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BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment—City of New York,
Old Council Chamber—City Hall,
Tuesday, January 28, 1902.

The Board met in pursuance of a resolution adopted January 6, 1902.

Present—Seth Low, the Mayor; Edward M. Grout, the Comptroller; Charles V. Fornes, the President of the Board of Aldermen; Louis F. Haffen, the President of the Borough of The Bronx; Joseph Cassidy, the President of the Borough of Queens; George Cromwell, the President of the Borough of Richmond.

Absent—Jacob A. Cantor, the President of the Borough of Manhattan; J. Edward Swanstrom, the President of the Borough of Brooklyn.

The reading of the minutes of the meetings held December 19 and 26, 1901, and January 6, 14 and 21, 1902, was dispensed with.

The Secretary presented the following:

The New York Steam Company,
No. 143 Liberty Street,
New York, January 25, 1902.

CHAS. V. ADEE, Esq., Clerk of Board of Estimate and Apportionment, No. 280 Broadway, New York City:

Dear Sir—I beg to acknowledge receipt of your esteemed favor of the 23d inst. in regard to granting The New York Steam Company a hearing before your Board in the matter of the condemnation proceedings pertaining to the property of our company at Fifty-ninth street and East river.

Will you kindly inform me what measures I should take to get a postponement of the hearing for one week or some subsequent sitting of your Board, as it will be all but impossible for us to obtain by Tuesday next the necessary information to make a proper and concise presentment of our case?

An early reply will greatly oblige,

Very truly yours,

THE NEW YORK STEAM COMPANY,
G. C. St. John, President.

The Mayor stated that, there being no objection, the matter of the hearing would be postponed until Tuesday, February 4, 1902.

The Comptroller presented the following:

District Attorney's Office, County of New York,
January 13, 1902.

To the Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment, New York City:

Gentlemen—I hereby request that the sum of \$7,500 be transferred from the appropriation for "Fees of Clerk of the Court of General Sessions for furnishing certified copies of indictments and other records for the year 1902—\$7,500," to the appropriation for "Salaries, District Attorney's office, New York County—Assistants, Deputy Assistants, Clerks, Stenographers, Messengers and other employees, including Stenographer to the Grand Jury, for the year 1902—\$219,900," for the reason that the latter appropriation is insufficient to cover the estimated expenditures for the balance of this year.

I believe that there is no necessity for having copies of indictments, etc., certified, but that uncertified copies would answer the purposes just as well, and that the \$7,500 for this account for the current year can be used to better advantage by transferring the same to the Salary Account in order to provide for the newly established Complaint and Preparation Bureau.

This Complaint and Preparation Bureau has entailed greatly increased work upon this office, it being necessary to appoint two Deputy Assistant District Attorneys and other employees to keep abreast with the important duties devolving upon that bureau, and it has been found to be very valuable to the public service.

This transfer of \$7,500 will make a total of \$227,400 appropriated to the credit of the Salary Account for the current year, which amount is \$23,610 less than the amount required for salaries for this office for the year 1900.

Respectfully yours,

WM. TRAVERS JEROME, District Attorney.

District Attorney's Office, County of New York,
January 24, 1902.

To the Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York:

Gentlemen—On the 13th inst. I forwarded a communication to your Honorable Board requesting that the sum of \$7,500 be transferred from the appropriation for "Fees of Clerk of the Court of General Sessions, for furnishing certified copies of indictments and other records for the year 1902," to the appropriation for "Salaries, District Attorney's Office, New York County—Assistants, Deputy Assistants, Clerks, Stenographers, Messengers and other employees, including Stenographer to the Grand Jury, for the year 1902," and explained therein the urgency of having the said amount transferred.

This application came up for consideration at the meeting of your Board held on the 21st inst., and the matter was adjourned until the 28th inst., in order that this office might file with said application a statement showing the appropriations granted for Salaries, etc., to this office for the year 1898.

I respectfully submit herewith the following statement showing the appropriations granted for Salaries, Contingencies (including arrearages), Fees of Clerk of the Court of General Sessions for furnishing certified copies of indictments and other records, for the years 1898 and 1902.

Appropriations for the Year 1898.

Salaries	\$219,933 86
Salaries (section 233, article 10, Tax Laws 1896)	6,600 00
Total appropriation for salaries	\$225,633 86
Contingencies	32,000 00
Contingencies (section 233, article 10, Tax Laws 1896)	500 00
Fees of Clerk of the Court of General Sessions, etc.	11,500 00
Grand total of appropriations for 1898	\$269,633 86

Appropriations for the Year 1902.

Salaries	\$219,900 00
Contingencies	30,000 00
Fees of Clerk of Court of General Sessions, etc.	7,500 00
Grand total of appropriations for 1902	\$257,400 00

Summary.

	1898.	1902.
Salaries	\$225,633 86	\$219,900 00
Contingencies	32,500 00	30,000 00
Fees of Clerk of Court of General Sessions, etc.	11,500 00	7,500 00
Grand total	\$269,633 86	\$257,400 00

In comparing the appropriations granted this office for the present year, 1902, with the appropriations granted for the year 1898, it will be observed that the total appropriations for 1902 are \$12,233.86 less than the total appropriations granted for the year 1898; and that, although our population has greatly increased during this period and has thus brought increased labor upon this office, the appropriations, instead of showing a corresponding increase, have been greatly diminished. I would, therefore, respectfully request that the said office be granted this office.

Yours very truly,

WM. TRAVERS JEROME, District Attorney.

And offered the following:

Resolved, That the sum of seven thousand five hundred dollars (\$7,500) be and hereby is transferred from the appropriation made to the County of New York for the year 1902, entitled "Fees for the Clerk of the Court of General Sessions, for furnishing certified copies of indictments and other records," the same being in excess of the amount required for the purposes thereof, to the appropriation made to the District Attorney, New York County, for 1902, entitled "Salaries of Assistants, Deputy Assistants, Clerks, Stenographers, Typewriters, Subpoena Servers, Messengers and Employees, including Stenographer for the Grand Jury," the amount of said appropriation being insufficient.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of The Bronx, Queens and Richmond—12.

The Comptroller presented the following:

City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office,
January 14, 1902.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—The Corporation Counsel, under date of December 5, 1901, transmitted to the Department of Finance a report of the Commissioners of Estimate in the matter of acquiring title to lands for a site for the College of The City of New York. Said report was confirmed by an order of the Supreme Court, dated November 21, 1901, and filed November 22, 1901.

The title to the lands acquired in said proceeding vested in the city November 21, 1901.

Chapter 168 of the Laws of 1895, as amended by chapter 608 of the Laws of 1896, and chapter 433 of the Laws of 1897, authorize the expenditure for the purpose of acquiring a site for said college the sum of \$800,000. The site selected by the Trustees of the College was bounded as follows:

On the north by One Hundred and Fortieth street;
On the south by One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street;
On the west by Amsterdam avenue;
On the east by St. Nicholas terrace.

The Trustees, under authority of chapter 433 of the Laws of 1897, subsequently modified the map of the site selected by omitting therefrom eight city lots fronting on Amsterdam avenue, between One Hundred and Thirty-ninth and One Hundred and Fortieth streets.

Said chapter also provides that should any part of the site theretofore selected be omitted, the authority to purchase or condemn the remainder thereof shall be limited to the expenditure of the proportion of such sum of \$800,000 as the area of the modified site might bear to the whole.

A calculation made by the Engineer of this department shows that the proportion to be deducted for the land omitted from the site as originally selected is the sum of

\$53,613 92

—and that the proportion of the amount authorized to be expended for the whole site available for the site as modified is the sum of

\$746,386 08

Payments heretofore made for the purchase of land.....\$596,071 74

For surveys, examining titles, etc.....5,320 00

601,391 74

Available for the payment of the awards and expenses in the above condemnation proceeding, out of the amount authorized by chapter 433 of the Laws of 1897.....

\$144,994 34

The awards and expenses to be paid in the condemnation proceeding are made up as follows:

Awards	\$153,137 00
Interest thereon, estimated at.....	1,531 37
Costs and expenses.....	5,377 75
Experts' fees (estimated).....	1,000 00
	\$161,046 12

Amount available under authority of chapter 433 of the Laws of 1897.....

144,994 34

Deficiency

\$16,051 78

The Corporation Counsel, to whom the question of meeting this deficiency was submitted, advises me under date of the 4th inst. that any deficiency arising through the acquisition of the title to this site may be provided by the issue of bonds under the authority of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter.

Amount authorized to be expended by chapter 433 of the

Laws of 1897.....

\$746,386 08

Amount of bonds heretofore issued for said site.....\$616,110 73

Premium realized thereon.....9,156 51

625,267 24

Bonds available under the authority of chapter 433 of the

Laws of 1897.....

\$121,118 84

Amount to be provided under section 47 of the Charter...

16,051 78

Total to be provided for by the issue of Corporate

Stock

\$137,170 62

Amount realized from the sale of bonds as above

\$625,267 24

Payments heretofore made as above.....

601,391 74

Cash on hand.....

23,875 50

Total

\$161,046 12

I beg to submit resolutions authorizing the issue of Corporate Stock for the purpose described.

Respectfully,
EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

And offered the following:

Resolved, That for the purpose of providing means for the payment of the awards, costs and expenses in the proceeding to acquire title to lands for a site for the College of the City of New York under the authority of chapter 168 of the Laws of 1895 as amended by chapter 608 of the Laws of 1896 and chapter 433 of the Laws of 1897, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of and authorizes the issue by the Comptroller of Corporate Stock of the City of New York in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter (chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901) to the amount of One hundred and twenty-one thousand one hundred and eighteen dollars and eighty-four cents (\$121,118.84), said sum being the balance of the amount available for the purposes indicated, under the provisions of section 3, chapter 168, Laws of 1895, as amended by chapter 433 of the Laws of 1897.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of The Bronx, Queens and Richmond—12.

The Comptroller offered the following:

Resolved, That for the purpose of providing funds, in addition to the amount authorized and available under the provisions of section 3 of chapter 168 of the Laws of 1895, as amended by chapter 433 of the Laws of 1897, to pay the awards, costs and expenses in the proceeding to acquire title to lands for a site for the College of the City of New York, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of and authorizes pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter (chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901) subject to the concurrence herewith by the Board of Aldermen, the issue by the Comptroller of Corporate Stock of the City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Charter, to the amount of Sixteen thousand and fifty-one dollars and seventy-eight cents (\$16,051.78), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the payment of the awards and expenses in said proceeding, in addition to the amount available under chapter 168 of the Laws of 1895 as amended.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of The Bronx, Queens and Richmond—12.

The President of the Borough of Manhattan appeared and took his seat in the Board.

The Comptroller presented a petition of property owners for relief from assessments for the extension and widening of Elm street, and moved that a hearing be held at the next meeting of this Board, Tuesday, February 4, 1902, and that the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment be requested to attend.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond—14.

The Comptroller offered the following:

Resolved, That the sum of Three thousand dollars (\$3,000) be and hereby is transferred from the appropriation made to the Department of Finance, for the year 1901, entitled "Salaries, Department of Finance," the same being in excess of the amount required for the purposes thereof, to the appropriation made to the said Department for 1901, entitled "Contingencies, Comptroller's Office," the amount of said appropriation being insufficient.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond—14.

The Comptroller presented the following:

Resolved, That, subject to the approval of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, the sum of Three hundred and fifty dollars (\$350) be and the same is hereby appropriated from premiums derived from the sale of Corporate Stock of the City of New York, heretofore issued, pursuant to section 48 of the Greater New York Charter; said sum to be applied in payment of the following bills:

Charles A. Berrian, Expert Witness:
Site, east side of Eagle avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-first and One Hundred and Sixty-third streets, Borough of The Bronx.....\$100 00
Site, west side of College avenue, East One Hundred and Forty-fourth to East One Hundred and Forty-fifth streets, Borough of The Bronx..... 250 00
\$350 00

Requisition for said sum being hereby made upon the Comptroller.

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Education, December 26, 1901.
A. E. PALMER, Secretary, Board of Education.

And offered the following:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the appropriation of Three hundred and fifty dollars (\$350.00) from premiums derived from the sale of Corporate Stock of the City of New York, pursuant to section 48 of the Greater New York Charter, said sum to be applied in payment of the following named bills:

Charles A. Berrian, Expert Witness:

Site, east side of Eagle avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-first and One Hundred and Sixty-third streets, Borough of The Bronx.....\$100 00
Site, west side of College avenue, East One Hundred and Forty-fourth to East One Hundred and Forty-fifth streets, Borough of The Bronx 250 00
\$350 00

—as specified in the resolution relating thereto adopted by the Board of Education December 26, 1901.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond—14.

The Comptroller offered the following:

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 320 of the Laws of 1887, the Comptroller be and hereby is authorized to issue Corporate Stock, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Charter, to the amount of Eleven thousand five hundred and forty-one dollars and twenty-eight cents (\$11,541.28) for the purpose of providing funds for the payment of the additional and supplemental bill of costs, in the matter of acquiring title to certain pieces or parcels of land for a public park at the foot of East Seventy-sixth street, East River, in the Nineteenth Ward of the City of New York, as taxed and allowed by the Supreme Court December 19, 1901.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond—14.

The Comptroller presented the following:

Law Department—Office of the Corporation Counsel.
New York, January 8, 1902.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller:

Sir—I transmit herewith certified copy of an order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Special Term, Part I, entered in the Office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 2d day of January, 1902, taxing the costs of the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in proceedings relative to acquiring title to the lands and premises required for the Approach to the Bridge over the Harlem River at West One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, in the Twelfth Ward of the Borough of Manhattan, of the City of New York, and the Approaches to Bridge over the Harlem River at East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, of the City of New York, at the sum of \$6,963.85. Said order has been properly entered and should be complied with.

Yours respectfully,
G. L. RIVES, Corporation Counsel.

And offered the following:

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 986 of the Laws of 1895, the Comptroller be and hereby is authorized to issue Corporate Stock in the manner provided by section 169 of the Charter, to the amount of Six thousand nine hundred and sixty-three dollars and eighty-five cents (\$6,963.85) for the purpose of paying the bill of costs in the matter of acquiring title to the lands and premises required for the approach to the bridge over the Harlem River at West One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, and the approaches to the bridge over the Harlem River at East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, as taxed and allowed by the Supreme Court on December 31, 1901.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond—14.

The President of the Borough of Brooklyn appeared and took his seat in the Board.

The Comptroller presented the following:

Department of Buildings—Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn.
New York City, January 23, 1902.

Hon. J. EDWARD SWANSTROM, President of the Borough of Brooklyn:

Dear Sir—On January 11, 1902, I detailed Gilbert J. Murtagh and David F. Moore to act as Special Inspectors in the Bureau of Buildings. On that date I also reduced James H. Reehil and Hugh O'Donnell, Special Inspectors, to the positions formerly occupied by Inspectors Murtagh and Moore. The salaries of Inspectors Murtagh and Moore were \$1,500 each per annum, which I wish to have increased to \$1,750 each per annum, and the salaries of Inspectors Reehil and O'Donnell reduced from \$1,750 each per annum to \$1,500 each per annum.

I am informed that it is necessary to have the Board of Estimate approve of this, and respectfully request that the matter be brought up at the earliest opportunity, so that it may take effect February 1, 1902.

Very respectfully,
WILLIAM M. CALDER,
Superintendent of Buildings, Borough of Brooklyn.

And offered the following:

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 amended Greater New York Charter, that the salaries of certain inspectors in the Bureau of Buildings of the office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn be fixed to take effect February 1, 1902, as follows:

Gilbert J. Murtagh and David F. Moore, Special Inspectors in said Bureau, at seventeen hundred and fifty dollars (\$1,750) each per annum.

James H. Reehil and Hugh O'Donnell, Inspectors in said Bureau, at fifteen hundred dollars (\$1,500) each per annum.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond—16.

The Comptroller offered the following:

Resolved, That the attention of the heads of the various Departments of the City, empowered to execute contracts, be called to the provisions of section 1,554 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901, which reads as follows:

"Except for repairs no patented pavement shall be laid and no patented article shall be advertised for, contracted for or purchased, except under such circumstances that there can be a fair and reasonable opportunity for competition, the conditions to secure which shall be prescribed by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment;" and that the Comptroller be authorized to inquire, on behalf of this Board, concerning the observance of said section 1,554 of said law in the preparation of contract specifications, and to report to this Board if the public interests are at present safeguarded in the matter.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond—16.

The Comptroller presented the following:

Municipal Civil Service Commission of the City of New York.
New York Life Building, 346 Broadway.
New York, January 23, 1902.

CHARLES V. ADEE, Esq., Clerk of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Dear Sir—The resolutions of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, requesting the classification in Schedule "A," under the Civil Service Rules, of the positions of "Clerk of Public Improvements" and "Engineer," were submitted to the Commission at a meeting held the 21st instant.

I was instructed to ask the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to submit, for the Commission's information, the reasons for which exemptions from competitive classification are desired in these cases, and to explain that, in view of the fact that the Commission is required to set forth such reasons in its own annual report, the receipt of such information would assist its action. I am,

Very truly yours,
GEO. MCANENY, Secretary.

January 24, 1902.

To the Municipal Civil Service Commission, City of New York:

Gentlemen—Relative to the request of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment that your Commission modify its rules so as to provide for an Engineer and a Clerk of Public Improvements, each classified in Schedule "A," Part 1, I desire to give you the following information:

The Engineer which the Board desires to appoint will occupy practically the same position towards the Board of Estimate and Apportionment as did the Engineer of the Board of Public Improvements to that Board. The Engineer of the Board of Public Improvements was classified in Schedule "A," Part 1, and the Board of Estimate and Apportionment believes that as under the amendments to the Greater New York Charter, which went into effect on January 1, it has practically the same duties and powers as the former Board of Public Improvements, it should also have the right to name an Engineer whose relations with the Board will be confidential. I might add that the Board has determined that when your Commission authorizes the appointment of such an Engineer, the nomination of the man to be appointed will be conceded to the Mayor, who alone of the members of the Board is without an Engineer in his office.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment now has a Chief Clerk, classified in Schedule "A," Part 1, who has charge of the financial matters presented to the Board. It is the intention of the Board to continue him at the same duties, and it is also the intention of the Board to separate its business and its minutes into the two distinct features—the financial matters of which the Board of Estimate and Apportionment prior to January 1, 1902, had control, and the public improvement matters that were conferred on the Board by the amendments to the Greater New York Charter. In order to do so, it is necessary to have a Clerk to take charge of public improvement matters. His duties will be as important and of the same confidential relation as those of the Clerk who has for years had charge of financial matters, and who is now classified in Schedule "A," Part 1. The Board of Estimate and Apportionment is, therefore, of the opinion that the Clerk of Public Improvement matters should also be classified in Schedule "A," Part 1.

It should be noted by your Board that the Secretary of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment is a Deputy Comptroller, who serves without additional compensation and who is unable, on account of his other duties, to devote more than a small portion of his time to the business of the Board. The Clerk of Public Improvement Matters whom the Board desires to appoint will therefore in fact perform practically the same duties as the Secretary of the former Board of Public Improvements, who was classified in Schedule "A," Part 1.

It is the desire of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment that your Commission act as early as possible on its two requests, and I have therefore taken the liberty of sending this letter as an answer to your inquiry of the 23rd instant, addressed to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment. That Board will meet on the 28th instant and will then, I am quite sure, approve of the explanation which I have given you in this letter.

Respectfully,
EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

Municipal Civil Service Commission of the City of New York,
New York Life Building, 346 Broadway,
New York, January 25, 1902.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller of the City of New York:

Dear Sir—Your letter of the 24th instant, addressed to the Municipal Civil Service Commission, with further reference to the request of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for the classification in Schedule A, Part 1, of the positions of "Engineer" and "Clerk of Public Improvements," has been duly received.

I shall take pleasure in submitting this letter, with the statement of reasons you give in behalf of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, to the Commission at its meeting on the 28th instant, and thanking you for your courtesy, remain,
Yours, very truly,

Secretary.

The President of the Borough of Manhattan moved that the action of the Comptroller as expressed in his communication to the Municipal Civil Service Commission under date of January 24, 1902, be approved.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond—16.

The Comptroller presented the following:

Department of Water Supply, Commissioner's Office, 13-21 Park Row,
City of New York, January 22, 1902.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller:

Dear Sir—I have the honor to transmit you herewith a copy of a communication which I have addressed to the Mayor, as Chairman of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, asking authorization for the appointment of a Water Registrar in the Borough of The Bronx, and the assignment of proper and convenient office space for the transaction of the business of the office; also, the draft of a resolution for that purpose.

I have addressed the same request to the Board of Aldermen, through its President.

Very respectfully,
J. HAMPDEN DOUGHERTY,
Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

Enclosures—Copy of letter of 21st inst. to Mayor, Chairman Board of Estimate and Apportionment.
Copy of draft of resolution.

Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity,
Commissioner's Office, 13-21 Park Row,
City of New York, January 21, 1902.

Hon. SETH LOW, Mayor, Chairman Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Dear Sir—For a long time past there has been evident necessity of establishing an office in the Borough of The Bronx where bills for water charges may be received and paid, and other business connected with the Water Registrar's Office, may be transacted, including permits for tapping water mains and for obtaining water for building purposes.

The necessity for the establishment of such branch office has been recognized in the case of the Department of Taxes and the Receiver of Taxes.

I believe that the people of the Borough of The Bronx should not be compelled to travel the long distance to the Central Office for the purposes of obtaining their water bills and paying them, or for necessary permits, and, therefore, respectfully request the authorization of your Board for the appointment of a Water Registrar in the Borough of The Bronx and the assignment of proper and convenient office space for the transaction of the business of the office.

Very respectfully,
J. HAMPDEN DOUGHERTY,
Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

Enclosure—Copy of proposed resolution.

And offered the following:

Resolved, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the appointment of a Water Registrar in the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, for the Borough of The Bronx, and recommends to the Board of Aldermen, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the amended Greater New York Charter, that the salary of the Water Registrar of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, for the Borough of The Bronx, be fixed at Twenty-five hundred dollars (\$2,500) per annum.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond—16.

The Comptroller presented the following:

Headquarters Fire Department, City of New York,
157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street,
Borough of Manhattan, January 21, 1902.

Hon. SETH LOW, Mayor, and Chairman of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Sir—I have the honor to request that your Honorable Board please consent to

the transfer of the sum of Fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000), allowed for a new house for Engine Company No. 30, Borough of Manhattan, in the bond issue authorized for the year 1901, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 76 of the Laws of 1894, as amended by chapter 751 of the Laws of 1896, to the appropriation of \$15,000 in the same bond issue, for "additions and alterations to buildings," for the reasons assigned below:

The ground upon which to erect a new house for the company in question has not as yet been acquired, and a considerable period may elapse before this is accomplished; the amount available for additions and alterations to buildings, \$15,000, will be entirely inadequate to meet the conditions which confront the Department; many of the present Engine and Hook and Ladder Company houses in the Borough of Manhattan, which were constructed a long time since, being in pressing need of extensive alterations to fit them for continued occupancy.

In view of the state of affairs, as above pointed out, I earnestly request early and affirmative action in this matter.

Yours respectfully,
THOS. STURGIS, Commissioner.

And offered the following:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the application for the sum of Fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000) allowed in the bond issue of 1901, authorized pursuant to the provisions of chapter 76 of the Laws of 1894, as amended, for a fire engine house site for Engine Company No. 30; to the payment of the expenses incurred or to be incurred for additions and alterations to buildings under the same authority of law, in the Borough of Manhattan.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond—16.

The Mayor presented a communication from the Fire Department, dated January 27, 1902, requesting an appropriation for the construction of new fire boats and the repair of an old one.

And moved that it be referred to the Comptroller for examination and report.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond—16.

The Comptroller presented the following:

Department of Health—City of New York,
S. W. Cor. 55th street and Sixth avenue,
Borough of Manhattan, New York, January 22, 1902.

Hon. ROBERT W. DE FOREST, Tenement House Commissioner:

Sir—At a meeting of the Board of Health of the Department of Health, held this day, it was

Resolved, That Robert W. De Forest, Tenement House Commissioner, be and is hereby respectfully requested to recommend to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment the transfer of the funds necessary to pay the Sanitary Policemen and Inspectors of this Department who are employed in tenement house work for the month of February, 1902, the sum of \$5,891.48, as follows:

Salaries, Borough of Manhattan.....	\$1,100 00
Sanitary Police, Borough of Manhattan.....	1,749 00
Salaries, Borough of The Bronx.....	400 00
Sanitary Police, Borough of The Bronx.....	116 66
Salaries, Borough of Brooklyn.....	500 00
Sanitary Police, Borough of Brooklyn.....	1,174 94
Salaries, Borough of Queens.....	300 00
Sanitary Police, Borough of Queens.....	116 66
Salaries, Borough of Richmond.....	200 00
Sanitary Police, Borough of Richmond.....	233 32

Total \$5,891 48

A true copy.

C. GOLDBERMAN, Secretary.

Tenement House Department of the City of New York,
61 Irving place, S. W. Cor. 18th street,
New York City, January 24, 1902.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, No. 280 Broadway, New York City:

Gentlemen—I have the honor to request that, in conformity with the enclosed copy of formal resolution of the Board of Health of the Department of Health, dated January 22, 1902, you transfer to the credit of the Department of Health from the estimates of this Department the sum of \$5,891.48, such transfer being necessary to enable the Department of Health, pending the efficient organization of this Department, during the month of February, 1902, to enforce the provisions of the Tenement House Act with which it has heretofore been charged.

Respectfully yours,
ROBERT W. DE FOREST, Commissioner.

And offered the following:

Resolved, That the sum of Five thousand eight hundred and ninety-one dollars and forty-eight cents (\$5,891.48) be and hereby is transferred from the appropriations made to the Tenement House Department, for the year 1902, entitled and as follows:

Inspection Bureau—Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.	
Salaries, Sanitary Police.....	\$1,866 56
Salaries, Sanitary Inspectors, etc.....	1,500 00
Inspection Bureau—Boroughs of Brooklyn, Queens and Richmond.	
Salaries, Sanitary Police.....	1,524 92
Salaries, Sanitary Inspectors, etc.....	1,000 00
	<u>\$5,891 48</u>

—the same being in excess of the amounts required for the purposes thereof; to the appropriations made to the Department of Health, for 1902, entitled and as follows:

"Salaries, Borough of Manhattan".....	\$1,100 00
"Sanitary Police, Borough of Manhattan".....	1,749 90
"Salaries, Borough of The Bronx".....	400 00
"Sanitary Police, Borough of The Bronx".....	116 66
"Salaries, Borough of Brooklyn".....	500 00
"Sanitary Police, Borough of Brooklyn".....	1,174 94
"Salaries, Borough of Queens".....	300 00
"Sanitary Police, Borough of Queens".....	116 66
"Salaries, Borough of Richmond".....	200 00
"Sanitary Police, Borough of Richmond".....	233 32

\$5,891 48

—the amounts of said appropriations being insufficient.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond—16.

The Comptroller presented a communication from the Board of Education dated January 23, 1902, requesting appropriations by the issue of Bonds, as follows:

\$4,023 for sanitary work at Public School 80, in the Borough of Queens.
\$5,688 for Furniture for Public School 184, Borough of Manhattan.
\$575 for bills of Expert Witnesses in the matter of acquiring title to sites in Mulberry, Forty-ninth and Thirty-third streets, in the Borough of Manhattan.
\$12,495.200 for expenses to be incurred in constructing, equipping and improving School Buildings and acquiring sites therefor.

The Mayor moved that it be referred to the incoming Department of Education. Which was adopted by the following vote:
Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond—16.

The Comptroller presented the following:

Coroner's Office, Borough of The Bronx, No. 761 East 166th Street.
New York, January 24, 1902.

Hon. SETH LOW, Chairman, and Members of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—The Coroners of the Borough of The Bronx respectfully call your attention to the following facts, and request that the transfer of appropriation herein asked for be made by your Board:

In the provisional estimates submitted by our predecessors, last year, request was made for an appropriation of \$1,200 for a Replevin Clerk, and an appropriation of \$1,200 for an Assistant Clerk for night service. (See p. 487 of provisional estimates.)

When the estimates were finally passed by the former Board of Estimate and Apportionment there was no provision made for the salary of Replevin Clerk, and in place thereof there was an appropriation made for the salaries of two Assistant Clerks for night service at \$1,200 each per annum.

In view of this the Coroners of the Borough of The Bronx, on January 8, 1902, requested Hon. George L. Rives, Corporation Counsel (a copy of which request we herein enclose), to render to us an opinion deciding whether this action of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment had abolished the office of Replevin Clerk or whether we had the right to retain the Replevin Clerk, and if so, out of what classified appropriation he should be paid.

This morning we received a reply from Mr. Rives (a copy of which we herein enclose), and following the suggestion made in it, we would respectfully ask that your Board consider this matter, and instead of allowing the Budget for 1902 to stand in the present form, passed by the former Board of Estimate and Apportionment (see p. 83, Budget of 1902), adopt a resolution appropriating \$1,200 for the salary of Replevin Clerk, and \$1,200 for the salary of an Assistant Clerk for night service.

We desire for immediate action, in order that we may retain the Replevin Clerk, a necessary adjunct of our office.

Yours respectfully,

JOSEPH I. BERRY, WM. O'GORMAN, Jr., Coroners.

[Copy.]

New York, January 8, 1902.

Hon. GEORGE L. RIVES, Corporation Counsel:

Dear Sir—The Coroners of the Borough of The Bronx, in their estimatal statement of appropriation necessary for this office, for the year 1902, included the salary of a Replevin Clerk, which position was held by Mr. Francis F. O'Ryan, whose salary was \$1,200 per annum, and an appropriation was also asked for an Assistant Clerk for night service at \$1,200 per annum.

In the Budget, as passed by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, no reference is made to the Replevin Clerk, but there was appropriated for two Assistant Clerks, for night service, the sum of \$2,400.

We desire to know whether this action abolished the office of Replevin Clerk, or whether we have the right to retain Mr. O'Ryan, and if so, out of what classified appropriation he shall be paid.

An early reply is requested, as Mr. O'Ryan is performing the duties of his office. Very respectfully yours,

(Signed) JOSEPH I. BERRY, WM. O'GORMAN, Jr., Coroners.

[Copy.]

New York, January 23, 1902.

Hon. JOSEPH I. BERRY, Coroner:

Sir—I am in receipt of a communication from you dated January 8, 1902, requesting advice on the following facts:

It appears that in the estimate for salaries of your office for the year 1902, submitted to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, it was requested that the position of Replevin Clerk at \$1,200 per annum, and an Assistant Clerk for night service at \$1,200 per annum, be allowed.

The said Board omitted Replevin Clerk at \$1,200 per annum, but included two clerks for night service at the sum of \$2,400 per annum.

You ask to be advised in regard to the status of Francis T. O'Ryan, who holds the position of Replevin Clerk at \$1,200 per annum.

In answer thereto, I beg to state that as there was no appropriation for Mr. O'Ryan, he cannot be further employed, but I would suggest that you present the matter at the next meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for consideration.

Very respectfully,

GEORGE L. RIVES, Corporation Counsel.

And moved that the Board of Coroners of the Borough of The Bronx be requested to inform this Board as to the number of replevin writs that have been issued within the past four calendar years.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond—16.

The Comptroller presented the following:

Department of Correction of the City of New York,
Commissioner's Office, 148 East 20th street,
New York, January 15, 1902.

Hon. SETH LOW, Mayor, and Chairman of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Dear Sir—After cutting down the allowance for awards of yearly supplies of Meats, Milk, Fish, Coal, Gas, Ice, Groceries, Dry Goods and the miscellaneous articles necessary for the proper maintenance of the inmates of the Kings County Penitentiary, I find that the cost will be \$63,000, which is \$8,000 more than was allowed for "Supplies" by the former Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

I would, therefore, respectfully ask your Honorable Board to transfer from the Appropriation for "Supplies for Manufacturing Purposes" to that for "Supplies," the amount of \$8,000: both of said appropriations being for the Borough of Brooklyn, for the year 1902.

I have the honor to be,

Very respectfully yours,

THOMAS W. HYNES, Commissioner.

Department of Correction of the City of New York,
Commissioner's Office, 148 East 20th, Street,
New York, January 17, 1902.

Hon. THOMAS W. HYNES, Commissioner:

Dear Sir—In regard to the transfer of \$8,000, which is necessary for the maintenance of the inmates of the Kings County Penitentiary, I beg to state that the amount asked for, for Supplies, 1902, was \$60,000. The Board only allowed \$55,000. After amounts estimated for the year had been fixed on the basis of the lowest pro-

posals received, I find that the total cost will be, \$63,000; this difference being caused by the greatly increased cost of the following articles of necessity required for the proper maintenance of the prisoners:

Meats	\$13,182 00
Milk	1,740 00
Fish	1,613 00
Coal	6,300 00
Contingencies (12 months)	6,000 00
Gas	3,000 00
Ice	845 00
Groceries	23,600 00
Dry Goods	7,500 00
Total	\$63,780 00

The Warden of the Kings County Penitentiary reports that he finds it impossible to make any further deductions, as the census is going up.

In order, therefore, not to increase the Budget for 1902, a transfer was suggested from "Supplies for Manufacturing Purposes" to "Supplies," instead of asking for an additional appropriation.

Very respectfully,

CHAS. BENN, General Bookkeeper and Auditor.

And offered the following:

Resolved, That the sum of eight thousand dollars (\$8,000) be and hereby is transferred from the appropriation made to the Department of Correction for the year 1902, entitled "Supplies for Manufacturing Purposes, Borough of Brooklyn," the same being in excess of the amount required for the purposes thereof, to the appropriation made to the said Department for 1902, entitled "Supplies and Contingencies, Borough of Brooklyn," the amount of said appropriation being insufficient.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond—16.

The Comptroller presented the following:

New York, January 25, 1902.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller, New York City:

Sir—A civil-engineering position to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment is herewith respectfully applied for. Born in New York City, studied in Germany. About 18 years in the employ of New York City. In charge of Division 2 of the late Board of Public Improvements. Duties:

1. Sewerage and drainage of all Boroughs.
 2. Grades of all Boroughs.
 3. Topographical Survey east of the Bronx River, Bronx.
 4. Topographical maps of same.
 5. Fixtures of new lay-out of same.
 6. Profiles for the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment.
 7. Grade information, Board of Assessors, Bronx.
 8. Laying-out, etc., etc.
 9. Searches and reports, etc., etc.
 10. In charge of office when Principal Assistant Engineer was absent.
- Borough of Manhattan—Bridge Approaches; grade changes; Seventy-seventh street; Marble Hill; laying out of new streets, etc., etc.
- Borough of The Bronx—Planned sewers for 80 per cent. of Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, west of Bronx River; grades of said territory completed; laying-out, etc.—Topographical Survey completed, east of the Bronx River; about completed plotting of same. Established grades for 15 sections, east of the Bronx River; lay-out, etc., etc.
- Borough of Brooklyn—Established the grades for numerous streets, etc.; modification of the lay-out, etc.
- Borough of Queens—Webster avenue trunk sewer, L. I. City; sewerage systems of Elmhurst, Flushing, Rockaway, College Point, etc., etc.; change of grades of Blissville, L. I. City; numerous surveys, etc., etc.
- Borough of Richmond—Arrietta Brook sewerage plan; Arrochar sewerage plan; survey and lay-out of West New Brighton; lay-out and grades of streets, etc., etc.
- Commissioners of Estimate furnished with profiles of Bronx, Brooklyn and Queens.
- Board of Assessors furnished with grade information, Bronx.
- Any additional information in relation to application will immediately be furnished.

Respectfully,

JOHN HENRY SCHAEFER, Assistant Engineer.

4 West One Hundred and Fifteenth Street.

And offered the following:

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 amended Greater New York Charter, that the salary of the Engineer of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be fixed at Seven thousand five hundred dollars (\$7,500) per annum.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond—16.

The Comptroller offered the following:

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board be and he is hereby authorized to execute a contract with the New York and New Jersey Telephone Company to have a telephone placed in the room occupied by the Clerks of this Board, at a cost not to exceed twelve dollars (\$12.00) per annum.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond—16.

The Comptroller presented a communication from the committee in charge of the erection of the Carnegie Libraries in the Borough of Queens, recommending sites as follows:

In the villages of Elmhurst, College Point and Ozone Park.

Which was referred to the Comptroller.

The Comptroller presented the following:

City of New York—Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, January 27, 1902.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller:

Sir—On December 10, 1901, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment was petitioned by certain residents of the Marble Hill, Kingsbridge and Spuyten Duyvil districts, in the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, to take action, pursuant to chapter 516 of the Laws of 1901, entitled:

"An act to authorize the abolition of certain grade crossings in the City of New York."

The petition was accompanied by a statement and a map showing how by the change of line of the Spuyten Duyvil & Port Morris Railroad from its present location to a position skirting the northerly side of the Harlem River Ship Canal, seven grade crossings would be abolished.

The matter was referred to the then Comptroller, who requested me to make a report.

The material at hand was insufficient for a complete report, and under date of December 24 I discussed the question generally, and suggested that various departments of the City government be directed to furnish detailed information, to wit: the Law, Dock and Bridge Departments, and the offices of the Presidents of the Boroughs.

The Law and Dock Departments have already been communicated with, and I would now propose that the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan and of The Bronx be requested to collaborate upon a plan, as the district affected lies in both boroughs, changing the Map of the City of New York, which change will be made necessary and desirable should the line of the Spuyten Duyvil & Port Morris Railroad be changed as proposed.

This plan should show—

1. A new position for West Two Hundred and Thirty-first street, between Broadway and Spuyten Duyvil Road, following the lines of the old roadbed of the Spuyten Duyvil & Port Morris Railroad, 50 feet in width and in addition 10 feet to be taken from private property on either the north or south side of the said roadway, as shall be deemed expedient for the purpose of making a 60-foot street.

2. Changes of grade necessary at all streets crossing the old roadbed, and also the present surface grades at such points.

3. All streets or parts of streets to be discontinued.

The President of the Borough of The Bronx should also be requested to furnish a plan showing any change in the sewerage system made necessary, and with an estimate showing the probable cost in excess of the present system, or if by such change a saving would be effected; also an estimate in as much detail as possible showing the probable cost separately of each of the overhead bridges, which would be necessary if the present line of the railroad and street system is kept.

The Department of Docks and Ferries will shortly present a plan for the improvement of the Spuyten Duyvil Creek to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, and before action is taken thereon, it would appear to me desirable that the same should be sent to the Borough Presidents, in order to arrange for a system of intersecting streets.

When the information shall have been furnished as outlined above I believe that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment will be in possession of sufficient data to enable it to intelligently take such action as may be for the best interests of the City.

Respectfully,

EUG. E. McLEAN, Engineer.

And offered the following:

Whereas, The former Board of Estimate and Apportionment was petitioned to take action pursuant to chapter 516 of the Laws of 1901; and,

Whereas, In order to be fully in possession of all the advantages or disadvantages which may accrue to the City by action of this Board under such law, it is necessary that certain maps and estimates be placed before the Board.

Resolved, That the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx be, and they are hereby requested to furnish this Board, at their earliest convenience, with such maps and estimates as are mentioned in a report, dated January 27, 1902, of the Engineer of the Department of Finance, to the Comptroller.

Which were adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond—16.

The Comptroller presented the following:

Department of Street Cleaning.

New York, January 27, 1902.

Hon. SETH LOW, Chairman, Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Sir—I request that your Board, pursuant to section 452 of the Charter as amended, authorize the appointment by me of a Deputy Commissioner of Street Cleaning in the Borough of Brooklyn and a Deputy Commissioner of Street Cleaning in the Borough of The Bronx, and that their salaries, as provided in the last sentence of section 56 of the Charter as amended, shall be continued in force as fixed on the first day of January, 1902, as follows:

Deputy Commissioner of the Borough of Brooklyn, \$5,000 per annum.

Deputy Commissioner, Borough of The Bronx, \$4,000 per annum.

Respectfully,

JOHN McE. WOODBURY, Commissioner.

And offered the following:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the appointment of a Deputy Commissioner of Street Cleaning, for the Borough of Brooklyn, and a Deputy Commissioner for the Borough of The Bronx, and recommends to the Board of Aldermen, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the amended Greater New York Charter, that the salary of the Deputy Commissioner of Street Cleaning for the Borough of Brooklyn be fixed at five thousand dollars (\$5,000) per annum, and that the salary of the Deputy Commissioner of Street Cleaning for the Borough of The Bronx be fixed at four thousand dollars (\$4,000) per annum.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond—16.

The Comptroller presented a communication from the Board of Education, dated January 24, 1902, requesting this Board to agree upon the purchase price for premises adjoining Public School No. 35, in the Borough of Queens, and moved that it be referred to the incoming Department of Education, for report.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond—16.

The Comptroller presented communications from the President of the Borough of The Bronx, certifying to resolutions adopted by the Local Board of Morrisania, in relation to acquiring title to lands required for the opening of East 185th street, between Prospect avenue and Southern Boulevard; regulating and grading, etc., Monroe avenue, between Belmont street and Tremont avenue; regulating and grading, etc., roadway east of One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, between Prospect avenue and Dawson street.

Regulating and grading, etc., East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street, from Third avenue to Bronx River.

And moved that they be laid on the table, and referred to Engineer of this Board.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond—16.

The Comptroller presented the following:

Treasurer's Office—The Brooklyn Public Library, 26 Brevoort Place.

New York, January 22, 1902.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller, 280 Broadway, City:

Dear Sir—I have been requested by the Board of Directors of the Brooklyn Public Library to ask you and the City Officials if it is incumbent upon us to con-

tinue insuring the books and furniture belonging to this Department which are distributed among the various branches of the Library, seventeen in number.

We have been carrying insurance to a limited extent upon such property during the past three years, and the expense of same in 1901 amounted to about \$500.00.

The Library is growing very fast. We have at the present time close on 150,000 books. A conservative estimate of the value of furniture amounts to about \$14,000.00. The actual value of books remaining in the Library at any one time and not in circulation amounts to about \$106,000.00, making a total full valuation of about \$120,000.00. The total amount of insurance carried by the Library at the present time amounts to \$75,300. As stated above, these amounts are distributed among seventeen branches in various parts of the Borough. The Board questioned first whether it was necessary or economical to insure at all, and, secondly, the question has also been raised as to whether it was usual or necessary for a city department to insure the property belonging to City.

If you have any suggestion or advice to offer regarding the above, it will be very thankfully received by this Board. I have been requested by the Board to place this matter before the proper authorities, and so for that reason I have made my application to your Department, requesting an early reply. I remain,

Yours truly,

JOHN W. DEVOY, Treasurer.

Cotton Exchange, Corner William and Beaver Streets.

City of New York—Department of Finance,

Comptroller's Office, January 27, 1902.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller:

Dear Sir—John W. Devoy, Treasurer of the Brooklyn Public Library, states in a communication under date of January 22, that he has been requested by the Board of Directors of the Library to ask your opinion as to the future policy of the Board in insuring the books and furniture against loss by fire.

He states that for the past few years a limited amount of insurance was carried at an expense for the year 1901 of about \$500.

Further, that an estimate of value of the furniture would be about \$14,000, and of the books remaining in the seventeen branch libraries, and not in circulation, would be about \$106,000. Total, \$120,000.

A statement of the insurance carried by each Department of the City Government was furnished to the former Comptroller about two years ago, and is in the custody of the Chief Clerk.

I am informed that this list shows that the Department of Parks has insured certain buildings in the parks, and that the Departments of Correction and Docks insure their steamboats and some other property.

The real and personal property of the City protected by fire insurance at the present time within my knowledge is as follows:

1. All school buildings in the course of construction upon which partial payments are being made to the contractor.

Insured by contractor for the benefit of the city for amount paid on account, pursuant to the contract. Insurance in effect after fourth payment.

2. School houses and furniture in the Boroughs of Queens and Richmond, where the volunteer fire system prevails, and where there is inadequate water service in certain districts.

Contract was let to lowest bidder at public letting for insuring all. Rate bid 0.26 per \$100 for three years. Premium, estimated, \$6,152.85.

3. For the past two years the Fulton and West Washington Markets have been insured. Premium paid from appropriation entitled "Real Estate, Expenses of."

Prior to this time the insurance was carried at the expense of the shareholders.

Amount of insurance in force.....	\$325,000 00
Premium paid in 1901.....	2,725 00

In regard to the insurance of the books and furniture of the Brooklyn Public Libraries, I beg to advise you that many of the libraries are located in leased buildings, occupied as well by other tenants, where the rates are likely to be high.

Again, these risks are so well scattered that, in my opinion, it is a safe risk for the City to assume, especially when the loss of one or even more of the branches in a single year would in no wise cripple the library service as a whole, and the individual loss on a single branch would be insignificant.

Should you consider, however, that it is advisable that the contents of these libraries be covered by insurance, I would suggest that, without the expense of a public letting, a schedule of the insurance required be sent to each of the bidders upon the Board of Education contract, or to a number of insurance brokers, with a request to submit bids, in which manner I believe the insurance could be effected at the minimum cost.

Respectfully,

HARRY P. NICHOLS, Assistant Engineer.

City of New York—Department of Finance,

Comptroller's Office, January 27, 1902.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—I am in receipt of the enclosed letter from the Treasurer of the Brooklyn Public Library, asking whether it is incumbent upon the directors to continue in insuring the books and furniture. I transmit with such request a statement of the custom of the City on the question of insurance generally, whereby it appears that except certain isolated buildings in the parks, steamboats and some other isolated property, school buildings in course of construction, school houses and furniture in Queens and Richmond and the Fulton and West Washington Markets, the custom of the City has been to be its own insurer. I do not feel like taking the responsibility of advising the Treasurer of the Brooklyn Public Library on this matter, and submit it to this Board to determine whether or not, upon the facts appearing in the accompanying statements, the books and furniture of the Brooklyn Public Library are to fall within the rule or the exception.

Respectfully,

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

And moved that the Secretary be directed to inform the Treasurer of the Brooklyn Public Library that, in view of the custom of the City in the past, being its own insurer, that it does not deem it advisable to continue the insurance on the books and furniture in the Brooklyn Public Library.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond—16.

The Comptroller presented a communication from R. Ross Appleton, Secretary of the Brooklyn Public Library, dated January 11, 1902, recommending various sites for Carnegie Libraries in the Borough of Brooklyn.

Which was referred to the Comptroller.

The Comptroller presented a communication from the Department of Parks, dated January 20, 1902, requesting an appropriation of \$136,371.95 for the improvement of the William H. Seward Park.

The President of the Borough of The Bronx moved that it be received and laid on the table.

Which was adopted.

The Comptroller presented a communication from the Rapid Transit Railroad Commission, dated January 28, 1902, requesting an appropriation for expenses for six months from January 1, 1902. Also a report of the Comptroller in relation thereto.

Which were referred to the Comptroller.

The President of the Borough of The Bronx stated that he had been requested by the Veterans' Association to call the attention of this Board to the matter of the

retention of Charles H. Haswell, Consulting Engineer of the former Board of Public Improvements, in the City's service, and, if so, in what capacity.

Which was referred to the Mayor for consideration and report.

The Mayor presented a petition of the President of the United States and others, requesting this Board to take steps to complete the proceedings for the establishment of a Historic Park for the preservation of Washington's Headquarters.

Which was laid on the table.

The Comptroller presented a petition of property owners on the line of the extension of Riverside Drive and Parkway, protesting against the action taken by this Board January 21, 1902.

Which was laid on the table.

The Comptroller presented a communication from the Kings County Register, dated January 28, 1902, requesting an appropriation for Contingencies and Official Searches.

Which was referred to the Comptroller for consideration and report.

The Comptroller presented a communication from the F. V. Smith Contracting Company, dated January 23, 1902, in relation to contracts for regulating and grading Longwood avenue and regulating and grading One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street, protesting against the charge for overtime. Also communications from the late Corporation Counsel, the late Commissioner of Highways and the President of the Borough of The Bronx in relation thereto.

Which were referred to the President of The Bronx for examination and report.

The President of the Borough of Richmond offered the following:

Resolved, That the resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, relating to the salaries in the offices of the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond, adopted at a meeting held January 21, 1902, be and hereby is amended so as to fix the salary of the Assistant Superintendent of Buildings in the Borough of Richmond at \$1,500, instead of \$2,000; the salary of the Secretary to the Superintendent of Buildings at \$1,200, instead of \$1,500; the salary of the Superintendent of Highways at \$2,500, instead of \$2,000; the salary of the Superintendent of Sewers at \$2,500, instead of \$2,000; and the salary of the Superintendent of Street Cleaning at \$2,500, instead of \$3,000.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond—16.

A true copy of resolution adopted by Board of Estimate and Apportionment January 28, 1902. Clerk.

The President of the Borough of Queens offered the following:

Resolved, That, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen that the salary of the stenographer and typewriter in the office of the President of the Borough of Queens be fixed at the sum of nine hundred dollars (\$900) per annum.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond—16.

The President of the Borough of Queens presented a communication from the Board of Coroners of the Borough of Queens, dated January 25, 1902, requesting an increased appropriation for salaries for clerks.

Which was laid over for consideration in the Budget.

On motion the Board adjourned to meet on Tuesday, February 4, 1902, at 2 o'clock p. m. J. W. STEVENSON, Secretary.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

The following appointments, etc., in the various departments and offices of The City of New York were reported to this Commission during the current week.

Yours very truly,

GEO. McANENY, Secretary.

Bureau of Buildings, Bronx.

February 11, James J. Gaynor, Inspector of Buildings, \$1,200 per annum; Richard H. Pettit, Inspector of Carpentry, \$1,200 per annum; Charles F. King, Inspector of Masonry, \$1,200 per annum; Walter W. Bucknall, Inspector of Masonry, \$1,200 per annum.

Municipal Civil Service Commission.

February 10, Frances Eckstein, Stenographer and Typewriter, \$900 per annum; February 17, Teresa G. Casey, Stenographer and Typewriter, \$900 per annum.

Department of Education.

Promotion—February 10, Gustav L. Graef, Senior Clerk, \$720 per annum.

Department of Health.

February 8, Alexander Nisselson, Office Boy, \$300 per annum.

Department of Parks.

February 10, Peter Lawson, Stenographer and Typewriter, \$75 per month.

Rapid Transit Commission.

February 6, James Kearney, Assistant Engineer, \$1,500 per annum.

Promotions.

February 15, John G. Horgan, Rodman, \$960 per annum; William J. Keough, Rodman, \$960 per annum; John F. Mauser, Jr., Rodman, \$960 per annum; Robert F. Tighe, Rodman, \$960 per annum; John J. Welsh, Rodman, \$960 per annum; Godfrey Branfnehr, Rodman, \$960 per annum; Anthony E. Hoffman, Rodman, \$960 per annum; Otto E. Bernhardt, Rodman, \$960 per annum; Michael F. Corkery, Rodman, \$960 per annum; Charles A. Wood, Rodman, \$960 per annum. February 1, Stephen U. Hopkins, Assistant Engineer, \$1,800 per annum; George A. Taber, Assistant Engineer, \$1,800 per annum.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

New York, February 17, 1902.

Hon. PHILIP COWEN, Supervisor City Record:

Dear Sir—In accordance with the provisions of law, I transmit herewith a list of appointments, reinstatements, etc., in the various City Departments:

APPOINTMENTS.

Department of Correction—Robert Mayne, of the Borough of Manhattan, as a deck hand on steamboat, \$360 per annum from February 7, 1902; Michael Sullivan, of

the Borough of Manhattan, as a deck hand on the steamboats, \$360 per annum from February 8, 1902.

Department of Education—William A. Lay, of the Borough of Queens, as a cleaner in Public School No. 6, to take effect on his entrance into the service; Charles Bauer, of the Borough of Queens, as a cleaner of Public School No. 14, to take effect on his entrance into the service; Edward A. Treadwell, of the Borough of Queens, as a cleaner of Public School No. 44, to take effect upon his entrance into the service; William J. Mulcahy, of the Borough of Queens, as a cleaner of Public School No. 69, to take effect on the day of his entrance into the service; Callahan H. O'Riordan, of Winfield Junction, of the Borough of Queens, as a cleaner in Public School No. 11, Woodside, from the date of his entrance into the service.

Brooklyn Disciplinary School—Charles H. Nesbit, No. 808 Bedford avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, as an assistant batteryman, at \$480 per annum from January 9, 1902.

Department of Public Works—Edward A. Schneer, No. 64 Rivington street, Borough of Manhattan, as a foreman, \$3 per day from February 1, 1902; Edward H. Murphy, No. 220 East One Hundred and Fifteenth street, Borough of Manhattan, as a foreman, \$3.50 per day from February 3, 1902 (transferred from The Bronx).

President of The Borough—Elijah Mooney, East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, Borough of The Bronx, as a hose repairer, \$3.50 per day from February 10, 1902; Herbert H. Reilly, No. 1252 Stebbins avenue, Borough of The Bronx, as a hose repairer, at \$3.50 per day from February 10, 1902; Norman E. Bolton, One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street and Lillian place, Borough of The Bronx, as a hose repairer, \$3.50 per day from February 10, 1902; Charles A. Soteldo, No. 726 East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street, Borough of The Bronx, as a hose repairer, \$3.50 per day from February 10, 1902; Edward H. Arnold, No. 3584 Third avenue, Borough of The Bronx, as a hose repairer from February 10, 1902, at \$3.50 per day; Andrew Bachmann, No. 914 East Seventieth street, Borough of The Bronx, as a hose repairer, \$3.50 per day from February 10, 1902; Patrick F. Buross, of the Borough of Queens, as a blacksmith at \$4 per day from January 7, 1902; Mary T. McIntosh, No. 3510 Jamaica avenue, Richmond Hill, in the Borough of Queens, as a laundress, \$320 per annum from January 17, 1902.

Department of Street Cleaning—Thomas Devine, No. 116 East One Hundred and Fifteenth street, Borough of Manhattan, as a scowman from February 7, 1902; Andrew Rocha, No. 382 Water street, Borough of Manhattan, as a marine fireman from February 4, 1902; Morris Lawlor, No. 39 Watts street, Borough of Manhattan, as a marine fireman from February 8, 1902; John F. Hyland, No. 550 West Fortieth street; David Curran, No. 502 East Eighty-first street; Domenico Milanese, No. 330 East One Hundred and Ninth street; Lawrence Krantz, No. 187 Lewis street; Charles Braceline, No. 821 Ninth avenue; Shedrack Bibbs, No. 242 West Sixty-first street; Oscar Thompson, No. 244 West Sixty-fifth street; John E. Flannery, No. 1112 Second avenue; George L. Reilly, No. 423 East Fifteenth street; Edward R. Naves, No. 549 First avenue; John J. Bridel, No. 1140 First avenue; Joshua Freeman, No. 257 West Thirty-third street; Thomas F. Salmon, No. 318 East Fifty-ninth street; Christopher Garity, No. 18 Dover street; Antonio Pettito, No. 313 East One Hundred and Ninth street; Michael Frawley, No. 415 West Thirty-first street; Thomas J. Kenny, No. 339 West Forty-seventh street; Herman L. Bangor, Jr., No. 305 East Seventy-eighth street; Francis Luckey, No. 96 Gold street; Thomas Feenan, No. 1613 Park avenue; Miles Edwards, No. 223 West Sixty-second street; John Halpin, No. 332 East Thirty-sixth street; Giovanni Nicoletti, No. 100 Mott street; William J. Flynn, No. 540 East Fifteenth street; James J. Dunn, No. 431 First avenue; Ambrose F. Farley, No. 529 West Forty-ninth street; Carter S. Pennington, No. 217 West Sixtieth street; William Lucci, No. 314 East One Hundred and Seventh street; James T. Carter, No. 305 West One Hundred and Forty-eighth street; Edward Holzman, No. 724 Washington street; Louis B. Kastenbein, No. 411 West Thirty-second street; Fred Bassel, No. 560 West Fifty-second street; John Roberts, No. 239 Monroe street; Robert L. Vail, No. 7 Thompson street; Aug. Delmont, No. 118 West One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street; John F. Smith, No. 2958 Third avenue; Jacob Gerstenlauer, No. 679 Eleventh avenue; Virgilio Potitto, No. 324 East One Hundred and Ninth street; Michael Lemmo, No. 75 Mott street; John Englehardt, No. 156 East Ninety-eighth street; John Cunningham, No. 449 West Seventeenth street; William Vogan, No. 778 Eleventh avenue; Anthony Rizzo, Franklin street; Joseph Buck, No. 428 East Seventeenth street; James Kiernan, No. 222 West Sixty-first street; George Makir, No. 628 West Fifty-second street; Giovanni Arato, No. 142 Cherry street; Genario Vase, No. 48 Sullivan street; John J. Hayes, No. 545 West Forty-eighth street; Vincenzo Cioffi, No. 248 East Eleventh street—all of the Borough of Manhattan, as drivers from January 23, 1902.

Dennis Sullivan, No. 441 East One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, Borough of The Bronx, as a driver from January 23, 1902; Charles Landrine, No. 1923 West Farms Road, Borough of The Bronx, as a driver from January 23, 1902; George C. Peaco, No. 612 East One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, Borough of Manhattan, as a driver from January 23, 1902; James Campbell, St. John's avenue, Borough of The Bronx, as a driver from January 23, 1902; Frank B. Posey, No. 123 Woodruff avenue, Borough of The Bronx, as a driver from January 23, 1902.

Martin Barret, No. 1117 Flushing avenue; Thomas Kennedy, No. 139 North Eighth street; Joseph Ankner, No. 335 Bleecker street; Alexander Petri, No. 61 South Second street; George W. Vallar, No. 455 Keap street—all of the Borough of Brooklyn, as drivers, from January 17, 1902.

Cornelius McKeon, No. 265 Third avenue; John Durante, No. 71 Adams street; John Carroll, No. 325 Furman street; John F. Eiben, No. 268 Franklin street; Michael A. McManus, No. 592 Pacific street; Thomas Donnelly, No. 409 Nineteenth street; George Walter, No. 405 Humboldt street; Bernedetto Feraro, No. 147 Twentieth street; George Washing Noll, No. 794 Prospect place; James Farrell, No. 303 Nevins street; Andrew J. Horstman, No. 151 Butler street; Marion C. McCreary, No. 271 Reid avenue; Joseph A. Sheellhorn, No. 59 Jamaica avenue; Joseph T. Fox, No. 41 Somers street; Frederick W. Luckey, No. 488 Baltic street; Frank Frazza, No. 223 North Ninth street; Isaac Cox, No. 1503 Gates avenue; Andrew G. Celus, No. 207 Butler street; Charles H. Bend, No. 488 Fourth avenue; John P. Fitzwilliams, No. 52 Prince street; Simon Utell, No. 433 Warren street; Hugh Higgins, No. 220 McDougal street; John Brady, No. 610 Hart street; Philip Welsh, No. 196 Sixteenth street; James Sweeney, No. 531 Sutter avenue; Edward F. Wagner, No. 1137 Willoughby avenue; William Linchen, No. 228 Huntington street; Carmine R. Rio, No. 372 Lorimer street; Patrick Madigan, No. 655 Sterling place; August L. Bodensack, No. 71 Tallman street; Edward Duffield, No. 301 Nevins street; John Chrest, No. 207 Ralph avenue; John F. Hawkins, No. 148 Pearl street; Henry Schmidt, No. 201 Throop avenue; Daniel Donovan, No. 31 Greenpoint avenue; John F. Mulady, No. 124 North Elliott place; Otto Reinhard, Fort Hamilton avenue and Martin's lane; Michael Barnett, No. 40 Havemeyer street; Thomas Guilfoyle, No. 364 Hicks street; Patrick O'Regan, No. 316 Atlantic avenue; Dennis A. Mulligan, No. 225 Evergreen avenue; Michael J. Stanley, No. 169 Russell street; Patrick Greenan, No. 63 Hamilton avenue; James Rogers, No. 236 North Seventh street; Daniel Fitzpatrick, No. 80 Tremont avenue; James Bethel, No. 219 Concord street; John Ferguson, No. 78 Somers street; Martin McGann, No. 200 Sackman street; Bartholomew McGowan, No. 102 Sackman street; Joseph McCann, No. 102 Sackman street; Thomas J. Cook, No. 132 Park avenue; James McHenry, No. 118 Prospect street; Patrick O'Connor, No. 520 Union street; Patrick F. Quigley, No. 144 Sands street; Ralph Carl, No. 154 Fulton street; Thomas C. Monds, No. 120 Wyckoff avenue; William P. Fox, No. 166 Thirty-fifth street; Thomas Gordon, No. 1001 Nostrand avenue; Jeremiah Hayes, No. 116 Prospect street; Frank O'Hare, Belmont avenue and Elton street; William Watson, Sutter avenue and Linwood street; Robert Reilly, No. 274 Degraw street; John J. Fisher, No. 774 Third avenue; Peter Fallon, No. 588 Hicks street; John D. McLaughlin, No. 821 Dean street; Joseph Hefferman, No. 351 Forty-sixth street; Sebastian Jannetta, No. 2340 Pacific street; Frank A. Payton, No. 69 Stuyvesant avenue; Thomas Farmer, Jr., No. 286 Union avenue—all of the Borough of Brooklyn, as drivers from January 17, 1902.

Police Department—Mary O'Connor, No. 152 West Eighty-fourth street, Borough of Manhattan, as a cleaner from February 6, 1902; Nellie Brennan, No. 576 Broome street, Borough of Brooklyn, as a cleaner from February 6, 1902; Thomas Murphy, No. 120 Madison street, Borough of Brooklyn, as a driver from February 17, 1902.

Department of Parks—Andrew Dunn, Van Nest, Westchester, Borough of The Bronx, as a driver from January 17, 1902.

Department of Health—Ada Shay, No. 164 East Eighty-fifth street, Borough of Manhattan, as a cleaner from January 22, 1902; Margaret Emerson, No. 243 East Thirty-eighth street, Borough of Manhattan, as a cleaner from January 22, 1902.

Department of Charities—Helen Maria Fee, of the Borough of Brooklyn, as a hospital helper from January 14, 1902; Florence Hughes, of the Borough of Brooklyn, as a hospital helper from January 8, 1902; George Krause, of the Borough of Brooklyn, as a hospital helper from January 8, 1902; August Miller, of the Borough of Brooklyn,

as a hospital helper from January 8, 1902, \$216 per annum; Thomas Nagle, Bellevue Hospital, Borough of Manhattan, as a stoker, \$360 per annum from January 27, 1902.

REINSTATEMENTS.

Department of Street Cleaning—Joseph Capola, No. 418 East Eleventh street, Borough of Manhattan, as a sweeper from February 6, 1902; Alexander Sprung, No. 221 East Fifth street, Borough of Manhattan, as a sweeper from February 4, 1902; Antonio Panuto, No. 516 East Eleventh street, Borough of Manhattan, as a sweeper from February 3, 1902; Bernard Barry, No. 754 East One Hundred and Seventy-first street, Borough of The Bronx, as a painter from January 31, 1902; William Y. Gambee, No. 421 Willis avenue, Borough of The Bronx, as a liquid asphalt cement roofer from February 8, 1902; Ulysses S. Green, No. 6 West Sixty-seventh street, Borough of Manhattan, as a sweeper from February 3, 1902; Cornelius McCarthy, No. 545 Warren street, Borough of Brooklyn, as a driver from December 17, 1902; Paul Monaco, No. 180 Mulberry street, Borough of Manhattan, as a sweeper from December 31, 1901; James Kelly, No. 48 Fleet place, Borough of Brooklyn, as a driver from December 21, 1901; John Dowd, No. 544 West Forty-sixth street, Borough of Manhattan, as a sweeper from December 31, 1901; Samuel Schoenfield, No. 225 Suffolk street, Borough of Manhattan, as a sweeper from December 31, 1901; Frederick P. Marvin, No. 2100 Arthur avenue, Borough of The Bronx, as a driver from December 28, 1901; Richard Keegan, No. 764 Tremont avenue, Borough of The Bronx, as a plumber from December 31, 1901; James J. Golden, No. 208 East One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, Borough of Manhattan, as a driver from December 31, 1901; John Hollweg, No. 601 Courtlandt avenue, Borough of The Bronx, as a driver from December 31, 1901; John T. Martin, No. 1325 Amsterdam avenue, Borough of Manhattan, as a driver from December 31, 1901; William Montgomery, No. 314 West Fifty-sixth street, Borough of Manhattan, as a driver from December 31, 1901; Joseph Stager, No. 637 Bergen avenue, Borough of The Bronx, as a driver from December 31, 1901; James Cloonan, No. 402 East Forty-eighth street, Borough of Manhattan, as a driver from December 31, 1901; John J. Gutheil, No. 682 East One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, Borough of The Bronx, as a sawyer from January 31, 1902; Oscar A. Price, No. 251 West One Hundred and Twenty-third street, Borough of Manhattan, as a sweeper from February 4, 1902; William Beethen, No. 871 First avenue, Borough of Manhattan, as a sweeper from February 3, 1902; Nicolo Cuzzulo, No. 539 West Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan, as a sweeper from January 31, 1902; Ben Jackson, No. 418 West Thirty-sixth street; Michael J. Dolan, No. 337 First avenue; Nicholas Busanick, No. 529 West Forty-fourth street; Jacob Roth, No. 634 East Eleventh street; John Bennett, No. 613 Park avenue; John T. Muth, No. 444 East Fifteenth street; Patrick Broderick, No. 307 East Seventieth street; Salvatore Perrento, No. 410 East Eleventh street; Terrence O'Connor, No. 534 West Fiftieth street; Joseph Cermak, No. 544 East Eleventh street; J. James Early, No. 420 West Forty-sixth street; William Kimmerer, No. 534 West Fifty-third street; George W. Wright, No. 342 West Sixty-first street; William Sherman, No. 244 West Sixty-first street; John McCulloch, No. 729 Eleventh avenue—all of the Borough of Manhattan, as drivers from January 23, 1902.

Department of Parks—Cormack McLaughlin, of the Borough of Manhattan, as a laborer from January 11, 1902; John S. Hennessy, No. 2186 Fifth avenue, Borough of Manhattan, as a foreman from January 23, 1902; Thomas Connolly, of the Borough of Manhattan, as a housesmith from February 3, 1902; Patrick McNish, of the Borough of The Bronx, as a laborer from the 30th day of January, 1902; Thomas Gregory, No. 1569 First avenue, Borough of Manhattan, as a foreman from January 29, 1902; James Murphy, of the Borough of The Bronx, as a laborer from January 30, 1902; James Breslin, Thomas Bowe, William Fogarty, John McHale, Samuel P. Gray, Henry Barnes, Joseph Unga, Michael O'Brien and Bernard Connolly, all of the Borough of Manhattan, as laborers from February 6, 1902; Dennis Madigan, as a gardener in the Borough of Manhattan from February 6, 1902; Patrick Harris, John Cuddihy, Thomas McTiernan, Peter Howard and Thomas Horan, all of the Borough of Manhattan, as mowers from February 6, 1902; Francis Fox, Thomas Connors, John Mulvaney and Thomas Fox, all of the Borough of Manhattan, as drivers from February 6, 1902; James Walsh, Michael Sheehan, Andrew Cox, James Haggerty, Patrick Traynor, David Daly, Frank McCauley, James McNamee, John Fink and Vincenzo Morico, all of the Borough of Manhattan, as laborers from February 1, 1902; Roger Williams, Richard Johnson, John Spielman, William McKenna and Joseph Diefenbush, all of the Borough of Manhattan, as gardeners from February 1, 1902; Patrick Burke, John Barrett, Frank Klausner, Thomas Ginty and Michael Murphy, all of the Borough of Manhattan, as mowers from February 1, 1902; William Clark, of the Borough of Manhattan, as a carpenter from the 1st of February, 1902; James A. Teylin, of the Borough of Manhattan, as a blacksmith from the 1st of February, 1902; John Martin, of the Borough of Manhattan, as a wheelwright from the 1st of February, 1902.

CHANGE OF TITLE.

Department of Street Cleaning—Thomas Byrnes, No. 425 Sixth avenue, Borough of Manhattan, as a sweeper, from the position of driver, from February 6, 1902; Sebastian Fassanella, No. 44 Thompson street, Borough of Manhattan, as an assistant to section foreman, from sweeper, from February 3, 1902; Walter F. Ward, No. 1262 Brook avenue, Borough of The Bronx, as an assistant to stable foreman, from assistant to section foreman, from February 3, 1902.

Department of Parks—Hugh J. Ward, of the Borough of The Bronx, from the position of sounder to that of laborer, from January 21, 1902.

President of Borough—Frank Silva, from foreman to assistant general foreman, for the Borough of Manhattan, \$3.50 per day, from January 30, 1902; Fred L. Grupe, No. 1160 Ogden avenue, Borough of The Bronx, as a machinist, from the position of laborer, from February 10, 1902.

Department of Docks—Thomas J. Murray, Thomas J. Larkin and Patrick Cunningham, of the Borough of Manhattan, from the position of laborer to that of watchman, from January 3, 1902; John Wilson, of the Borough of Manhattan, as a dockbuilder, from the position of foreman dockbuilder, from January 9, 1902.

Department of Education—Charles Lansing, of the Borough of Brooklyn, from the position of carpenter to that of inspector of repairs, \$27 per week, from January 11, 1902.

TRANSFERS.

Bernard Barry, No. 754 East One Hundred and Seventy-first street, Borough of The Bronx, as a painter in the Department of Street Cleaning, from the Borough of Manhattan to the Borough of Brooklyn, from February 8, 1902.

James G. Doyle, No. 182 Butler street, Borough of Brooklyn, as assistant to section foreman, from the Borough of Manhattan to the Borough of Brooklyn, from January 31, 1902.

Hugh McDonald, No. 1218 Van Alst avenue, Borough of Queens, from the Bureau of Highways, Borough of Queens, to the Bureau of Buildings and Offices, Borough of Queens, from January 17, 1902.

Frank Hamilton, No. 110 West One Hundred and Second street, Borough of Manhattan, from the Department of Parks, Borough of Manhattan, to the Borough of The Bronx, as foreman gardener in the Department of Parks, from February 1, 1902.

Charles J. Moran, No. 175 Meserole street, Borough of Brooklyn, as a plumber from the Department of Sewers in that Borough to the Building Bureau, Borough of Brooklyn, \$3.50 per day, from January 31, 1902.

F. A. SPENCER, Labor Clerk.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS.

New York, January 16, 1902.

In accordance with the provisions of section 1546, chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901, I transmit the following report of the transactions of the offices of the Commissioner of Public Works, President of the Borough of Manhattan, for the week ending January 15, 1902.

Approved:

JACOB A. CANTOR,
President Borough of Manhattan.

Respectfully,

GEORGE LIVINGSTON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Public Moneys Received During the Week.

For restoring and repaving pavement—General account.....	\$440 50
For redemption of obstructions seized.....	13 50
For vault permits.....	1,204 64
For shed permits.....	20 00
For sewer connections.....	61 80
Total	\$1,740 44

Permits Issued.

Permits to open streets, to repair water connections.....	39
Permits to place building material on streets.....	64
Permits to construct street vaults.....	3
Permits to construct sheds.....	4
Permits to cross sidewalks.....	6
Permits for subways, steam mains and various connections.....	190
Permits for railway construction and repairs.....	1
Permits to repair sidewalks.....	7
Permits for sewer connections.....	2
Permits for sewer repairs.....	15
Total	331

Obstructions Removed.

Obstructions removed from various streets and avenues.....	21
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Repairs to Pavement.

Square yards of pavement repaired.....	275
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Repairs to Sewers.

Linear feet of sewer built.....	521
Linear feet of sewer cleaned.....	7,821
Sewer basins cleaned.....	207

Requisitions Drawn on Comptroller.

Bureau of Highways.....	\$8,493 39
Bureau of Sewers.....	3,025 51
Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices.....	15,442 54
Total	\$26,961 44

State of Laboring Force Employed During the Week Ending January 11, 1902.

	Mechanics.	Laborers.	Teams.	Carts.	Bath Att'd's.	Cleaners.
Repaving and renewal of pavements.....	264	318	4	83	.....	.....
Boulevards, roads and avenues—Maintenance of.....	22	106	21	10	.....	.....
Roads, streets and avenues.....	3	15	3	1	.....	.....
Sewers—Maintenance, cleaning, etc.....	14	91	.....	52	.....	3
Cleaning public buildings, baths, etc.....	92	44	.....	19	26	236
Totals.....	395	574	28	165	26	239

Changes in Working Force for Week Ending January 11, 1902.

One team and truck removed, one team and truck employed, one cleaner deceased, one team re-employed, one horse and cart re-employed, Superintendent of Incumbrances resigned, Janitor Rivington street baths abolished, Foreman Rivington street baths removed, Plumber Rivington street baths removed.

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

THE BUREAU OF BUILDINGS.

Operations for the week ending February 15, 1902.

Plans filed for new buildings.....	20
Estimated cost.....	\$55,765 00
Plans filed for alterations.....	2
Estimated cost.....	\$1,555 00
Violations of law reported.....	1
Violation notices issued.....	1
Estimated cost of plumbing.....	\$4,075 00

JOSEPH P. POWERS, Superintendent.

APPROVED PAPERS.

No. 14.

Resolved, That the Department of Health be and it is hereby authorized to make a contract, without public letting, for the erection of an emergency hospital and disinfection plant, in the Borough of Richmond, the cost not to exceed the appropriation of five thousand dollars (\$5,000), which has been made by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for that purpose.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen February 4, 1902.

Approved by the Mayor February 10, 1902.

CHANGES IN DEPARTMENTS.

February 17—Department of Parks, boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond—Appointed, from February 18, Mrs. Kate Kiesch, Cottage Attendant. Pay fixed from 15th instant at \$3.50 per day; Owen Keefe and Matthew Murphy, Harness Makers. Reinstated: Fredk. Petznicht, Blacksmith.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Pursuant to statutory requirement, notice is hereby given that an act has been passed by both branches of the Legislature, entitled,

AN ACT to amend section two hundred and sixty-five of chapter three hundred and seventy-eight of the Laws of eighteen hundred and ninety-seven, known as "The Greater New York Charter," as amended by chapter four hundred and sixty-six of the Laws of nineteen hundred and one, in relation to the expenses of condemnation proceedings. Further notice is hereby given that a public hearing upon such bill will be held at the office of the Mayor, in the City Hall, in The City of New York, on Friday, February 21, 1902, at 12 o'clock noon.

Dated, City Hall, New York, February 17, 1902.

fi18,19

SETH LOW, Mayor.

Pursuant to statutory requirement, notice is hereby given that an act has been passed by both branches of the Legislature, entitled,

AN ACT to authorize the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, to hear, audit, and determine, and allow the alleged claim of Hugo Schultes, for moneys expended in employing special interpreters for the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at Circuit and Special Term thereof, in the First Judicial Department, between the dates of January first, eighteen hundred and ninety-six, and November first, nineteen hundred. Further notice is hereby given that a public hearing upon such bill will be held at the office of the Mayor, in the City Hall, in The City of New York, on Friday, February 21, 1902, at twelve o'clock noon.

Dated, City Hall, New York, February 17, 1902.

fi18,19

SETH LOW, Mayor.

CITY CLERK.

Public notice is hereby given that the Aldermanic Committee on Public Health will hold public hearings in the Chamber of the Board of Aldermen, City Hall, Manhattan, on FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 1902, at 2.30 p. m., on the following ordinances:

1. To compel railroad companies to put clocks and cuspidors in cars.
 2. Regulating the sanitary treatment of telephone transmitters and receivers.
- All persons interested in the above matters are respectfully requested to attend.

P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk.



OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

STATEMENT OF THE HOURS DURING which the Public Offices in the City are open for business, and at which the Courts regularly open and adjourn, as well as of the places where such offices are kept and such Courts are held; together with the heads of Departments and Courts:

CITY OFFICERS.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office.

No. 5 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
SETH LOW, Mayor.
JAMES B. REYNOLDS, Secretary.
WILLIAM J. MORAN, Assistant Secretary and Chief Clerk.

Bureau of Licenses.

9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
GEORGE WHITFIELD BROWN, JR., Chief of Bureau.
HENRY OSWALD CAREY, Deputy Chief in Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

Branch Office, Room 12, Borough Hall, Brooklyn: **JOSEPH MCGUINNESS**, Deputy Chief in Borough of Brooklyn.
 Branch Office, "Richmond Building," New Brighton, S. I.: **WILLIAM H. MCCABE**, Deputy Chief in Borough of Richmond.
 Branch Office, "Hackett Building," Long Island City: **PETER PLANAGAN**, Deputy Chief in Borough of Queens.

THE CITY RECORD OFFICE.

and Bureau of Printing, Stationery & Blank Books.
 No. 2 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
PHILIP COWEN, Supervisor.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

No. 11 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
CHARLES V. FORTNES, President.
P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 noon.
EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.
N. TAYLOR PHILLIPS, **JAMES W. STEVENSON**, Deputy Comptrollers. **HUBERT L. SMITH**, Assistant Deputy Comptroller.

Auditing Bureau.

WILLIAM MCKINNEY, Chief Auditor Accounts.
JOHN F. GOULDSBURY, Auditor of Accounts.
F. L. W. SHAFFNER, Auditor of Accounts.
F. J. BRETTMAN, Auditor of Accounts.
DANIEL B. PHILLIPS, Auditor of Accounts.
EDWARD J. CONNELL, Auditor of Accounts.
FRANCIS R. CLAIR, Auditor of Accounts.
CORNELIUS A. HART, Auditor of Accounts.
WILLIAM J. LYON, Auditor of Accounts.
JAMES F. MCKINNEY, Auditor of Accounts.
PHILIP J. MCGEOY, Auditor of Accounts.
JEREMIAH T. MAHONEY, Auditor of Accounts.

Bureau for Collection of Assessments and Arrears.

WILLIAM E. MCFADDEN, Collector of Assessments and Arrears.
EDWARD A. SLATTERY, Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears, Borough of Manhattan.
JAMES E. STANFORD, Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears, Borough of The Bronx.
HY. NEWMAN, Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears, Borough of Brooklyn.
JOHN F. ROGERS, Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears, Borough of Queens.
GEORGE BRAND, Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears, Borough of Richmond.

Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

Stewart Building, Rooms 63, 65 and 67; Kings County Court-house, Room 14.
ELGIN R. L. GOULD, City Chamberlain.
JOHN H. CAMPBELL, Deputy Chamberlain.

Office of the City Paymaster.

No. 83 Chambers street and No. 65 Reade street.
JOHN H. TIMMERMAN, City Paymaster.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Office of Corporation Counsel.

Staats-Zeitung Building, 3d and 4th floors, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
GEORGE L. RIVES, Corporation Counsel.
THEODORE CONNOLLY, **JOHN C. CLARK**, **EDWARD J. MCGUIRE**, **CHARLES D. OLENDORF**, **CHARLES S. WHITMAN**, **GEORGE T. STERLING**, **GEORGE HILL**, Assistants.

JAMES MCKEEN, Assistant Corporation Counsel for Brooklyn.
GEORGE E. BLACKWELL, Assistant Corporation Counsel for Queens.

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

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

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

First District—All that part of the Twenty-fourth Ward which was lately annexed to the City and County of New York by chapter 1034 of the Laws of 1895, comprising all of the late Town of Westchester and part of the Towns of Eastchester and Pelham, including the Villages of Wakefield and Williamsbridge. Court-room, Town Hall, Main street, Westchester Village. Court open daily (Sunday and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Trial of causes are Tuesday and Friday of each week.
WILLIAM W. PENFIELD, Justice. JOHN N. STEWART, Clerk.
Office hours, from 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Saturdays, Second District—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, except the territory described in chapter 934 of the Laws of 1895. Court-room, corner of Third avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street. Office hours from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court opens at 10 A. M.
JOHN M. TIERNAN, 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, Eighth, Ninth, Eleventh, Twentieth, Twenty-first, Twenty-second and Twenty-third Wards. Court-room located at No. 794 Broadway, Brooklyn.
GERARD B. VAN WART, Justice. WILLIAM H. ALLEN, Clerk.
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Third District—Includes the Thirteenth, Fourteenth, Fifteenth, Sixteenth, Seventeenth, Eighteenth and Nineteenth Wards. Court-house Nos. 6 and 8 Lee avenue, Brooklyn.
WILLIAM J. LYNCH, Justice. JOHN W. CARPENTER, Clerk.
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. until 4 P. M. Court opens at 10 o'clock.

Fourth District—Twenty-fourth, Twenty-fifth, Twenty-sixth, Twenty-seventh and Twenty-eighth Wards. Court-room, No. 14 Howard avenue.
THOMAS H. WILLIAMS, Justice. HERMAN GOHLINGHORST, Clerk; JAMES P. SINNOTT, Assistant Clerk.
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Fifth District—Eight, Twenty-second, Twentieth, Thirtieth, Thirty-first and Thirty-second Wards. Court-house, Bay Twenty-second street and Bath avenue, Bath Beach. Telephone, 83 Bath.
CORNELIUS FURGUSON, 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 Saturday, 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 include the territory of the late Towns of Newtown and Flushing. Court-room in Court-house of late Town of Newtown, corner of Broadway and Court street, Elmhurst, New York. P. O. address, Elmhurst, New York.
WILLIAM RASQUIN, Jr., Justice. HENRY WALTER, Jr., Clerk.
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Third District—JAMES F. McLAUGHLIN, Justice; GEORGE W. DAMON, Clerk.
Court-house, Town Hall, Jamaica.
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court

held on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 10 A. M.

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

First District—First and Third Wards (Towns of Castleton and Northfield). Court-room, former Village Hall, Lafayette avenue and Second street, New Brighton.
JOHN J. KENNEY, Justice. FRANCIS F. LEMAN, Clerk.
Court office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court held each day, except Saturday, from 10 A. M.

Second District—Second, Fourth and Fifth Wards (Towns of Middletown, Southfield and Westfield). Court-room, former Edgewater Village Hall, Stapleton.
GEORGE W. STAKE, Justice. PETER TIERNAN, Clerk.
Court office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court held each day from 10 A. M., and continues until close of business.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS, MAIN OFFICE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, No. 280 BROADWAY, STEWART BUILDING, January 9, 1902.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, AS REQUIRED by the Greater New York Charter, that the books called "The Annual Record of the Assessed Valuation of Real and Personal Estate of the Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx, Brooklyn, Queens and Richmond, comprising The City of New York," will be open for examination and correction on the second Monday of January, and will remain open until the

1ST DAY OF APRIL, 1902.

During the time that the books are open to public inspection, application may be made by any person or corporation claiming to be aggrieved by the assessed valuation of real or personal estate to have the same corrected.

In the Borough of Manhattan, at the main office of the Department of Taxes and Assessments, No. 280 Broadway.

In the Borough of The Bronx, at the office of the Department, Municipal Building, One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue.

In the Borough of Brooklyn, at the office of the Department, Municipal Building.

In the Borough of Queens, at the office of the Department, Hackett Building, Jackson avenue and Fifth street, Long Island City.

In the Borough of Richmond, at the office of the Department, Richmond Building, New Brighton.

Corporations in all the boroughs must make applications only at the main office in the Borough of Manhattan.
Applications in relation to the assessed valuation of personal estate must be made by the person assessed at the office of the Department in the borough where such person resides, and in the case of a non-resident carrying on business in The City of New York, at the office of the Department of the borough where such place or business is located, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 2 P. M., except on Saturday, when all applications must be made between 10 A. M. and 12 noon.

JAMES L. WELLS, President; WILLIAM S. COGSWELL, GEORGE J. GILLESPIE, SAM'L STRASBOURGER, RUFUS L. SCOTT, Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments. 18.M.1.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY, NOS. 13-21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS AND ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity at the above office of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity until 2 o'clock p. m. on

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 1902.**BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.**

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING SEMI-BITUMINOUS COAL in the following amount, 3,500 gross tons.

The time for the delivery of the supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before July 31, 1902.

The amount of security required is three thousand dollars (\$3,000).

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

The contracts must be bid for separately.

Bidders will write out the amount of their bids or estimates in addition to inserting the same in figures.

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

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

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

Each 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 corporation, 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 accompanied by a certified check or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the bond required, as provided in section 420 of The Greater New York Charter.

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies, or the nature and extent of the work, reference must be made to the specifications on file in the Department.

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

J. HAMPDEN DOUGHERTY, Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.
The City of New York, February 6, 1902.
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CHANGE OF GRADE DAMAGE COMMISSION.

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

Dated New York, January 3, 1902.
WILLIAM E. STILLINGS, CHARLES A. JACKSON, OSCAR S. BAILEY, Commissioners.
LAMONT McLOUGHLIN, Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

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

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 11.
MACOMB'S ROAD—SEWER, from Inwood avenue to Cromwell avenue; also, CROMWELL AVENUE—SEWER, from Macomb's Road to East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street. Area of assessment: both sides of Macomb's road, from Inwood avenue to Tremont avenue; both sides of Cromwell avenue, from One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street to Macomb's road; east side of Aqueduct avenue, from Boscobel avenue to Tremont avenue; both sides of Nelson avenue, from One Hundred and Seventy-second street to Macomb's road; both sides of Feathered lane, from Aqueduct avenue to Macomb's road; both sides of One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street, from Nelson avenue to Macomb's road; both sides of Marcher avenue, from a point distant about 260 feet south of One Hundred and Seventy-second street to Feathered lane—that the same was confirmed by the Board of Assessors on February 14, 1902, and entered on 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 entry thereof on 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 one hundred and fifty-nine of this act.

Section 159 of this act provides: "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."
The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, corner of 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 April 16, 1902, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, February 17, 1902.
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NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

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

TWELFTH WARD.
VERONA STREET—SEWER, between Dwight street and the street summit situated west of Richards street. Area of assessment: Both sides of Verona street, between Dwight street and the street summit situated westerly of Richards street.

TWENTY-SIXTH WARD.
THATFORD AVENUE—BASINS, at the northeast and northwest corners of Dumont avenue; also, on the northeast, northwest, southeast and southwest corners of Riverdale avenue; also, THATFORD AVENUE—SEWER, from a point situated about 215 feet south of Livonia avenue to Riverdale avenue; also, THATFORD AVENUE—OUTLET SEWER, from Riverdale avenue to Newport avenue; also, NEWPORT AVENUE—OUTLET SEWER, from Thatford avenue to Osborn street. Area of assessment: Both sides of Newport avenue, from Thatford avenue to Osborn street; both sides of Riverdale avenue, from Rockaway avenue to Osborn street; south side of Livonia avenue, from Rockaway avenue to Osborn street; both sides of Thatford avenue, from Newport avenue to Livonia avenue; both sides of Thatford avenue, from Dumont avenue to Blake avenue; south side of Blake avenue, from Thatford avenue to Osborn street; north side of Dumont avenue, from Thatford avenue to Osborn street.

TWENTY-EIGHTH WARD:

LINDEN STREET—SEWER, between Hamburg avenue and Knickerbocker avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Linden street, between Hamburg and Knickerbocker avenues.

THIRTY-FIRST WARD.

WEST SEVENTEENTH STREET—SEWER, between Neptune avenue and Mermaid avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of West Seventeenth street, between Neptune and Mermaid avenues.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on February 14, 1902, and entered on 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 entry thereof on 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 one hundred and fifty-nine of this act.

Section 159 of this act provides: "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before April 16, 1902, 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 a lien to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, February 17, 1902.
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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 MANHATTAN:

TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 8.
TWO HUNDRED AND SEVENTH STREET—SEWER, between Harlem river and Tenth avenue; also, NINTH AVENUE—SEWER, between Two Hundred and Sixth and Two Hundred and Eighth streets; also, TWO HUNDRED AND EIGHTH STREET—SEWER, between Ninth and Tenth avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Two Hundred and Seventh and Two Hundred and Eighth streets, from Tenth avenue to the Harlem river; both sides of Ninth avenue, from Two Hundred and Sixth street to a point distant about 100 feet north of Two Hundred and Eighth street.

NINETEENTH WARD, SECTION 5.
FORTY-FIFTH STREET—SEWER ALTERATION AND IMPROVEMENT between Third avenue and Depece place. Area of assessment: Both sides of Forty-fifth street commencing at a point distant about 87 feet east of Lexington avenue, and running westerly to Fifth avenue; both sides of Madison avenue, from Forty-fourth to Forty-sixth street; both sides of Vanderbilt avenue, from Forty-fourth to Forty-fifth street; both sides of Park avenue, from Forty-fifth to Forty-sixth street; north side of Forty-fourth street, from Vanderbilt avenue to Fifth avenue.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on February 14, 1902, and entered on 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 entry thereof on 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 one hundred and fifty-nine of this act.

Section 159 of this act provides: "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, Room No. 85, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before April 16, 1902, 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 a lien to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, February 17, 1902.
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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 9.
EAST ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FIFTH STREET—PAVING, from Brown place to Brook avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, from Brook avenue to a point situated about one-half the block westerly from Brown place, and to the extent of one-half the blocks on the intersecting place and the terminating avenue.

TWENTY THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS, SECTION 11.

WILKINS PLACE—BASIN, on the northwest corner of Jennings street; also, ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTIETH STREET—BASIN, on the northeast corner of Wilkins place. Area of assessment: Lots numbered 1, 13 and 17 of Block No. 2965 and Lot No. 1 of Block No. 2966.

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 11.

CROTONA AVENUE—SEWER, from East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street to Crotona Park, North. Area of assessment: Both sides of Crotona avenue, from East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street to Crotona Park, North; north side of Crotona Park, North, from Crotona avenue to a point situated about 192 feet westerly therefrom; also, both sides of One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street, from Crotona avenue to Belmont avenue.

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 12.

WOODLAWN ROAD—BASINS, at the northeast and northwest corners of Perry avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Perry avenue, between Woodlawn road and Tenth street, and Fifth street; also, east side of Woodlawn road, between Two Hundred and Fifth street and Perry avenue.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on February 7, 1902, and entered on 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 entry thereof on 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 one hundred and fifty-nine of this act.

Section 159 of this act provides: "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, corner of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue, Borough of The Bronx, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before April 9, 1902, 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 a lien to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, February 10, 1902.
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NOTICE OF ASSESSMENTS FOR OPENING STREETS AND PARKS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1005 OF THE "Greater New York Charter," the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice of the confirmation by the Supreme Court, and the entering in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears, of the assessments for OPENING AND ACQUIRING TITLE to the following named place and street in the BOROUGH OF THE BRONX:

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 11.
OSBORNE PLACE—OPENING, from Burnside avenue to East One Hundred and Eightieth street. Confirmed January 28, 1902; entered February 14, 1902. Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the easterly side of Sedgwick avenue with the westerly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to the northerly side of East One Hundred and Eightieth street, and distant 100 feet northerly therefrom; running thence easterly along said westerly prolongation and parallel line to its intersection with the northerly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to the easterly side of Osborne place and distant 100 feet easterly therefrom; thence southerly along said northerly prolongation and parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northerly side of Burnside avenue and distant 100 feet northerly therefrom; thence easterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a radius of the curve forming the northerly side of Burnside avenue, said radius being drawn from a point on said northerly side of Burnside avenue at an equal distance from Osborne place and from Loring place; thence southerly along said radial line and its prolongation southwardly to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southerly side of Burnside avenue and distant 100 feet southerly therefrom; thence westerly along said parallel line to its junction with a line drawn parallel to the easterly side of Sedgwick avenue and distant 100 feet easterly therefrom; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with a radius of the curve forming the easterly side of Sedgwick avenue, said radius being drawn from a point on said easterly side of Sedgwick avenue at an equal distance from Burnside avenue and from East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street; thence westerly along said radial line to the easterly side of Sedgwick avenue; thence northerly along said easterly side of Sedgwick avenue to the point or place of beginning.

WEEKS STREET—OPENING, from Claremont Park to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse. Confirmed December 30, 1901; entered February 14, 1902. Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the southwesterly side of Tremont avenue with a line drawn parallel to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse and distant one hundred feet northwesterly from the northwesterly side thereof; thence southeasterly and easterly along the southeasterly and southerly side of Tremont avenue to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to Monroe avenue and distant one hundred feet easterly from the easterly side thereof, thence southerly along said line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street and distant one hundred feet southerly from the said line to its intersection with the westerly side of Monroe avenue; thence southerly along the westerly side of Monroe avenue and said westerly side produced southerly to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to Belmont street and distant one hundred feet southerly from the southerly side thereof; thence westerly along said line to its intersection with the prolongation southerly of the easterly side of Eastburn avenue; thence northerly along said prolongation and easterly side of Eastburn avenue to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse and distant one hundred feet southeasterly from the southeasterly side thereof; thence westerly along said line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to Eastburn avenue, and distant one hundred feet westerly from the westerly side thereof; thence northerly along said line drawn parallel to Eastburn avenue and

distant one hundred feet westerly from the westerly side thereof and said line produced northerly to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse and distant one hundred feet northwesterly from the northwesterly side thereof; thence northeasterly along said line to the point or place of beginning.

The above entitled assessments were entered on the date herein above given in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents." Unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of entry thereof on 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 one hundred and fifty-nine of this act.

Section 159 of this act provides: "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, at Crotona Park Building, corner of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue, Borough of The Bronx, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before April 15, 1902, 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 a lien to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.
CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, February 14, 1902.
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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 MANHATTAN:

FIFTH WARD, SECTION 1.
HUBERT STREET—SEWER ALTERATION AND IMPROVEMENT, between West and Hudson streets. Area of assessment: Both sides of Hubert street, from West to Hudson streets; both sides of Washington street, from Beach street to Lighthouse street; both sides of Greenwich street, from North Moore street to Lighthouse street; north side of North Moore street, from Greenwich street to Hudson street; both sides of Hudson street, from North Moore street to Beach street; west side of Hudson street, from Beach street to Lighthouse street, and both sides of Collier street, from Beach street to Lighthouse street.

TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 7.
ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTEENTH STREET—BASIN, at the southwest corner of Manhattan avenue. Area of assessment: West side of Manhattan avenue, from One Hundred and Sixteenth street to One Hundred and Seventeenth street.

TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 8.
ELEVENTH AVENUE—SEWER, east side, between One Hundred and Seventy-fifth and One Hundred and Seventy-eighth streets. Area of assessment: East side of Eleventh avenue, between One Hundred and Seventy-fifth and One Hundred and Seventy-eighth streets.

ELEVENTH AVENUE—SEWERS, east and west sides, between One Hundred and Eightieth and One Hundred and Eighty-first streets. Area of assessment: Both sides of Eleventh avenue, between One Hundred and Eightieth and One Hundred and Eighty-first streets.
—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on February 7, 1902, and entered on 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 entry thereof on 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 one hundred and fifty-nine of this act.

Section 159 of this act provides: "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."
The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, Room No. 85, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before April 9, 1902, 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 a lien to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, February 10, 1902.
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NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

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

TWELFTH WARD.
CENTRE STREET—SEWER, from Court street to the street summit situated westerly from Hamilton avenue; also, HAMILTON AVENUE—RECEIVING BASIN at the northwest corner of Centre street. Area of assessment: Lots numbered 31 to 35, both inclusive, of Block No. 281; also, Lots numbered 18; 22 and 27, both inclusive; 37; 38; and 41 to 44, both inclusive, of Block No. 282.

TWENTY-SECOND WARD.
PROSPECT AVENUE—FLAGGING, at the northeast corner of Fourth avenue. Area of assessment: Lot No. 36 of Block No. 93.

TWENTY-FIFTH WARD.

HULL STREET—FLAGGING, south side, between Saratoga and Hopkinson avenues. Area of assessment: Lots numbered 81; and 83 to 85, both inclusive, of Block No. 99.

THIRTIETH WARD.

BENSON AVENUE—FLAGGING, southwest side, between Bay Thirtieth street and Eighteenth avenue. Area of assessment: Lots numbered 9 and 10 of Block No. 810 and Lot No. 11 of Block No. 814.

FOURTH AVENUE—LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALKS, east side, between Ninety-fifth and One Hundred and First streets. Area of assessment: East side of Fourth avenue, from a point opposite Ninety-sixth street to One Hundred and First street.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on February 7, 1902, and entered on February 8, 1902, 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 109 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 on 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 one hundred and fifty-nine of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides * * * "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn, between the hours of 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon or before April 9, 1902, 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 a lien to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, February 10, 1902.
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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 alter the map or plan of The City of New York by the discontinuing and closing of Cayuga avenue, from Waldo avenue to West Two Hundred and Forty-fourth street, and of Tibbett avenue, from West Two Hundred and Forty-second street to West Two Hundred and Forty-fourth street, and the extension of West Two Hundred and Forty-fourth street, from Malcolm place to Cayuga avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, and that a meeting of the said Board will be held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 28th day of February, 1902, at 2 o'clock p. m., at which such proposed discontinuing and closing and extension will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolution, adopted by said Board on the 7th day of February, 1902, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, namely:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442, of chapter 466, Laws of 1901, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by the closing and discontinuing of Cayuga avenue, between Waldo avenue and West Two Hundred and Forty-fourth street, and of Tibbett avenue, between West Two Hundred and Forty-second street and West Two Hundred and Forty-fourth street, and the laying out and extending of West Two Hundred and Forty-fourth street, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

"Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed closing and extending of the above named streets at a meeting of this Board to be held in the 'Council Chamber,' City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 28th day of February, 1902, at 2 o'clock p. m.

"Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed closing and extending of the above named streets will be considered at a meeting of this Board to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the City Record for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 28th day of February, 1902."

The streets referred to in the above resolutions are more particularly described as follows:

"A." Cayuga avenue, to be discontinued and closed from the easterly line of Waldo avenue to a line which is the easterly prolongation of the southerly line of West Two Hundred and Forty-fourth street.

"B." Tibbett avenue, to be closed from the northerly line of West Two Hundred and Forty-second street to the southerly line of West Two Hundred and Forty-fourth street.

"C." West Two Hundred and Forty-fourth street, to be extended in a straight line from Malcolm place easterly to its intersection with Cayuga avenue. These changes affect section 24 of the final maps of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

J. W. STEVENSON, Secretary.
Dated, New York, February 15, 1902. 117, 28

In the matter of the opening of WEST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTIETH STREET, from Kingsbridge road to Haven avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan.

A PUBLIC HEARING IN THE ABOVE matter will be held by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting to be held on Friday, February 21, 1902, at 2 o'clock p. m. 116, 21

J. W. STEVENSON, Secretary.

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Queens at the above office of the President until 11 o'clock a. m., on

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 1902.

Borough of Queens.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING THREE HUNDRED AND FORTY GROSS TONS OF WHITE ASH ANTHRACITE COAL, as follows: 220 tons of egg size coal, 120 tons of stove size coal.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is within ten days after date of notice.

The amount of security required is ten hundred dollars.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per pound, ton, dozen, gallon, yard or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total for each item (class) and awards made to the lowest bidder on each item (class).

Bidders will write out the amount of their bids or estimates in addition to inserting the same in figures.

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

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

The person or persons making a bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope indorsed with the title given above, of the supplies for which the bid or estimate is made, with his or their name or names and the date of presentation to the said President, at the said office, on or before the date and hour above named, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the said President 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 Corporation, 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 accompanied by a certified check or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the bond required, as provided in section 420 of the Greater New York Charter.

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies, or the nature and extent of the work, reference must be made to the specifications on file in the office of the President.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the Commissioner, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor, at the office of the said President, and any further information can be obtained at the office of the President for the Borough of Queens, Hackett Building, Jackson Avenue and Fifth Street, Long Island City, Borough of Queens.

JOS. CASSIDY, President of the Borough of Queens.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, February, 1902.
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BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF BELLEVUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF BELLEVUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, CITY OF NEW YORK, 1902.

AUCTION SALE.

THE UNDERSIGNED WILL SELL AT Public Auction, at office of Bellevue Hospital, East Twenty-sixth street, on

FEBRUARY 26, 1902,

at 11 A. M., the following, viz.: Bones (estimated), 7,000 pounds. To be collected and removed from Bellevue Hospital three times a week.

Iron-bound barrels (estimated), 100; kerosene barrels (estimated), 12.

Old iron (estimated), 1,000 pounds.

Raw fat (estimated), 12,000 pounds. To be collected and removed from Bellevue Hospital three times a week.

Rags (estimated), 3,000 pounds.

All the above, except as otherwise mentioned, to be received by the purchaser monthly at Bellevue Hospital, foot East Twenty-sixth street, and removed upon being notified that same are ready for delivery.

Quantities marked "estimated" are for the accumulation of year 1902, and contracts based on such quantities are for such period of time.

All quantities to be more or less and estimated only.

All qualities to be "as are."

Assignments of contracts will not be recognized unless approved by the Board of Trustees. Each successful bidder will be required to pay twenty-five per cent. of the estimated amount of his purchase to me at the time and place of sale, and the balance to G. T. Stewart, Superintendent, in cash or a certified check on a New York City bank, upon delivery of the goods.

The Board of Trustees reserves the right to order resale of any goods that shall NOT have been removed by the purchaser within TEN days after he shall have been notified that they are ready, and in case of such resale to forfeit to the use of the Board of Trustees the TWENTY-FIVE PER CENT. paid in at the time and place of sale. Goods can be examined at Bellevue Hospital by intending bidders on any week-day before the day of sale.

JOHN W. BRANNAN, President Board of Trustees, Bellevue and Allied Hospitals.

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BELLEVUE HOSPITAL, EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Board of Trustees of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals at the above office of the Board, until 12 o'clock noon, on

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 1902.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FRESH MEATS, MILK, FRESH FISH, POULTRY, AND COAL, ETC., AND FOR OTHER MISCELLANEOUS SUPPLIES.

The time for the delivery of the supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before December 31, 1902, for all articles except meats, which is by or before May 31, 1902. The amount of security required is fifty (50 per cent.) of the amount of the bid or estimate.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per 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.

The contracts must be bid for separately.

Bidders will write out the amount of their bids or estimates in addition to inserting the same in figures.

The Board reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if they deem it to be for the interest of the City so to do.

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

The person or persons making a bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope indorsed with the title given above, of the supplies for which the bid or estimate is made, with his or their name or names and the date of presentation to the head of said Board, at the said office, on or before the date and hour above named, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Board 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 Corporation, 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 bids or estimates will be considered unless accompanied by a certified check or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the bond required, as provided in section 420 of the Greater New York Charter.

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies, or the nature and extent of the work, reference must be made to the specifications on file with the Board.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the Commissioner, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to enclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor, at the office of the said Board, and any further information can be obtained at the office of the Board, Bellevue Hospital, East Twenty-sixth street, Borough of Manhattan.

JOHN W. BRANNAN, President, Board of Trustees Bellevue and Allied Hospitals.

Dated, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY, February 8, 1902. 110, 24.

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PHILIP COWEN, Supervisor.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING, MAIN OFFICE, NOS. 13-21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, February 4, 1902.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES ENCLOSED in a sealed envelope with the title of the supplies and the name of the bidder endorsed thereon will be received at the Main Office of the Department of Street Cleaning until 1 o'clock p. m. of

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 1902.

at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of the Department, for furnishing:

- No. 1. YELLOW PINE.
- No. 2. WHITE PINE.
- No. 3. CLEAR CYPRESS.
- No. 4. SPRUCE.
- No. 5. NORTH CAROLINA PINE.
- No. 6. WHITE WOOD.
- No. 7. WHITE OAK.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is the year 1902.

The amount of security required is fifty per centum of the amount of the bid or estimate.

Each bid or estimate shall contain the name and place of residence of the persons making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein, and if no person be so interested it shall distinctly state that fact; also that the bid or estimate is made without any connection with any other person making a bid or estimate for the above-mentioned contract or contracts, and that it is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; that no member of the Board of Aldermen, head of a department, deputy thereof or clerk therein, chief of a bureau or other officer of the Corporation of The City of New York is directly or indirectly interested therein or in any of the supplies or work to which it relates or in any portion of the profits thereof as principal, surety or otherwise.

The bids or estimates shall be verified by the oath or affirmation in writing of the party making the same that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true.

Each bid or estimate must be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in The City of New York, with their

respective places of business or residence, or of a guaranty or surety company duly authorized by law to act as surety, and shall contain the matters set forth in the blank form of bid mentioned below.

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

For particulars as to the quality and quantity of the supplies and the nature and extent of the work required and the time and place of delivery of the same reference must be made to the specifications.

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

Dated, New York, February 4, 1902.
JOHN MCG. WOODBURY,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

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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.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING, NOS. 13-21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES will be received by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning at the above office of the Department of Street Cleaning until one o'clock p. m., on

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 1902.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ALL THE SERVICES, LABOR, TOOLS AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR SHOEING THE HORSES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

The time for the delivery of the labor, tools, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before December 31, 1902.

The amount of security required is five thousand dollars.

The number of Horses in the ten stables is estimated at one thousand, of which number about fifty are light driving horses.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING THREE HUNDRED CART HORSES.

The time for the delivery of the Horses and the performance of the contract is forty-five (45) days.

The amount of security required is twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000).

The bidder will state the price for each draft horse or mule and for each light driving horse. The contracts must be bid for separately and the bids will be compared at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.

Bidders will write out the amount of their bids or estimates in addition to inserting the same in figures.

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

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

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

Each 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 Corporation, 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 accompanied by a certified check or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the bond required, as provided in Section 420 of the Greater New York Charter.

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies, or the nature and extent of the work, reference must be made to the specifications on file in the Department.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank forms prepared by the Commissioner, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to enclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor, at the office of the said Commissioner, and any further information can be obtained at the main office of the Department for the Borough of Manhattan.

JOHN MCG. WOODBURY,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, February 7, 1902.
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PUBLIC WORKS, BROOKLYN.

NOTICE OF SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION.

February 4, 1902.
On Wednesday, February 26, 1902, at 10.30 o'clock A. M., the Commissioner of Public Works will sell at public auction the following:

- 1 black horse,
- 1 bay mare,
- 1 chestnut horse,

- 1 business wagon, style termed "buggy,"
1 work wagon,
1 set harness,
1 stable blanket,
1 street blanket,
17 tons of old iron, estimated.
163 lbs. of old brass,
1,120 lbs. of old rubber hose and boots,
34 empty oil barrels.

The sale will take place at the office of the Assistant Commissioner of Public Works, Room 15, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn. Intending bidders may apply for particulars at said office before day of sale.

TERMS OF SALE.

Cash payment in bankable funds at the time and place of sale, and the removal of the horses, wagons, and material immediately. If the purchaser or purchasers, fails or fail to remove said horses, wagons, etc., the purchase money and ownership of the same will be forfeited.

WILLIAM C. REDFIELD,
Commissioner of Public Works.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, BOROUGH HALL, BROOKLYN, NEW YORK, FEBRUARY 8, 1902.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, at his office, Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn, until 12 o'clock m., on

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 1902.

for furnishing materials and all the labor required and necessary to build and complete the following works:

No. 1. TEMPORARY SEWER ON THE EAST SIDE OF SEVENTY-NINTH STREET, FROM SEVENTH AVENUE TO FIFTH AVENUE.

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

1,635 linear feet of 12-inch vitrified stoneware pipe sewer.
16 manholes.

400 feet B. M. foundation planking.
The amount of security required is two thousand dollars (\$2,000).

The time allowed to complete the whole work is forty (40) working days.

The plans, drawings and specifications for the work may be seen at the office of the Superintendent of Sewers, Room 42, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn.

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

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

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

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

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

Bidders will write out the amount of their estimates in addition to inserting the same in figures. The President of the Borough reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if he deems it for the interest of the city so to do.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the Borough President, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor, at Room 42, Municipal Department Building.

J. EDW. SWANSTROM, President of the Borough.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 346 BROADWAY, NEW YORK, FEBRUARY 8, 1902.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an open competitive examination will be held for the position of BOROUGH SUPERVISOR OF COMPLAINTS ON Tuesday, February 25, 1902, at 10 o'clock a. m.

The subjects of examination will be as follows:

SUBJECTS.	WEIGHTS.
Special paper on duties.....	6
Experience	3
Arithmetic	1

From the eligible list formed as the result of this examination an appointment will be made to the position of Supervisor of Complaints in each of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, Queens and The Bronx.

The time for filing applications for said examination will expire on Friday, February 21, 1902, at 5 o'clock p. m. GEORGE McANENY, Secretary.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 346 BROADWAY, NEW YORK, FEBRUARY 8, 1902.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an open competitive examination will be held for the position of SUPERINTENDENT OF INCUMBRANCES ON Friday, February 28, 1902, at 10 o'clock a. m.

The subjects of examination will be as follows:

SUBJECTS.	WEIGHTS.
Special paper on duties.....	6
Experience	3
Arithmetic	1

From the eligible list formed as the result of this examination an appointment will be made to the position of Superintendent of the Bureau of

Incumbrances in each of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, Queens and The Bronx.

The time for filing applications for said examination will expire on Monday, February 24, 1902, at 5 o'clock p. m. GEORGE McANENY, Secretary.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 346 BROADWAY, NEW YORK, FEBRUARY 7, 1902.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an open competitive examination will be held for the position of JUNIOR ASSISTANT in the office of the Corporation Counsel at 10 o'clock a. m., on Friday, February 21, 1902, postponed from February 14, 1902.

CANDIDATES MUST BE MEMBERS OF THE BAR. The subjects of the examination will be as follows:

(1) Knowledge of the law such as will be necessary for application to the duties of the position.

(2) Experience. Appointments from the list formed through this examination will be at annual salaries of \$1,200; appointees will be subject to competition for promotion to higher grades after service of six months in the Department.

The time for filing applications for said examination will expire at 5 o'clock p. m. on Tuesday, February 18, 1902.

GEORGE McANENY, Secretary.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 346 BROADWAY, NEW YORK, FEBRUARY 8, 1902.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an open competitive examination will be held for the position of ENGINEER'S ASSISTANT, IN CHARGE OF HEATING, LIGHT AND VENTILATION, in the office of the Building Bureau, Department of Education, on Wednesday, February 26, 1902, at 10 o'clock a. m. The subjects of the examination will be as follows:

SUBJECTS.	WEIGHTS.
Technical knowledge.....	50
Experience	15
Arithmetic	20
Report, etc.....	15

Under the head of Technical Knowledge, candidates will be examined with reference to their practical knowledge of the ventilation, lighting and heating of school buildings; of mechanical engineering, including engines, both steam and gas; and of electrical engineering, with particular reference to motors, wiring for lights and installation of bells.

Under the head of Experience, account will be taken of the practical experience of candidates in work both inside and outside of the public schools of New York.

This position is second to that of Deputy Superintendent of School Buildings. The salary paid will be \$3,250 per annum.

The time for filing applications for examination will expire on Friday, February 21, 1902, at 5 o'clock p. m.

GEORGE McANENY, Secretary.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 346 BROADWAY, NEW YORK, FEBRUARY 7, 1902.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an open competitive examination will be held for the position of STENOGRAPHER and TYPEWRITER (Male), at 10 o'clock a. m., on Monday, February 24, 1902.

The subjects of the examination will be as follows:

SUBJECTS.	WEIGHTS.
Accuracy	4
Spelling	1
Time	1
Writing	1
Arithmetic	1
Letter Writing.....	1

Candidates successfully passing this examination will be eligible for certification for appointment to vacancies hereafter arising in any City Department or in any Borough.

The time for filing applications will expire on Thursday, February 20, 1902, at 5 o'clock p. m.

GEORGE McANENY, Secretary.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 346 BROADWAY, NEW YORK, FEBRUARY 7, 1902.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO all persons claiming to have been injured by a change of grade in the regulating and grading of the following-named streets, to present their claims, in writing, to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors, No. 320 Broadway, on or before February 21, 1902, at 3 o'clock p. m., at which place and time the said Board of Assessors will receive evidence and testimony of the nature and extent of such injury. Claimants are requested to make their claims for damages upon the blank form prepared by the Board of Assessors, copies of which may be obtained upon application at the above office.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

List 6802—Meeker avenue, between Kingsland avenue and the Meeker Avenue Bridge.

List 6848—Humboldt street, from Meeker avenue to Engert avenue.

List 7074—Alabama avenue, between Atlantic avenue and Glenmore avenue.

List 7075—Chaney street, between Rockaway avenue and Broadway.

List 7076—Linden street, between Hamburg avenue and Knickerbocker avenue.

List 7077—Park place, between Albany avenue and Troy avenue.

List 7078—Caton avenue, between Flatbush avenue and the Brighton Beach Railroad.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

List 7035—Forty-first street, from First avenue to the East River.

List 7056—One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, between Amsterdam avenue and the Boulevard.

List 7057—One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, between Amsterdam avenue and the Boulevard.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

List 7012—One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, East, from Third avenue to Park avenue, East.

List 7014—Wendover avenue, from Third avenue to Fulton avenue.

BENJAMIN E. HALL, HENRY B. KETCHAM, ENOCH VREELAND, Board of Assessors.

WILLIAM H. JASPER, Secretary, No. 320 Broadway.

CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, FEBRUARY 7, 1902.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO the owner or owners of all houses and lots, improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, that the following proposed assessments have been completed and are lodged in the office of the Board of Assessors for examination by all persons interested, viz.:

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

List 6639, No. 1.—Sewers in Fifth avenue from Ovington avenue to 79th street; in 79th street from Fifth avenue to New York Bay; in 75th street from Fifth avenue to a point about one hundred feet east of Fort Hamilton avenue.

List 6944, No. 2.—Sewer in Morgan avenue from Johnson avenue to Benton street.

List 7020, No. 3.—Fencing vacant lots, south side of Bainbridge street, between Howard and Ralph avenues; north side of Chauncey street between Howard and Ralph avenues; west side of Howard avenue between Bainbridge and Chauncey streets; east side of Ralph avenue between Bainbridge and Chauncey streets.

List 7069, No. 4.—Sewer Basin at the North-west corner of Vermont street and Belmont avenue.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

List 7030, No. 5. Fencing vacant lots on the west side of Amsterdam avenue, between One Hundred and Seventy-fourth and One Hundred and Seventy-fifth streets.

List 7031, No. 6. Flagging and re-flagging east side of Amsterdam avenue, between One Hundred and Nineteenth and One Hundred and Twentieth streets.

List 7033, No. 7. Flagging and re-flagging and re-curb east side of Eleventh avenue, from One Hundred and Seventieth to One Hundred and Seventy-first street.

List 7037, No. 8. Flagging and re-flagging southwest corner of Morningside avenue and West One Hundred and Seventeenth street, and extending along Morningside avenue one hundred and five feet, and along West One Hundred and Seventeenth street two hundred and fifty feet.

List 7038, No. 9. Flagging and re-flagging south side of Ninety-seventh street, from Third avenue to a point about one hundred feet easterly.

List 7039, No. 10. Flagging West Ninety-seventh street, in front of No. 122.

List 7041, No. 11. Flagging and re-flagging and curbing north side of Ninety-ninth street, from First avenue to the East River.

List 7042, No. 12. Fencing vacant lots on West Sixty-fifth street, in front of Nos. 4 and 6.

List 7044, No. 13. Flagging and re-flagging east side of St. Nicholas avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-seventh to One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street.

List 7045, No. 14. Flagging and re-flagging east side of St. Nicholas avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-ninth to One Hundred and Fortieth street.

List 7046, No. 15. Flagging and re-flagging and curbing south side of East One Hundred and First street, between Second and Third avenues.

List 7047, No. 16. Flagging and re-flagging and curbing south side of East One Hundred and Third street, between Second and Third avenues.

List 7049, No. 17. Fencing vacant lots on the southerly side of One Hundred and Tenth street (Cathedral Parkway), beginning about one hundred feet west of Amsterdam avenue and extending thence one hundred and ten feet westerly.

List 6851, No. 18. Flagging and re-flagging west side of Amsterdam avenue, opposite Nos. 2140 to 2154.

List 7051, No. 19. Fencing vacant lots on the north side of One Hundred and Fifteenth street, between St. Nicholas and Lenox avenues.

List 7052, No. 20. Flagging and re-flagging south side of One Hundred and Fifteenth street, between Broadway and Riverside Drive.

List 7053, No. 21. Fencing vacant lots at Nos. 63 and 65 East One Hundred and Eighteenth street.

List 7054, No. 22. Flagging and re-flagging north side of West One Hundred and Twenty-first street, from Morningside avenue to a point distant about two hundred and twenty-seven feet westerly therefrom.

The limits within which it is proposed to lay the said assessments include all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated on—

No. 1.—Both sides of Fort Hamilton avenue from 74th to 86th street; both sides of Seventh avenue from 74th to 80th street; both sides of Sixth avenue from 73d to 84th street; west side of Sixth avenue from Ovington avenue to 73d street; both sides of Fifth avenue from Ovington avenue to 90th street; both sides of Fourth avenue from Ovington avenue to 92d street; both sides of Third avenue from 74th street to 90th street; both sides of Second avenue from 74th to 80th street; both sides of First avenue from 75th to 92d street; both sides of Narrows avenue from 75th to 80th street; both sides of Bay Ridge Parkway from 77th to 83d street; east side of Bay Ridge Parkway, extending about two hundred and sixty-four feet north of 77th street; east side of Bay Ridge Parkway from 83d to 80th street; both sides of 72d street from Sixth avenue to a point distant about two hundred feet west of Fourth avenue; both sides of 73d street from Sixth avenue to a point distant about four hundred and forty-five feet west of Fourth avenue; both sides of 74th street from Fort Hamilton avenue to Third avenue; both sides of 75th street from a point distant about two hundred and five feet east of Fort Hamilton avenue to Second avenue; both sides of 76th street from Fort Hamilton avenue to Narrows avenue; both sides of 77th street from Fort Hamilton avenue to Bay Ridge Parkway; both sides of 78th street from Fort Hamilton avenue to Narrows avenue; both sides of 79th street from Seventh avenue to New York Bay; both sides of 80th street from Seventh avenue to Bay Ridge Parkway; both sides of 81st street from a point distant about one hundred and seventy-three feet east of Fort Hamilton avenue to Narrows avenue; both sides of 82d street from Fort Hamilton avenue to Bay Ridge Parkway; both sides of 83d street from Fort Hamilton avenue to Bay Ridge Parkway; both sides of 84th street from Fort Hamilton avenue to First avenue; both sides of 85th street from Fort Hamilton avenue to Narrows avenue; both sides of 86th street from Fort Hamilton avenue to Bay Ridge Parkway; both sides of 87th street from Fifth avenue to Narrows avenue; both sides of 88th street from Gelston avenue to Bay Ridge Parkway; both sides of 89th street from Fifth avenue to a point distant one hundred and forty-five feet west of Third avenue; both sides of 90th street from First avenue to Second avenue; both sides of 91st street from Fifth avenue to a point distant about two hundred and sixty-five feet west of Fourth avenue; both sides of 92d street from Fourth avenue to First avenue; both sides of 93d street from Fifth avenue to a point distant about two hundred and fifty-eight feet west of Fourth avenue; both sides of Gelston avenue extending about two hundred and twenty feet south of 86th street.

No. 2.—Both sides of Morgan avenue from Johnson avenue to Beadel street; both sides of Gardner avenue from Bennett street to Thomas street; both sides of Stewart avenue from Parker street to Thomas street; both sides of Varick avenue from Benton street to Thomas street; both sides of Porter avenue from Benton street to Cherry street; both sides of Vandervoort street from Dickinson street to Cherry street; both sides of Bogart street from Scholes street to a point distant about seventy feet south of Ten Eyck street; east side of Bogart street from Johnson avenue to Scholes street; both sides of Debevoise avenue from Maspeth avenue to Beadel street; both sides of Waterbury street from Scholes street to Grand street; both sides of Olive street from Grand street to Maspeth avenue; both sides of LaGrange street, and Agate street, from Grand street to Maujer street; both sides of Judge street from Powers street to Devoe street; both sides of Bushwick avenue from Maujer street to Devoe street; both sides of Thomas street from Gardner avenue to Varick avenue; both sides of Cherry street from Gardner avenue to Vandervoort avenue; both sides of Anthony street from Gardner avenue to Vandervoort avenue; both sides of Lombardy street from Gardner avenue to Van-

dervoort avenue; both sides of Beadel street from Gardner avenue to Kingsland avenue; both sides of Division Place from Gardner avenue to Kingsland avenue; both sides of Amos street from Gardner avenue to Kingsland avenue; both sides of Bennett street from Gardner avenue to Debevoise avenue; both sides of Parker street from Stewart avenue to Kingsland avenue; both sides of Benton street from Stewart avenue to Kingsland avenue; both sides of Bullion street from Vandervoort avenue to Kingsland avenue; both sides of Maspeth avenue from Vandervoort avenue to Humboldt street; both sides of Orient avenue from Vandervoort avenue to Bushwick avenue; both sides of Sharon street from Morgan avenue to Orient avenue; both sides of Metropolitan avenue from Morgan avenue to Bushwick avenue; both sides of Devoe street from Morgan avenue to Bushwick avenue; both sides of Powers street from Catharine street to Bushwick avenue; both sides of Catharine street from Grand street to Metropolitan avenue; both sides of Grand street from Morgan avenue to Bushwick avenue; both sides of Maujer street from Morgan avenue to Bushwick avenue; both sides of Ten Eyck street from Bushwick avenue to a point about four hundred feet east of Morgan avenue; both sides of Meadow street from Waterbury street to a point about four hundred feet east of Morgan avenue; both sides of Stag street from Bushwick avenue to a point about four hundred feet east of Morgan avenue; both sides of Scholes street from Bushwick avenue to a point about four hundred feet east of Morgan avenue; both sides of Bogart street to a point about four hundred feet east of Morgan avenue; both sides of Montrose avenue from Bogart street to a point about four hundred feet east of Morgan avenue; north side of Johnson avenue, extending about two hundred and two feet west of Morgan avenue; both sides of Dickinson and Calhoun streets from Vandervoort avenue to Morgan avenue.

No. 3.—North side of Chauncey street from Ralph avenue to Howard avenue; west side of Howard avenue from Chauncey street to Bainbridge street; south side of Bainbridge street, extending about twenty-five feet west of Howard avenue.

No. 4.—North side of Belmont avenue from New Jersey avenue to Vermont street; west side of Vermont street from Belmont avenue to Pitkin avenue.

No. 5.—West side of Amsterdam avenue, from One Hundred and Seventy-fourth to One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street.

No. 6.—East side of Amsterdam avenue, from One Hundred and Nineteenth to One Hundred and Twentieth street.

No. 7.—East side of Eleventh avenue, from One Hundred and Seventieth to One Hundred and Seventy-first street.

No. 8.—South side of One Hundred and Seventieth street, extending about two hundred and fifty feet west of Morningside avenue West, and west side of Morningside avenue West extending about one hundred and one foot south of One Hundred and Seventieth street.

No. 9.—South side of Ninety-seventh street, extending about one hundred and ten feet east of Third avenue.

No. 10.—South side of West Ninety-seventh street, on Block 1851, Lot No. 41.

No. 11.—North side of Ninety-ninth street, from First avenue to the East River.

No. 12.—South side of Sixty-fifth street, extending about one hundred and twenty-five feet west of Central Park West.

No. 13.—East side of St. Nicholas avenue, extending northerly from One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street about six hundred and fifty-eight feet.

No. 14.—East side of St. Nicholas avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-ninth to One Hundred and Fortieth street, on Block 2048, Lot Nos. 1, 42 and 51.

No. 15.—South side of One Hundred and First street, between Second and Third avenues, on Block 1650, Lot Nos. 28 to 42 inclusive.

No. 16.—South side of East One Hundred and Third street, between Second and Third avenues, on Block 1652, Lot Nos. 28, 31, 32, 33 and 34.

No. 17.—South side of One Hundred and Tenth street (Cathedral Parkway), extending about two hundred feet west of Amsterdam avenue.

No. 18.—West side of Amsterdam avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-sixth and One Hundred and Sixty-seventh streets, on Block 2123, Lot Nos. 64, 65 and 68.

No. 19.—North side of One Hundred and Fifteenth street, between St. Nicholas and Lenox avenues, on Block 1825, Lot Nos. 10 to 16 inclusive.

No. 20.—South side of One Hundred and Fifteenth street, between Broadway and Riverside Drive, on Block 1896, Lot Nos. 32 to 43 inclusive.

No. 21.—North side of One Hundred and Eighteenth street, between Madison and Park avenues, on Block 1745, Lot Nos. 20 and 30.

No. 22.—North side of West One Hundred and Twenty-first street, extending about one hundred and seventy-five feet west of Morningside avenue West.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named proposed assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections, in writing, to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors, No. 320 Broadway, New York, on or before March 14, 1902, at 3 p. m., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

BENJAMIN E. HALL, HENRY B. KETCHAM, ENOCH VREELAND, Board of Assessors.

WILLIAM H. JASPER, Secretary, No. 320 Broadway.

CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, FEBRUARY 7, 1902.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Supplies at the above office until 3 o'clock p. m. on

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 1902.

FOR FURNISHING AND OPERATING STAGES AND OTHER CONVEYANCES TO CONVEY PUPILS TO THE SCHOOLS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time for the performance of the contract is by or before December 31, 1902.

The amount of security required for each route is given in the Printed Forms of Contract. The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.

Bidders will write out the amount of their bids or estimates in addition to inserting the same in figures.

The Board of Education reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if he deem it to be for the interest of the City so to do.

The person or persons making a bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope indorsed with the title given above, of the supplies for which the bid or estimate is made, with his or their name or names and the date of presentation to the Superintendent, at the said office, on or before the date and hour above named, at

which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the Superintendent 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 corporation, 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 accompanied by a certified check or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the bond required, as provided in section 420 of The Greater New York Charter.

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies, or the nature and extent of the work, reference must be made to the specifications on file in the office of the Superintendent.

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

PARKER P. SIMMONS, Superintendent of School Supplies.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX, FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET, NEW YORK, February 13, 1902.

AUCTION SALE.

THE UNDERSIGNED WILL SELL AT Public Auction, at office, foot of East Twenty-sixth Street, on

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 1902,

at 11 A. M., the following, viz:

Bones (estimated), 50,000 pounds. To be collected and removed from Blackwell's Island three times a week.

Grease (estimated), 15,000 pounds. To be collected monthly from Blackwell's Island.

Old Iron (estimated), 100,000 pounds. To be collected twice a year at Pier on Metropolitan Hospital grounds, east side, near north end of Blackwell's Island, in a lighter to be provided by the buyer upon being notified.

Rags (estimated), 30,000 pounds.

All the above, except as otherwise mentioned, to be received by the purchaser monthly at the pier foot of East Twenty-sixth street, and removed upon being notified that same are ready for delivery.

Quantities marked "estimated" are for the accumulation of year 1902, and contracts based on such quantities are for such period of time.

All quantities to be more or less and estimated only.

All quantities to be "as are."

Assignments of contracts will not be recognized unless approved by the Commissioner.

Each successful bidder will be required to pay twenty-five per cent. of the estimated amount of his purchase to me at the time and place of sale, and the balance to the General Storekeeper, at Blackwell's Island, in cash or a certified check on a New York City bank, upon delivery of the goods.

The Commissioner reserves the right to order resale of any goods that shall NOT have been removed by the purchaser within TEN days after he shall have been notified that they are ready, and in case of such resale to forfeit to the use of the Department of Public Charities the TWENTY-FIVE PER CENT. paid in at the time and place of sale. Goods can be examined at Blackwell's Island by intending bidders on any week-day before the day of sale.

HOMER FOLKS,

Commissioner of Public Charities.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, NOS. 126 AND 128 LIVINGSTON STREET, BROOKLYN, N. Y.

SALE OF GREASE, BAGS, BARRELS, BONES, RAGS, METAL AND MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES.

THE UNDERSIGNED WILL SELL AT Public Auction to the highest bidder, at the Storehouse of the Almshouse at Flatbush, Brooklyn, on

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 1902,

at 11 A. M., all empty Flour, Sugar, Pork, Mackerel, Vinegar, Turpentine, Whiskey, Alcohol, Oil and Miscellaneous Barrels, Brandy Casks, Bones, Grease, Iron, Rags, Lead, Brass, Tea Lead and Bags which may accumulate during the year 1902. The estimated quantity of each can be ascertained at the Storehouse.

I will also sell to the highest bidder, on the date and in the manner aforesaid, for cash:

5 Horses, 1 Rockaway Coupe, 1 Ambulance, 1 Delivery Wagon, 1 Morgue Wagon; also Rubber Pads, Bed Pans, Rings, Hot Water Bags, Ice Caps, Syringes, Cautery, Bulb and Stomach Tube. Bids on Metals, Bones and Bags must be per pound—on Barrels and Bags per piece.

All quantities to be "more or less"; all quantities to be "as are."

All aforesaid articles must be received by the purchaser at the aforesaid storehouse, and removed therefrom immediately upon being notified that same are ready for delivery, excepting in the case of Bones and Grease, which must be removed every other day by the purchaser without previous notice.

Each successful bidder will be required to pay 25 per cent. of the estimated amount of his purchase. Such amount shall be fixed by the Commissioner, and said purchaser shall pay said sum to him on the day of the sale, and shall pay the balance in cash or certified check on a New York City Bank to the Superintendent of Almshouse upon delivery of the goods.

The Commissioner reserves the right to reject any or all bids, also the right to order a resale of any articles that shall not have been removed by the purchaser within ten days after a written notice has been mailed to him to do so. This, however, does not apply to the Bones and Grease, which, if not removed every other day, the Com-

missioner reserves the right to sell without notice. In all cases of resale, the purchaser is to forfeit to the use of The City of New York the 25 per cent. paid at the time of sale.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, February 13, 1902.
HOMER FOLKS,
Commissioner of Public Charities.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

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

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 1902,

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING DRY GOODS, RUBBER GOODS, STRAW HATS, SURGICAL INSTRUMENTS, LEATHER, COAL, LITHOGRAPHED DIPLOMAS, SCHOOL BOOKS, KINDERGARTEN SUPPLIES AND MISCELLANEOUS SUPPLIES.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before December 31, 1902.

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

All bids must be based upon the description furnished or samples exhibited by this Department and not as samples furnished by the bidder.

The articles, supplies, goods, wares and merchandise are to be delivered, free of expense, in such quantities and at such times as may be required.

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

Bidders will write out the amount of their bids or estimates in addition to inserting the same in figures.

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

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

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

Each 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 Corporation, 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.

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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 on file in the Department.

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

HOMER FOLKS, Commissioner.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, February 10, 1902.

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: Boots, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, wine, blankets, diamonds, canned goods, liquors, etc.; also small amount money taken from prisoners and found by Patrolmen of this Department.

ANDREW J. LALOR,
Property Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE DEPUTY Property Clerk of the Police Department of The City of New York—Office, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn—for the following property, now in his custody, without claimants: Boots, 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.

CHARLES D. BLATCHFORD,
Deputy Property Clerk.

OFFICIAL PAPERS.

"Tribune," "Mail and Express," "Evening Post," "World," "Real Estate Record," "Harper's Weekly," "Staats-Zeitung,"
PHILIP COWEN, Supervisor.

January 9, 1902.

SUPREME COURT.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title to the

lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening PILLING STREET from Evergreen avenue to tracks of Manhattan Railroad Company, in the Twenty-eighth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 5th day of May, 1900, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, at his office in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 5th day of May, 1900, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, 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 street or avenue, 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 Kings, on the 5th day of May, 1900; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4 of the Greater New York Charter, 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 street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, in the office of the Law Department, Room 20, Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owner or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 18th day of March, 1902, at three 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 BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK, February 13, 1902.

WILLIAM H. GOOD, EDWIN A. ROCKWELL, JOSEPH E. OWENS, Commissioners;
CHARLES S. TABER, Clerk.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening ROCHESTER AVENUE, from East New York avenue to former City Line, in the Twenty-ninth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 30th day of March, 1901, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, at his office in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 30th day of March, 1901, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, 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 street or avenue, 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 Kings on the 30th day of March, 1901; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4 of the Greater New York Charter, 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 street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, in the office of the Law Department, Room 20, Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owner or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 18th day of March, 1902, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine 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 BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK, February 13, 1902.
JAMES GRAHAM, GEORGE M. JANVRIN, CHARLES D. PEARSON, Commissioners;
CHARLES S. TABER, Clerk.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening TERRACE PLACE,

from Gravesend avenue to Prospect avenue, in the Twenty-ninth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 22d day of June, 1901, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, at his office in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 22d day of June, 1901, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, 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 street or avenue, 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 Kings, on the 22d day of June, 1901; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4 of the Greater New York Charter, 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 street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, in the office of the Law Department, Room 20, Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owner or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 14th day of March, 1902, at two 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 BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK, February 13, 1902.

WILLIAM A. MATHIS, SOLON BARBANELL, ARTHUR BECKWITH, Commissioners;
CHARLES S. TABER, Clerk.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening PROSPECT AVENUE, from Eleventh avenue to Terrace place, in the Twenty-second Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 22d day of June, 1901, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, at his office in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 22d day of June, 1901, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, 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 street or avenue, 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 Kings, on the 22d day of June, 1901; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4 of the Greater New York Charter, 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 street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, in the office of the Law Department, Room 20, Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owner or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 14th day of March, 1902, at three 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 BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK, February 13, 1902.

JOHN B. SHANAHAN, FREDERICK CUZNER, JAMES J. DEVERE, Commissioners;
CHARLES S. TABER, Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education, by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands situated on the westerly side of ROOSEVELT STREET, between Cherry and Oak streets, in the Fourth Ward, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, duly chosen and determined as a site for school purposes by the School Board of the Boroughs of Manhattan

and The Bronx, and approved by the Board of Education as provided by law pursuant to the statutes in such cases made and provided.

WE THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate in the above entitled matter, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, lessee or lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises, title to which is sought to be acquired in this proceeding, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate of the loss and damage to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands or premises affected by this proceeding or having any interest therein, and have filed a true report or transcript of such estimate in the Board of Education for the inspection of whomsoever it may concern.

Second—That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by the said estimate, and who may object to the same, or any part thereof, may, within ten days after the first publication of this notice, February 17, 1902, file their objections to such estimate, in writing, with us at our office, Room No. 2, on the fourth floor of the Staats Zeitung Building, No. 2 Tryon Row, in the said city, and we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting at our said office on the 2d day of March, 1902, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Third—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in Part III., in the County Court House in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, on the 10th day of March, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day, and then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that said report be confirmed.

Dated, NEW YORK, February 14, 1902.
HENRY A. GUMBLETON, ARTHUR INGRAHAM, JOHN J. QUINLAN, Commissioners.
JOSEPH M. SCHENCK, Clerk. f15-28

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments, required for the purpose of opening and extending A NEW STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), to extend from Chambers street to Reade street, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Sixth 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 improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate of assessment for benefit and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 8th day of March, 1902, 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 12th day of March, 1902, at 11 o'clock a. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate of assessment, together with our 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 18th day of March, 1902.

Third—That pursuant to the notice heretofore given, when we filed our estimate of damage, the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, which taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at the point of intersection of a line drawn parallel to and distant one hundred feet southerly from the southerly line of Vesey street, with a line drawn parallel to and distant one hundred feet westerly from the westerly line of Broadway; running thence northerly along said line parallel to Broadway to its intersection with the middle line of the block between Murray street and Park place; thence westerly along said middle line of the block to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant one hundred feet westerly from the westerly line of Church street; thence northerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the middle line of the block between Warren street and Murray street; thence westerly along said middle line of the block to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant one hundred feet westerly from the westerly line of West Broadway; thence northerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the middle line of the block between Duane street and Reade street; thence easterly along said middle line of the block to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant one hundred feet westerly from the westerly line of Church street; thence northerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the middle line of the block between Thomas street and Duane street; thence easterly along said middle line of the block to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant one hundred feet westerly from the westerly line of Broadway; thence northerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the middle line of the block between Worth street and Thomas street; thence easterly along said middle line of the block to its intersection with the southerly prolongation of the middle line of the block between Broadway and that part of Cortlandt alley lying between White street and Canal street; thence northerly along said prolongation and middle line of the block and its northerly prolongation to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant one hundred feet northerly from the northerly line of Canal street; thence easterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant one hundred feet easterly from the easterly line of Centre street; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant one hundred feet northerly from the northerly line of that portion of Pearl street lying between Park Row and Centre street; thence easterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the northerly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to and distant one hundred feet easterly from the easterly line of that portion of Pearl street lying between New Chambers street and Park Row; thence southerly along said prolongation and parallel line to a point distant one hundred feet at right angles to Madison street; thence on a straight line from said point to the point of intersection of the westerly line of Pearl street with a line drawn parallel to and distant one hundred feet southerly from the southerly line of Rose street; thence

southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the easterly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to and distant one hundred feet westerly from the westerly line of that part of Duane street lying between William street and Rose street; thence northerly along said prolongation and parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant one hundred feet southeasterly from the southeasterly line of William street; thence southeasterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant one hundred feet southerly from the southerly line of Frankfort street; thence westerly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant one hundred feet easterly from the easterly line of Nassau street; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant one hundred feet southerly from the southerly line of Ann street; thence westerly along said parallel line to the easterly line of Broadway; thence westerly to the point of intersection of the westerly line of Broadway with a line drawn parallel to and distant one hundred feet southerly from the southerly line of Vesey street; thence westerly along said parallel line to the point or place of beginning, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our last partial and separate report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 15th day of April, 1902, at the opening of Court on that day.

Dated, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, February 5, 1902.

CHARLES A. JACKSON, JOHN LARKIN, Commissioners.
JOHN P. DENN, Clerk. f15, m6

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 WEST ONE HUNDRED AND FORTIETH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Edgecombe avenue to Avenue St. Nicholas, 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 6th day of December, 1901, 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 10th day of December, 1901, 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. 2048, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, 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 10th day of December, 1901; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, 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 street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, ninth 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 11th day of March, 1902, at 2 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, February 13, 1902.
CHARLES A. JACKSON, THOS. J. BROWN, CHAS. C. MARRIN, Commissioners. f14,m10.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of HAMILTON STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Sanford street to Vernon avenue, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, in The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, Second Department, bearing date the 30th day of December, 1901, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, at his office in Jamaica in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, on the 9th day of January, 1902, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, 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 Queens, on the 9th day of January, 1902; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed,

to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, 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 street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, ninth 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 12th day of March, 1902, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine 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, February 14, 1902.
PETER A. LEININGER, JOS. FITCH, J. J. DALY, Commissioners. f14, m10

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of CLARK STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Main street to Van Alst avenue, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, in The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by orders of the Supreme Court, Second Department, bearing date the 1st day of December, 1901, and 22d day of March, 1901, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, at his office in Jamaica, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, on the 9th day of January, 1902, and the 4th day of October, 1901, copies of which orders were duly filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, 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 Queens, on the 4th day of October, 1901; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, 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 street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, ninth 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 12th day of March, 1902, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine 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, February 14, 1902.
JAS. F. ROBERTS, THOS. B. SEAMAN, CHARLES FREDERICK, Commissioners. f14, m10

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 FIDELITY AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street to East One Hundred and Seventy-third street, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 27th day of December, 1901, 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 31st day of December, 1901, 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 Nos. 2432, 2433, 2434, 2435 and 2436, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, 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 31st day of December, 1901; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties

and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, 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 street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, ninth 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 12th day of March, 1902, at 4 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, February 14, 1902.
DAVID THOMSON, CHAS. V. HALLEY, SAM'L SANDERS, Commissioners. f14, m10

FIRST JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, by and through the Counsel to the Corporation, to acquire title in fee to certain lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises, including upland and land under water, or rights therein, fronting upon Riverside Park, in The City of New York, as and for a part or extension of the Riverside Park, and for public docks, wharves or commercial purposes, under and pursuant to the provisions of chapter 152 of the Laws of 1894.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Third Separate Report of Charles L. Guy, Edward V. Loew and Grosvenor S. Hubbard, the Commissioners of Appraisal duly appointed in the above entitled proceeding, which report bears date the 11th day of February, 1902, was filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 11th day of February, 1902.

Notice is further given that the said report includes and affects the parcels designated and described therein and designated upon the map of damage accompanying said report by the parcel numbers 19, 20, 21, 21b, 21c, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 28, 29, 30 and 31.

Notice is further given that said report will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the First Judicial Department, at the County Court House in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, on the 11th day of March, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated, NEW YORK, February 13, 1902.
GEORGE L. RIVES, Corporation Counsel, No. 2 Tryon Row, Borough of Manhattan, New York City. f14, m11

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of PAYNTER AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Jackson avenue to Van Alst avenue, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, in The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by orders of the Supreme Court, Second Department, bearing date the 31st day of December, 1901, and the 22d day of March, 1901, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, at his office in Jamaica, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, on the 9th day of January, 1902, and the 4th day of October, 1901, copies of which orders were duly filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, 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 Queens, on the 4th day of October, 1901; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, 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 street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, ninth 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 11th day of March, 1902, at 11:30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine 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, February 13, 1902.
JOS. FITCH, THOMAS STUART, JOHN F. HAGGERTY, Commissioners. f13m8

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of a NEW STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), between Bayview avenue and Eldert avenue from the Boulevard to the southerly property line of the New York and Rockaway Beach Railway in the Fifth Ward, Borough of Queens, in The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, Second Department, bearing date the 30th day of December, 1901, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, at his office in Jamaica in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, on the 6th day of January, 1902, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, 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 Queens, on the 6th day of January, 1902; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, 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 street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, ninth 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 11th day of March, 1902, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine 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, February 13, 1902.

AUGUST REYMERT, ALFRED E. SANDER, THOMAS STUART, Commissioners.
f13, m8

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening WATTS STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Sullivan street to West Broadway at Broome street, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road in the Eighth Ward of The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE supplemental and additional bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held at the County Courthouse in the Borough of Manhattan in The City of New York, on the 27th day of February, 1902, at 10.30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, February 13, 1902.

THEODORE E. SMITH, FRANCIS V. S. OLIVER, CHAS. PUTZEL, Commissioners.
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. f13, 25.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to ANNA PLACE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Brook avenue to Webster avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, of The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE supplemental and additional bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held at the County Courthouse in the Borough of Manhattan in The City of New York, on the 27th day of February, 1902, at 10.30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, February 13, 1902.

EDW. BROWNE, CARL MAYHOFF, CHARLES E. F. McCANN, Commissioners.
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. f13, 25.

SECOND DEPARTMENT—KINGS COUNTY.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title to the

lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening EAST EIGHTEENTH STREET, from Avenue S to Gravesend Neck road, in the Thirty-first Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore duly laid out.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held for the hearing of motions in the County Courthouse, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on Wednesday, the 26th day of February, 1902, at the opening of Court on that day or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-named proceeding.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street known as East Eighteenth street, from Avenue S to Gravesend Neck road, in the Thirty-first Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, namely:

Beginning at the intersection of the northern line of Avenue S with the western line of East Eighteenth street, as the same are laid down on the Kings County Town Survey Map, volume 2; filed in the Register's Office, Kings County, June 13, 1874:

1. Thence easterly along the northern line of Avenue S for 60.0 feet;
2. Thence southerly and deflecting 90 degrees, 00', 00" to the right for 3,011.08 feet, more or less, to the southern line of Gravesend Neck road;
3. Thence westerly and deflecting 68 degrees, 24', 17" to the right for 64.53 feet along the southern line of Gravesend Neck road;
4. Thence northerly for 3,034.83 feet, more or less, to the point of beginning.

The lands required for the purpose of opening East Eighteenth street, as aforesaid, are shown on a map entitled "Map showing that portion of East Eighteenth street, extending from Avenue S to Gravesend Neck road, in the Thirty-first Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York," signed by Louis A. Risse, and dated New York, December 12, 1901, which map was filed in the office of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, in the Borough of Brooklyn, on the 18th day of December, 1901.

Dated, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, the 5th day of February, 1902.

GEORGE L. RIVES, Corporation Counsel, Borough Hall, Brooklyn, N. Y. f10, 21.

SECOND DEPARTMENT—KINGS COUNTY.

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

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held for the hearing of motions in the County Courthouse, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on Wednesday, the 26th day of February, 1902, at the opening of Court on that day or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-named proceeding.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended, is the acquisition of title by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street known as Ninety-first street, from First avenue to Fifth avenue, in the Thirtieth Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, namely:

PARCEL "A."

Beginning at the intersection of the western line of Third avenue with the southern line of Ninety-first street, as the same are laid down on the Kings County Town Survey Map, Volume 1; filed in the Register's Office, Kings County, June 17, 1874:

1. Thence northerly along the western line of Third avenue for 60.0 feet;
2. Thence westerly and deflecting 90 degrees, 00', 00" to the left for 1,480.0 feet to the eastern line of First avenue;
3. Thence southerly for 60.0 feet along the eastern line of First avenue;
4. Thence easterly for 1,480.0 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "B."

Beginning at the intersection of the eastern line of Third avenue with the southern line of Ninety-first street, as the same are laid down on the aforesaid map:

1. Thence northerly along the eastern line of Third avenue for 51.99 feet;
2. Thence easterly and deflecting 105 degrees, 53', 11" to the right for 1,122.37 feet, more or less, to the western line of Fifth avenue;
3. Thence southerly along the western line of Fifth avenue for 50.0 feet;
4. Thence westerly for 1,108.14 feet, more or less, to the point of beginning.

The lands required for the purpose of opening Ninety-first street, as aforesaid, are shown on a map entitled "Map showing that portion of Ninety-first street, extending from First avenue to Fifth avenue, in the Thirtieth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York," signed by Louis A. Risse, and dated New York, December 12, 1901, which map was filed in the office of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, in the Borough of Brooklyn, on the 18th day of December, 1901.

Dated, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, the 5th day of February, 1902.

GEORGE L. RIVES, Corporation Counsel, Borough Hall, Brooklyn, N. Y. f10, 21.

SECOND DEPARTMENT—KINGS COUNTY.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening EAST SIXTEENTH STREET, from Avenue T to Avenue V, in the Thirty-first Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore duly laid out.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held for the hearing of motions in the County Courthouse, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on Wednesday, the 26th day of February,

1902, at the opening of Court on that day or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-named proceeding.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended, is the acquisition of title by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street, known as East Sixteenth street, from Avenue T to Avenue V, in the Thirty-first Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, namely:

Beginning at the intersection of the northern line of Avenue T with the western line of East Sixteenth street, as the same are laid down on the Kings County Town Survey Map, volume 2; filed in the Register's Office, Kings County, June 13, 1874:

1. Thence easterly along the northern line of Avenue T for 60.0 feet;
2. Thence southerly and deflecting 90 degrees, 00', 00" to the right for 1,690.0 feet to the southern line of Avenue V;
3. Thence westerly and deflecting 90 degrees, 00', 00" to the right for 60.0 feet along the southern line of Avenue V;
4. Thence northerly for 1,690.0 feet to the point of beginning.

The lands required for the purpose of opening East Sixteenth street, as aforesaid, are shown on a map entitled "Map showing that portion of East Sixteenth street, extending from Avenue T to Avenue V, in the Thirty-first Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, signed by Louis A. Risse, and dated New York, December 12, 1901, which map was filed in the office of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, in the Borough of Brooklyn, on the 10th day of December, 1901.

Dated, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, the 5th day of February, 1902.

GEORGE L. RIVES, Corporation Counsel, Borough Hall, Brooklyn, New York. f10, 21.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments, required for the purpose of opening AQUEDUCT AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Lind avenue to Kingsbridge road, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of The City of New York.

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 3d day of March, 1902, 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 6th day of March, 1902, at 3.30 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also 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 13th day of March, 1902.

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 a line drawn parallel to the southwesterly side of Depot place and distant 100 feet southwesterly therefrom with the United States pier head and bulkhead line on the easterly side of the Harlem river; running thence northerly along said United States pierhead and bulkhead line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northwesterly side of Depot place and distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom; thence southeasterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northwesterly side of Sedgwick avenue and distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom; thence northeasterly along said parallel line to the middle line of the block between East One Hundred and Seventy-first street and that part of Commerce avenue extending westerly from Sedgwick avenue; thence southeasterly along said middle line of the block and its prolongation southwesterly to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northwesterly side of Undercliff avenue, and distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom; thence northeasterly along said parallel line and its prolongation northwesterly to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northwesterly side of Sedgwick avenue and distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom; thence northeasterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the westerly prolongation of a line running westerly from Sedgwick avenue, said line being the southerly termination of East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street, at its junction with Sedgwick avenue; thence westerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the southerly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly side of said East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street at its junction with Sedgwick avenue; thence northerly along said southerly prolongation and parallel line and its prolongation northwesterly to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the westerly side of Sedgwick avenue and distant 100 feet westerly therefrom; thence northerly along said parallel line to the southeasterly side of Cedar avenue; thence northeasterly along said southeasterly side of Cedar avenue to its intersection with the westerly prolongation of the northerly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-first street; thence easterly along said prolongation to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northwesterly from the northwesterly line of Sedgwick avenue; thence northeasterly along said parallel line to the southwesterly side of Kingsbridge road; thence northeasterly to the intersection of the northwesterly side of Kingsbridge road with the southwesterly side of Natalie avenue; thence northeasterly along said southeasterly side of Natalie avenue to its intersection with the northwesterly prolongation of that part of the middle line of the block between Kingsbridge road and East One Hundred and Ninety-sixth street, lying southeasterly from Jerome avenue; thence southeasterly along said northwesterly prolongation and middle line of the block to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southeasterly side of Jerome avenue and distant 100 feet southeasterly therefrom; thence

southwesterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southwesterly side of East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street and distant 100 feet southwesterly therefrom; thence northwesterly along said parallel line and its prolongation westwardly parallel to the southwesterly side of Featherbed lane to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southeasterly side of Featherbed lane and distant 100 feet southeasterly therefrom; thence southwesterly along said parallel line to the northwesterly side of Belmont street; thence northwesterly along said northwesterly side of Belmont street and its prolongation northwesterly to the westerly side of Macomb's road; thence westerly on a line parallel to the southerly side of Featherbed lane to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the easterly side of Marcher avenue and distant 100 feet easterly therefrom; thence southerly along said parallel line and its prolongation southwardly to its intersection with the easterly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly side of that part of East One Hundred and Seventieth street extending westwardly from Marcher avenue; thence westerly along said easterly prolongation and parallel line to the middle line of the block between Plimpton avenue and Ogden avenue; thence southerly along said middle line of the block and its prolongation southwardly to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and distant 100 feet westerly therefrom; thence northerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the southeasterly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to the southwesterly side of Depot place and distant 100 feet southwesterly therefrom; thence northwesterly along said southeasterly prolongation and 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 Courthouse, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 14th day of April, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, January 30, 1902.

GEO. CARLTON COMSTOCK (Chairman), WM. G. ROSS, Commissioners.
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. f10, m1.

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 CARROLL PLACE (although not yet named by proper authority), from East 16th street to McClellan street, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 27th day of December, 1901, 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 31st day of December, 1901, 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 Nos. 2456 and 2462, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, 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 street or avenue, 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 31st day of December, 1901; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, 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 street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, ninth 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 10th day of March, 1902, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine 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, February 10, 1902.

WILLIAM G. DAVIS, MATTHEW F. NEVILLE, THOS. J. McMANUS, Commissioners. f10, m6

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 EAST APPROACH OF THE CITY ISLAND BRIDGE, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 31st day of December, 1901, and duly

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present

the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, ninth 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 8th day of March, 1902, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine 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, February 8, 1902.
JOS. FITCH, JAMES M. SEAMAN, MORTIMER S. BROWN, Commissioners. f8,m5

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of LATHROP STREET (or THIRD AVENUE) (although not yet named by proper authority), from Broadway to Jackson avenue, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, in The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, Second Department, bearing date the 30th day of December, 1901, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, City of New York, on the 6th day of January, 1902, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, 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 street or avenue, 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 Queens, on the 6th day of January, 1902; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, 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 street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, ninth 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 8th day of March, 1902, at 11.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine 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, February 8, 1902.
B. J. McDONALD, WILLIAM F. COFFEE, Commissioners. f8,m5

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments, required for the opening and extending of MONTEREY AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street (Trinmont avenue) to East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street, and from East One Hundred and Eightieth street to Quarry road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 6th day of December, 1901, 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 19th day of December, 1901, 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 Nos. 3061, 3062 and 3063, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, 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 street or avenue, 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 19th day of December, 1901; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, 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 street or avenue, or affected

thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, ninth 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 7th day of March, 1902, at 12 o'clock noon 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, February 7, 1902.

EUGENE H. POMEROY, JOHN A. HENNEBERRY, W. H. DELANY, Commissioners. f7,m4

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to OAKLAND PLACE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Belmont avenue to Prospect avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 6th day of December, 1901, 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 19th day of December, 1901, 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 Nos. 3080, 3094 and 3095, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, 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 street or avenue, 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 19th day of December, 1901; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, 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 street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, ninth 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 7th day of March, 1902, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine 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, February 7, 1902.
RICHARD H. MITCHELL, T. J. CARLETON, JR., WM. H. RICKETTS, Commissioners. f7,m4

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-EIGHTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Prospect avenue to Crotona avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 6th day of December, 1901, 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 19th day of December, 1901, 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 Nos. 3092 and 3093, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, 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 street or avenue, 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 19th day of December, 1901; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, 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 street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, ninth 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 7th day of March, 1902, at 12.30 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, February 7, 1902.

HENRY A. GUMBLETON, GEORGE BECHMANN, Commissioners. f7,m4

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of a triangular strip of land along MARCHER AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), at the junction of East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street and Woodcrest avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, in City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 6th day of December, 1901, 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 19th day of December, 1901, 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. 3517, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, 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 street or avenue, 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 19th day of December, 1901; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, 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 street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, ninth 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 7th day of March, 1902, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine 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, February 7, 1902.
ARTHUR D. WILLIAMS, W. J. FRANCIOSI, E. L. BUSHE, Commissioners. f7,m4

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to EAST TWO HUNDRED AND SIXTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Mosholu parkway to Grand Boulevard and Concourse, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 6th day of December, 1901, 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 19th day of December, 1901, 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 Nos. 3312 and 3313, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, 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 street or avenue, 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 19th day of December, 1901; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, 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 street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, ninth 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 7th day of March, 1902, at 11.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine 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, February 7, 1902.

JAMES RIDGWAY, JAMES W. GERARD, GEORGE BECHMANN, Commissioners. f7,m4

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of TEE TAW AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from East One Hundred and Eighty-eighth street to Kingsbridge road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 6th day of December, 1901, 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 19th day of December, 1901, 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 Nos. 3219, 3220, 3226 and 3227, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, 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 street or avenue, 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 19th day of December, 1901; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, 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 street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, ninth 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 7th day of March, 1902, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine 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, February 7, 1902.
PAUL HALPIN, JOHN J. QUINLAN, HERMAN FOX, Commissioners. f7,m4

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to EAST TWO HUNDRED AND FORTY-SECOND STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Katonah avenue to the northern boundary of the city, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, 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 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 28th day of February, 1902, 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 4th day of March, 1902, 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 10th day of March, 1902.

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 westerly prolongation of the middle line of the block, between East Two Hundred and Forty-second street, with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Mount Vernon avenue; running thence northerly along said parallel line to the northern boundary of The City of New York; thence southeasterly along the northern boundary of The City of New York to its intersection with the middle line of the block between East Two Hundred and Forty-second street; thence westerly, along said middle line of the block and its westerly prolongation 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 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 8th day of May, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, January 21, 1902.
WILLIAM J. PYNE, Chairman; THOS. CODEY, Commissioners.
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. f7,27.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments, required for the purpose of opening EAST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-THIRD STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Grand avenue to Sedgwick avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York.

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 28th day of February, 1902, 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 4th day of March, 1902, at 11 o'clock a. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said City, there to remain until the 10th day of March, 1902.

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 a line drawn parallel, and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Grand avenue with the easterly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-eighth street, running thence westerly along said prolongation and last-mentioned parallel line to the easterly line of Aqueduct avenue; thence southwesterly to the point of intersection of the westerly line of Aqueduct avenue with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southeasterly from the southeasterly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-eighth street; thence southwesterly, westerly, and again southwesterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the northerly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Sedgwick avenue; thence southerly along said prolongation and parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Fordham road; thence westerly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Sedgwick avenue; thence northerly along said parallel line to the southeasterly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street; thence northerly and at right angles to the northerly line of Fordham road to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly and westerly from the northerly line of Fordham road and the westerly line of Sedgwick avenue; thence easterly and northerly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn at right angles to Sedgwick avenue from a point formed by the intersection of the westerly line of Sedgwick avenue and the southwesterly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to, and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-eighth street; thence easterly along said parallel line and its easterly prolongation to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Grand avenue; thence southerly along said 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 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 14th day of April, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that

then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, January 14, 1902.
THEODORE E. SMITH, Chairman; BERTHOLD SALZBERGER, EDWARD D. FARRELL, Commissioners.
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. f7,27.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to MAPES AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority) from East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street to East One Hundred and Eighty-second street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 6th day of December, 1901, 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 19th day of December, 1901, 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 Nos. 3106, 3107, 3108, 3109, 3110 and 3111, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, 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 street or avenue, 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 19th day of December, 1901; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, 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 street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, ninth 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 6th day of March, 1902, at 2 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, February 6, 1902.
GEORGE F. LANGBEIN, GROSVENOR S. HUBBARD, JAMES J. CURTIN, Commissioners. f6, m3

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to EAST TWO HUNDRED AND THIRTY-EIGHTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Sedgwick avenue to Fort Independence street, 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 28th day of February, 1902, 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 4th day of March, 1902, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also 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 10th day of March, 1902.

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 the westerly line of Giles place with a line drawn parallel to and distant 392 91-100 feet (measured along the southeasterly line of Cannon place) southwesterly from the southwesterly line of East Two Hundred and Thirty-eighth street; running thence northwesterly along said parallel line and its northwesterly prolongation to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northwesterly from the northwesterly line of Fort Independence street; thence northwesterly along said parallel line and a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northwesterly from the northwesterly line of East Two Hundred and Thirty-eighth street to its intersection with the southeasterly line of Albany road; thence northeasterly along said line of Albany road to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of East Two Hundred and Thirty-eighth street; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northwesterly from the northwesterly line of Bailey avenue; thence northeasterly along said

parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northeasterly line of East Two Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, which when produced southeasterly passes through the centre of the block bounded by Sedgwick avenue and Stevenson Oval; thence southeasterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the westerly line of Stevenson Oval; thence southerly along the westerly line of Stevenson Oval to its intersection with the northwesterly line of Sedgwick avenue; thence southeasterly along a line at right angles to the southeasterly line of Sedgwick avenue to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southeasterly from the southeasterly line of Sedgwick avenue; thence southwesterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn at right angles to the southeasterly line of Sedgwick avenue, from the point of intersection of the northerly line of Giles place with the westerly line of Sedgwick avenue; thence westerly along said right angled line to its intersection with the westerly line of Sedgwick avenue and the northerly line of Giles place; thence westerly and southerly along the northerly and westerly lines of Giles place 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 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 8th day of May, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, January 16, 1902.
WILLIAM CLANCY, Chairman; T. J. CARLETON, JR., AUGUST P. WINDOLPH, Commissioners.
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. f7,27.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of BRIELL STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Jackson avenue to Flushing avenue, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, in The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, Second Department, bearing date the 30th day of December, 1901, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, at his office in Jamaica, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, on the 9th day of January, 1902, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, 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 street or avenue, 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 Queens, on the 9th day of January, 1902; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, 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 street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, ninth 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 6th day of March, 1902, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine 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, February 6, 1902.
EDWARD J. BYRNE, EUGENE V. DALY, EDMUND F. BRIGGS, Commissioners. f6, m3

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 opening and extending of EAST ONE HUNDRED AND NINETY-SECOND STREET (although not yet named by proper authority) from Croton Aqueduct to east side of Aqueduct avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 6th day of December, 1901, 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 19th day of December, 1901, 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 Nos. 3214 and 3215, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and prem-

ises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, 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 19th day of December, 1901; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, 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 street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, ninth 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 6th day of March, 1902, at 4 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, February 6, 1902.
THOS. J. MILLER, CHAS. C. MARRIN, Commissioners. f6, m3

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises, required for the opening and extending of DITMARS AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Steinway avenue westerly to the bulkhead line of the East River, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, in The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, Second Department, bearing date the 30th day of December, 1901, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, at his office in Jamaica, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, on the 9th day of January, 1902, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, 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 street or avenue, 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 Queens, on the 9th day of January, 1902; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, 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 street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, ninth 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 6th day of March, 1902, at 3 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, February 6, 1902.
EDWARD T. ALLEN, ERNST BURGER, MICHAEL J. REIDY, Commissioners. f6, m6.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments, required for the purpose of opening MACOMBS ROAD (although not yet named by proper authority), from Jerome avenue to Aqueduct avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of The City of New York.

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 February, 1902, and that we, the said Commissioners,

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 31st day of March, 1900, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, at his office in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 31st day of March, 1900, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, 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 Kings, on the 31st day of March, 1900; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the

said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by Chapter 17, Title 4 of the Greater New York Charter, 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 street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, in the office of the Law Department, Room 20, Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owner or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 28th day of February, 1902, at 2 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 Brooklyn, The City of New York, January 29, 1902.
JOHN DOUGLASS, JOSEPH O'ROURKE,
DANIEL J. O'BRIEN, Commissioners.
CHARLES S. TABER, Clerk. f12.26.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening STARR STREET from St. Nicholas avenue to County Line in the Twenty-seventh Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 5th day of November, 1900, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, in the City of New York, on the 5th day of November, 1900, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, 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 street or avenue, 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 Kings, on the 5th day of November, 1900; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by Chapter 17, Title 4 of the Greater New York Charter, 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 street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, in the office of the Law Department, Room 20, Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owner or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 28th day of February, 1902, at one 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 Brooklyn, The City of New York, January 29, 1902.
WILLIAM H. WHITE, GEORGE W. MARTIN, SAMUEL S. GOODWIN, Commissioners.
CHARLES S. TABER, Clerk. f12.26.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening ASHFORD STREET, from Atlantic avenue to New Lots avenue, in the Twenty-sixth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 5th day of May, 1900, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, in the City of New York, on the 5th day of May, 1900, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, 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 street or avenue, 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 Kings, on the 5th day of May, 1900; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by Chapter 17, Title 4 of the Greater New York Charter, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

benefited thereby, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by Chapter 17, Title 4 of the Greater New York Charter, 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 street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, in the office of the Law Department, Room 20, Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owner or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 28th day of February, 1902, at 2 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 Brooklyn, The City of New York, January 29, 1902.
FREDERICK J. GRIEFENSTEIN, GEORGE W. BAILDON, TYLER F. BLACKWELL, Commissioners.
CHARLES S. TABER, Clerk. f12.26.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening CLARKSON STREET from New York avenue to easterly limit of Clarkson street in the Twenty-ninth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by orders of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 5th and 31st days of May, 1900, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, in the City of New York, on the 5th and 31st days of May, 1900, a copy of which orders was duly filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings and indexed in the Index of Conveyances, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, 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 street or avenue, 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 Kings, on the 5th day of May, 1900; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by Chapter 17, Title 4 of the Greater New York Charter, 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 street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, in the office of the Law Department, Room 20, Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owner or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 28th day of February, 1902, at three 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 Brooklyn, The City of New York, January 29, 1902.
CHARLES O. GRIM, HENRY MARSHALL, ALBERT C. GOODWIN, Commissioners.
CHARLES S. TABER, Clerk. f12.26.

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 WHITE PLAINS ROAD (although not yet named by proper authority), from Morris Park avenue to West Farms road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 30th day of December, 1901, 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 31st day of December, 1901, and in the office of the Clerk of the County of Westchester, at his office at White Plains, Westchester County, in the State of New York, on the 17th day of January, 1902, 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, No. 168 Annexed Territory, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, 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 street or avenue, 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 31st day of December, 1901, in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings on the 31st day of December,

1901, and in the office of the Clerk of the County of Westchester on the 17th day of January, 1902, and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, 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 street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, ninth 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 5th day of March, 1902, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto, and examine 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, February 5, 1902.
WAUHOPE LYNN, JACOB STAHL, Jr., Commissioners. f5.m1.

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 ELSMERE PLACE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Prospect avenue to Marmion avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 27th day of December, 1901, 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 31st day of December, 1901, 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 Nos. 2955 and 2956, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, 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 street or avenue, 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 31st day of December, 1901; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, 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 street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, ninth 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 5th day of March, 1902, at 11.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such 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, February 5, 1902.
W. B. DONIHUE, DANIEL F. MURPHY, W. F. GARDNER, Commissioners. f5.m1.

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 BRIGGS AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority) from The Bronx river to Pelham Bay Park, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 31st day of December, 1901, 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 31st day of December, 1901, and in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, at his office in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, on the 6th day of January, 1902, and in the office of the Clerk of the County of Westchester, at his office at White Plains, Westchester County, in the State of New York, on the 17th day of January, 1902, 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, No. 173, Annexed Territory, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, 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 street or avenue, 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 17th day of January, 1902, in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings on the 6th day of January, 1902, and in the office of the Clerk of the County of Westchester on the 17th day of January, 1902, and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, 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 street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, ninth 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 5th day of March, 1902, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto, and examine 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, February 5, 1902.
SAM'L McMILLAN, JAMES F. SMITH, JOHN H. G. VEHSLEGE, Commissioners. f5.m1.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to WEST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-FIRST STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), between Kingsbridge road and Haven avenue, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE supplemental and additional bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held at the County Courthouse, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 27th day of February, 1902, at 10.30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, February 13, 1902.
GEO. C. DE LACY, W. A. GRAMER, JAMES P. CONWAY, Commissioners.
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. f13.25.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to EVELYN PLACE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Jerome avenue to Aqueduct avenue, East, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, in the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 6th day of December, 1901, 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 10th day of December, 1901, 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 Nos. 3209 and 3197, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, 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 street or avenue, 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 10th day of December, 1901; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, 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 street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, ninth 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 11th day of March, 1902, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine 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, February 13, 1902.
EMANUEL BLUMENSTIEL, CHARLES E. F. McCANN, Commissioners. f13.m8.