

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## DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, ARSENAL BUILDING, FIFTH AVENUE AND SIXTY-FOURTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Park Board at the above office of the Department of Parks until 3 o'clock P. M., on

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 22, 1904.

### Borough of The Bronx.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS FOR THE ERECTION AND COMPLETION OF A PHEASANT'S AVIARY IN THE NEW YORK ZOOLOGICAL PARK, IN BRONX PARK, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time allowed for doing and completing the work will be one hundred and twenty-five (125) days.

The amount of security required is Ten Thousand Dollars.

The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Department of Parks, the Borough of The Bronx, Zbrowski Mansion, Claremont Park.

JOHN J. PALLAS,

WILLIAM P. SCHMITT,

MICHAEL J. KENNEDY,

Commissioners.

Dated SEPTEMBER 7, 1904.

See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, ARSENAL BUILDING, FIFTH AVENUE AND SIXTY-FOURTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Park Board at the above office of the Department of Parks until 3 o'clock P. M., on

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 22, 1904.

### Borough of Manhattan.

CONTRACT NO. 4. FOR WORK AND MATERIALS FOR ERECTION AND COMPLETION OF THE LIBRARY STACK WORK IN THE NEW YORK PUBLIC LIBRARY, ASTOR, LENOX AND TILDEN FOUNDATIONS, FIFTH AVENUE, FORTIETH AND FORTY-SECOND STREETS.

The security required will be One Hundred Thousand Dollars.

The time allowed for doing and completing the first section of the work will be six (6) calendar months after notice to begin work at the building has been given by the architects, and for section 2 the time shall be 8 months after notice to begin work at the building shall have been given by the architects.

The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

Blank forms may be obtained and plans may be seen at the office of the Department of Parks, Arsenal, Central Park, Manhattan, and also at the office of the architects, Carrere & Hastings, No. 28 East Forty-first street.

JOHN J. PALLAS, President;

WILLIAM P. SCHMITT;

MICHAEL J. KENNEDY,

Commissioners of Parks.

Dated AUGUST 8, 1904.

See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

## BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 432 OF THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, the following petitions are on file and ready for inspection and will be considered at a joint meeting of the Local Boards of the Flatbush and Bushwick Districts, to be held in the office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, Room No. 11, Borough Hall, on Monday, September 16, 1904, at 3 P. M.:

No. 1. ATLANTIC AVENUE—To regulate, grade, curb and lay cement sidewalks on Atlantic avenue between Bedford and East New York avenues, on the north side of the tracks of the Long Island Railroad Company.

ATLANTIC AVENUE—To regulate, grade, curb and lay cement sidewalks on Atlantic avenue, between Bedford and Georgia avenues, on the south side of the tracks of the Long Island Railroad Company.

ATLANTIC AVENUE—To pave with asphalt on concrete foundation Atlantic avenue, between Bedford and Georgia avenues, on the south side of the tracks of the Long Island Railroad Company.

MARTIN W. LITTLETON,

President, Borough of Brooklyn.

JOHN A. HEFFERNAN,

Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, ROOM NO. 15, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Brooklyn at the above office until 11 o'clock A. M., on

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 21, 1904.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER IN DEGRAU STREET, FROM FRANKLIN AVENUE TO BEDFORD AVENUE.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

40 linear feet 15-inch pipe sewer.

700 linear feet 12-inch pipe sewer.

8 manholes.

5,000 feet, B. M., foundation planing.

56 cubic yards concrete cradle.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract is 20 working days.

The amount of security required is Two Thousand Dollars.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER IN EAST THIRTY-FIFTH STREET, FROM AVENUE F TO GLENWOOD ROAD.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

45 linear feet 15-inch pipe sewer.

768 linear feet 12-inch pipe sewer.

8 manholes.

2 receiving-basins.

5,100 feet, B. M., foundation planing.

12 cubic yards concrete cradle.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract is 30 working days.

The amount of security required is Two Thousand Dollars.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per linear foot, foot B. M., cubic yard, or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Assistant Commissioner of Public Works, Room No. 15, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn.

MARTIN W. LITTLETON,

President.

Dated AUGUST 30, 1904.

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See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, ROOM NO. 15, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Brooklyn at the above office until 11 o'clock A. M., on

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 1904.

No. 1. FOR REGULATING, GRADING AND PAVING WITH MACADAM PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF BAY FIFTEENTH STREET, FROM CROSEY AVENUE TO EIGHTY-SIXTH STREET.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

9,140 square yards of macadam pavement.

4,290 linear feet of new curbstone, furnished and set in concrete.

1,130 cubic yards of earth excavation.

1,250 cubic yards of earth filling, to be furnished.

1,440 square yards of brick gutter pavement on a concrete foundation.

370 cubic yards of concrete, not to be bid for.

1,020 square feet of new bluestone bridging.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is sixty (60) working days.

The amount of security required is Four Thousand Dollars.

No. 2. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING TENTH AVENUE, FROM SEVENTY-NINTH STREET TO EIGHTY-SIXTH STREET.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

9,430 cubic yards of earth excavation.

4,349 cubic yards of earth filling, not to be bid for.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is fifty (50) working days.

The amount of security required is One Thousand Five Hundred Dollars.

No. 3. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON AMBOY STREET, FROM EAST NEW YORK AVENUE TO SUTTER AVENUE.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

2,710 linear feet of new curbstone, to be set in concrete.

557 cubic yards of earth excavation.

372 cubic yards of earth filling, not to be bid for.

134 cubic yards of concrete, not to be bid for.

11,365 square feet of cement sidewalks.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is forty (40) working days.

The amount of security required is Two Thousand Dollars.

No. 4. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON BRISTOL STREET, FROM EAST NEW YORK AVENUE TO HUNTERLY ROAD.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

4,616 linear feet of new curbstone, to be set in concrete.

749 cubic yards of earth excavation.

5,651 cubic yards of earth filling, to be furnished.

230 cubic yards of concrete, not to be bid for.

21,650 square feet of cement sidewalk.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is fifty (50) working days.

The amount of security required is Three Thousand Dollars.

No. 5. FOR REGULATING, GRADING AND CURBING EAST TWENTY-FIRST STREET, FROM CORTLEY ROAD TO DORCHESTER ROAD.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

1,200 linear feet of new curbstone, to be set in concrete.

70 linear feet of old curbstone, to be reset in concrete.

1,510 cubic yards of earth filling, to be furnished.

63 cubic yards of concrete, not to be bid for.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is twenty (20) working days.

The amount of security required is Six Hundred Dollars.

No. 6. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON FOURTEENTH AVENUE, FROM SIXTY-NINTH STREET TO SEVENTY-FIFTH STREET.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

2,900 linear feet of new curbstone, to be set in concrete.

3,030 cubic yards of earth excavation.

140 cubic yards of concrete, not to be bid for.

11,925 square feet of cement sidewalks.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is forty (40) working days.

The amount of security required is Two Thousand Dollars.

No. 7. FOR CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON FIFTEENTH AVENUE, FROM SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET TO SEVENTY-FIFTH STREET.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

4,120 linear feet of new curbstone, to be set in concrete.

200 cubic yards of concrete, not to be bid for.

500 square feet of old flagstones, to be relaid.

17,800 square feet of cement sidewalks.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is fifty (50) working days.

The amount of security required is Two Thousand Five Hundred Dollars.

No. 8. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH GRANITE PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF HUMBOLDT STREET, FROM STAGG STREET TO MESEROLE STREET.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

1,410 square yards of granite block pavement, with tar and gravel joints.

10 square yards of old stone pavement, to be relaid.

280 cubic yards of concrete.

820 linear feet of new curbstone.

40 linear feet of old bluestone curbstone, to be reset.

174 square feet of new granite bridgestones.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is thirty (30) working days.

The amount of security required is Two Thousand Dollars.

No. 9. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR GRADING LOTS ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF SIXTIETH STREET, BETWEEN THIRD AVENUE AND FOURTH AVENUE.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

14,485 cubic yards earth excavation.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract is one hundred (100) days.

The amount of security required is Two Thousand Dollars.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per linear foot, foot B. M., square yard, cubic yard, or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Assistant Commissioner of Public Works, Room No. 15, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn.

MARTIN W. LITTLETON,

President.

Dated AUGUST 23, 1904.

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See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

## OFFICIAL BOROUGH PAPERS.

### BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

"North Side News," "Westchester Independent," "Bronx Sentinel."

### BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

"Staten Islander," "Staten Island Star," "Richmond County Herald," "Richmond County Democrat."

### BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

"Long Island Daily Star," "Flushing Daily Times," "Flushing Evening Journal," "Que

The time of completion is 100 working days.  
The amount of security required is Eight Hundred Dollars.

No. 2. INSTALLING ELECTRIC EQUIPMENT IN NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 112, ON THE SOUTHERLY SIDE OF FIFTEENTH AVENUE, BETWEEN SEVENTY-FIRST AND SEVENTY-SECOND STREETS, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time of completion is 30 working days.  
The amount of security required is Two Thousand Four Hundred Dollars.

No. 3. INSTALLING HEATING AND VENTILATING APPARATUS IN NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 80, ON THE WEST SIDE OF WEST SEVENTEENTH STREET, 145 FEET SOUTH OF NEPTUNE AVENUE, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time of completion is 40 working days.  
The amount of security required is Five Thousand Dollars.

No. 4. INSTALLING HEATING AND VENTILATING APPARATUS IN ADDITION TO AND ALTERATIONS IN PUBLIC SCHOOL 132, ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF CONSELVEA STREET, CORNER OF MANHATTAN AVENUE, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time of completion is 90 working days.  
The amount of security required is Six Thousand Dollars.

No. 5. FURNITURE FOR NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 112, ON FIFTEENTH AVENUE, BETWEEN SEVENTY-FIRST AND SEVENTY-SECOND STREETS, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 60 working days.

The amount of security required is as follows:

Item 1..... \$1,200 00  
Item 2..... 200 00  
Item 3..... 1,200 00  
Item 4..... 500 00

No. 6. ITEM 4. FURNITURE FOR NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 47, ON PACIFIC STREET, BETWEEN THIRD AVENUE AND NEVINS STREET, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time of completion is 60 working days.  
The amount of security required is Five Hundred Dollars.

On Contracts Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4 and 6 the bids will be compared and the contract awarded in a lump sum to the lowest bidder on each contract.

On Contract No. 5 the bidders must state the price of each or any article or item contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, by which the bids will be tested.

The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total of each item and award made to the lowest bidder on each item.

Delivery will be required to be made at the time and manner and in such quantities as may be directed.

Blank forms may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Superintendent at Estimating Room, Hall of the Board of Education, Park Avenue and Fifty-ninth Street, Borough of Manhattan; also at branch office, No. 131 Livingston Street, Borough of Brooklyn.

C. B. J. SNYDER,  
Superintendent of School Buildings.  
SEPTEMBER 7, 1904. 87,19

See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Buildings at the above office of the Department of Education, until 11 o'clock A. M., on

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 19, 1904.

Borough of Manhattan.

No. 7. FORMING CLASSROOMS ON FIFTH STORY OF PUBLIC SCHOOL 188, MANHATTAN, EAST HOUSTON, LEWIS AND EAST THIRD STREETS, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time of completion is 30 working days.  
The amount of security required is Nine Hundred Dollars.

No. 8. SANITARY WORK OF ADDITIONS TO AND ALTERATIONS IN PUBLIC SCHOOL 15, ON THE NORTHERLY SIDE OF EAST FOURTH STREET, ABOUT 256 FEET WESTERLY OF AVENUE D, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time of completion is 90 working days.  
The amount of security required is Seven Thousand Dollars.

No. 9. IMPROVING LOT NO. 534 EAST TWELFTH STREET, ADJOINING PUBLIC SCHOOL 126, NO. 536 EAST TWELFTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time of completion is 30 working days.  
The amount of security required is One Thousand One Hundred Dollars.

Borough of The Bronx.

No. 10. INSTALLING HEATING AND VENTILATING APPARATUS FOR ADDITION TO AND ALTERATIONS IN PUBLIC SCHOOL 11, ON THE WEST SIDE OF OGDEN AVENUE, BETWEEN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-NINTH STREET AND MERIAM AVENUE, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

The time of completion is 60 working days.  
The amount of security required is Five Thousand Dollars.

No. 11. GENERAL EXCAVATION AND CONSTRUCTION, ITEM 1, ALSO PLUMBING AND DRAINAGE, ITEM 2, OF NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 43, WESTERLY SIDE OF BROWN PLACE, BETWEEN ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FIFTH AND ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SIXTH STREETS, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

The time of completion is 150 working days.  
The amount of security required is as follows:

Item 1..... \$13,000 00  
Item 2..... 1,000 00

Borough of Queens.

No. 12. FURNITURE OF NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 84, ON NORTHERLY SIDE OF ALBERT STREET, BETWEEN DITMARS AND POTTER AVENUES, STEINWAY, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time of completion is 60 working days.  
The amount of security required is as follows:

Item 1..... \$700 00  
Item 2..... 500 00  
Item 3..... 1,000 00  
Item 4..... 600 00

No. 13. SANITARY WORK (Contract No. 2) AT BRYANT HIGH SCHOOL, ON NORTHERLY SIDE OF WILBUR AVENUE, BETWEEN ACADEMY AND RADD STREETS, LONG ISLAND CITY, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time of completion is 30 working days.  
The amount of security required is One Thousand Two Hundred Dollars.

On Contract Nos. 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12 the bids will be compared and the contracts awarded in a lump sum to the lowest bidder on each contract.

On Contract Nos. 7, 12 and 13 the bidders must state the price of each or any article or item contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, by which the bids will be tested.

The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total of each item and awards made to the lowest bidder on each item.

Delivery will be required to be made at the time and manner and in such quantities as may be directed.

Blank forms may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Superintendent at Estimating Room, Hall of the Board of Education, Park Avenue and Fifty-ninth Street, Borough of Manhattan; also at Branch Office, No. 69 Broadway, Flushing, Borough of Queens, for work for their respective boroughs.

C. B. J. SNYDER,  
Superintendent of School Buildings.  
SEPTEMBER 7, 1904. 87,19

See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Supplies at the above office of the Department of Education, until 3 o'clock P. M., on

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 1904.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING TEXT-BOOKS, MAPS, GLOBES, CHARTS, PICTURES, ETC., FOR THE DAY AND EVENING ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS, DAY AND EVENING HIGH SCHOOLS AND TRAINING SCHOOLS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before December 31, 1904, and such further time as may be allowed by the contract.

The amount of security required is fifty per cent (50%) of the amount of the bid or estimate.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, by which the bids will be tested. Awards will be made to the lowest bidder on each item.

Delivery will be required to be made to the places designated at the time and in the manner and in such quantities as may be directed.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of School Supplies, Board of Education, the Borough of Manhattan, southwest corner Park Avenue and Fifty-ninth Street.

PATRICK JONES,  
Superintendent of School Supplies.  
Dated SEPTEMBER 2, 1904. 82,14

See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Buildings at the above office of the Department of Education, until 11 o'clock A. M., on

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 12, 1904.

Borough of Manhattan.

No. 1. FOR ADDITION TO AND ALTERATIONS IN PUBLIC SCHOOL 39, NO. 357 WEST THIRTY-FIFTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 60 working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows:

Item 1, Building work..... \$1,500 00  
Item 2, Sanitary work..... 200 00  
Item 3, Heating work..... 1,500 00

Borough of Queens.

No. 2. FOR FURNITURE FOR ADDITIONS TO PUBLIC SCHOOLS 22, 37, 53 AND 54, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed to complete the whole work on each school will be 60 working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows:

Public School 22, Item 1..... \$200 00  
Public School 22, Item 2..... 200 00  
Public School 37, Item 1..... 200 00  
Public School 37, Item 2..... 250 00  
Public School 53, Item 1..... 200 00  
Public School 53, Item 2..... 275 00  
Public School 54, Item 1..... 200 00  
Public School 54, Item 2..... 275 00

On Contracts Nos. 1 and 2 the bidders must state the price of each or any article or item contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed by which the bids will be tested.

The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total of each item and award made to the lowest bidder on each item.

Delivery will be required to be made at the time and manner and in such quantities as may be directed.

Blank forms may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Superintendent at Estimating Room, Hall of the Board of Education, Park Avenue and Fifty-ninth Street, Borough of Manhattan; also at Branch Office, No. 69 Broadway, Flushing, Borough of Queens, for work for their respective boroughs.

C. B. J. SNYDER,  
Superintendent of School Buildings.  
AUGUST 31, 1904. 83,512

See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Buildings at the above office of the Department of Education, until 11 o'clock A. M., on

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 19, 1904.

Borough of Manhattan.

No. 1. FORMING CLASSROOMS ON FIFTH STORY OF PUBLIC SCHOOL 188, MANHATTAN, EAST HOUSTON, LEWIS AND EAST THIRD STREETS, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time of completion is 30 working days.  
The amount of security required is Nine Hundred Dollars.

No. 2. SANITARY WORK OF ADDITIONS TO AND ALTERATIONS IN PUBLIC SCHOOL 15, ON THE NORTHERLY SIDE OF EAST FOURTH STREET, ABOUT 256 FEET WESTERLY OF AVENUE D, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time of completion is 90 working days.  
The amount of security required is Seven Thousand Dollars.

No. 3. IMPROVING LOT NO. 534 EAST TWELFTH STREET, ADJOINING PUBLIC SCHOOL 126, NO. 536 EAST TWELFTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time of completion is 30 working days.  
The amount of security required is One Thousand One Hundred Dollars.

Borough of The Bronx.

No. 4. INSTALLING HEATING AND VENTILATING APPARATUS FOR ADDITION TO AND ALTERATIONS IN PUBLIC SCHOOL 11, ON THE WEST SIDE OF OGDEN AVENUE, BETWEEN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-NINTH STREET AND MERIAM AVENUE, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

The time of completion is 60 working days.  
The amount of security required is Five Thousand Dollars.

No. 5. GENERAL EXCAVATION AND CONSTRUCTION, ITEM 1, ALSO PLUMBING AND DRAINAGE, ITEM 2, OF NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 43, WESTERLY SIDE OF BROWN PLACE, BETWEEN ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FIFTH AND ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SIXTH STREETS, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

The time of completion is 150 working days.  
The amount of security required is as follows:

Item 1..... \$13,000 00  
Item 2..... 1,000 00

Borough of Queens.

No. 6. FURNITURE OF NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 84, ON NORTHERLY SIDE OF ALBERT STREET, BETWEEN DITMARS AND POTTER AVENUES, STEINWAY, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time of completion is 60 working days.  
The amount of security required is as follows:

Item 1..... \$700 00  
Item 2..... 500 00  
Item 3..... 1,000 00  
Item 4..... 600 00

No. 7. SANITARY WORK (Contract No. 2) AT BRYANT HIGH SCHOOL, ON NORTHERLY SIDE OF WILBUR AVENUE, BETWEEN ACADEMY AND RADD STREETS, LONG ISLAND CITY, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time of completion is 30 working days.  
The amount of security required is One Thousand Two Hundred Dollars.

On Contract Nos. 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12 the bids will be compared and the contracts awarded in a lump sum to the lowest bidder on each contract.

On Contract Nos. 7, 12 and 13 the bidders must state the price of each or any article or item contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, by which the bids will be tested.

when such assessments became liens, as provided by section 150 of this act."

Section 150 of this act provides \* \* \* "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and on Saturdays from 9 A. M. until 12 M., and all payments made thereon on or before November 7, 1904, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when the above assessments became liens to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT,  
Comptroller.  
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, September 7, 1904. 82,22

INTEREST ON CITY BONDS AND STOCK.

THE INTEREST DUE NOVEMBER 1, 1904, 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 37).

The Transfer Books thereof will be closed from October 15, 1904, to November 1, 1904.

The interest due November 1, 1904, 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, 1904, 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.

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.  
THE CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, September 2, 1904. 83,31

NOTICE OF SALE OF LANDS AND TENEMENTS WITHIN THAT PART OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK KNOWN AS THE FIRST WARD OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS, FORMERLY KNOWN AS LONG ISLAND CITY, FOR THE UNPAID ASSESSMENTS LEVIED FOR IMPROVEMENT OF GRAND AVENUE AND MAIN STREET.

CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
OFFICE OF THE BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS AND ARREARS, STEWART BUILDING,  
No. 280 BROADWAY, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.  
July 1, 1904.

UNDER THE DIRECTION OF EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller of The City of New York, the undersigned hereby gives public notice, pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 514, Laws of 1897, and of the Greater New York Charter, Chapter 466, Laws of 1901,

That the respective owners of the lands and tenements within that part of the City of New York, now known as the First Ward of the Borough of Queens, formerly known as Long Island City, on which the assessments levied for the local improvement, known as the IMPROVEMENT OF GRAND AVENUE AND MAIN STREET, confirmed April 1, 1897, now remain unpaid, are required to pay the amount of the assessment so due and remaining unpaid, together with the interest thereon at the rate of ten per cent. per annum and the charges of this notice and the advertisement, to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, at his office in the Department of Finance, Hackett Building, Jackson Avenue and Fifth Street, Long Island City, Borough of Queens.

And if default shall be made in such payment, such lands and tenements will be sold at public auction, at the office of the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, as given herein, in the Borough of Queens, in the City of New York, on Monday, the 5th day of December, 1904, at 1 o'clock P. M., for the lowest term of years for which any person shall offer to take the same, in consideration of advancing the amount of the assessment so due and unpaid and the interest and charges thereon, as aforesaid, and all other costs and charges that may have accrued thereon; and such sale shall be continued from time to time until all the lands and tenements as advertised for sale shall be sold.

And notice is hereby further given that a detailed statement of the amount due and unpaid on each assessment, a description of the property, and the ownership of the property assessed, is published in a pamphlet, and that copies of the pamphlet are deposited in the offices of the Collector of Assessments and Arrears in the Department of Finance, situated respectively in the Boroughs of Manhattan and Queens, and will be delivered to any person applying for the same.

EDWARD A. SLATTERY,  
Collector of Assessments and Arrears.  
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NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessments for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF THE BRONX:

TWENTY-THIRD WARD, SECTION 10.

DAWSON STREET—PAVING, from East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth Street to Longwood Avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Dawson Street, from East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth Street to Longwood Avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets.

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 11.

EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SIXTH STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING, from Webster Avenue to Park Avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth Street, from Webster Avenue to Park Avenue.

That the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on August 31, 1904, and entered on September 1, 1904, in the Record of Titles of Assessments kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter. Said section provides that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 119 of this act."

Section 119 of this act provides \* \* \* "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, corner of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh Street and

Third Avenue, Borough of The Bronx, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and on Saturdays from 9 A. M. to 12 M., and all payments made thereon on or before October 31, 1904, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessments became liens to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT,  
Comptroller.  
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, September 1, 1904. 82,16

NOTICE OF POSTPONEMENT OF THE SALE of lands and tenements within that part of The City of New York known as the Borough of Manhattan, for unpaid taxes and unpaid Croton Water rents, advertised to be held on Friday, September 2, 1904, is postponed to Thursday, March 2, 1905, pursuant to Section 1029 of the Greater New York Charter.

EDWARD M. GROUT,  
Comptroller.  
82,16

INTEREST ON CITY BONDS AND STOCK.

THE INTEREST DUE OCTOBER 1, 1904, 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 37).

The Transfer Books thereof will be closed from September 15 to October 1, 1904.

The interest due October 1, 1904, 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 October 1, 1904, 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.

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.  
THE CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, September 1, 1904. 81,01

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF TAXES, NEW YORK, September 1, 1904.

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 returned by mail at the earliest possible moment and avoid any delay caused by waiting on lines, as required in case of personal application.

The requisition must be addressed and mailed to the Deputy Receiver of Taxes in whichever 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.

JACOB S. VAN WYCK, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn, New York.

FREDERICK W. BLECKWEN, corner Jackson Avenue and Fifth Street, Long Island City, Borough of Queens, New York.

JOHN DE MORGAN, Bay and Sand Streets, Stapleton, Staten Island, Borough of Richmond, New York.

After receiving the bills, the taxpayer will see that they are properly rebated, then draw check for the net amount to the order of the Receiver of Taxes and mail bill and check, with an addressed envelope, with the return postage prepaid, to the Deputy Receiver in whichever borough the property is located.

Checks should be mailed as soon as possible after the bills have been received by the taxpayer.

All bills paid during October must be rebated before payment.

DAVID E. AUSTEN,  
Receiver of Taxes.  
81,30

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

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 1904,

at 12 o'clock M., at the Comptroller's office, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, all the right, title and interest of The City of New York of the following described property which it has by virtue of a lease from William V. B. Bennett, Supervisor of the Town of Gravesend, to the City of Brooklyn, which lease is dated December 28, 1895, and recorded December 31, 1895, in Liber 1, page 500, section 21, Block 7280, in the Kings County Register's office, in and to all that certain lot known as and by the number three (3) upon the assessment roll, for the opening of Sea Breeze Avenue, from West Fifth to East Fifth Streets, in the late Town of

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, CITY OF NEW YORK,  
March 26, 1903.

**UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE AND UNLESS** otherwise directed in any special case, one surety company will be accepted as sufficient upon all contracts for supplies for furniture, and for gas and electric lighting to any amount, and upon the following contracts to the amounts named:

For supplies and furniture, with patented articles.....	\$5,000
Regulating, grading, paving (other than asphalt).....	
Not over 2 years.....	\$15,000
Over 2 years.....	5,000
School building repairs.....	10,000
Heating and lighting apparatus.....	5,000
New buildings—New docks.....	25,000
Sewers—Dredging and water mains—	
Not over 2 years.....	10,000
Over 2 years.....	5,000

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

## COMMISSIONERS OF THE COMMON LANDS FUND.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE COMMON LANDS FUND OF THE LATE TOWN OF GRAVESEND, CITY HALL, NEW YORK.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE** received by the Commissioners of the Common Lands Fund of the late Town of Gravesend, at the office of the Mayor, City Hall, New York, until 3 o'clock P. M., on

**FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 16, 1904.**

FOR REGULATING AND MACADAMIZING THE ROADWAYS OF KINGS HIGHWAY, FROM OCEAN AVENUE TO THE EASTERLY BOUNDARY OF THE FORMER TOWN OF GRAVESEND; AVENUE T, FROM VAN SICKLEN STREET TO GRAVESEND AVENUE; NECK ROAD, FROM OCEAN PARKWAY TO RYDER AVENUE, AND RYDER AVENUE, FROM NECK ROAD TO KINGS HIGHWAY.

The engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

23,662 square yards of macadam pavement.  
500 feet, B. M., spruce or yellow pine lumber for box drains.

The time for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract is seventy-five (75) working days.

The amount of security required is Eight Thousand Dollars.

The bidder will state the prices of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules, per square yard, or per M. B. M.

The bids will be compared and a contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.

The work will be commenced and carried on in the manner directed.

Further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Chief Engineer of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Room 801, No. 277 Broadway, New York.

Dated AUGUST 31, 1904.

GEORGE B. McCLELLAN,  
Mayor of The City of New York;

EDWARD M. GROUT,  
Comptroller of The City of New York;

W. V. B. BENNETT,  
Supervisor of the late Town of Gravesend,  
Commissioners of the Common Lands Fund of the late Town of Gravesend.

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## DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES, PIER "A," FOOT OF BATTERY PLACE, NORTH RIVER, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE RECEIVED** by the Commissioner of Docks at the above office until 2 o'clock P. M., on

**FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 16, 1904.**

**Borough of Manhattan.**

CONTRACT No. 864.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ABOUT 750 TONS OF NUT, STOVE OR EGG COAL (ANTHRACITE) AND ABOUT 25 TONS OF CUMBERLAND COAL.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of 270 calendar days.

The amount of security required is for—

Class I..... \$1,500

Class II..... 50

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per pound, ton, dozen, gallon, yard or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total for each class and awards made to the lowest bidder on each class.

Delivery will be required to be made at the time and in the manner and in such quantities as may be directed.

**BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.**

CONTRACT No. 868.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR BUILDING A THIRD-STORY ADDITION TO THE INNER END OF THE BUILDING ON PIER "A," N. R., AND FOR MAKING ALTERATIONS AND REPAIRS TO PRESENT BUILDING INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of 45 calendar days.

The amount of security required is Five Thousand Dollars.

The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

Work will be required to be done at the time and in the manner and in such quantities as may be directed.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the said Department.

MAURICE FEATHERSON,  
Commissioner of Docks.

Dated SEPTEMBER 1, 1904.

**See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."**

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES, PIER "A," FOOT OF BATTERY PLACE, NORTH RIVER, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE RECEIVED** by the Commissioner of Docks at the above office until 2 o'clock P. M., on

**TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 1904.**

**Borough of Manhattan.**

CONTRACT No. 867.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ABOUT 10,000 BARRELS OF PORTLAND CEMENT.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of 210 calendar days.

The amount of security required is Six Thousand Dollars.

Deliveries will be required to be made at the time and in the manner specified.

CONTRACT NO. 870.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR DREDGING ABOUT 10,000 CUBIC YARDS ON THE NORTH, EAST AND HARLEM RIVERS.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of September 30, 1905.

The amount of security required is Four Thousand Dollars.

The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.

Dredging will be required to be done at the time and in the manner specified.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the said Department.

MAURICE FEATHERSON,  
Commissioner of Docks.

Dated AUGUST 27, 1904.

**See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."**

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES, PIER "A," NORTH RIVER, NEW YORK, MARCH 31, 1904.

**THE COMMISSIONER HAS FIXED THE** amounts of bonds required on contracts awarded by this Department, as follows:

On all contracts for supplies, 40 per cent. of the estimated cost;

On all contracts, other than contracts for supplies, where the estimated cost is not over \$200,000, 40 per cent. of the estimated cost;

On all contracts, other than contracts for supplies, where the estimated cost is over \$200,000, but not over \$1,000,000, 25 per cent. of the estimated cost;

On all contracts, other than contracts for supplies where the estimated cost is over \$1,000,000, 20 per cent. of the estimated cost.

CHARLES J. COLLINS,  
Secretary.

Dated AUGUST 27, 1904.

**See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."**

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES, PIER "A," NORTH RIVER, NEW YORK, MARCH 31, 1904.

**THE COMMISSIONER HAS FIXED THE** amounts of bonds required on contracts awarded by this Department, as follows:

On all contracts for supplies, 40 per cent. of the estimated cost;

On all contracts, other than contracts for supplies, where the estimated cost is not over \$200,000, 40 per cent. of the estimated cost;

On all contracts, other than contracts for supplies, where the estimated cost is over \$200,000, but not over \$1,000,000, 25 per cent. of the estimated cost;

On all contracts, other than contracts for supplies where the estimated cost is over \$1,000,000, 20 per cent. of the estimated cost.

CHARLES J. COLLINS,  
Secretary.

Dated AUGUST 27, 1904.

**See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."**

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES, PIER "A," NORTH RIVER, NEW YORK, MARCH 31, 1904.

**THE COMMISSIONER HAS FIXED THE** amounts of bonds required on contracts awarded by this Department, as follows:

On all contracts for supplies, 40 per cent. of the estimated cost;

On all contracts, other than contracts for supplies, where the estimated cost is not over \$200,000, 40 per cent. of the estimated cost;

On all contracts, other than contracts for supplies, where the estimated cost is over \$200,000, but not over \$1,000,000, 25 per cent. of the estimated cost;

On all contracts, other than contracts for supplies where the estimated cost is over \$1,000,000, 20 per cent. of the estimated cost.

CHARLES J. COLLINS,  
Secretary.

Dated AUGUST 27, 1904.

**See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."**

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES, PIER "A," NORTH RIVER, NEW YORK, MARCH 31, 1904.

**THE COMMISSIONER HAS FIXED THE** amounts of bonds required on contracts awarded by this Department, as follows:

On all contracts for supplies, 40 per cent. of the estimated cost;

On all contracts, other than contracts for supplies, where the estimated cost is not over \$200,000, 40 per cent. of the estimated cost;

On all contracts, other than contracts for supplies, where the estimated cost is over \$200,000, but not over \$1,000,000, 25 per cent. of the estimated cost;

On all contracts, other than contracts for supplies where the estimated cost is over \$1,000,000, 20 per cent. of the estimated cost.

CHARLES J. COLLINS,  
Secretary.

Dated AUGUST 27, 1904.

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DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES, PIER "A," NORTH RIVER, NEW YORK, MARCH 31, 1904.

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CHARLES J. COLLINS,  
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be stated, but for more general information application should be made at the office of the Commission.

Unless otherwise specifically stated, the minimum age requirement for all positions is 21.

HENRY BERLINGER, Secretary.

12-24-03

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 61 ELM STREET, NEW YORK CITY, August 19, 1904.

**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT** open competitive examinations will be held for the following positions:

GARDENER—MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 12, 1904, AT 10 A. M.

The receipt of applications will close on Tuesday, September 6, at 4 P. M.

The scope of the examination will be as follows:

Technical..... 6

Experience..... 4

Percentage required, 75 on technical paper, and 70 on total.

The salary attached to this position is \$75 per month. The minimum age is 21.

INSPECTOR OF REGULATING, GRADING AND PAVING—WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 1904, AT 10 A. M.

The receipt of applications will close on Wednesday, September 7, 1904, at 4 P. M.

The scope of the examination will be as follows:

Technical..... 5

Mathematics..... 1

Report..... 2

Experience..... 2

Percentage required, 75 on technical paper and 70 on total.

The salary attached to this position is from \$3.50 to \$4.00 per day.

The minimum age is 21.

LIBRARIAN IN CHARGE (Men and Women)—THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 1904, AT 10 A. M.

The receipt of applications will close on Thursday, September 8, 1904, at 4 P. M.

The scope of the examination will be as follows:

Special Paper..... 6

Arithmetic..... 3

Letter..... 1

Percentage required, 75 on special paper and 70 on total.

The salary is \$1,200 per annum and upwards.

The minimum age is 21.

CORONER'S PHYSICIAN—WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 21, 1904, AT 10 A. M.

The receipt of applications will close on Saturday, September 10, at 12 M.

The scope of the examination is as follows:

Technical..... 6

Experience..... 4

Percentage required, 75 on technical paper and 70 on total.

The salary attached to this position is \$3,000 per annum.

The minimum age is 21.

ASSISTANT SECRETARY—FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 23, 1904, AT 10 A. M.

The receipt of applications will close on Monday, September 12, at 4 P. M.

The scope of the examination is as follows:

Special paper..... 5

Mathematics..... 2

Letter..... 2

Experience..... 1

Percentage required is 70.

The salaries attached to this position range from \$1,200 to \$3,000 per annum (grades 4 to 10).

The minimum age is 21.

CLERK DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS—TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 27, 1904, AT 10 A. M.

The receipt of applications will close on Wednesday, September 14, at 4 P. M.

The subjects and weights of the examination are as follows:

Clerical..... 15

Spelling..... 15

Diction..... 15

Writing..... 30

Arithmetic..... 20

Letter..... 20

Special paper..... 50

Percentage required, 70 on clerical and 70 on special.

The salary attached to this position is \$1,200 per annum.

The minimum age is 21.

IANITOR—THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 29, 1904, AT 10 A. M.

The receipt of applications will close on Thursday, September 15, at 4 P. M.

The scope of the examination is as follows:

Special paper..... 5

Arithmetic..... 1

Handwriting..... 1

Experience..... 3

Percentage required is 70.

A physical examination is required preliminary to the mental.

The salary attached to the position is \$900 per annum and upwards.

The minimum age is 21.

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on or before October 4, 1904, at 1 P. M., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

ROBERT MUH,  
ANTONIO ZUCCA,  
CHARLES A. O'MALLEY,  
Board of Assessors.  
WILLIAM H. JASPER, Secretary, No. 320 Broadway.  
CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,  
September 2, 1904.  
52,14

## BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE** Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to lay out a new street along the southern line of the proposed "Joseph Rodman Drake" Park in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on September 16, 1904, at 10.30 o'clock A. M., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions, adopted by the Board on June 17, 1904, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out a new street along the southern line of the proposed "Joseph Rodman Drake" Park in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

"Beginning at a point on the westerly line of Whittier street 200 feet south of the southerly line of the Eastern Boulevard;

Thence running westerly, on a line parallel to the Eastern Boulevard, 200 feet to the easterly line of Longfellow street;

Thence running southerly along the easterly line of Longfellow street for 50 feet;

Thence running easterly, on a line parallel to the Eastern Boulevard for 200 feet to the westerly line of Whittier street;

Thence running northerly along the westerly line of Whittier street for 50 feet to the point or place of beginning."

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 16th day of September, 1904, at 10.30 o'clock A. M.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the CITY RECORD for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 16th day of September, 1904.

JOHN H. MOONEY,  
Assistant Secretary.  
51,13

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE** Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to lay out as a public park the property bounded by Bedford and Atlantic avenues, Brevort and Bedford places, in the Borough of Brooklyn, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on September 16, 1904, at 10.30 o'clock A. M., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions, adopted by the Board on June 17, 1904, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

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"Beginning at the intersection of the westerly line of Bedford avenue with the northerly line of Atlantic avenue;

1. Thence westerly along the northerly line of Atlantic avenue 251.75 feet to its intersection with the easterly line of Bedford place;

2. Thence northerly along the easterly line of Bedford place 125.42 feet to its intersection with the southerly line of Brevort place;

3. Thence easterly along the southerly line of Brevort place 23.1 feet to its intersection with the westerly line of Bedford avenue;

4. Thence southerly along the westerly line of Bedford avenue 427.58 feet to the point of beginning."

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 16th day of September, 1904, at 10.30 o'clock A. M.

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**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE** Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to change the grade of Harrison avenue, between Tremont avenue and Burnside avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on September 16, 1904, at 10.30 o'clock A. M., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board, all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions, adopted by the Board on June 17, 1904, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

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1. The elevation of the grade of Harrison avenue at Tremont avenue to be 117.0 feet above mean high-water datum, as heretofore;

2. The elevation of the grade at a point 400 feet southerly of the centre line of the Drainage street to be 122.0 feet above mean high-water datum;

3. The elevation of the grade at the centre line of Drainage street to be 122.0 feet above mean high-water datum;

4. The elevation of the grade at a point 500 feet southerly from the point of tangency at Burnside avenue to be 115.4 feet above mean high-water datum;

5. The elevation of the grade at the point of

tangency where Harrison avenue connects with Burnside avenue to be 91.0 feet above mean high-water datum.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 16th day of September, 1904, at 10.30 o'clock A. M.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the CITY RECORD for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 16th day of September, 1904.

JOHN H. MOONEY,  
Assistant Secretary.  
51,13

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE** Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to change the lines of Third avenue, by widening said avenue on its easterly side between Willis avenue and East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, in the Borough of The Bronx, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on September 16, 1904, at 10.30 o'clock A. M., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions, adopted by the Board on August 19, 1904, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

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Third avenue is to be widened from 80 feet to 100.9 feet on its easterly side from East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street to Willis avenue, which affects three buildings on the easterly side of Third avenue and Willis avenue, directly south of East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 16th day of September, 1904, at 10.30 o'clock A. M.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the CITY RECORD for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 16th day of September, 1904.

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Beginning at the intersection of the southern line of Eastern Boulevard with the western line of Whittier street.

1. Thence running southerly along the western line of Whittier street for 200 feet;

2. Thence westerly on a line parallel to the Eastern Boulevard for 200 feet to the eastern line of Longfellow street;

3. Thence northerly along the eastern line of Longfellow street to the southern line of Eastern Boulevard;

4. Thence easterly along said southern line of the Eastern Boulevard for 200 feet to the point of beginning.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 16th day of September, 1904, at 10.30 o'clock A. M.

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JOHN H. MOONEY,  
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51,13

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE** Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to change the grade of Hulst street, between Greenpoint avenue and the Long Island Railroad tracks, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on September 16, 1904, at 10.30 o'clock A. M., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board, all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions, adopted by the Board on June 17, 1904, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

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Beginning at the intersection of Greenpoint avenue and Hulst street, the elevation to be 59.00 feet; thence northerly to the intersection of Anable avenue, the elevation to be 77.50 feet; thence northerly to the intersection of Nott avenue, the elevation to be 65.00 feet; thence northerly to the intersection of Thomson avenue, the elevation to be 60.50 feet; thence northerly 190 feet, the elevation to be 61.35 feet; thence northerly to the

intersection of Foster avenue, the elevation to be 59.00 feet; thence northerly to the intersection of Skillman avenue, the elevation to be 54.00 feet; thence northerly to the intersection of Middleburg avenue, the elevation to be 37.00 feet; thence northerly to the intersection of the Long Island Railroad, the elevation to be 29.50 feet, as heretofore; thence northerly to the intersection of Jackson avenue, the elevation to be 27.94 feet, as heretofore.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 16th day of September, 1904, at 10.30 o'clock A. M.

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JOHN H. MOONEY,  
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51,13

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE** Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to change the grade in the territory bounded by Newport avenue, Rockaway avenue, East Ninety-eighth street and Hegeman avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on September 16, 1904, at 10.30 o'clock A. M., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions, adopted by the Board on June 17, 1904, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

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Newport Street.

Beginning at the intersection of Newport street and Douglass street, the elevation to be 24.67 feet, as heretofore;

Thence easterly to the intersection of Ames street, the elevation to be 22.60 feet;

Thence easterly to the intersection of Amboy street, the elevation to be 23.36 feet;

Thence easterly to the intersection of Hopkinson avenue, the elevation to be 24.06 feet, as heretofore;

Thence easterly to the intersection of Bristol street, the elevation to be 22.54 feet;

Thence easterly to the intersection of Chester street, the elevation to be 21.12 feet;

Thence easterly to the intersection of Rockaway avenue, the elevation to be 19.50 feet;

Thence easterly to the intersection of Thatford avenue, the elevation to be 20.09 feet, as heretofore.

Lott Avenue.

Beginning at the intersection of Lott avenue and East Ninety-eighth street, the elevation to be 22.39 feet, as heretofore;

Thence easterly to the intersection of Douglass street, the elevation to be 21.31 feet;

Thence easterly to the intersection of Ames street, the elevation to be 22.31 feet, as heretofore;

Thence easterly to the intersection of Amboy street, the elevation to be 19.26 feet;

Thence easterly to the intersection of Hopkinson avenue, the elevation to be 20.42 feet, as heretofore;

Thence easterly to the intersection of Bristol street, the elevation to be 19.55 feet;

Thence easterly to the intersection of Chester street, the elevation to be 18.68 feet;

Thence easterly to the intersection of Rockaway avenue, the elevation to be 17.80 feet;

Thence easterly to the intersection of Thatford avenue, the elevation to be 16.08 feet, as heretofore.

Ames Street.

Beginning at the intersection of Ames street and Lott avenue, the elevation to be 22.31 feet, as heretofore;

Thence northerly to the intersection of Newport street, the elevation to be 22.60 feet;

Thence northerly to the intersection of Riverdale avenue, the elevation to be 26.67 feet, as heretofore.

Amboy Street.

Beginning at the intersection of Amboy street and Hegeman avenue, the elevation to be 20.19 feet, as heretofore;

Thence northerly to the intersection of Lott avenue, the elevation to be 19.26 feet;

Thence northerly to the intersection of Newport street, the elevation to be 23.36 feet;

Thence northerly to the intersection of Riverdale avenue, the elevation to be 26.93 feet, as heretofore.

Bristol Street.

Beginning at the intersection of Bristol street and Hegeman avenue, the elevation to be 17.64 feet, as heretofore;

Thence northerly to the intersection of Lott avenue, the elevation to be 19.55 feet;

Thence northerly to the intersection of Newport street, the elevation to be 22.54 feet;

Thence northerly to the intersection of Riverdale avenue, the elevation to be 28.87 feet, as heretofore.

Chester street.

Beginning at the intersection of Chester street and Hegeman avenue, the elevation to be 16.50 feet, as heretofore;

Thence northerly to the intersection of Lott avenue, the elevation to be 18.68 feet;

Thence northerly to the intersection of Newport street, the elevation to be 21.02 feet;

Thence northerly to the intersection of Riverdale avenue, the elevation to be 27.55 feet, as heretofore.

Rockaway avenue.

Beginning at the intersection of Rockaway avenue and Hegeman avenue, the elevation to be 15.34 feet, as heretofore;

Thence northerly to the intersection of Lott avenue, the elevation to be 17.80 feet;

Thence northerly to the intersection of Newport street, the elevation to be 19.50 feet;

Thence northerly to the intersection of Riverdale avenue, the elevation to be 23.85 feet, as heretofore.

Douglass street.

Beginning at the intersection of Douglass street and East Ninety-eighth street, the elevation to be 21.44 feet, as heretofore;

Thence northerly to the intersection of Lott avenue, the elevation to be 21.31 feet;

Thence northerly to the intersection of Newport street, the elevation to be 24.67 feet, as heretofore.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 16th day of September, 1904, at 10.30 o'clock A. M.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the CITY RECORD and the corporation newspapers for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 16th day of September, 1904.

JOHN H. MOONEY,  
Assistant Secretary.  
51,13

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE** Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to lay out an extension of Bathgate avenue from East One Hundred and Eighty-eighth street to Pelham avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on September 16, 1904, at 10.30 o'clock A. M., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions, adopted by the Board on June 17, 1904, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out an extension of Bathgate avenue from East One Hundred and Eighty-eighth street to Pelham avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

### Laying Out.

Bathgate avenue, which is at the present time laid out northerly as far as East One Hundred and Eighty-eighth street, is to be extended northerly to Pelham avenue at a width of sixty (60) feet, and in such manner that it is a direct continuation of the lines in the block below East One Hundred and Eighty-eighth street.

### Grades.

1. The elevation of the grade at the intersection of Bathgate avenue with East One Hundred and Eighty-eighth street to be 85.0 feet above mean high-water datum, as heretofore.

2. The elevation of the grade at the centre of the block between East One Hundred and Eighty-eighth street and East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street to be 90.0 feet above mean high-water datum.

3. The elevation of the grade at the intersection of Bathgate avenue with East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street to be 86.0 feet above mean high-water datum, and the grade established at a point 395 feet easterly of Washington avenue as 86.0 feet above mean high-water datum is to be abandoned, making a uniform grade in East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street, from Bathgate avenue to Washington avenue.

4. The elevation of the grade at the intersection of Bathgate avenue and Pelham avenue to be the same as heretofore, Pelham avenue having been graded at a uniform grade between Lorillard place and Washington avenue.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 16th day of September, 1904, at 10.30 o'clock A. M.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the CITY RECORD for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 16th day of September, 1904.

JOHN H. MOONEY,  
Assistant Secretary.  
51,13

## CHANGE OF GRADE DAMAGE COMMISSION.

### TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS.

**PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 537 of the Laws of 1893 and the Acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, notice is hereby given that meetings of the Commissioners appointed under said Acts will be held at the office of the Commission, Room 138, No. 280 Broadway (Stewart Building), Borough of Manhattan, New York City, on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays of each week, at 2 o'clock P. M., until further notice.**

Dated NEW YORK CITY, March 26, 1904.

WILLIAM E. STILLINGS,  
CHARLES A. JACKSON,  
OSCAR S. BAILEY,  
Commissioners.

LAMONT McLOUGHLIN,  
Clerk.

## SUPREME COURT.

### FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

In the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises situated on the northerly line of FORTY-FIRST STREET and the southerly line of FORTY-SECOND STREET, between Second and Third avenues, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, duly selected as a site for school purposes.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT IT IS** the intention of the Corporation Counsel to make application at a Special Term of the Supreme Court, Part I., to be held at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 23d day of September, 1904, for the appointment of three disinterested citizens, residents of the Borough of Manhattan, as Commissioners of Estimate and Appraisal, to ascertain and appraise the compensation to be made to the owners and all persons interested in the real property situated in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the northerly line of East Forty-first street distant one hundred and five (105) feet easterly from the easterly line of Third avenue, and running thence northerly and parallel with Third avenue one hundred and nineteen (119) feet nine (9) inches to the southerly line of lands of Public School 27; thence southerly along the southerly line of said lands of Public School 27 thirty-eight (38) feet eleven (11) inches to an angle in said line; thence easterly and still along the southerly line of said lands of Public School 27 sixty-seven (67) feet two (2) inches to the easterly line of lands of said school; thence northerly along the said easterly line of lands of Public School 27 ninety-eight (98) feet nine (9) inches to the southerly line of East Forty-second street; thence easterly along the southerly line of East Forty-second street fifty (50) feet; thence southerly and parallel with Third avenue one hundred and ninety-seven (197) feet six (6) inches to the northerly line of East Forty-first street; thence westerly along the northerly line of East Forty-first street one hundred and fifty (150) feet to the point or place of beginning.

Dated NEW YORK, September 9, 1904.

JOHN J. DELANY,  
Corporation Counsel,  
No. 2 Tryon Row,  
New York City.  
512,24

## FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

In the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises situated on the easterly side of ANDREWS AVENUE, and the westerly side of BURNSIDE AVENUE, adjoining Public School 26, in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, duly selected as a site for school purposes.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT IT IS** the intention of the Corporation Counsel to make application at a Special Term of the Supreme Court, Part I., to be held at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 23d day of September, 1904, at the opening of the Court on that day, for the appointment of three disinterested citizens, residents of the Borough of The Bronx, as Commissioners of Estimate and Appraisal, to ascertain and appraise the compensation to be made to the owners and all persons interested in the real property situated in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the northerly line of the lands of Public School 26 with the easterly line of Andrews avenue, and running thence northerly along the easterly line of Andrews avenue fifty (50) feet; thence easterly and parallel with the said northerly line of the lands of Public School 26 to the westerly line of Burnside avenue; thence southerly along the westerly line of Burnside avenue to the northerly line of lands of Public School 26; thence westerly along the said northerly line of the lands of Public School 26 to the easterly line of Andrews avenue, the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, September 9, 1904.

JOHN J. DELANY,  
Corporation Counsel,  
No. 2 Tryon Row,  
New York City.  
812,24

## FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

In the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises situated at the southwesterly corner of PITT and RIVINGTON STREETS, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, duly selected as a site for school purposes.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT IT IS** the intention of the Corporation Counsel to make application at a Special Term of the Supreme Court, Part I., to be held at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 23d day of September, 1904, for the appointment of the disinterested citizens, residents of the Borough of Manhattan, as Commissioners of Estimate and Appraisal, to ascertain and appraise the compensation to be made to the owner, and all persons interested in the real property situated in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the westerly line of Pitt street with the southerly line of Rivington street, and running thence westerly along the southerly line of Rivington street seventy-five (75) feet to the easterly line of the lands of Public School 4; thence southerly along the said easterly line of land of Public School 4 fifty-three (53) feet six (6) inches; thence easterly and parallel with Rivington street seventy-five (75) feet to the westerly line of Pitt street; thence northerly along the westerly line of Pitt street fifty-three (53) feet six (6) inches to the southerly line of Rivington street, the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, September 9, 1904.

JOHN J. DELANY,  
Corporation Counsel,  
No. 2 Tryon Row,  
New York City.  
812,24

## FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

In the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises situated on the northerly line of ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-FIFTH STREET, and the southerly line of ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-FIRST STREET, between Alexander and Brook avenues, in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, duly selected as a site for school purposes.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT IT IS** the intention of the Corporation Counsel to make application at a Special Term of the Supreme Court, Part I., to be held at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 23d day of September, 1904, at the opening of the Court on that day, for the appointment of three disinterested citizens, residents of the Borough of The Bronx, as Commissioners of Estimate and Appraisal, to ascertain and appraise the compensation to be made to the owners and all persons interested in the real property situated in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the northerly line of East One Hundred and Fortieth street distant one hundred and thirty and eight-tenths (130.8) feet easterly from the easterly line of Alexander avenue, and running thence northerly and parallel, or nearly so, with Alexander avenue to a point on the southerly line of East One Hundred and Fortieth street distant one hundred and thirty-four and thirty-two one-hundredths (134.32) feet easterly from the easterly line of Alexander avenue; thence easterly along the southerly line of East One Hundred and Fortieth street one hundred and forty-seven and one-tenth (147.1) feet; thence southerly and again parallel with Alexander avenue two hundred (200) feet to the northerly line of East One Hundred and Fortieth street; thence westerly along the northerly line of East One Hundred and Fortieth street one hundred and fifty and fifty-five one-hundredths (150.55) feet to the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, September 9, 1904.

JOHN J. DELANY,  
Corporation Counsel,  
No. 2 Tryon Row,  
New York City.  
812,24

## FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening GRANT AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from East One Hundred and Sixty-first street to East One Hundred and Seventieth street, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-third Ward of 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 im-

proved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our supplemental and amended estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments 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 27th day of September, 1904, 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 27th day of September, 1904, at 3 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said supplemental and amended estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, to remain until the 8th day of October, 1904.

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 southerly side of East One Hundred and Seventy-first street with the middle line of the block between Sheridan avenue and the Grand Boulevard and Concourse; thence easterly along said southerly side of East One Hundred and Seventy-first street to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to Morris avenue and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side thereof; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the northerly side of East One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street; thence westerly along said northerly side of East One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street to its intersection with the prolongation southerly of a line drawn parallel to Sherman avenue and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly side thereof; thence northerly along said prolongation and parallel line to its intersection with the easterly side of Sheridan avenue; thence northerly along said easterly side of Sheridan avenue to the southerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street; thence westerly along said southerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between the Grand Boulevard and Concourse and Sheridan avenue; thence northerly along said middle line of the blocks to the point or place of beginning, as such streets are shown upon the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 17th day of November, 1904, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, August 18, 1904.

ALVIN SUMMERS, Chairman;  
RICHARD LAWRENCE,  
R. E. SIMON,  
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,  
Clerk.  
87,24

## FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

In the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises situated on JACKSON AVENUE, HOME STREET AND BOSTON ROAD, in the Borough of The Bronx, duly selected as a site for school purposes, according to law.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT IT IS** the intention of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York to make application to the Supreme Court at Special Term, Part I., to be held at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, on the 19th day of September, 1904, at the opening of the Court on that day, for the appointment of three disinterested citizens, residents of the Borough of The Bronx, as Commissioners of Estimate and Appraisal, to ascertain and appraise the compensation to be made to the owners and all persons interested in the real property situated in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the northerly line of the lands of the Morris High School with the westerly line of Jackson avenue, which point is distant two hundred (200) feet northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street, and running thence northerly along the westerly line of Jackson avenue three hundred and seventy-three and forty-five one-hundredths (373.45) feet to the southerly line of Home street; thence westerly along the southerly line of Home street one hundred and twenty-seven and fifty-six one-hundredths (127.56) feet to the easterly line of Boston road; thence southerly, along the easterly line of Boston road, four hundred and eight and fifty-one one-hundredths (408.51) feet to the northerly line of the lands of the Morris High School; thence westerly, along the northerly line of the lands of the Morris High School, two hundred and ninety and seventy-five one-hundredths (290.75) feet to the westerly line of Jackson avenue, the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, August 27, 1904.

JOHN J. DELANY,  
Corporation Counsel,  
No. 2 Tryon Row,  
Borough of Manhattan,  
New York City.  
86,16

## FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the extending of HIGHBRIDGE PARK, as shown on a map filed in the office of the Register of the County of New York, December 21, 1903, in accordance with the plan adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, December 11, 1903, and approved by the Mayor, December 18, 1903, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE,** the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 12th day of August, 1904, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, at his office, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 12th day of August, 1904, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Register of the County of New York, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances, Block No. 2106, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, to the respective owners, lessees,

parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned park, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, on the 12th day of August, 1904, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said park, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, fourteenth floor, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 29th day of September, 1904, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY, September 2, 1904.

WM. E. STILLINGS,  
SIDNEY J. COWEN,  
J. J. MCCORMICK,  
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,  
Clerk.  
82,26

## FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments, required for the purpose of opening and extending of COSTER STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Hunts Point road to Edgewater road, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 13th day of September, 1904, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 15th day of September, 1904, 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 in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 24th day of September, 1904.

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 the point of intersection of the northerly prolongation of a line parallel to and 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Hunt's Point road with a line parallel to and 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Mohawk avenue; running thence easterly along said last-mentioned parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Hunt's Point road; thence southerly along said last-mentioned parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Lafayette avenue; thence easterly along said last-mentioned parallel line to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between Faile street and Bryant street; thence southerly along said middle line of the blocks and its southerly prolongation to its intersection with the bulkhead-line of the East river; thence westerly along said bulkhead-line to its intersection with the southerly prolongation of the middle line of the blocks between Barretto street and Manida street; thence northerly along said prolongation and middle line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Lafayette avenue; thence easterly along said last-mentioned parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Hunt's Point road; thence northerly along said last-mentioned parallel line to the point or place of beginning, as such streets are shown upon the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened; as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 22d day of November, 1904, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, August 4, 1904.

PETER J. EVERETT, Chairman;  
HIELDING L. MARSHALL,  
JOHN A. HAWKINS,  
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,  
Clerk.  
824,512

## SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments, required for the opening and extending of EAST TWO HUNDRED AND THIRTY-THIRD STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Bronx river to Hutchinson river, also the PUBLIC PLACE at the intersection of East Two Hundred and Thirty-third street with Morris Park avenue, of East Two Hundred and Thirty-third street and Hutchinson river, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 20th day of September, 1904, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 21st day of September, 1904, at 4 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, in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 1st day of October, 1904.

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 the intersection of a line parallel to and distant 1,050 feet southwesterly from the southwesterly side of East Two Hundred and Thirty-third street with the centre line of the Bronx river; running thence northeasterly along the centre line of the Bronx river to its intersection with the northwesterly prolongation of a line parallel to and distant 1,050 feet northeasterly from the northeasterly side of East Two Hundred and Thirty-third street; thence southeasterly along the said northwesterly prolongation and parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and distant 500 feet easterly from the easterly side of Baychester avenue; thence southerly along the last-mentioned parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and distant 1,050 feet southwesterly from the southwesterly side of East Two Hundred and Thirty-third street; thence northwesterly along the last-mentioned parallel line to the point or place of beginning, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown on our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof to be held for the hearing of motions, in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 22d day of November, 1904, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, July 15, 1904.

T. ELLETT HODGSKIN, Chairman;  
DANIEL M. CORCORAN,  
JOHN W. WARD,  
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,  
Clerk.  
837,519

## PROPOSALS FOR BIDS AND ESTIMATES FOR THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

## NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

## GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS.

The person or persons making a bid or estimate for any services, work, materials or supplies for The City of New York, or for any of its departments, bureaus or offices, shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed with the title of the supplies, materials, work or services for which the bid or estimate is made, with his or their name or names and the date of presentation to the President or Board or to the head of the Department at his or its office, on or before the date and hour named in the advertisement for the same, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the President or Board or head of said Department and read, and the award of the contract made according to law as soon thereafter as practicable.

Each bid or estimate shall contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, 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 Board of Aldermen, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of The City of New York is, shall be or become interested, directly or indirectly, as contracting party, partner, stockholder, surety or otherwise in or in the performance of the contract, or in the supplies, work or business to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate that the several matters stated herein are in all respects true.

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

No bid or estimate will be considered unless, as a condition precedent to the reception or consideration of any proposal, it be accompanied by a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the bond required, as provided in section 420 of the Greater New York Charter.

The certified check or money should not be inclosed in the envelope containing the bid or estimate, but should be either inclosed in a separate envelope addressed to the head of the Department, President or Board, or submitted personally upon the presentation of the bid or estimate.

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies, or the nature and extent of the work reference must be made to the specifications, schedules, plans, etc., on file in the said office of the President, Board or Department.

No bid shall be accepted from or contract awarded to any person who is in arrears to The City of New York upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the City.

The contract must be bid for separately.

The right is reserved in each case to reject all bids or estimates if it is deemed to be for the interest of the City so to do.

Bidders will write out the amount of their bids or estimates in addition to inserting the same in figures.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank forms prepared and furnished by the City, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department for which the work is to be done. Plans and drawings of construction work may also be seen there.