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BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT

MINUTES, BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK, ROOM 16, CITY HALL, FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 5, 1904.

The Board met in pursuance of an adjournment.

Present—George B. McClellan, Mayor; Edward M. Grout, Comptroller; Charles V. Fornes, President, Board of Aldermen; John F. Ahearn, President, Borough of Manhattan; Martin W. Littleton, President, Borough of Brooklyn; Louis F. Haffen, President, Borough of The Bronx; Joseph Cassidy, President, Borough of Queens; George Cromwell, President, Borough of Richmond.

On the question of the approval of the Minutes as printed, the President of the Borough of Brooklyn moved that that portion of the Minutes of January 22, 1904, which reads as follows:

"The President of the Borough of Brooklyn moved that the Secretary notify the different heads of departments and offices of the City Government that hereafter copies of all communications requiring action of the Board be sent to each member of the Board,"

—be corrected to read as follows:

Resolved, That the Secretary notify the different heads of departments and offices of the City Government that hereafter copies of all communications requesting action by the Board be sent to each member of the Board.

Which motion was adopted by the following vote:

The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan and Brooklyn—13.

The minutes of meetings held December 18, 22, 29, 1903, and January 8, 15, 22, 29, 1904, were approved as printed, with the correction made as above noted.

A hearing was had on the application of the Prison Ship Martyrs' Association of the United States for an appropriation of \$50,000, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 617, Laws of 1900.

Mr. S. V. White appeared in support of the application.

Referred to the Corporation Counsel to draft a bill to provide for the payment of the appropriation out of Corporate Stock.

The Secretary presented the following communication from the Police Department in regard to a site for a police station at Nos. 220-228 East Twenty-ninth street, and requesting the Board to discontinue all proceedings for the acquisition of the same, together with a report of the Appraiser of Real Estate, Department of Finance, relative thereto:

POLICE DEPARTMENT,
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, January 20, 1904.

To the Honorable the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

SIRS—The Police Commissioner this day, on reading and filing communication from Deputy Comptroller J. W. Stevenson, enclosing copy of resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment authorizing the issue of Corporate Stock to the amount of \$70,000 for the purpose of providing means for the acquisition of a site, known as Nos. 220 to 228 East Twenty-ninth street, Manhattan, including architects' survey, examination of title and preparation of plans and specifications for a precinct station house, prison and stable,

Ordered, That the Comptroller be respectfully informed that the application for the issue of such stock for the acquisition of such site was made with the view of

establishing a new precinct from portions of two other precincts, and that the Commissioner has no intention at this time to establish such new precinct.

Ordered, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and is hereby respectfully requested to discontinue all proceedings for acquisition of such site for such purpose.

Very respectfully,

WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
January 23, 1904.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller:

SIR—The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, at a meeting held on the 11th day of December, 1903, adopted a resolution authorizing the acquisition of certain property known as Nos. 220 to 228 East Twenty-ninth street, on the south side, between Second and Third avenues, Borough of Manhattan, being 100 feet front by 98 feet 9 inches in depth, for the purpose of erecting thereon a precinct station house and stable, under a plan adopted by the Hon. Francis V. Greene, late Police Commissioner, for a subdivision of certain police precincts in the Borough of Manhattan.

At a meeting held the 15th day of January, 1904, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted a resolution authorizing the issue of \$70,000 of Corporate Stock for the purpose of providing means for the acquisition of the site, including architect's survey, examination of title and preparation of plans and specifications for a precinct station house, prison and stable.

In a communication under date of January 20, 1904, the Chief Clerk of the Police Department transmits a communication of the Police Commissioner in which it is

"Ordered, That the Comptroller be respectfully informed that the application for the issue of such stock for the acquisition of such site was made with the view of establishing a new precinct from portions of two other precincts, and that the Commissioner has no intention at this time to establish such new precinct.

"Ordered, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and is hereby respectfully requested to discontinue all proceedings for the acquisition of such site for such purpose."

I would therefore respectfully recommend that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopt a resolution rescinding their resolution adopted at a meeting held December 11, 1903, in relation to the approval of the acquisition of the site for the Police Department, and rescinding their resolution adopted at a meeting held January 15, 1904, for the issue of \$70,000 of Corporate Stock for the purpose named in said resolution.

Respectfully submitted for approval.

MORTIMER J. BROWN,
Appraiser of Real Estate in Charge of Bureau.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment January 15, 1904, and which reads as follows:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York, to an amount not exceeding seventy thousand dollars (\$70,000) for the purpose of providing means for the acquisition of a site known as Nos. 220 to 228 East Twenty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan, including architect's survey, examination of title and preparation of plans and specifications for precinct station house, prison and stable, to be erected thereon, and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller is authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding seventy thousand dollars (\$70,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid,"

—be and the same is hereby rescinded.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan and Brooklyn—13.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment December 11, 1903, and which reads as follows:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the selection of a site for a precinct station house, prison and stable for the Police Department, located at Nos. 220, 222, 224, 226 and 228 East Twenty-eighth street, in the Borough of Manhattan, and bounded and described as follows:

"Beginning at a point on the southerly side of East Twenty-ninth street distant 200 feet westerly from the southwesterly corner of East Twenty-ninth street and Second avenue; running thence southerly and parallel with Second avenue 98 feet 9 inches; thence westerly and parallel with East Twenty-ninth street 100 feet; thence northerly and again parallel with Second avenue 98 feet 9 inches, to the southerly side of East Twenty-ninth street; thence easterly along the southerly side of East Twenty-ninth street 100 feet to the point or place of beginning, together with all the right, title and interest of the owners of said premises of, in and to the street in front thereof to the centre thereof—and hereby authorizes the Comptroller to enter into contracts for the purchase of the said premises at a price not exceeding sixty-seven thousand dollars (\$67,000), said contracts to be submitted to the Corporation Counsel for his approval."

—be and the same is hereby rescinded.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan and Brooklyn—13.

The Secretary presented the following communication from the Board of Education, requesting the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to ratify and confirm the action of the Board of Education in fixing the salary of the Janitor of Public School 92, Borough of Manhattan, from January 1, 1904:

To the Executive Committee:

The Committee on Care of Buildings respectfully reports that it has had under consideration a communication from the Supervisor of Janitors submitting a report on the new addition to Public School 92, Borough of Manhattan, and finds that the Janitor is entitled to additional compensation to the amount of \$1,312.76 per annum, from January 1, 1904, the date on which the Janitor began to care for said new addition.

The following resolutions are offered for adoption:

Resolved, That the action of the Committee on Care of Buildings in increasing the salary attached to the position of Janitor of Public School 92, Borough of Manhattan, from \$1,924 to \$3,236.76 per annum, subject to the approval of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and of the Board of Aldermen, taking effect from and after January 1, 1904, be and the same is hereby approved and ratified.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to recommend to the Board of Aldermen that the salary of the Janitor of Public School 92, Borough of Manhattan, be increased from \$1,924 to \$3,236.76 per

annum, for the reason above set forth, said increase to date from January 1, 1904, as above stated.

A true copy of report and resolutions adopted by the Executive Committee of the Board of Education on January 20, 1904.

A. EMERSON PALMER, Secretary, Board of Education.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That, subject to the concurrence and approval of the Board of Aldermen, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby ratifies and confirms the action of the Board of Education taken and dated January 20, 1904, in fixing the salary of the position of Janitor of Public School 92, Borough of Manhattan, at the rate of three thousand two hundred and thirty-six dollars and seventy-six cents (\$3,236.76) per annum, as of date January 1, 1904.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan and Brooklyn—13.

The Secretary presented the following communication from the Board of Education requesting the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to ratify and confirm its action in fixing the salary of Janitor of Public School 89, Borough of Manhattan, from January 1, 1904:

To the Executive Committee:

The Committee on Care of Buildings respectfully reports that it has had under consideration a communication from the Supervisor of Janitors submitting a report on the new addition to Public School 89, Borough of Manhattan, and finds that the Janitor is entitled to additional compensation to the amount of \$1,356.52 per annum from January 1, 1904, the date on which the Janitor began to care for said new addition containing eighteen classrooms.

The following resolutions are offered for adoption:

Resolved, That the action of the Committee on Care of Buildings in increasing the salary attached to the position of Janitor of Public School 89, Borough of Manhattan, from \$2,171 (being the amount paid for the care of the old building) to \$3,527.52 per annum, subject to the approval of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and of the Board of Aldermen, taking effect from and after January 1, 1904, be and the same is hereby approved and ratified.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to recommend to the Board of Aldermen that the salary of the Janitor of Public School 89, Borough of Manhattan, be increased from \$2,171 to \$3,527.52 per annum, for the reason above set forth, said increase to date from January 1, 1904, as above stated.

A true copy of report and resolution adopted by the Executive Committee of the Board of Education on January 20, 1904.

A. EMERSON PALMER, Secretary, Board of Education.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That, subject to the concurrence and approval of the Board of Aldermen, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby ratifies and confirms the action of the Board of Education taken and dated January 20, 1904, in fixing the salary of the position of Janitor of Public School 89, Borough of Manhattan, at the rate of three thousand five hundred and twenty-seven dollars and fifty-two cents (\$3,527.52) per annum, as of date January 1, 1904.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan and Brooklyn—13.

The Secretary presented the following communication from the former Sheriff of Queens County, requesting a transfer of \$1,952.88:

OFFICE OF THE SHERIFF OF QUEENS COUNTY, NEW YORK,
LONG ISLAND CITY, January 28, 1904.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment, New York City, N. Y.:

GENTLEMEN—There remains an unexpended balance to my credit of \$1,952.88 in the fund known as the "Maintenance of Queens County Jail," against which there are no bills due or payable.

Will you kindly transfer from the said fund \$1,452.88 to the "Court Fund of Queens County" and \$500 to the "Sheriff's Services in Criminal and Court Matters Fund"; against both of these funds there are bills due and payable.

Respectfully,
JOSEPH H. DE BRAGGA,
Former Sheriff of Queens County, N. Y.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the request of the former Sheriff of Queens County for a transfer of \$1,952.88 from the fund known as "Maintenance of Queens County Jail," as follows:

To "Court Fund of Queens County"..... \$1,452.88
To "Sheriff's Services in Criminal and Court Matters Fund"..... 500 00

—be referred to the present Sheriff of said County for such recommendation as he may deem advisable in connection therewith.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan and Brooklyn—13.

The Secretary presented the following resolutions of the Board of Education requesting various transfers:

To the Board of Education:

The Committee on Finance respectfully reports that the Committee on Supplies has requested that the necessary steps be taken looking to the procuring of certain transfers. In compliance with said request the following resolution is submitted for adoption:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby respectfully requested to approve the following transfers:

From the Special School Fund for 1902, and from the item contained therein entitled "Transportation," which item is in excess of its requirements, to the item also contained within the Special School Fund for the same year entitled "Supplies," which item is insufficient for its purposes, \$2,000.

From the Special School Fund for 1900, and from the item contained therein entitled "Incidental Expenses," Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, which item is in excess of its requirements, to the item also contained within the Special School Fund for the same year entitled "Supplies," Borough of Manhattan and The Bronx, which item is insufficient for its purposes, \$22.38.

From the Special School Fund for 1903, and from the item contained therein entitled "Compulsory Education," Borough of Richmond, which item is in excess of its requirements, to the item also contained within the Special School Fund for the same year entitled "Water," Borough of Richmond, which item is insufficient for its purposes, \$790.85.

From the Special School Fund for 1900, and from the item contained therein entitled "Incidental Expenses," Borough of Brooklyn, which item is in excess of its requirements, to the item also contained within the Special School Fund for the same year, entitled "Supplies," Borough of Brooklyn, which item is insufficient for its purposes, \$132.93.

A true copy of report and resolution adopted by the Board of Education on January 27, 1904.

A. EMERSON PALMER, Secretary, Board of Education.

To the Board of Education:

The Committee on Finance respectfully reports that the appropriation entitled "Salaries of Janitors in All Schools" for the year 1903 is insufficient for its purposes, and in connection therewith the following resolution is submitted for adoption:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby respectfully requested to transfer the sum of one thousand dollars (\$1,000) from the Special School Fund for the year 1903, and from the item contained therein entitled "Salaries of Officers, Clerks and other Employees," Board of Education, which item is in excess of its requirements, to the item also contained within the Special School Fund for the year 1903, entitled "Salaries of Janitors in All Schools," Board of Education, which item is insufficient for its purposes.

A true copy of report and resolution adopted by the Board of Education on January 27, 1904.

A. EMERSON PALMER, Secretary, Board of Education.

To the Board of Education:

The Committee on Finance respectfully reports that the Committee on Supplies desires an adjustment of the several "Transportation" appropriations for the current year, made necessary by the fact that some funds are insufficient for their purposes, while others exhibit a surplus.

The following resolution is submitted for adoption:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby respectfully requested to make the following transfers, within the Special School Fund for the current year, and covering certain of the "Transportation" appropriations:

The sum of one thousand dollars (\$1,000) from the item "Transportation," Borough of The Bronx, to the similar-named fund of the Borough of Manhattan.

The sum of two thousand dollars (\$2,000) from the item "Transportation," Borough of Brooklyn, to the similar-named fund of the Borough of Queens.

The sum of one thousand dollars (\$1,000) from the item "Transportation," Borough of The Bronx, to the similar-named fund of the Borough of Richmond.

A true copy of report and resolution adopted by the Board of Education on January 27, 1904.

A. EMERSON PALMER, Secretary, Board of Education.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the sum of one hundred and fifty-five and thirty-one one-hundredth dollars (\$155.31) be and the same is hereby transferred from the appropriations made to the Department of Education for the year 1900, entitled and as follows:

Special School Fund—Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx—"Incidental Expenses"	\$22 38
Special School Fund—Borough of Brooklyn—"Incidental Expenses"	132 93
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	\$155 31

—the same being in excess of the amount required for the purposes thereof, to the appropriations made to said Department of Education for the year 1900, entitled and as follows:

Special School Fund—Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx—"Supplies"	\$22 38
Special School Fund—Borough of Brooklyn—"Supplies"	132 93
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	\$155 31

—the amounts of said appropriations being insufficient.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan and Brooklyn—13.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the sum of one thousand seven hundred and ninety-five and eighty-five one-hundredths dollars (\$1,790.85) be and the same is hereby transferred from the appropriations made to the Department of Education for the year 1903, entitled and as follows:

Special School Fund—Board of Education—"Salaries of Officers, Clerks and Other Employees"	\$1,000 00
Special School Fund—Borough of Richmond—"Compulsory Education"	790 85
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	\$1,790 85

—the same being in excess of the amount required for the purposes thereof, to the appropriation made to said Department of Education for the year 1903, entitled and as follows:

Special School Fund—Board of Education—"Salaries of Janitors in All Schools"	\$1,000 00
Special School Fund—Department of Education—Borough of Richmond—"Water"	790 85
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	\$1,790 85

—the amounts of said appropriations being insufficient.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan and Brooklyn—13.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the sum of three thousand dollars (\$3,000) be and the same is hereby transferred from the appropriations made to the Department of Education for the year 1904, entitled and as follows:

Special School Fund—Borough of Brooklyn—"Transportation"	\$2,000 00
Special School Fund—Borough of The Bronx—"Transportation"	1,000 00
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	\$3,000 00

—the same being in excess of the amounts required for the purposes thereof, to the appropriations made to the said Department of Education for the year 1904, entitled and as follows:

Special School Fund—Borough of Queens—"Transportation"	\$2,000 00
Special School Fund—Borough of Richmond—"Transportation"	1,000 00
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	\$3,000 00

—the amounts of said appropriations being insufficient.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan and Brooklyn—13.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the sum of two thousand dollars (\$2,000) be and the same is hereby transferred from the appropriation made to the Department of Education for

the year 1902, entitled "Special School Fund—Transportation," the same being in excess of the amount required for the purposes thereof, to the appropriation made to said Department of Education for the year 1902, entitled "Special School Fund—Supplies," the amount of said appropriation being insufficient.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan and Brooklyn—13.

The President of the Borough of The Bronx appeared and took his place in the Board.

The Secretary presented the following communication from the Rapid Transit Commissioners, requesting an appropriation of \$2,750,000 for real estate, terminals, extra work, and for ducts.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Requisition is hereby made upon you, pursuant to the provisions of section 10 of chapter 4 of the Laws of 1891, entitled "An act to provide for rapid transit in cities of over one million inhabitants," as amended by section 7 of chapter 752 of the Laws of 1894, by the Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners, organized under the aforesaid act, as amended, for the sum of two million seven hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$2,750,000), which is requisite and necessary to enable the said Board properly to do and perform or to cause to be done and performed the duties prescribed by the said statute, as amended.

Appended hereto is a statement, marked "Schedule A," and authenticated by the signatures of the President and Secretary of the said Board, showing the purposes to which it is intended to apply the appropriation for which requisition is now made.

This requisition is made pursuant to a resolution adopted by the Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners by the concurrent vote of four members thereof, at a regular meeting held on January 28, 1904.

In witness whereof, The Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners has caused this requisition to be subscribed by its President and Secretary, and its official seal to be affixed, this 28th day of January, 1904.

BOARD OF RAPID TRANSIT RAILROAD COMMISSIONERS
FOR THE CITY OF NEW YORK,

By A. E. ORR, President.

BION L. BURROWS, Secretary.

SCHEDULE A.

Showing the purposes to which it is intended to apply the appropriation for which attached requisition is made:

Real estate	\$500,000 00
Terminals	750,000 00
Extra work and for ducts	1,500,000 00

Total.....

\$2,750,000 00

BOARD OF RAPID TRANSIT RAILROAD COMMISSIONERS
FOR THE CITY OF NEW YORK,

By A. E. ORR, President.

BION L. BURROWS, Secretary.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of law and a resolution of the Board of Rapid Transit Commissioners, duly made by its President, under and pursuant to a resolution of said Board adopted January 28, 1904, the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding two million seven hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$2,750,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the following purposes in connection with the construction of the Manhattan-Bronx Rapid Transit Railroad:

Real estate	\$500,000 00
Terminals	750,000 00
Extra work and for ducts	1,500,000 00

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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

The Secretary presented the following communication from the Department of Public Charities relative to the transfer of \$1,925 to the Department of Street Cleaning, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, entitled "New Stock-Plant":

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,
FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET,
January 29, 1904.

Hon. J. W. STEVENSON, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

DEAR SIR—Under date of December 29 Commissioner Folks wrote to you, of which the enclosed is a copy.

The Department of Street Cleaning is very anxious to obtain this money, and as we have not heard anything from the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, I would respectfully request that you have the matter brought before the Board at their earliest meeting.

Yours truly,
J. MCKEE BORDEN, Secretary.

December 29, 1903.

Hon. JAMES W. STEVENSON, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

DEAR SIR—I hereby consent to the transfer of the sum of \$1,925 from the appropriation to the Department of Public Charities for "New Ambulances, Horses, Harness and Repairs" for 1903 to the appropriation to the Department of Street Cleaning for "New Stock-Plant" for 1903.

Yours very truly,
(Signed) HOMER FOLKS, Commissioner.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the sum of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five dollars (\$1,925) be and the same is hereby transferred from the appropriation made to the Department of Public Charities for the year 1903, entitled "New Ambulances, Horses, Harness and Repairs," the same being in excess of the amount required for the purposes thereof, to the appropriation made to the Department of Street Cleaning for the year 1903, entitled "Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx—New Stock-Plant," the amount of said appropriation being insufficient.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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

The Secretary presented a resolution designating additional space in the new Hall of Records Building for the use of the Department of Finance.

Laid over.

The Secretary presented a resolution of the Board of Aldermen requesting the authorization of \$15,000 Special Revenue Bonds, for the purpose of repairing and redecorating City Hall.

Laid over until later in the meeting.

The President of the Borough of Queens appeared and took his place in the Board.

The Secretary presented resolutions of the Board of Education recommending the fixing of the salaries of Inspector of Heating and Ventilating and Electric Inspector, at the rate of \$40 per week respectively.

Referred to the Mayor for submission to the Commissioners of Accounts for a comparative statement of the salaries paid for similar positions in public and private corporations.

The Secretary presented the following communication from the Justice of the Municipal Court of the Fifth District, Borough of Brooklyn, requesting the transfer of \$142.98 to "Supplies and Contingencies":

CITY OF NEW YORK—MUNICIPAL COURT, FIFTH DISTRICT,
BATH AVENUE AND BAY TWENTY-SECOND STREET, BATH BEACH,
BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, January 19, 1904.

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

DEAR SIR—I respectfully ask that the sum of \$142.98 be transferred from the salary account of the Municipal Courts of The City of New York to the Contingent Fund of the Municipal Court of The City of New York, Borough of Brooklyn, Fifth District, for the payment of the telephone service during the year 1903; and that a resolution similar to that transferring a like sum during the year 1902 for such services be introduced and passed by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

Thanking you in advance, I am respectfully,

Yours truly,

CORNELIUS FURGUESON.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the sum of one hundred and forty-two and ninety-eight one hundredths dollars (\$142.98) be and the same is hereby transferred from the appropriation made to the Municipal Court, Fifth District, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, for the year 1903, entitled "Salaries," the same being in excess of the amount required for the purposes thereof, to the appropriation made to said Municipal Court, Fifth District, Borough of Brooklyn, for the year 1903, entitled "Supplies and Contingencies," the amount of said appropriation being insufficient.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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

The Secretary presented the following communication from the Acting Secretary of the Armory Board, relative to various transfers for the Board of Armory Commissioners:

BOARD OF ARMORY COMMISSIONERS—SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
STEWART BUILDING, NO. 280 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, January 21, 1904.

To the Honorable the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—At a meeting of the Armory Board, held January 21, 1904, the following was adopted

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be requested to transfer the several sums hereinafter named from the appropriations made to the Armory Board, for the year 1903, entitled:

From "Contingencies," Manhattan	\$240 50
From "Second Battery"	30 15
From "Headquarters, First Brigade"	4 94
From "Headquarters, National Guard"	10
From "Seventeenth Separate Company"	480 91
From "Administration"	230 13
From "Squadron A"	89 13

Total..... \$1,075 86

—the same being in excess of the amounts required for the purposes thereof, to the appropriations made to the said Board for the year 1903, as follows:

To "Supplies and Contingencies"	\$80 37
To "Seventh Regiment"	58 78
To "Eighth Regiment"	84 35
To "Ninth Regiment"	32 25
To "Sixty-ninth Regiment"	39 94
To "Seventy-first Regiment"	31 93
To "First Signal Corps"	45 24
To "Headquarters, Naval Militia"	83 74
To "Thirteenth Regiment"	530 13
To "First Naval Militia"	89 13

Total..... \$1,075 86

—the amounts of said appropriations being insufficient.

Yours very truly,

FRANK J. BELL, Acting Secretary.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the sum of ten hundred and seventy-five and eighty-six one-hundredths dollars (\$1,075.86) be and the same is hereby transferred from the appropriations made to the Armory Board for the year 1903, entitled as follows:

Borough of Manhattan—"Contingencies"	\$240 50
Borough of Manhattan—"Repairs and Supplies—Second Battery"	30 15
Borough of Manhattan—"Headquarters, First Brigade"	4 94
Borough of Manhattan—"Headquarters, National Guard, N. Y."	10
Borough of Manhattan—"Squadron A"	89 13
Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens—"Repairs and Supplies—Seventeenth Separate Company"	480 91
Care and Maintenance of Armories—"Administration"	230 13

\$1,075 86

—the same being in excess of the amounts required for the purposes thereof, to the appropriations made to said Armory Board for the year 1903, entitled and as follows:

Care and Maintenance of Armories—"Supplies and Contingencies"	\$80 37
Borough of Manhattan—"Repairs and Supplies—Seventh Regiment"	58 78
Borough of Manhattan—"Eighth Regiment"	84 35
Borough of Manhattan—"Ninth Regiment"	32 25
Borough of Manhattan—"Sixty-ninth Regiment"	39 94
Borough of Manhattan—"Seventy-first Regiment"	31 93
Borough of Manhattan—"First Signal Corps"	45 24
Borough of Manhattan—"Headquarters, Naval Militia"	83 74
Borough of Manhattan—"First Naval Militia"	89 13
Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens—"Repairs and Supplies—Thirteenth Regiment"	530 13

\$1,075 86

—the amounts of said appropriations being insufficient.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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

The Secretary presented a communication from the Commissioner of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, requesting the fixing of the salary of the position of Director of Menagerie at \$3,000 per annum.

Laid over until the next meeting, and the Commissioner requested to appear and make statement of the reasons for the increase.

The Secretary presented the following report of the Appraiser of Real Estate, Department of Finance, relative to the acquisition of a piece of property on Albany avenue, Maple street and East New York avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, for a school site:

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
January 25, 1904.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller:

SIR—The Executive Committee of the Board of Education at a meeting held May 21, 1902, adopted a resolution for the acquisition of a piece of property on Albany avenue, Maple street and East New York avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, being 17 feet 6 inches in width front and rear, with a depth of 200 feet, as part of a site for a public school, and requested that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment take such action as may be necessary and proper for the acquisition of the lands and premises selected and determined by the Board of Education as sites for school purposes.

At a meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held July 8, 1902 (see Minutes, Board of Estimate, page 1374), a resolution was adopted authorizing the Comptroller to enter into an agreement for the purchase of the property at a price not exceeding \$800. Said agreement was duly entered into, and at a meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held November 28, 1902 (see minutes, Board of Estimate, page 2519), a resolution was adopted approving of the resolution of the Board of Education for the appropriation of \$800 from the proceeds of Corporate Stock of The City of New York for the purpose of providing means for the purchase of the above-mentioned lot.

On January 14, 1903, the Corporation Counsel reported that two of the owners of the property were infants, and it would be necessary to institute proceedings for the appointment of a special guardian to execute deed conveying the infants' interest in said property.

On September 17, 1903, the Secretary of the Board of Education communicated with the office of the Corporation Counsel, requesting information in the matter, and received a reply thereto under date of September 28, 1903, in which the Corporation Counsel stated that he had communicated with the attorney for the owners and requested that such proceedings be instituted and brought to a conclusion in order that the City might take title by deed to said premises, but inasmuch as the consideration in the contract for the purchase of the property was \$800, and as the proceedings to sell infants' interest in real estate is an expensive one, he thought that the owner would prefer that the title be acquired by condemnation proceedings.

In an agreement granted by the owners of the property dated February 11, 1903, the Board of Education entered into possession of the strip of land, and a school building is now being erected thereon.

At a meeting of the Board of Education held on December 23, 1903, it was recommended that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be requested to authorize the Corporation Counsel to institute condemnation proceedings for the acquisition of title to said property, and in furtherance thereof the following resolution was adopted by the Board and was transmitted to this office:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Corporation Counsel to institute condemnation proceedings for the acquisition of title to the plot of land, 17 feet 5 inches by 200 feet, on Albany and East New York avenues and Maple street, adjoining Public School 91, Borough of Brooklyn, selected as a site for school purposes by the Board of Education on April 23, 1902 (see journal, pages 831 and 886), in lieu of acquiring the same by purchase, as authorized by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on July 8, 1902."

I would respectfully recommend that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment approve of the resolution of the Board of Education, and adopt a resolution authorizing the Corporation Counsel to institute condemnation proceedings for the acquisition of the property described in said resolution for school purposes.

Respectfully submitted for approval,

MORTIMER J. BROWN,
Appraiser of Real Estate in Charge of Bureau.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS,
ROOM 20, MUNICIPAL BUILDING,
BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, February 5, 1904.

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

DEAR SIR—This is to certify that the books of this Department show that the property known as Lot No. 21, Block 511, Twenty-ninth Ward, on the westerly side of Albany, extending from East New York avenue to Maple street, is assessed to John M. Curry for 1904 at \$400.

DOMINICK H. ROCHE, Chief Clerk.

To the Board of Education:

The Committee on Sites respectfully reports that on July 8, 1902, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment authorized the purchase of a strip of land about 17 feet 6 inches by 200 feet on Albany and East New York avenues and Maple street, adjoining Public School 91, Borough of Brooklyn, and on November 28, 1902, appropriated \$800 to pay for the same in accordance with a contract of sale executed on November 7, 1902.

On January 14, 1903, the Corporation Counsel reported that two of the owners of said property were infants, and it would be necessary to institute proceedings for the appointment of a special guardian to execute the deed conveying the infants' interest in said property.

On September 17, 1903, the Secretary communicated with the office of the Corporation Counsel, requesting information in the matter, and received the following reply under date of September 28, 1903:

"In reply to your communication of September 17, 1903, relative to premises selected as a site for school purposes, situated on the southwest corner of East New York avenue and Albany avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, I desire to say that after having notified the Board of Education of the fact that two of the owners of the property were infants and that it would be necessary to institute proceedings for the sale of their interests, I communicated with the attorney for the owners and requested that such proceedings be instituted and brought to a conclusion in order that the City might take title by deed to said premises. The consideration in the contract for the purchase of this property is \$800, and as the proceedings to sell infants' interests in real estate is an expensive one, I think the owner would prefer that the title be acquired by condemnation proceedings. Unless the owners will institute the proceedings to which I have reference it will be necessary to acquire title by condemnation."

No action appears to have been taken looking to the appointment of a special guardian.

The Board of Education is now in possession of said property under permission granted by the owners on February 11, 1903, and a school building is being erected thereon.

It is recommended that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be requested to authorize the Corporation Counsel to institute condemnation proceedings for the acquisition of title to said property.

The following resolution is submitted for adoption:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Corporation Counsel to institute condemnation proceed-

ings for the acquisition of title to the plot of land 17 feet 6 inches by 200 feet on Albany and East New York avenues and Maple street, adjoining Public School 91, Borough of Brooklyn, selected as a site for school purposes by the Board of Education on April 23, 1902 (see Journal, pages 831 and 886), in lieu of acquiring the same by purchase as authorized by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on July 8, 1902.

A true copy of report and resolution adopted by the Board of Education on December 23, 1903.

A. EMERSON PALMER, Secretary, Board of Education.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the selection as a public school site of land 17 feet 6 inches by 200 feet on Albany and East New York avenues and Maple street, adjoining Public School 91, Borough of Brooklyn, and, in lieu of acquiring the same by purchase, as authorized by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on July 8, 1902, hereby authorizes the Corporation Counsel to institute condemnation proceedings for the acquisition of said property, which is assessed for the year 1904 at four hundred dollars (\$400).

Which was adopted by the following vote:

The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn and The Bronx—14.

The Secretary presented a resolution of the Board of Aldermen requesting the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to set aside \$1,000 to pay the salary of an additional Sergeant-at-Arms in the rooms of the Board, in the Borough Hall, Brooklyn.

Referred to the President of the Borough of Brooklyn.

The Secretary presented a communication from the Department of Health, relative to the creation of the position of Tabulator in the fourth, fifth, sixth, seventh and eighth grades, and requesting the Board to fix the salary of the position of Messenger at \$1,500 per annum.

Laid over, and the Secretary directed to notify the Commissioner to appear before the Board and make statement relative to the proposed increase.

The Secretary presented a communication from the President of the Borough of The Bronx, requesting the Board to restore to the Borough of The Bronx the position of Deputy Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

Referred to the Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

The Secretary presented the following communications from the Commissioner of Public Works, Borough of Brooklyn, relative to various transfers:

THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN,
BROOKLYN, January 27, 1904.

To the Honorable the Board of Estimate:

GENTLEMEN—Will you kindly transfer the sum of two thousand dollars (\$2,000) from the unexpended balance of "Labor, Maintenance and Supplies, 1903," Bureau of Highways, the same being in excess of the amount required therefor, to the appropriation made to the Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, "Supplies and Repairs, 1903," the amount of said appropriation being insufficient to cover the expenditures during the year.

Very respectfully yours,

J. C. BRACKENRIDGE, Commissioner of Public Works.

Approved: MARTIN W. LITTLETON, President of the Borough of Brooklyn.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN,
BROOKLYN, January 27, 1904.

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

GENTLEMEN—Will you kindly transfer the sum of three hundred dollars (\$300) from the unexpended balance of "Sewers, Repairing and Cleaning, Contracts at Public Letting," account of 1903, to the appropriation made to the Sewer Bureau entitled "Sewers, Repairing and Cleaning, Payrolls and Supplies, 1903," the former being in excess of the amount required, the latter being insufficient to cover the expenditure during the year.

Yours very truly,

J. C. BRACKENRIDGE, Commissioner of Public Works.

Approved: MARTIN W. LITTLETON, President of the Borough of Brooklyn.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the sum of twenty-three hundred dollars (\$2,300) be and the same is hereby transferred from the appropriations made to the President of the Borough of Brooklyn for the year 1903, entitled and as follows:

Bureau of Highways—"Labor, Maintenance and Supplies"..... \$2,000 00

Bureau of Sewers—"Sewers, Repairing and Cleaning, Contracts at Public Letting"..... 300 00

\$2,300 00

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— the same being in excess of the amounts required for the purposes thereof, to the appropriations made to said President for the said year 1903, entitled and as follows:

Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices—"Supplies and Repairs"..... \$2,000 00

Bureau of Sewers—"Sewers, Repairing and Cleaning, Payrolls and Supplies"..... 300 00

\$2,300 00

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— the amounts of said appropriations being insufficient.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx and Queens—15.

The Secretary presented the following communications from the Police Department, requesting the Board to fix the salaries of various positions:

POLICE DEPARTMENT,
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, September 22, 1903.

To the Honorable the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—The Police Commissioner this day directed the following proceedings:

Ordered, That, pursuant to section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and is hereby respectfully requested to fix the salaries of the following named positions in the Police Department at the amounts stated, and to recommend the same to the Board of Aldermen for approval, viz.:

Chief Engineer, Steamer "Patrol," per annum..... \$1,500 00

Assistant Engineer, Steamer "Patrol," per annum..... 1,320 00

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I am directed by the Police Commissioner to state that the amounts specified are those asked for in the estimate of the Police Department for the year 1904, and correspond to the prevailing rate of wages; and to respectfully request that favorable action be taken on this matter as speedily as possible, for the reason that it is impossible to fill the vacancy in the position of Assistant Engineer at the salary now paid, and the efficiency of the steamer "Patrol" is seriously impaired because of the inability to complete the necessary complement in the engineering department thereof. Three persons whose names appeared on eligible list of the Municipal Civil Service Commission declined the appointment on the ground that the wages are less than the prevailing rate.

Very respectfully,
WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT,
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,

January 26, 1904.

Hon. J. W. STEVENSON, Deputy Comptroller:

DEAR SIR—I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your communication of the 23d inst., relative to my request that the Board of Apportionment authorize the Police Commissioner to pay additional compensation for certain positions in the Police Department:

1. Stenographer to Police Commissioner from \$1,200 to \$1,400 per annum, and you ask for statement of reasons for such proposed increase. I beg to state that the work of the Stenographer to the Police Commissioner is very onerous, and his position is in the nature of assistant to the Secretary to the Commissioner. The hours are very long, extending often as late as 7 o'clock in the evening to complete the necessary work of the office.

2. Chief Engineer of steamboat "Patrol," from \$1,140 to \$1,500, and Assistant Engineer of steamboat "Patrol" from \$900 to \$1,320 per annum. You ask for comparative statement of salaries paid employees in similar positions. Investigation shows that the United States Quartermaster's Department, United States Army, and Fall River Line pay Chief Engineer \$1,500 per annum, including food and quarters; the Department of Docks and Ferries, \$1,500, no food or quarters; Department of Charities, \$1,600, food and quarters supplied. The Fire Department of The City of New York has a detailed foreman receiving full salary, \$1,400, which, of course, cannot be compared to prevailing rate of wages. The Chief Engineer of the steamboat "Patrol" has no food or quarters supplied.

For Assistant Engineer the United States Quartermaster's Department and Fall River Line pay \$900 per annum, with food and quarters supplied; the Department of Charities, \$1,250, with food and quarters supplied. The Assistant Engineer of the steamboat Patrol has no food or quarters supplied.

From this it will appear that the increase for salaries of Chief Engineer from \$1,140 to \$1,500, and of Assistant Engineer from \$900 to \$1,320, will yet bring them within the prevailing rate of wages for such positions, and it is urgently requested that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment will give this matter favorable consideration.

Very respectfully,
WILLIAM McADOO, Police Commissioner.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, that the salary of the position of Stenographer to the Police Commissioner be fixed at the rate of thirteen hundred and fifty dollars (\$1,350) per annum.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx and Queens—15.

The request of the Commissioner relative to the fixing of the salaries of the Engineer and Assistant Engineer of the steamer "Patrol" was referred to the Mayor for submission to the Commissioners of Accounts for a comparative statement of the salaries paid for similar positions in public and private corporations.

The Secretary presented the following communication from the Acting District Attorney of New York County, requesting the transfer of \$263 59 to "Supplies and Contingencies, including Arrearages," for the year 1903:

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE,
COUNTY OF NEW YORK,

January 25, 1904.

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

GENTLEMEN—There is an unexpended balance in the appropriation for "Salaries for the year 1903, District Attorney's Office, New York County Assistants, Deputy Assistants, Clerks, Stenographers, County Detectives, Messengers, and other employees, including Stenographer to the Grand Jury," amounting to \$263.59. As the appropriation for "Supplies and Contingencies, 1903, including Arrearages," is insufficient to pay the pending claims, I respectfully request that the unexpended balance of the Salary Appropriation be transferred to the Appropriation for "Supplies and Contingencies, 1903, including Arrearages."

Yours very truly,

WILLIAM RAND, Jr., Acting District Attorney.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the sum of two hundred and sixty-three and fifty-nine one-hundredths dollars (\$263.59) be and the same is hereby transferred from the appropriation made to the District Attorney, New York County, for the year 1903, entitled "Salaries of Assistants, Deputy Assistants, Clerks, Stenographers, Typewriters, Subpoena Servers, Messengers and Employees, including Stenographer for the Grand Jury," the same being in excess of the amount required for the purposes thereof, to the appropriation made to said District Attorney, New York County, for the year 1903, entitled "Supplies and Contingencies, including Arrearages," the amount of said appropriation being insufficient.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx and Queens—15.

The Secretary presented the following communications from the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, requesting the Board to recommend to the Board of Aldermen the fixing of the salaries of various positions under his jurisdiction:

THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN,

BROOKLYN, January 25, 1904.

Hon. J. W. STEVENSON, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, No. 280 Broadway, Manhattan:

DEAR SIR—I transmit to you, herewith enclosed, resolution fixing the salaries of the following positions under the jurisdiction of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn:

Inspector of Carpentry and Masonry, Bureau of Buildings, \$2,000 per annum, reduced from \$2,400.

Inspector of Elevators, Bureau of Buildings, \$1,350 per annum, increased from \$1,200.

Inspector of Plumbing, Bureau of Buildings, \$1,500 per annum, reduced from \$1,650.

Will you be good enough to present this at the next meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for its consideration and action, and oblige,

Yours very truly,
MARTIN W. LITTLETON, President, Borough of Brooklyn.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN,

BROOKLYN, January 25, 1904.

Hon. J. W. STEVENSON, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, No. 280 Broadway, Manhattan:

DEAR SIR—I transmit to you, herewith enclosed, a resolution fixing the salary of the following named Junior Clerks in the Borough of Brooklyn at the rate of \$540 per annum:

Borough President—Charles H. Nammack; age, 20; entered service, February 18, 1902; present salary, \$480.

Borough President—Thomas J. Dorney; age, 18; entered service, April 15, 1902; present salary, \$480.

Commissioner of Public Works—George F. Lacey; age, 18; entered service, April 15, 1902; present salary, \$480.

Topographical Bureau—William F. Kenna; age, 18; entered service, July 14, 1902; present salary, \$480.

Will you be good enough to present the same at the next meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for its consideration and action, and oblige,

Yours very truly,
MARTIN W. LITTLETON, President, Borough of Brooklyn.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, that the salary of the position of Junior Clerk, under the jurisdiction of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, be fixed at the rate of five hundred and forty dollars (\$540) per annum.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx and Queens—15.

The application relative to fixing the salaries of different Inspectors was laid over.

The Secretary presented preambles and resolutions from the Economic Club of the University Settlement condemning the action of the Board of Education in deciding to abolish the evening recreation centres, vacation schools, etc., and suggesting that a number of the high-salaried assistants in the Board of Education might properly be reduced, if necessary, to allow for the continuance of these vacation centres and playgrounds.

Referred to the Board of Education.

The President of the Borough of Richmond appeared and took his place in the Board.

The Secretary presented the following communication from the Tenement House Commissioner, requesting the Board to fix the salary of the position of Expert Tabulator at \$1,200 per annum:

TENEMENT HOUSE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 61 IRVING PLACE, SOUTHWEST CORNER EIGHTEENTH STREET,

NEW YORK CITY, January 21, 1904.

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

GENTLEMEN—I respectfully request, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, that you fix the salary of the following employee in the Tenement House Department

Expert Tabulator, per annum..... \$1,200 00

The reason for this request is that I find there are certain intermediate grades in this Department for which salaries have not been fixed and which I find it desirable to have.

It appears that this item was approved by your Board at its meeting held September 9, 1903, and forwarded to the Board of Aldermen. For some reason, however, it has not been acted upon by the Board, and I find it necessary to renew negotiations to this end.

I therefore respectfully request that the above salary be reapproved at your earliest convenience.

Yours respectfully
THOS. C. T. CRAIN, Commissioner.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, that the salary of the position of Expert Tabulator in the Tenement House Department be fixed at the rate of twelve hundred dollars (\$1,200) per annum.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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 Secretary presented a communication from Miss Theresa Stern, Stenographer employed in the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, requesting an increase in her salary.

Laid on table.

The Secretary presented communications from the Surrogate of Kings County, requesting the fixing of the salary of an additional Court Officer at \$1,200 per annum, and also the fixing of the salary of the position of Stenographer's Amanuensis at \$800 per annum.

Referred back to the Surrogate for information as to whether the position of Stenographer's Amanuensis is in the Civil Service schedule, and with the information that, as the grade of Court Officer has already been fixed at \$1,200 per annum, the action of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment is not necessary.

The Secretary presented a report of the President of the Borough of Manhattan as to the estimated cost of replacing the old, worn and useless carpets, furniture, etc., in the rooms vacated by the Court of General Sessions, and the necessary furniture, etc., for the new rooms to be occupied by said Court.

Referred back to the President of the Borough of Manhattan.

The Secretary presented the following communication from the Deputy Comptroller, relative to an issue of \$1,000,000 Assessment Bonds for the liquidation of liabilities of the Street Improvement Fund.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE—CITY OF NEW YORK, }
February 1, 1904. }

To the Honorable the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—The amount of assessment bonds of The City of New York heretofore authorized pursuant to the provisions of section 181 of the Greater New York Charter, having been almost entirely issued, I submit herewith a resolution authorizing the issue of Assessment Bonds to the amount of \$1,000,000, the proceeds of which are to be applied to the liquidation of liabilities of the Street Improvement Fund.

Yours respectfully,
J. W. STEVENSON, Deputy Comptroller.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 181 of the Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to issue, from time to time as may be required, Assessment Bonds of The City of New York to the amount of one million dollars (\$1,000,000), bearing interest at a rate not exceeding four per cent. (4%) per annum, and redeemable in not more than ten (10) years from the date of issue; the proceeds of which bonds shall be applied to the liquidation of liabilities of the Street Improvement Fund.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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 Secretary presented the following resolutions from the Board of Education, relative to the transfer of \$11,018.50 to various appropriations:

To the Board of Education:

The Committee on Finance respectfully reports that the Committee on Buildings has requested, in writing, that sundry transfers be recommended. In compliance with said request the following resolution is submitted for adoption:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to approve the following transfers:

\$4,518.50 from the Special School Fund for the year 1903, and from the items contained therein, as follows:

"Rents," Borough of Manhattan	\$2,000 00
"Rents," Borough of Brooklyn	1,000 00
"Rents," Board of Education	500 00
"Furniture and Repairs of," Borough of Richmond	500 00
"Fire Alarms," Borough of The Bronx	518 50
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	\$4,518 50

—which items are in excess of their requirements, to the item also contained within the Special School Fund for the same year entitled "General Repairs," Borough of Manhattan, which item is insufficient for its purposes.

\$5,500.00 from the Special School Fund for the year 1903, and from the items contained therein, as follows:

"Pianos and Repairs of," Borough of Queens	\$400 00
"General Repairs," Borough of Richmond	5,100 00
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	\$5,500 00

—which items are in excess of their requirements, to the item also contained within the Special School Fund for the same year entitled "General Repairs," Borough of Brooklyn, which item is insufficient for its purposes.

\$400.00 from the Special School Fund for the year 1903, and from the item contained therein entitled "Furniture and Repairs of," Borough of The Bronx, which item is in excess of its requirements, to the item also contained within the Special School Fund for the same year entitled "Furniture and Repairs of," Borough of Manhattan, which item is insufficient for its purposes.

\$600.00 from the Special School Fund for the year 1903, and from the item contained therein entitled "Rents," Borough of Manhattan, which item is in excess of its requirements, to the items also contained within the Special School Fund for the same year, as follows:

"Furniture and Repairs of," Borough of Queens	\$300 00
"Furniture and Repairs of," Borough of Brooklyn	300 00
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	\$600 00

—which items are insufficient for their purposes.

A true copy of report and resolution adopted by the Board of Education on February 1, 1904.

A. EMERSON PALMER, Secretary, Board of Education.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the sum of eleven thousand and eighteen dollars and fifty cents (\$11,018.50) be and the same is hereby transferred from the following appropriations made to the Department of Education for the year 1903 entitled and as follows:

Special School Fund.

Borough of Manhattan—"Rents"	\$2,000 00
Borough of Brooklyn—"Rents"	1,000 00
Board of Education—"Rents"	500 00
Borough of Richmond—"Furniture and Repairs Of"	500 00
Borough of The Bronx—"Fire Alarms"	518 50
Borough of Queens—"Pianos and Repairs Of"	400 00
Borough of Richmond—"General Repairs"	5,100 00
Borough of The Bronx—"Furniture and Repairs Of"	400 00
Borough of Manhattan—"Rents"	600 00
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	\$11,018 50

—the same being in excess of the amounts required for the purposes thereof, to the following appropriations made to said Department for 1903, entitled and as follows:

Special School Fund.

Borough of Manhattan—"General Repairs"	\$4,518 50
Borough of Brooklyn—"General Repairs"	5,500 00
Borough of Manhattan—"Furniture and Repairs Of"	400 00
Borough of Queens—"Furniture and Repairs Of"	300 00
Borough of Brooklyn—"Furniture and Repairs Of"	300 00
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	\$11,018 50

—the amounts of said appropriations being insufficient.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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 Secretary presented the following resolution of the Board of Education, relative to the salary of the Janitor of Public School 57, Borough of Queens:

To the Board of Education:

The Committee on Care of Buildings respectfully reports that it has had under consideration a communication from the Supervisor of Janitors submitting a report on the new addition to Public School 57, Borough of Queens, and finds that the Janitor is entitled to additional compensation to the amount of \$295.20 per annum, from January 1, 1904, the date on which the Janitor began to care for said new addition, containing four class rooms.

The following resolutions are offered for adoption:

Resolved, That the action of the Committee on Care of Buildings in increasing the salary attached to the position of Janitor of Public School 57, Borough of Queens, from \$660 to \$955.20 per annum, subject to the approval of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and the Board of Aldermen, taking effect from and after January 1, 1904, be and the same is hereby approved and ratified.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to recommend to the Board of Aldermen that the salary of the Janitor of Public School 57, Borough of Queens, be increased from \$660 to \$955.20 per annum, for the reason above set forth, said increase to date from January 1, 1904, as above stated.

A true copy of report and resolution adopted by the Board of Education on February 1, 1904.

A. EMERSON PALMER, Secretary, Board of Education.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That, subject to the concurrence and approval of the Board of Aldermen, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby ratifies and confirms the action of the Board of Education, taken and dated February 1, 1904, in fixing the salary of the Janitor of Public School 57, Borough of Queens, at the rate of nine hundred and fifty-five dollars and twenty cents (\$955.20) per annum, as of date January 1, 1904.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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 Secretary presented the following communication from the County Judge of Queens County, relative to his request for the fixing of the salary of the Stenographer of the County Court:

QUEENS COUNTY COURT, LONG ISLAND CITY, N. Y., }
JAMAICA, N. Y., January 18, 1904.

Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment, New York City, N. Y.:

GENTLEMEN—I hereby request the Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment to fix the salary of the County Court Stenographer for Queens County. Heretofore the compensation has been fixed at \$15 per day, and Daniel C. McEwen of No. 160 Sterling place, Brooklyn, has supplied the Court with stenographers. He has now resigned, and I have appointed C. Herbert Burns of Richmond Hill, Queens County, whose name was at the head of the eligible list, furnished me by the State Civil Service Commission.

I would quote from the communication sent by my predecessor in office, Hon. Harrison S. Moore, County Judge of this County, to your honorable body at the time estimates were being made for expenses for the year 1904:

"The increase in the sum of money required to pay Stenographer's compensation arises out of the contemplated change from a per diem compensation of Stenographers to a salary compensation (\$2,500 per annum instead of \$15 per day). Heretofore a sum has been appropriated to pay a Stenographer for attendance at the trial terms of the County Court.

"Stenographers employed at motion terms in trial of special proceedings in the County Court have been paid out of the Court fund on order of the County Judge. There will be little, if any, difference in the amount of money actually paid for Stenographers whether the compensation is by salary or by per diem compensation."

I would also call your attention to resolution of your Board of January 8, 1904, transferring to the Court Fund of the County Court the sum of \$1,000.20 from the Surrogate's Court of Queens County. This will add to the fund allowed by you for expenses of the County Court. My reason for asking that an annual salary be fixed for the Court Stenographer of the County Court is: That it insures the same Stenographer in attendance in Court at all times, while under the former system, Mr. McEwen sent to the Court any Stenographer whom he might have available at the particular day. The amount drawn for stenographic services in the County Court from both funds has, I am advised, been about \$2,500 per annum. That amount, it would seem to me, would be proper for his annual salary.

Yours very truly,

BURT JAY HUMPHREY, County Judge, Queens County.

QUEENS COUNTY COURT, LONG ISLAND CITY, N. Y., }

February 4, 1904.

To the Honorable the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—I would respectfully submit for your consideration, in addition to the matters stated by me in my recent communication asking that the compensation of the Stenographer of the County Court be fixed at an annual salary instead of on a per diem basis, the following:

The business of the County Court has been increasing rapidly and, in addition to the regular trial terms, a motion term is held by me on each Saturday of the year except during the month of August. At this motion term equity cases are tried, and it has been the practice at those terms for counsel to furnish a stenographer of their own and pay him themselves. This is unsatisfactory for the reason that such stenographers may or may not be competent, and I have determined that it is necessary, for my own protection, to have my official Stenographer present at each of those terms. On the per diem basis this will add \$690 to the Stenographer's compensation each year.

This sum, added to the amount paid last year for per diem services and disbursements, would exceed the sum of \$2,200 per year.

From the present condition of my trial term calendar it seems probable that an additional trial term will have to be held this year. This would bring the sum paid for that service up to the salary I have asked to be fixed.

The appointment I have made was taken from the State Civil Service list of Stenographers eligible to appointment in the Supreme Court, and the appointee stood at the head of the list in the Second Judicial Department. An appointment to that Court would carry with it an annual salary of \$3,000.

I might, with propriety, add that the salaries of each of the Stenographers in the County Court of Kings is fixed at \$3,000, and the salaries of the Stenographers of the City Court of New York at the same amount.

Trusting that my application may receive favorable consideration, I beg to remain,

Very respectfully yours,

BURT JAY HUMPHREY.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, that the salary of the position of Stenographer of the County Court, Queens County, be fixed at the rate of twenty-two hundred and fifty dollars (\$2,250) per annum.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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 Secretary presented the following communication from the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, requesting the transfer of \$5,646.42 in the Borough of Brooklyn:

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING, }
NEW YORK, January 29, 1904. }

Hon. George B. McClellan, Mayor, Chairman, Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

SIR—I have to request that the following transfers be made in the appropriation of the Department of Street Cleaning, Borough of Brooklyn, for the year 1903:

From "Administration" to "Sweeping and Carting".....	\$3 73
From "Final Disposition" to "Sweeping and Carting".....	2,812 75
From "New Stock-Plant" to "Sweeping and Carting".....	861 44
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From "New Stock-Plant" to "Rents and Contingencies".....	\$3,677 92
	1,968 50

The reason for the above-named transfers is that the balance remaining in the accounts of Sweeping and Carting and Rents and Contingencies is not sufficient to cover the business of the year.

Respectfully,

JOHN McGAW WOODBURY, Commissioner.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the sum of five thousand six hundred and forty-six dollars and forty-two cents (\$5,646.42) be and the same is hereby transferred from the following appropriations made to the Department of Street Cleaning for the year 1903, entitled and as follows:

Borough of Brooklyn—"Administration".....	\$3 73
Borough of Brooklyn—"Final Disposition of Material, including Cremation or Utilization".....	2,812 75
Borough of Brooklyn—"New Stock Plant".....	2,829 94
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	\$5,646 42

—the same being in excess of the amounts required for the purposes thereof, to the following appropriations made to said Department for 1903, entitled and as follows:

Borough of Brooklyn—"Sweeping and Carting".....	\$3,677 92
Borough of Brooklyn—"Supplies, Rents and Contingencies".....	1,968 50
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	\$5,646 42

—the amounts of said appropriations being insufficient.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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 Secretary presented the following communication from the Commissioner of the Department of Street Cleaning, requesting the transfer of \$100,000 to "Removal of Snow and Ice, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx":

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING, }
NEW YORK, January 29, 1904. }

Hon. George B. McClellan, Mayor, Chairman, Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

SIR—I have the honor to request that the sum of one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000) be transferred from the account of "Sweeping and Carting," appropriation of the Department of Street Cleaning, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, for the year 1904, to the appropriation account of "Snow and Ice," Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, for 1904, for the reason that the balance remaining in the last named account is not sufficient to meet the emergency of the last fall of snow.

I also have to request that, in accordance with the provisions of section 546 of the Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller be authorized and directed to issue bonds of The City of New York to the amount of one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000), the proceeds thereof to be used for the restoration to the account of "Sweeping and Carting" of the amount temporarily transferred therefrom as requested above.

Respectfully,

JOHN McG. WOODBURY, Commissioner.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the sum of one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000) be and the same is hereby transferred from the appropriation made to the Department of Street Cleaning for the year 1904, entitled "Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx—Sweeping and Carting," to the appropriation made to said Department for 1904, entitled "Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx—Removal of Snow and Ice," the amount of said appropriation being insufficient; and

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 546 of the Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to issue Revenue Bonds of The City of New York to the amount of one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000), redeemable from the Tax Levy of the year succeeding the year of their issue, the proceeds of which shall be applied to refund to said appropriation the amount hereby transferred therefrom.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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 Secretary presented a communication from the City Clerk requesting a transfer of \$200 to "Salaries of Clerks, Assistants," etc., for 1904.

Laid over.

The Secretary presented a communication from the City Clerk relative to the application of Captain William L. D. O'Grady, Clerk in his office, for an increase in salary that would place him in the highest grade of the Civil Service.

Filed.

The Secretary presented communications from the Judges of the Supreme Court calling attention to the present necessity for the improvement of the sanitary condition of the County Court House, and stating that the work should be done during the summer vacation.

Referred to the Comptroller.

The Secretary presented the following communication from the Appraiser of Real Estate, Department of Finance, relative to the acquisition of an interior lot adjoining Public School 45, Borough of Brooklyn:

CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE—COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
January 25, 1904.

Hon. Edward M. Grout, Comptroller:

SIR—At a meeting of the Board of Education held on the 22d day of March, 1899, Mr. Robertson presented and asked for and obtained unanimous consent for immediate consideration of a number of sites for school purposes in the Borough of

Brooklyn, selected by the Committee on Sites, among which was an interior lot, Lafayette avenue, Emerson place, DeKalb avenue and Classon avenue, and at that meeting a resolution was unanimously adopted approving the report attached to the resolution from the Committee on Sites.

No further action was taken in the matter by the Board of Education until some time last summer, when Mr. Harkness of the Board presented to this office an option for the acquisition of the property for the consideration of \$5,000. Nothing was done in this matter up to the present time, for the reason that the price was considered by me excessive.

It seems that the owner owned other property on Classon avenue adjoining this interior plot, and in front thereof, and states that under the representation of Mr. Robertson of the Board of Education that the City would purchase his interior plot, he sold the buildings on Classon avenue, leaving a plot 67 feet 9 inches by 150 feet by 67 feet 8 inches by 150 feet, which adjoins the northerly line of the land of the Board of Education, and the southerly line of property which is also owned by The City of New York, but which is vacant, on DeKalb avenue. While it is true that the owner of the premises now has no way of getting at his property, it is also true that he might repurchase a piece of real estate on either street, and thus be enabled to make use of the interior piece.

The Board of Education, at a meeting held January 14, 1904, adopted the following resolutions:

"Resolved, That the Board of Education hereby selects and determines, as a site for school purposes, the following-described interior lot, adjoining Public School 45, in the block bounded by Lafayette, Classon and DeKalb avenues and Emerson place, in Local School Board District No. 29, Borough of Brooklyn, the assessed valuation of which, as shown by the books of record on file in the Department of Taxes and Assessments, is \$2,500.

"Beginning at the northeasterly corner of the present site of Public School 45 and running thence westerly along the northerly line of the lands of Public School 45 sixty-seven (67) feet nine (9) inches; thence northerly and parallel with Emerson place one hundred and fifty (150) feet; thence easterly and parallel with DeKalb avenue sixty-seven feet eight inches (67 feet 8 inches); thence southerly and parallel with Classon avenue one hundred and fifty (150) feet to the northwesterly corner of the lands of said Public School 45, the point or place of beginning.

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to take such action as may be necessary and proper for the acquisition of the lands and premises above described."

The property is assessed for the year 1903 at \$2,500, and I have an option from the owner to purchase the same at \$3,500. While I believe this to be full value, I think the City may properly acquire the property at that price, for the reason that it would enable the Board of Education to use the new property for a school yard, and to build a wing upon their present property upon the part now used for school yard purposes, and I would therefore recommend that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment authorize the acquisition of this plot of ground at a price not exceeding \$3,500.

Respectfully submitted for approval,

MORTIMER J. BROWN,
Appraiser of Real Estate in Charge of Bureau.

To the Board of Education:

The Committee on Sites respectfully reports that it has given careful consideration to the matter of the acquisition of property adjoining Public School 45, Borough of Brooklyn, and submits for adoption the following resolutions:

Resolved, That the Board of Education hereby selects and determines as a site for school purposes the following described interior lot, adjoining Public School 45, in the block bounded by Lafayette, Classon and DeKalb avenues and Emerson place, in Local School Board District No. 29, Borough of Brooklyn; the assessed valuation of which, as shown by the books of record on file in the Department of Taxes and Assessments, is \$2,500:

Beginning at the northeasterly corner of the present site of Public School 45, and running thence westerly along the northerly line of the lands of Public School 45 sixty-seven (67) feet nine (9) inches; thence northerly and parallel with Emerson place one hundred and fifty (150) feet; thence easterly and parallel with DeKalb avenue sixty-seven (67) feet eight (8) inches; thence southerly and parallel with Classon avenue one hundred and fifty (150) feet to the northwesterly corner of the lands of said Public School 45, the point or place of beginning.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to take such action as may be necessary and proper for the acquisition of the lands and premises above described.

A true copy of report and resolutions adopted by the Board of Education on January 14, 1904.

A. EMERSON PALMER, Secretary, Board of Education.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the action of the Board of Education in the matter of the selection of the following described lands and premises for a school site in the block bounded by Lafayette, Classon and DeKalb avenues and Emerson place, Borough of Brooklyn:

Beginning at the northeasterly corner of the present site of Public School 45 and running thence westerly along the northerly line of the lands of Public School 45 sixty-seven (67) feet nine (9) inches; thence northerly and parallel with Emerson place one hundred and fifty (150) feet; thence easterly and parallel with DeKalb avenue sixty-seven (67) feet eight (8) inches; thence southerly and parallel with Classon avenue one hundred and fifty (150) feet to the northwesterly corner of lands of said Public School 45, the point or place of beginning,

—and hereby authorizes the Comptroller of The City of New York to enter into a contract for the purchase of said described premises at a price not exceeding thirty-five hundred dollars (\$3,500), said contract to be approved by the Corporation Counsel as to form.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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 Secretary presented a communication from the Secretary of the Court House Board, submitting majority and minority reports as to the site for the proposed new Court House.

Matter set down for a hearing on March 4.

The Secretary presented the following communication from the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, stating that the sum of \$1,348,539.71 is estimated as being necessary during the year 1904 for the proper maintenance, etc., of the water supply in the Borough of Brooklyn:

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NOS. 13-21 PARK ROW,
CITY OF NEW YORK, January 29, 1904.

J. W. Stevenson, Esq., Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

SIR—The sum of \$1,348,539.71 is estimated to be necessary during the year 1904 for the proper maintenance and distribution of the water supply of the Borough of Brooklyn. I respectfully request that, pursuant to subdivision 1 of section 242 of the amended Greater New York Charter, your Board will set aside said sum from the water revenues received during the year 1904 if such revenues be sufficient, and if not, from the balance remaining in the water revenues account on December 31, 1903, for the maintenance and distribution of said water supply during 1904.

I enclose herewith form of resolution based upon the resolution adopted by your Board on January 16, 1903.

Respectfully,
JOHN T. OAKLEY, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

ESTIMATES OF AMOUNTS REQUIRED FROM WATER REVENUE FOR SALARIES AND SUPPLIES FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1904.

Salaries—Maintenance and Repairs.

Engineer's Office Force.

Position.	Present Salary.	Budget 1904
I. M. DeVarona, Chief Engineer.....	\$7,500 00	\$7,500 00
Robert Van Buren, Principal Assistant Engineer (one-half salary)	2,250 00	2,250 00
W. W. Brush, Assistant Engineer.....	3,000 00	3,000 00
B. M. Wagner, Assistant Engineer.....	3,000 00	3,000 00
Carlos Lobo, Transitman.....	1,800 00	2,100 00
Joseph Goodman, Transitman.....	1,800 00	2,100 00
Walter S. Cleverdon, Draughtsman.....	1,500 00	1,650 00
John Durney, Rodman.....	1,050 00	1,050 00
Leo C. Clarke, Rodman.....	1,050 00	1,050 00
Francis X. Martin, Rodman.....	1,050 00	1,050 00
Francis L. Hurlburt, Transitman.....	1,350 00	1,350 00
W. R. Fagan, Coal Inspector.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
George M. Demm, Stenographer.....	1,200 00	1,500 00
John F. Collins, Clerk.....	1,250 00	1,650 00
George Reinheimer, Office Boy.....	300 00	450 00
	\$29,300 00	\$30,900 00
George H. Brown, Clerk.....	1,050 00	1,200 00
David F. Moore, Stenographer.....	900 00	900 00
Office Boy		300 00
Total	\$31,250 00	\$33,300 00

The charge for the above three employees formed a part of the Tax Levy Budget for 1903 and previous years; but the Tax Levy Budget approved for 1904 does not show their names, and they have been paid for a portion of 1903 on the Water Revenue Account. Provision is, therefore, made here for their salaries.

MAINTENANCE AND DISTRIBUTION OF WATER SUPPLY IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN—ESTIMATE FOR 1904.

Salaries.

Engineer's office.....	\$33,300 00
Repairs to buildings.....	20,651 95
Repairs to driven well stations.....	18,205 50
Pumping stations.....	328,684 30
Conduits and reservoirs.....	74,247 50
Total, Engineer's Bureau.....	\$475,089 25
Bureau Distribution and Repairs.....	198,839 50
Water Registrar.....	45,650 00
Supplies and Accounts.....	10,850 00
Total, salaries.....	\$730,428 75

Supplies and Repairs.

Engineer's office.....	\$2,500 00
Repairs to buildings.....	7,500 00
Repairs to driven well stations.....	10,000 00
Pumping stations.....	90,000 00
Conduits and reservoirs.....	19,250 00
Coal	400,000 00
Taxes	32,000 00
Telephones	3,000 00
Total, Engineer's Bureau.....	\$565,150 00
Distribution and repairs.....	52,960 96
Total, Supplies and Repairs.....	\$618,110 96
Total estimate.....	\$1,348,539 71

Repairs to Buildings.

George Morgan, Inspector of Carpentry, Masonry and Buildings, \$5 per day.....	\$1,825 00	\$1,825 00
4 Carpenters, \$4 per day.....	5,008 00	5,008 00
4 Painters, \$3.50 per day.....	4,382 00	4,382 00
3 Masons, \$.60 per hour.....	4,507 20	4,507 20
3 Mason's Helpers, \$.275 per day.....	2,582 25	2,582 25
1 Tinsmith, \$.350 per day.....	1,095 50	1,095 50
2 Laborers, \$.2 per day.....	1,252 00	1,252 00
Total	\$20,651 95	\$20,651 95

Repairs to Driven Wells.

1 Foreman, \$4 per day.....	\$1,460 00	\$1,460 00
3 Assistant Foremen, \$3 per day.....	2,817 00	2,817 00
7 Assistant Well Drivers, \$2 per day.....	4,382 00	4,382 00
14 Laborers, \$.2 per day.....	8,138 00	8,764 00
1 Assistant Foreman, \$.250 per day.....	626 00	782 50
Total	\$17,423 00	\$18,205 50

Ridgewood Engine House.

Kenneth Torrance, Engineman-in-Charge	\$2,500 00	\$2,800 00
F. W. Hancock, Engineman.....	1,800 00	2,100 00
R. D. Faron, Engineman.....	1,800 00	2,000 00
J. P. Smith, Engineman.....	1,277 50	1,277 50
N. Crowe, Engineman.....	1,277 50	1,277 50
J. Fogarty, Engineman.....	1,277 50	1,277 50
S. E. Condon, Engineman.....	1,277 50	1,277 50
J. F. Bogardus, Engineman.....	1,277 50	1,277 50
W. H. S. Wright, Engineman.....	1,277 50	1,277 50
J. E. Hendrickson, Engineman.....	1,277 50	1,277 50
R. Stewart, Engineman.....	1,277 50	1,277 50
N. Uribe, Engineman.....	1,277 50	1,277 50
M. O'Donnell, Engineman.....	1,277 50	1,277 50
J. McArt, Engineman.....	1,277 50	1,277 50
C. Kelly, Engineman.....	1,277 50	1,277 50
Thos. J. Murphy, Engineman.....	1,277 50	1,277 50
Wm. Murphy, Engineman.....	1,277 50	1,277 50
J. McGivern, Engineman.....	1,277 50	1,277 50
E. McDevett, Engineman.....	1,277 50	1,277 50
W. H. Conley, Engineman.....	1,277 50	1,277 50
G. H. Williams, Engineman.....	1,277 50	1,277 50
N. Gillespie, Engineman.....	1,277 50	1,277 50
E. E. Powell, Engineman.....	1,277 50	1,277 50

H. A. Hughes, Engineman..... 1,277 50 \$1,277 50

G. W. Morris, Engineman..... 1,277 50 \$1,277 50

H. E. Hamblen, Engineman..... 1,277 50

W. E. Kisby, Clerk..... 1,350 00 1,350 00

Clerk

J. C. Patteron (Oiler), Storekeeper..... 912 00 912 00

W. S. Corcoran, Oiler..... 912 00 912 00

T. Donahue, Oiler..... 912 00 912 00

J. Donnelly, Oiler..... 912 00 912 00

W. H. Hart, Oiler..... 912 00 912 00

R. Slattery, Oiler..... 912 00 912 00

P. McCauley, Oiler..... 912 00 912 00

H. Van Keuren, Oiler..... 912 00 912 00

W. L. Hoag, Oiler..... 912 00 912 00

Patrick Kennedy, Oiler..... 912 00 912 00

J. Malone, Oiler..... 912 00 912 00

P. McGinty, Oiler..... 912 00 912 00

M. Kelly, Oiler..... 912 00 912 00

W. B. Bocton, Oiler..... 912 00 912 00

R. C. Williams, Oiler..... 912 00 912 00

A. V. Ennis, Oiler..... 912 00 912 00

J. Buchan, Oiler..... 912 00 912 00

C. Nolan, Oiler..... 912 00 912 00

W. Kelly, Oiler..... 912 00 912 00

T. McGowan, Oiler..... 912 00 912 00

J. L. Smith, Oiler..... 912 00 912 00

E. N. Tonery, Oiler..... 912 00 912 00

J. J. Walsh, Oiler..... 912 00 912 00

Thomas Fry, Stoker..... 912 00 912 00

H. Mullin, Stoker..... 912 00 912 00

M. O'Neil, Stoker..... 912 00 912 00

P. Catterson, Stoker..... 912 00 912 00

E. A. Merwin, Stoker..... 912 00 912 00

C. Mallestrom, Stoker..... 912 00 912 00

F. Harvey, Stoker..... 912 00 912 00

J. Ahern, Stoker..... 912 00 912 00

C. O'Brien, Stoker..... 912 00 912 00

C. Gallagher, Stoker..... 912 00 912 00

J. Simpson, Stoker..... 912 00 912 00

J. Galvin, Stoker..... 912 00 912 00

H. Wright, Stoker..... 912 00 912 00

H. Valentine, Stoker..... 912 00 912 00

Oconee Pumping Station.

John Murphy, Engineman-in-Charge	\$1,277 50	\$1,277 50
J. L. Chestnut, Engineman	1,277 50	1,277 50
R. J. Hancock, Engineman	1,277 50	1,277 50
B. Kiretz, Stoker	912 00	912 00
J. Conway, Stoker	912 00	912 00
A. E. Skinner, Stoker	912 00	912 00
Total	\$6,568 50	\$6,568 50

Baiseley's Pumping Station.

W. A. Powers, Engineman-in-Charge	\$1,277 50	\$1,277 50
D. J. Powers, Engineman	1,277 50	1,277 50
G. W. Hawkins, Engineman	1,277 50	1,277 50
T. J. Sullivan, Stoker	912 00	912 00
J. Mahoney, Stoker	912 00	912 00
J. Kennedy, Oiler	912 00	912 00
Total	\$6,568 50	\$6,568 50

Jameco Pumping Station.

J. A. Smith, Engineman-in-Charge	\$1,277 50	\$1,350 00
T. Walsh, Engineman	1,277 50	1,277 50
J. H. Riston, Engineman	1,277 50	1,277 50
B. Carlin, Oiler	912 00	912 00
T. McCarthy, Stoker	912 00	912 00
J. J. Nolan, Stoker	912 00	912 00
R. Battle, Stoker	912 00	912 00
4 Laborers, \$2 per day	2,920 00	2,920 00
1 Inspector of Filters at \$1,200, half salary	600 00	
Total	\$10,400 50	\$11,073 00

Springfield Pumping Station.

M. O'Brien, Engineman-in-Charge	\$1,277 50	\$1,277 50
T. Ryan, Engineman	1,277 50	1,277 50
J. W. McDermott, Engineman	1,277 50	1,277 50
Oiler	912 00	912 00
F. McDonald, Oiler	912 00	912 00
R. J. Holden, Stoker	912 00	912 00
L. Faller	912 00	912 00
3 Laborers, \$2 per day	2,190 00	2,190 00
1 Inspector of Filters at \$1,200, half salary	600 00	
Total	\$8,758 50	\$10,270 50

Forest Stream Pumping Station.

William Tyler, Engineman-in-Charge	\$1,277 50	\$1,277 50
W. J. Cooper, Engineman	1,277 50	1,277 50
J. H. Tormey, Engineman	1,277 50	1,277 50
E. L. Mulry, Stoker	912 00	912 00
J. J. Murphy, Stoker	912 00	912 00
F. Zimmermann, Stoker	912 00	912 00
Total	\$6,568 50	\$6,568 50

Clear Stream Pumping Station.

J. D. Stewart, Engineer-in-Charge	\$1,277 50	\$1,277 50
W. H. Ryan, Engineer	1,277 50	1,277 50
E. H. Bell, Engineer	1,277 50	1,277 50
J. Flanagan, Stoker	912 00	912 00
J. Hill, Stoker	912 00	912 00
J. McGuinness, Stoker	912 00	912 00
Total	\$6,568 50	\$6,568 50

Watts Pond Pumping Station.

W. J. Thomas, Engineman-in-Charge	\$1,277 50	\$1,277 50
J. Grady, Engineman	1,277 50	1,277 50
P. Pray, Engineman	1,277 50	1,277 50
H. W. Fleming, Stoker	912 00	912 00
B. Dean, Stoker	912 00	912 00
J. Bookman, Stoker	912 00	912 00
Total	\$6,568 50	\$6,568 50

Smith's Pond Pumping Station.

Richard Dooley, Engineman-in-Charge	\$1,277 50	\$1,277 50
P. H. Kelly, Engineman	1,277 50	1,277 50
Engineman	1,277 50	1,277 50
D. Farley, Stoker	912 00	912 00
P. Dempsey, Stoker	912 00	912 00
Joseph L. Curley, Stoker	912 00	912 00
Total	\$5,291 00	\$6,568 50

Millburn Pumping Station.

John Cuthbert, Engineman-in-Charge	\$1,600 00	\$1,800 00
A. K. Merrill, Engineman	1,277 50	1,277 50
J. Faron, Engineman	1,277 50	1,277 50
W. B. Doyle, Engineman	1,277 50	1,277 50
G. Dooley, Engineman	1,277 50	1,277 50
T. Sheehan, Oiler	912 00	912 00
C. McConlough, Oiler	912 00	912 00
B. Kane, Oiler	912 00	912 00
W. Pettit, Oiler	912 00	912 00
Oiler	912 00	912 00
J. Cressfield, Stoker	912 00	912 00
A. J. Crawley, Stoker	912 00	912 00
W. Terry, Stoker	912 00	912 00
M. O. Hearn, Stoker	912 00	912 00
G. Story, Stoker	912 00	912 00
W. Johnson, Stoker	912 00	912 00
Six Laborers, \$2 per day	4,380 00	4,380 00
Total	\$20,210 00	\$21,322 00

Agawam Pumping Station.

Karl Kranz, Engineman-in-Charge	\$1,277 50	\$1,277 50
C. Connor, Engineman	1,277 50	1,277 50
B. J. Loonan, Stoker	912 00	912 00
A. Anderson, Stoker	912 00	912 00
One Laborer, \$2 per day	730 00	730 00
Total	\$5,109 00	\$5,109 00

Merrick Pumping Station.

W. H. Bowne, Engineman-in-Charge	\$1,277 50	\$1,277 50
S. Swindell, Engineman	1,277 50	1,277 50
Engineman	1,277 50	1,277 50
D. Carpenter, Stoker	912 00	912 00
M. Macknowich	912 00	912 00
One Laborer, \$2 per day	730 00	730 00
Total	\$5,109 00	\$5,109 00

Matowa Pumping Station.

W. E. Bowne, Engineman-in-Charge	\$1,277 50	\$1,277 50
P. Johnson, Engineman	1,277 50	1,277 50
D. Mott, Stoker	912 00	912 00
J. J. Gorman, Stoker	912 00	912 00
One Laborer, \$2 per day	730 00	730 00
Total	\$5,109 00	\$5,109 00

Wantagh Pumping Station.

W. L. Doncaster, Engineman-in-Charge	\$1,277 50	\$1,277 50

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MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES—MAINTENANCE AND REPAIRS.					
Engineer's Office—					
Supplies and contingencies		\$2,500 00			
Repairs to Buildings—					
Materials and supplies		7,500 00			
Repairs to, Cleaning of and Redriving Well Stations—					
Tools and materials		10,000 00			
Pumping Stations.					
Ridgewood Engine House—					
Materials and supplies		\$33,000 00			
New Lots Pumping Station—					
Materials and supplies		3,000 00			
Spring Creek—Old Plant—					
Materials and supplies		1,500 00			
Spring Creek—Temporary Plant—					
Materials and supplies		500 00			
Shetucket Pumping Station—					
Materials and supplies		500 00			
Ocnee Pumping Station—					
Materials and supplies		750 00			
Baiseley's Pumping Station—					
Materials and supplies		900 00			
Jameco Pumping Station—					
Materials and supplies		1,250 00			
Jameco Filter Plant—					
Materials and supplies		9,000 00			
Springfield Pumping Station—					
Materials and supplies		1,500 00			
Springfield Filter Plant—					
Materials and supplies		6,000 00			
Forest Stream Pumping Station—					
Materials and supplies		1,000 00			
Clear Stream Pumping Station—					
Materials and supplies		1,000 00			
Watts Pond Pumping Station—					
Materials and supplies		500 00			
Smith's Pond Pumping Station—					
Materials and supplies		1,000 00			
Millburn Pumping Station—					
Materials and supplies		6,000 00			
Agawam Pumping Station—					
Materials and supplies		1,000 00			
Merrick Pumping Station—					
Materials and supplies		1,000 00			
Matowa Pumping Station—					
Materials and supplies		1,000 00			
Wantagh Pumping Station—					
Materials and supplies		1,000 00			
Massapequa Pumping Station—					
Material and supplies		1,000 00			
Mount Prospect Pumping Station—					
Materials and supplies		16,000 00			
Gravesend Pumping Station—					
Materials and supplies		1,500 00			
New Utrecht Pumping Station—					
Materials and supplies		1,000 00			
Mount Prospect Reservoir—					
Materials and Supplies		1,500 00			
Ridgewood Reservoir—					
Materials and supplies		750 00			
Conduits and Reservoirs—					
Materials and supplies		\$7,000 00			
Cleaning ponds and streams, including extra teams, labor and supplies		10,000 00			
		17,000 00			
Coal, Taxes and Telephones—					
Coal		\$400,000 00			
Taxes		32,000 00			
Telephones		3,000 00			
Total		\$435,000 00			
Salaries.					
Maintenance and Repairs—					
Engineer's office		\$33,300 00			
Repairs to buildings		20,651 95			
Repairs to driven well stations		18,205 50			
Pumping stations		328,684 30			
Conduits and reservoirs		74,247 50			
Total salaries		\$475,089 25			
Supplies and Repairs.					
Maintenance and Repairs—					
Engineer's office		\$2,500 00			
Repairs to buildings		7,500 00			
Repairs to driven well stations		10,000 00			
Pumping stations		90,900 00			
Conduits and reservoirs		19,250 00			
Coal		400,000 00			
Taxes		32,000 00			
Telephone		3,000 00			
Total supplies and repairs		\$565,150 00			
Grand Total.					
Salaries		\$475,089 25			
Supplies and Repairs		565,150 00			
		\$1,040,239 25			
(Signed) I. M. DE VARONA, Chief Engineer.					
CITY OF NEW YORK—BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.					
DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY—BUREAU OF DISTRIBUTION AND REPAIRS.					
Estimate of Expenditures for Year 1904—Salary Account.					
Monthly Roll.	Present Salary.	Budget 1904.			
Robert Van Buren, Principal Assistant Engineer.....	\$2,250 00	\$2,250 00			
Henry Hawkes, Superintendent of Repairs.....	3,000 00	3,000 00			
Henry F. Blackwell, Electrical Engineer.....	2,400 00	2,400 00			
James A. Swane, Clerk.....	1,200 00	1,200 00			
Luke Freeman, Clerk.....	1,200 00	1,200 00			
James F. Kehoe, Clerk.....	1,200 00	1,200 00			
Anna T. McClean, Stenographer.....	1,000 00	1,000 00			
William H. Parshall, Messenger.....			\$ 900 00	\$ 900 00	
Messenger.....			1,200 00	1,200 00	
John J. Moore, Plumbing Inspector.....			1,200 00	1,200 00	
Edward Thompson, Inspector of Taps and Connections.....			1,000 00	1,000 00	
Edward Riley, Inspector of Taps and Connections.....			1,000 00	1,000 00	
James W. Lay, Inspector of Taps and Connections.....			1,000 00	1,000 00	
Thomas F. Mulligan, Inspector of Meters and Water Consumption.....			1,000 00	1,000 00	
Thomas J. Murray, Inspector of Meters and Water Consumption.....			1,000 00	1,000 00	
Edward P. Keelan, Inspector of Meters and Water Consumption.....			1,000 00	1,000 00	
John McEvoy, Inspector of Meters and Water Consumption.....			1,000 00	1,000 00	
Charles W. Hickson, Inspector of Meters and Water Consumption.....			1,000 00	1,000 00	
William R. Fleming, Foreman of W. D. R. Yard.....			1,500 00	1,500 00	
James Farrell, Keeper, Gowanus Yard.....			1,500 00	1,500 00	
Robert F. Perkins, Engineman.....			1,277 50	1,277 50	
John S. McLaughlin, Engineman.....			1,277 50	1,277 50	
Thomas Hamilton, Tapper.....			1,200 00	1,200 00	
John A. Melledy, Tapper.....			1,200 00	1,200 00	
George V. Mills, Tapper.....			1,200 00	1,200 00	
Samuel P. Babcock, Hostler.....			1,200 00	1,200 00	
Richard Byrnes, Oiler.....			912 00	912 00	
Edward Read, Oiler.....			912 00	912 00	
Mary Williamson, Cleaner.....			360 00	360 00	
Annie Wardle, Cleaner.....			360 00	360 00	
Maggie Dunsworth, Cleaner.....			360 00	360 00	
William H. Chadwick, Fireman.....			912 00	912 00	
William Donovan, Stoker.....			912 00	912 00	
Timothy Mulcahey, Blacksmith.....			1,200 00	1,200 00	
James J. Judge, Blacksmith's Helper.....			800 00	800 00	
Annie Connor, Laundress.....			360 00	360 00	
Report to Water Registrar—					
John E. Brannan, Inspector of Meters and Water Consumption.....			1,000 00	1,000 00	
John W. Kelly, Inspector of Meters and Water Consumption.....			1,000 00	1,000 00	
Joseph T. Kenny, Inspector of Meters and Water Consumption.....			1,000 00	1,000 00	
James F. Miniter, Inspector of Meters and Water Consumption.....			1,000 00	1,000 00	
Joseph F. Mahoney, Inspector of Meters and Water Consumption.....			1,000 00	1,000 00	
Louis J. Edling, Inspector of Meters and Water Consumption.....			1,000 00	1,000 00	
Alex. H. Duncomb, Inspector of Meters and Water Consumption.....			1,000 00	1,000 00	
Daniel O'Sullivan, Inspector of Meters and Water Consumption.....			1,000 00	1,000 00	
Henry Schmidt, Inspector of Meters and Water Consumption.....			1,000 00	1,000 00	
James W. Mahlon, Inspector of Meters and Water Consumption.....			1,000 00	1,000 00	
James Mehan, Inspector of Meters and Water Consumption.....			1,000 00	1,000 00	
John T. Campbell, Inspector of Meters and Water Consumption.....			1,000 00	1,000 00	
John G. Carson, Inspector of Meters and Water Consumption.....			1,000 00	1,000 00	
Edward J. McCarthy, Inspector of Meters and Water Consumption.....			1,000 00	1,000 00	
Frank A. Swanton, Inspector of Meters and Water Consumption.....			1,000 00	1,000 00	
Franklin E. Rickman, Inspector of Meters and Water Consumption.....			1,000 00	1,000 00	
Henry Pelletreau, Inspector of Meters and Water Consumption.....			1,000 00	1,000 00	
Charles H. Hauxhorst, Inspector of Meters and Water Consumption.....			1,000 00	1,000 00	
Joseph F. Ludlan, Inspector of Meters and Water Consumption.....			1,000 00	1,000 00	
Richard A. Kerr, Inspector of Meters and Water Consumption.....			1,000 00	1,000 00	
Severin Warschauer, Inspector of Meters and Water Consumption.....			1,000 00	1,000 00	
William Bryan, Inspector of Meters and Water Consumption.....			1,000 00	1,000 00	

John Holland, Pipe Calker, \$3 per day.....	\$1,095 00	\$1,095 00
John Smith, Pipe Calker, \$3 per day.....	1,095 00	1,095 00
John Carney, Pipe Calker, \$3 per day.....	1,095 00	1,095 00
Fred Bryon, Pipe Calker, \$3 per day.....	1,095 00	1,095 00
John Glass, Pipe Calker, \$3 per day.....	1,095 00	1,095 00
John Kirwin, Pipe Calker, \$3 per day.....	1,095 00	1,095 00
John M. Bertron, Pipe Calker, \$3 per day.....	1,095 00	1,095 00
Patrick Monahan, Pipe Calker, \$3 per day.....	1,095 00	1,095 00
George S. Bertron, Pipe Calker, \$3 per day.....	1,095 00	1,095 00
Thos. S. Redmayne, Pipe Calker, \$3 per day.....	1,095 00	1,095 00
George Stumpf, Pipe Calker, \$3 per day.....	1,095 00	1,095 00
Richard B. Williams, Pipe Calker, \$3 per day.....	1,095 00	1,095 00
Chas. McDonough, Pipe Calker, \$3 per day.....	1,095 00	1,095 00
Michael Hannigan, Pipe Calker, \$3 per day.....	1,095 00	1,095 00
(Vacant), Pipe Calker.....	1,095 00	1,095 00
(Vacant), Pipe Calker.....	1,095 00	1,095 00
Jos. F. L. Hartig, Machinist, \$3 per day.....	939 00	939 00
L. D. Ressiguie, Machinist, \$3 per day.....	939 00	939 00
Louis DuFlon, Machinist's Helper, \$2.50 per day.....	782 50	782 50
James Kiernan, Machinist's Helper, \$2.50 per day.....	782 50	782 50
Geo. E. Kerrigan, Machinist's Helper, \$2.50 per day.....	782 50	782 50
Garrett F. Shevlin, Machinist's Helper, \$2.50 per day.....	782 50	782 50
Thos. P. Wilson, Machinist's Helper, \$2.50 per day.....	782 50	782 50
John Curran, Machinist's Apprentice, \$2 per day.....	626 00	626 00
Edward J. Harnett, Measurer, \$2.50 per day.....	782 50	782 50
William Fitzpatrick, Watchman, \$2.50 per day.....	912 50	912 50
William F. Barrett, Watchman, \$2.50 per day.....	912 50	912 50
Abraham Van Allen, Watchman, \$2.50 per day.....	912 50	912 50
John Veen, Watchman, \$2.50 per day.....	912 50	912 50
Joseph T. Schiedecker, Watchman, \$2.50 per day.....	912 50	912 50
Thomas Donnelly, Stableman, \$2.50 per day.....	912 50	912 50
Michael Maloney, Stableman, \$2.50 per day.....	912 50	912 50
Lawrence Head, Stableman, \$2.50 per day.....	912 50	912 50
Maurice Ephraim, Stableman, \$2.50 per day.....	912 50	912 50
Thomas Sheehan, Stableman, \$2.50 per day.....	912 50	912 50
John Geraghty, Stableman, \$2.50 per day.....	912 50	912 50
Daniel McCarthy, Stableman, \$2.50 per day.....	912 50	912 50
Richard Clarke, Driver, \$2.50 per day.....	912 50	912 50
Thomas R. Donald, Driver, \$2.50 per day.....	912 50	912 50
John T. Brennan, Driver, \$2.50 per day.....	912 50	912 50
Chauncey Cockefair, Driver, \$2.50 per day.....	912 50	912 50
Thomas Melddy, Driver, \$2.50 per day.....	912 50	912 50
James Murtagh, Driver, \$2.50 per day.....	912 50	912 50
Thomas Bolling, Driver, \$2.50 per day.....	912 50	912 50
Patrick Burns, Driver, \$2.50 per day.....	912 50	912 50
John Whalen, Driver, \$2.50 per day.....	912 50	912 50
Frederick Weitzel, Driver, \$2.50 per day.....	912 50	912 50
Hugh Kenny, Driver, \$2.50 per day.....	912 50	912 50
Dennis Egan, Driver, \$2.50 per day.....	912 50	912 50
Daniel F. Sullivan, Driver, \$2.50 per day.....	912 50	912 50
John F. Tighe, Driver, \$2.50 per day.....	912 50	912 50
Edmund F. Butler, Driver, \$2.50 per day.....	912 50	912 50
Eight Laborers at \$2.50 per day.....	7,300 00	7,300 00
Four Laborers at \$2.25 per day.....	3,285 00	3,285 00
Seventy-three Laborers at \$2 per day.....	53,290 00	53,290 00

Weekly Total..... \$157,846 50
Monthly Total..... 64,243 00
Grand Total..... \$222,089 50

Special Castings, Pipe, Etc.

5 lengths 48-inch pipe, 8,200 pounds each.....	20.5 tons,
5 lengths 36-inch pipe, 4,860 pounds each.....	12.15 tons,
20 lengths 30-inch pipe, 4,160 pounds each.....	41.6 tons,
800 lengths 8-inch pipe, 660 pounds each.....	264 tons,
800 lengths 6-inch pipe, 460 pounds each.....	184 tons,
500 lengths 4-inch pipe, 260 pounds each.....	65 tons,

587.25 tons, at \$30 per ton, \$17,617 50

25 6-inch offsets—Offset 12 inches, 128 pounds each.....	1.60 tons,
25 6-inch offsets—Offset 18 inches, 154 pounds each.....	1.92 tons,
20 20-inch offsets—Offset 24 inches, 970 pounds each.....	.97 tons,
12 12 x 6, 3-way branches, 440 pounds each.....	2.64 tons,
6 12 x 6, 4-way branches, 500 pounds each.....	1.50 tons,
20 6 x 4, 3-way branches, 184 pounds each.....	1.84 tons,

10.47 tons, at \$50 per ton, \$500 00

150 6-inch fire hydrants, at \$28 each.....	
50 4-inch fire hydrants, at \$28 each.....	
6 10x6 Patent Sleeves and Gates, at \$36 each.....	
6 8x6 Patent Sleeves and Gates, at \$30.66 each.....	
5 tons calking lead, at 5 1/4 cents per pound.....	
3,000 pounds calking yarn, at 6 1/2 cents per pound.....	
Repairing and replacing fire hydrants.....	
Repairing and replacing drinking hydrants.....	
Repairing and replacing gates.....	
Repairing buildings.....	
Tools and general supplies.....	
Taps.....	
General repairs to distribution.....	
Telephone, gas and electric lights.....	
Horses, feed, etc.....	
Repairs to wagons, harness, etc.....	
Fuel.....	
Rent for Twenty-sixth Ward Repair Shop.....	
Contingencies.....	

Total..... \$52,960 96

Salary account.....	\$222,089 50
Special Castings, pipe, etc.....	52,960 96
Total.....	\$275,050 46

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY—BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

ESTIMATE OF AMOUNTS REQUIRED FROM WATER REVENUE FOR SALARIES FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1904.

Office of Supplies and Accounts.

	Present Salary.	Budget, 1904.
John J. Flannery, Clerk.....	\$1,350 00	\$1,350 00
George J. Kluepfel, Clerk.....	2,000 00	2,000 00
Frederick E. Haskins, Clerk.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
William R. Johnson, Clerk.....	1,200 00	1,200 00

William Kingman, Clerk.....	\$1,050 00	\$1,050 00
Charles J. McCarthy, Junior Clerk.....	600 00	600 00
James A. Starrs, Junior Clerk.....	600 00	600 00
Herbert N. Lathrop, Junior Clerk.....	600 00	600 00
William A. Welwood, Inspector of Supplies.....	1,350 00	1,350 00
Gertrude N. Dyett, Stenographer.....	900 00	900 00
Total.....	\$10,850 00	\$10,850 00

Office of Water Registrar.

	Present Salary.	Budget, 1904.
Vacant, Clerk.....	.....	\$1,200 00
John F. Denny, Messenger.....	\$1,200 00	1,200 00
Edwin Springsteen, Inspector of Meters and Water Consumption.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Charles H. Ramsden, Inspector of Meters and Water Consumption.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
John W. Kelly, Inspector of Meters and Water Consumption.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Oscar Knapp, Inspector of Meters and Water Consumption.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
John H. Boyd, Inspector of Meters and Water Consumption.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Richard S. Seckerson, Inspector of Meters and Water Consumption.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
W. Atwood French, Inspector of Meters and Water Consumption.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Joseph I. Stone, Inspector of Meters and Water Consumption.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Arthur T. Palmer, Inspector of Meters and Water Consumption.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Robert Bowe, Inspector of Meters and Water Consumption.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Clifford D. Guertin, Inspector of Meters and Water Consumption.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Oscar W. Fulcher, Inspector of Meters and Water Consumption.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
John A. Ebel, Inspector of Meters and Water Consumption.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Henry M. Mulredy, Inspector of Meters and Water Consumption.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Albert Clements, Inspector of Meters and Water Consumption.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Richard S. Walsh, Inspector of Meters and Water Consumption.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
Four, at \$1,000, Inspectors of Meters and Water Consumption.....	.....	4,000 00
Total.....		\$17,200 00 \$22,400 00

The following was offered:

Whereas, By subdivision 1 of section 242 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment has the power to appropriate from time to time, for the maintenance, improvement and extension of the system of water supply of the Borough of Brooklyn, the moneys received from water rents in the said borough, subject, however, to the charges now imposed by law upon said revenues; and

Whereas, The Commissioner of

THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE—COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
February 1, 1904.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller:

SIR—Hon. John McGaw Woodbury, Commissioner Department of Street Cleaning, in communication under date of January 23, 1904, to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, transmits form of bid and estimate, blank contract and specifications, in triplicate, approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel, of a proposed contract for the purchase of 200 can and bag carriers for the use of the Department of Street Cleaning in the Borough of Brooklyn, in order that the Board may adopt a resolution, pursuant to section 1554, in relation to same, which are patented articles, I would report:

That the specifications describe in detail the different designs of can and bag carriers, and I think the Board of Estimate and Apportionment may properly adopt the form of resolution, submitted by the Commissioner, which has been approved by the Corporation Counsel.

Respectfully,
EUG. E. MCLEAN, Engineer.

The following was offered:

Whereas, The Commissioner of Street Cleaning has presented to this Board a form of "proposal for bids or estimates, bid or estimate, bond, contract and specifications" for furnishing combination can and bag carriers, pursuant to section 1554 of the Greater New York Charter, for the use of the Department of Street Cleaning; and

Whereas, It is provided in the specifications annexed to said contract as follows: "The bidder may, at his option, furnish the said combination can and bag carriers to be constructed according to one of the specifications separately designated herein as Specification No. 1, Specification No. 2, Specification No. 3, Specification No. 4 and Specification No. 5"; and

Whereas, The said Specifications Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4 separately describe the said combination can and bag carrier in detail, the can and bag carriers described by Specifications Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4 being patented can and bag carriers; Specification No. 1 involving patents owned or controlled by Thomas Hill, Specification No. 2 involving patents owned or controlled by the Sahdbolt Manufacturing Company, Specification No. 3 involving patents owned or controlled by the Schildwachter Carriage Company, Specification No. 4 involving patents owned or controlled by the American Road Roller Company, and Specification No. 5 being for an unpatented can and bag carrier;

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Street Cleaning be and is hereby authorized to advertise for bids for furnishing combination can and bag carriers for the use of the Department of Street Cleaning, in accordance with the said form of proposals for bids or estimates, bid or estimate, bond, contract and specifications, this Board being of the opinion that the conditions set forth in the said form of contract and specifications will secure a fair and reasonable opportunity for competition between the combination can and bag carriers described in Specifications Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4 and other can and bag carriers, and accordingly this Board prescribes that the conditions set forth in said form for "proposals for bids or estimates, bid or estimate, bond, contract and specifications" shall be the conditions under which the patented combination can and bag carriers shall be advertised for; and

Resolved, further, That a copy of said form for "proposals for bids or estimates, bid or estimate, bond, contract and specifications" as presented to this Board be annexed and form a part of this resolution.

Note—All papers referred to are made part of the aforesaid resolution.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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 Secretary presented a petition from the Hostlers employed in the Police Department, urging the Board to make such an allowance in the appropriation to the Police Department as will justify the Commissioner in compensating them at the rate of \$2.50 per day.

Referred to the Mayor for submission to the Commissioner of Accounts for a comparative statement of salaries paid for similar positions in public and private corporations.

The Secretary presented the following communication from the former Register of Kings County, relative to discharging mortgages and the compensation for same, in accordance with the provision of chapter 621, Laws of 1903, together with a communication from the Auditor of Accounts, Department of Finance, relative thereto:

THE KINGS COUNTY REGISTER,
HALL OF RECORDS, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN,
NEW YORK CITY, January 2, 1904.

Hon. Board of Estimate and Apportionment, New York City:

GENTLEMEN—Pursuant to the provision of chapter 621, Laws of 1903, I have commenced the work of discharging mortgages, certifying to conveyances and other papers of record filed for record during my term of office.

I am unable to say how long a time will be required for the work, and can only judge by the experience of my predecessors. Mr. Howe did not finish his work in this office until about the middle of March, and I am advised that Mr. Haggerty required an even longer time than this.

In face of the fact that they had the advantage of fees and the opportunity to add to the force and work overtime, payment for which was made from the fees retained under the old system, the business of the office during the past year has been far in excess of any previous year, with the additional handicap of extensive alterations being made to the rooms in which we were conducting business. We have discharged all mortgages and signed all conveyances and other instruments that were ready for us up to the close of our term. This aggregated some 80,000 instruments, and there still remain some 16,000 instruments. The work involves the assortment and arrangement in regular order of various instruments recorded in this office, the removal from the racks of several thousand libers, placing them upon the desks, opening to the pages where instruments are recorded, comparing the instruments with the record, signing the same and returning them to their proper places.

The manual labor alone requiring the assistance of possibly two men, I would be pleased to learn what in your judgment is the best course to pursue—i. e., go on with the work and present a charge at its completion, or to have some understanding regarding the compensation in advance.

Very truly,
JOHN K. NEAL.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE—COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
January 13, 1904.

JAMES W. STEVENSON, Esq., Deputy Comptroller:

SIR—In the matter of the communication, dated January 2, 1904, of Hon. John K. Neal, former Register of the County of Kings, I desire to say that chapter 621 of the Laws of 1903, referred to therein, a copy of which I transmit herewith, provides that after the expiration of the term of office of the Register of Kings County he shall

discharge all mortgages and certify to all conveyances and other papers of record filed during his term, and that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment shall determine the compensation for such services, and make provision for the payment thereof. Said act took effect May 15, 1903.

Concerning Mr. Neal's inquiry whether compensation for the work should be determined upon in advance, it would seem to me that the Board of Estimate, after inquiring into the facts, should make provision for the employment of a number of assistants, to be determined upon for a period to be fixed, at rates of compensation to be limited in its resolution.

Respectfully,
JAMES F. MCKINNEY, Auditor of Accounts.

Chapter 621, Laws 1903, Amending Chapter 706, Laws 1901.

Adding Section 11—It shall be the duty of the register, after the close of his term, to discharge all mortgages and to certify to conveyances and all other papers of record filed for record during his term; and the board of estimate and apportionment shall determine the compensation for such services and shall make provision for the payment of the same.

Took effect May 15, 1903.

THE KINGS COUNTY REGISTER,
HALL OF RECORDS, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN,
NEW YORK CITY, January 27, 1904.

Hon. JAMES W. STEVENSON, Deputy Comptroller, New York City:

DEAR SIR—Relying to your communication of the 23d instant, regarding the work to be done by me under the provisions of chapter 621, Laws of 1903, I beg to say that I have been steadily employed at this work since January 1, 1904, and from present indications it will not be earlier than April 1 before I can finish. There were on January 1 13,349 mortgages, deeds and conveyances in process of work, and 2,780 satisfactions, making a total of 16,129 instruments requiring my certification.

There is a steady demand for the deeds and conveyances from the people who filed them and paid to have them recorded, and I am disposing of the papers as rapidly as they reach me, which is at the rate of about 1,200 per week, my experience in this being the same as my predecessors', they having the advantage of the fee system, which enabled them to add to the force and have the men work overtime toward the close of their term.

The method of doing the work in this office is, briefly, as follows: Papers are filed in the office at the rate of 1,500 to 2,000 per week. They are first handed to the Deputy, who determines the cost and collects the fee. They then pass to the Entry Clerk, then to the Tickler Clerk; at the end of the day the Entry and Tickler Clerks' sheets are made to agree with the amount received. The following morning they are sent to the Block Index Department, where they are numbered according to block and section, and abstracts made from them. They then reach the Expert Clerk, who examines them closely for errors of description and location.

They are then sent to the Chief of Copyists, who divides them up into the several sections, and they are given to the copyists to enter into the libers. After this is done they are sent to the Comparing Department, and from there to the Current Indexing Department. They are then ready to receive the seal of the office and be signed by the Register.

I have two men assisting me in the work, one of whom arranges the satisfactions in the various sections, selects the libers from the cases, places them upon the desk, opens to the pages upon which are the mortgages to be satisfied. The other reads from the documents enough to satisfy me that it is the proper instrument, before I sign it. The satisfactions are then bundled up and filed away, and the libers restored to their proper places. This work is done in the early part of the day, the latter part being taken up in signing deeds, conveyances, etc.

The work practically engages the whole of my time. I estimate the cost of completing this work at two thousand five hundred dollars—two thousand dollars for my own services and five hundred for my help.

Very truly,

JOHN K. NEAL, Register, Term of 1902 and 1903.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 621 of the Laws of 1903, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby determines that the sum of twenty-five hundred dollars (\$2,500) be and the same is hereby allowed to (John K. Neal) the former Register of Kings County as compensation for services performed and to be performed after his term of office, in the discharge of all mortgages and certification of conveyances and all other papers of record filed for record during his term of office, and the Comptroller of The City of New York is hereby authorized, after the completion of said work, to pay therefor the said sum of twenty-five hundred dollars (\$2,500), which said sum is hereby made a charge against the County of Kings.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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 Secretary presented the following communication from the Commissioner of Corrections, requesting the transfer of \$10,000 to "Salaries, Borough of Manhattan":

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NO. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET,
NEW YORK, February 2, 1904.

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

DEAR SIR—I would respectfully ask permission from your Honorable Board to make the following transfers of appropriations:

From the appropriations made to this Department, entitled

"Supplies"	\$5,000 00
"Alterations, Additions and Repairs"	5,000 00
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	\$10,000 00

—to the appropriation entitled "Salaries, 1904," which is insufficient for the purposes thereof. Both appropriations being for the Borough of Manhattan and for the current year.

Very respectfully yours,

FRANCIS J. LANTRY, Commissioner.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the sum of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) be and the same is hereby transferred from the following appropriations made to the Department of Correction for the year 1904, entitled and as follows:

"Supplies and Contingencies—Borough of Manhattan"	\$5,000 00
"Alterations, Repairs and Improvement of Buildings, Apparatus and Steamboats—Borough of Manhattan"	5,000 00
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	\$10,000 00

—the same being in excess of the amounts required for the purposes thereof, to the appropriation made to said Department for 1904, entitled "Salaries—Borough of Manhattan," the amount of said appropriation being insufficient.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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 Secretary presented the following resolution of the Board of Aldermen, requesting an issue of \$15,000 Revenue Bonds, for the purpose of repairing and redecorating the City Hall; together with communications from the Superintendent of Public Buildings and Offices relative thereto:

IN THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds in the amount of fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000), for the purpose of repairing and redecorating the City Hall.

Unanimously adopted by the Board of Aldermen January 12, 1904, three-fourths of all the members elected voting in favor thereof.

Approved by the Mayor January 20, 1904.

P. J. SCULLY, Clerk.

CITY OF NEW YORK—PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
OFFICES OF THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS,
NEW YORK, January 14, 1904.

Hon. JOHN F. AHEARN, President of the Borough of Manhattan:

DEAR SIR—I beg to report in relation to the repairs necessary at the City Hall Building that I have carefully examined the various rooms and the roof, leaders, etc., in this building, and would recommend that the following work be performed:

Roof and leaders should be repaired and the leaders properly connected. Connect the leaders with sewer. These leaders at present drain into cesspools. There are eight all told. This defective drainage is the cause of the dampness in the basement of the building. The cesspools often fill and the stagnant water is forced back through the pipes and causes continual damage to the leaders, walls, etc., and makes constant repairing necessary.

Governor's Room.

There are several changes to be made in this room. The plastering is in need of repair. There is also a great deal of carpentering to be done in changing windows, woodwork, etc. The room should be painted and decorated throughout.

Aldermanic Committee Room.

This room is in need of cleaning and painting throughout, and repairs should be made to the plastering.

Office of the City Record.

Plastering should be repaired, the offices painted throughout, and all necessary carpentering done to finish and complete the office of the City Record.

Incidental repairs will be necessary throughout the building, all of which will cost approximately from \$12,000 to \$15,000.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM H. WALKER,
Superintendent of Public Buildings and Offices.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of and concurs in the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted January 12, 1904, and approved by the Mayor January 20, 1904, in relation to the expenditure of fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000) for the purpose of repairing and redecorating the City Hall, and that for the purpose of providing means therefor the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized, pursuant to the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, to issue Special Revenue Bonds of The City of New York to the amount of fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000), redeemable from the tax levy of the year succeeding the year of their issue.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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 Board adjourned to meet Friday, February 19, 1904, at 10:30 A. M.
J. W. STEVENSON, Secretary.

APPROVED PAPERS.

FOR THE WEEK ENDING FEBRUARY 13, 1904.

No. 45.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to storekeepers, hucksters and peddlers to stand on the sidewalk and in the carriageway near the curb, on the streets and thoroughfares of The City of New York, for the sale of their wares on account of the Jewish holidays, provided the consent of the property-owners thereto shall have been first obtained, and a free passageway be kept on the sidewalk for all pedestrians, and on the carriageway for all vehicles, such permission to continue only from March 10 to April 1, 1904, inclusive, and the ordinance or ordinances conflicting with the foregoing provisions are hereby suspended for the period of time above mentioned.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 26, 1904.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, February 9, 1904, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of The Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 46.

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

George W. Mercer, No. 2137 Seventh avenue, Manhattan.

William F. A. Kurz, No. 674 East One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, The Bronx.

Sigmund S. Rotter, No. 302 Broadway, Manhattan.

William W. Bross, No. 337 East One Hundred and Eighteenth street, Manhattan.

Louis H. Schneider, No. 1097 Madison street, Brooklyn.

Jacob Marks, No. 1406 Broadway, Brooklyn.

Joseph A. Lauby, No. 372 South Third street, Brooklyn.

David Jacobs, No. 204 Sands street, Brooklyn.

Walter R. Barnard, No. 186 Remsen street, Brooklyn.

David Jones, Cebrie Park, Westchester.

Robert McCabe, No. 361 West Forty-ninth street, Manhattan.

William J. Barry, No. 211 East Fifty-eighth street, Manhattan.

George Biden, No. 1465 Amsterdam avenue, Manhattan.

James J. Seeley, No. 325 West One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, Manhattan.

John J. Walker, No. 95 Clymer street, Brooklyn.

Charles Heutschel, Jr., No. 26 Court street, Brooklyn.

Carson G. Archibald, No. 212 Ninth avenue, Manhattan.

Peter Du Bois, No. 705 East One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, The Bronx.

John J. Carey, No. 630 East One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, The Bronx.

Albert Palmy, No. 261 Weirfield street, Brooklyn.

William T. Welch, Garfield Building, No. 26 Court street, Brooklyn.

John A. Miller, No. 373 Sixth avenue, Brooklyn.

Frederick C. Wizelns, No. 376 Degraw street, Brooklyn.

Sherwood Hawkins, No. 350 Fulton street, Brooklyn.

Charles Albert Slade, No. 520 Quincy street, Brooklyn.

Charles Forst, No. 225 West One Hundred and Forty-third street, Manhattan.

H. R. Hanlan, No. 297 South First street, Brooklyn.

Fred C. Mezger, No. 348 Marcy avenue, Brooklyn.

Ethel Schleimer, Nos. 13 and 21 Park row, Manhattan.

E. M. Friedman, No. 270 East Houston street, Manhattan.

Daniel F. McCourt, southeast corner Prospect avenue and One Hundred and Eighty-first street, The Bronx.

Maude Perry, No. 1061 St. Marks avenue, Brooklyn.

Chauncey B. Graham, No. 34 Nassau street, Manhattan.

Michael F. Hennessey, No. 50 Strong place, Brooklyn.

Henry J. Comaskey, Jr., No. 577 Broome street, Manhattan.

P. T. McGlynn, No. 2178 Eighth avenue, Manhattan.

D. Charles Campbell, No. 317 Myrtle avenue, Brooklyn.

J. A. Toland, No. 59 Union Hall street, Queens, Jamaica.

John C. Hollsberry, Napier place, Richmond Hill, Queens.

Louis Miller, No. 100 Clinton avenue, Jamaica, Queens.

George R. Remson, No. 25 Liberty street, Jamaica, Queens.

Vincent Massa, Oceanic walk, Surf avenue, Coney Island.

Irving I. Kremer, No. 320 Broadway, Manhattan.

Julius Cohen, No. 220 Broadway, Manhattan.

Samuel Plumer, No. 586 Second avenue, Manhattan.

Alfred Gaskell, No. 80 Ainslie street, Brooklyn.

Robert R. Maddock, No. 65 West Twelfth street, Manhattan.

Edwin W. Doyle, No. 175 Amity street, Brooklyn.

Philip Siff, No. 197 Clinton street, Manhattan.

Oscar Hammann, No. 190 Berkeley place, Brooklyn.

Harry B. Clapp, No. 213 Montague street, Brooklyn.

John H. Kelly, No. 158 Nevins street, Brooklyn.

Lewis C. Grover, No. 457 State street, Brooklyn.

G. S. Alexander, No. 122 West Forty-ninth street, Manhattan.

Maxwell S. Mannes, No. 124 West Forty-ninth street (Bristol Hotel), Manhattan.

B. F. Porter, No. 524 East Eighty-seventh street, Manhattan.

William T. Bernhart, Third street, Williamsbridge, The Bronx.

Herman R. Dohm, Third street, Williamsbridge, The Bronx.

J. W. Specht, Tottenville, Richmond.

William J. Cunniff, No. 48 Madison street, Manhattan.

Daniel Sherry, No. 165 St. Hall place, The Bronx.

Abraham Abramson, No. 259 Broome street, Manhattan.

Samuel J. Weitzner, No. 318 East Fifth street, Manhattan.

Reginald Messenger Gignoux, No. 41 East Seventy-fifth street, Manhattan.

W. Holden Weeks, No. 39 Liberty street, Manhattan.

James Ball, No. 285 Hicks street, Brooklyn.

E. R. Estes, No. 53 Degraw street, Brooklyn.

Louis Bartel, No. 7 Henry street, Brooklyn (Flatbush).

D. W. Sullivan, No. 106 Prospect Park West, Brooklyn.

Joseph H. Lecour, Jr., No. 433 Monroe street, Brooklyn.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 9, 1904.

No. 47.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of four hundred and fifteen thousand dollars (\$415,000) to provide means for the acquisition of a site and erection of building for use as quarters of Engine Company 7 and Hook and Ladder Company 1, and also for a fuel depot.

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

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

"Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment on November 20, 1903, adopted a resolution, subject to the concurrence of the Board of Aldermen, authorizing the issue of Corporate Stock to an amount not exceeding four hundred and fifteen thousand dollars (\$415,000) to provide means for the acquisition of a site and erection of building for use as quarters of Engine Company 7 and Hook and Ladder Company 1, and also for a fuel depot, and

"Whereas, The Board of Aldermen failed to take action thereon before the expiration of the term of office of the old Board of Aldermen; therefore be it

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York, to an amount not exceeding four hundred and fifteen thousand dollars (\$415,000) to provide means for the acquisition of a site and erection of building for use as quarters of Engine Company 7 and Hook and Ladder Company 1, and also for a fuel depot, and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen the Comptroller is authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding four hundred and fifteen thousand dollars (\$415,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid."

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 2, 1904.

Approved by the Mayor, February 10, 1904.

No. 48.

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment January 15, 1904:

"Resolved, That, subject to the concurrence and approval of the Board of Aldermen, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby ratifies and confirms the action of the President of the Borough of The Bronx in fixing the salary of the position of Lineman in the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx at the rate of twelve hundred dollars (\$1,200) per annum as of date January 1, 1904."

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 2, 1904.

Approved by the Mayor, February 10, 1904.

No. 49.

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment January 15, 1904:

"Resolved, That, subject to the concurrence and approval of the Board of Aldermen, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment ratifies and confirms the action of the President of the Borough of Manhattan in fixing the salary of the position of Telephone Operator in the office of said Borough President at the rate of four hundred and fifty dollars (\$450) per annum, as of date December 22, 1903."

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 2, 1904.

Approved by the Mayor, February 10, 1904.

No. 50.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment approved of and concurred in the resolution of this Board adopted November 17, 1903, and approved by the Mayor November 30, 1903, in relation to an appropriation to be applied to the perfection and the carrying out of the plans for a suitable exhibit of The City of New York at the Louisiana Purchase Exposition, and for the purpose of providing means therefor, the Comptroller was authorized, pursuant to the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, to issue Special Revenue Bonds of The City of New York to the amount of ten thousand five hundred dollars (\$10,500), redeemable from the tax levy of the year succeeding the year of their issue; and

Whereas, Pursuant to said resolution of the Board adopted November 17, 1903, and approved by the Mayor November 30, 1903, his Honor the Mayor assigned the entire amount of the said ten thousand five hundred dollars (\$10,500) to the following departments in the sums named:

To the Department of Health..... \$2,500 00
To the Department of Public Charities..... 3,000 00
To the Tenement House Department..... 5,000 00

— and Whereas, The sum of twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000) will be required in addition to the amount heretofore authorized by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for the purpose of preparing and carrying out said plans for a suitable exhibit by The City of New York at the said Louisiana Purchase Exposition; be it</p

applied to the perfection and the carrying out of plans for a suitable exhibit of The City of New York at the Louisiana Exposition to be held at St. Louis, Mo.
Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 2, 1904.
Approved by the Mayor, February 10, 1904.

No. 51.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested in pursuance of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the amended Charter of the Greater New York, to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of eight hundred dollars (\$800), for the purpose of defraying expenses of the Andrew H. Green memorial services; the said request having been made by resolution of the Board of Aldermen adopted December 22, 1903, and approved by the Mayor, December 29, 1903, but failed of consideration by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 2, 1904.
Approved by the Mayor, February 10, 1904.

No. 52.

Resolved, That, pursuant to subdivision 8 of section 188 of the amended Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of two thousand six hundred and fifty dollars (\$2,650), for the purpose of defraying the cost of painting the portrait of the late Hon. Andrew H. Green; the said request having been made by resolution of the Board of Aldermen adopted December 22, 1903, and approved by the Mayor December 29, 1903, but failed of consideration by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 2, 1904.
Approved by the Mayor, February 10, 1904.

No. 53.

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolutions adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment January 29, 1904:

"Resolved, That the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment at meeting held January 22, 1904:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, that the salaries of the following position in the County Clerk's Office, New York County, be fixed as follows:

	Per Annum.
General Clerk	\$2,400 00
General Clerk	2,000 00
General Clerk	1,600 00
General Clerk	1,400 00
General Clerk	1,200 00

—be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Resolved, That, subject to the concurrence and approval of the Board of Aldermen, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby ratifies and confirms the action of the County Clerk of the County of New York in fixing the salaries of the following position in his office, as follows:

	Per Annum.
General Clerk	\$2,400 00
General Clerk	2,000 00
General Clerk	1,600 00
General Clerk	1,400 00
General Clerk	1,200 00

—as of January 1, 1904.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 2, 1904.

Approved by the Mayor, February 10, 1904.

No. 54.

Resolved, That for the purpose of defraying the incidental expenses attending the perfecting and carrying out of the plans for a suitable exhibit of The City of New York at the Louisiana Purchase Exposition the Commissioner representing The City of New York to the said Exposition may by requisition draw upon the Comptroller for a sum not exceeding one thousand dollars (\$1,000). The Commissioner may in like manner renew the draft as often as he may deem necessary, to the extent of the funds provided for the purpose of said exhibit, but no such renewal shall be made until the money paid on the preceding draft shall be accounted for to the Comptroller by the transmittal of a voucher or vouchers certified by the Commissioner covering the expenditures paid thereon.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 2, 1904.

Approved by the Mayor, February 10, 1904.

No. 55.

Resolved, That Emile Vallance, of No. 1012 East One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street, Borough of The Bronx, be and he is hereby appointed a City Surveyor.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 2, 1904.

Approved by the Mayor, February 10, 1904.

No. 56.

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby authorized to furnish each new member of the Board of Aldermen a copy of the Greater New York Charter, with the amendments thereto.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 2, 1904.

Approved by the Mayor, February 10, 1904.

No. 57.

Whereas, It appears by a communication from the Fire Commissioner to this Board, dated December 10, 1903, that he is advised by the officer in charge of the making of extensive repairs and alterations to the fireboat "Seth Low," of the Fire Department of The City of New York, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, under contract dated August 5, 1903, that certain additional work will be indispensably necessary in connection therewith; and

Whereas, It would be in the interest of the Department and The City of New York to have the additional work performed by the present contractor, to avoid delay, therefore

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000), the proceeds thereof to be applied to the expense of placing the fireboat "Seth Low" in condition for service.

Resolved, further, That this Board, in pursuance of the authority conferred upon it by the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, deeming such course to be for the best interests of the City, hereby authorizes and empowers the Fire Commissioner to have such additional work done without contract at public letting and by the present contractor, the total expenditure therefor not to exceed the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000).

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 2, 1904.

Approved by the Mayor, February 10, 1904.

No. 58.

Resolved, That the President of the Borough of Manhattan be and he is hereby authorized and requested to change the name of Columbus avenue, from the north side of One Hundred and Twenty-third street north to the commencement of Convent avenue, at or about One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, to the name of Morningside avenue, and to renumber the houses on the portion so changed to conform to the said change.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 2, 1904.

Approved by the Mayor, February 10, 1904.

No. 59.

Resolved, That it is recommended to the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity that two lamp posts be erected, street lamps placed thereon, and the same lighted, in front of the Roman Catholic Church of Our Lady of Guadalupe, No. 229 West Fourteenth street, in the Borough of Manhattan.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 2, 1904.

Approved by the Mayor, February 10, 1904.

No. 60.

Whereas, Saturday, February 13, 1904, is a half-holiday, immediately following Friday, February 12, 1904 (Lincoln's Birthday), and

Whereas, Many people are desirous of leaving town and do leave on the Thursday evening preceding the dates above given and remain away until the Monday morning following, therefore be it

Resolved, That the heads of the several departments of the government of The City of New York be and they are hereby requested to close their offices on Saturday, February 13, 1904, and all other offices not by law required to be kept open for public business to be kept closed on the said day.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 9, 1904.

Approved by the Mayor, February 10, 1904.

No. 61.

Resolved, That pursuant to subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of seventy thousand dollars (\$70,000) for the purpose of improving the sanitary condition of the City Prison and for new boiler house, and boilers for the workhouse on Blackwell's Island.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 2, 1904.

Approved by the Mayor, February 11, 1904.

P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATORY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

Abstract of Registers from Self-recording Instruments for the Week ending January 30, 1904.

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

BAROMETER.

DATE.	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	MEAN FOR THE DAY	MAXIMUM.		MINIMUM.	
					Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.
Sunday, 24	29.888	29.900	30.014	29.934	30.124	12 P.M.	29.800	4 A.M.
Monday, 25	30.330	30.352	30.360	30.347	30.410	10 A.M.	30.024	0 A.M.
Tuesday, 26	30.200	29.964	29.766	29.995	30.350	0 A.M.	29.726	7 P.M.
Wednesday, 27	30.008	30.136	30.350	30.165	30.400	12 P.M.	29.794	0 A.M.
Thursday, 28	30.474	30.412	30.314	30.407	30.512	10 A.M.	30.254	12 P.M.
Friday, 29	30.070	30.004	29.904	30.015	30.254	0 A.M.	29.948	12 P.M.
Saturday, 30	30.024	30.046	30.074	30.045	30.100	10 A.M.	29.948	0 A.M.

Mean for the week 30.129 inches.
Maximum " at 10 A.M., January 28 30.512 "
Minimum " at 7 P.M., January 26 29.726 "
Range "786 "

THERMOMETERS.

DATE.	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	MEAN.	MAXIMUM.		MINIMUM.		MAXIMUM.	
					Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.
Sunday, 24	35	31	34	32	26	32.6	39	30.4	28	12 P.M.
Monday, 25	35	32	30	29	23	27.6	32	30.4	26	12 P.M.
Tuesday, 26	22	19	26	32	19	27.0	34	4 P.M.	21	6 A.M.
Wednesday, 27	19	16	22	18	16	19.6	32	0 A.M.	17	12 P.M.
Thursday, 28	15	11	23	19	24	22	20.6	8 P.M.	14	6 A.M.
Friday, 29	21	17	24	23	24	23.0	31.0	12 P.M.	20	5 A.M.
Saturday, 30	25	23	32	27	34	29.0	26.3	6 P.M.	30	3 A.M.

Dry Bulb. Wet Bulb.

Mean for the week 24.6 degrees 21.7 degrees
Maximum " at 10 A.M., January 24 39 " 37 "
Minimum " at 6 A.M., January 28 14 " 10 "
Range " 25 " 27 "

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DATE.	DIRECTION.			VELOCITY IN MILES.			FORCE IN POUNDS PER SQUARE FOOT.		
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DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

Abstract of the transactions of the Bureau of the City Chamberlain for the week ending December 26, 1903.

OFFICE OF THE CITY CHAMBERLAIN,
NEW YORK, January 9, 1904.

Hon. GEORGE B. McCLELLAN, Mayor:

SIR—In pursuance of section 196, chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901, I have the honor to present herewith a report to December 26, 1903, of all moneys received by the Chamberlain, and the amount of all warrants paid by him since December 19, 1903, and the amount remaining to the credit of the City on December 26, 1903.

Very respectfully,

JOHN H. CAMPBELL, Deputy Chamberlain.

DR.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, in account with ELGIN R. L. GOULD, Chamberlain, during the week ending December 26, 1903.

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1903. Dec. 26	1903. Dec. 19	1903. Dec. 26	By Balance..... CITY OF NEW YORK.	\$3,496,316 56
To Additional Water Fund.....	\$5,079 80			
Additional Water Fund, City of New York.....	319 28			
Anti-toxine Fund.....	685 80			
Armory Fund.....	3,147 00			
Borough of Brooklyn.....	63 00			
Borough of Queens.....	170 55			
Botanical Garden, Bronx Park.....	96 76			
Bridge Over East River, between Boroughs of Manhattan and Brooklyn.....	138 69			
Bridge Over East River, between Boroughs of Manhattan and Queens.....	189 90			
Bridge Across Bronx River and Approaches, etc.....	2,527 00			
Bridge and Approach Over Bronx River at Westchester Avenue (Temporary).....	100 00			
Bridge over Bronx River at One Hundred and Seventy-seventh Street.....	24 00			
Bridge across Prospect Avenue, etc., Borough of Brooklyn.....	6,620 00			
Commissioners, Engineers, Examiners, etc., Department of Water Supply, City of New York.....	1,051 64			
Constructing Improved Toilet Facilities in City Parks, etc., Borough of Manhattan.....	168 50			
Construction and Equipment of Borough Building, Borough of Richmond.....	5,000 00			
Construction and Equipment of Public Comfort Stations, Borough of Brooklyn.....	231 20			
Construction of New Municipal Building, etc., Borough of Brooklyn.....	4,200 00			
Construction of Private Sewers, Borough of Brooklyn.....	213 32			
Craton Water Rent Refunding Account.....	266 17			
Department of Correction—Building Fund.....	11,845 25			
Department of Education—Maintenance of Training Schools.....	563 01			
Department of Education—Special High School Fund.....	1,822 43			
Department of Health—Building Fund.....	11 55			
Department of Public Charities—Building Fund.....	36,094 35			
Department of Street Cleaning, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx—New Stock or Plant.....	253 20			
Department of Street Cleaning, Borough of Brooklyn—New Stock or Plant.....	375 00			
Dock Fund.....	140,588 44			
Excise Taxes, New York County.....	685 00			
Excise Taxes, Kings County.....	1,107 52			
Excise Taxes, Queens County.....	320 00			
Excise Taxes, Richmond County.....	254 38			
Exempt or Veteran Volunteer Firemen's Association, Borough of Queens.....	94 09			
Exempt or Veteran Volunteer Firemen's Association, Borough of Richmond.....	51 71			
Extension of Riverside Drive to Boulevard Lafayette.....	1,885 80			
Fire Department Fund—Sites, Buildings, etc.....	12,993 45			
Fire Department Fund—Sites, etc., Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.....	3,102 59			
Fund for Street and Park Openings.....	304,917 07			
Hall of Records, Kings County.....	749 70			
Hester Street Park Fund.....	7 20			
Improvement of Parks, Parkways and Drives, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond.....	16,800 84			
Improvement of Parks, Parkways and Drives, Borough of The Bronx.....	834 62			
Improvement of Parks, Parkways and Drives, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.....	61,455 31			
Maintenance and Distribution of Water Supply, Borough of Brooklyn, 1903.....	8,358 47			
Maintenance and Improvement of Public Parks, Brooklyn Heights.....	14 00			
Museum of Arts and Sciences, Borough of Brooklyn.....	2,143 90			
New East River Bridge Fund.....	13,595 32			
Newtown Creek Bridge Fund, Borough of Brooklyn.....	593 82			
New York and Brooklyn Bridge.....	9,978 37			
New York Public Library Fund.....	4,681 37			
Paving Jerome Avenue.....	1,801 80			
Police Department Fund—Sites and Buildings.....	5,000 00			
Public Baths Fund, Borough of Manhattan.....	7,149 00			
Public School Library Fund.....	1,059 84			
Rapid Transit Construction Fund, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.....	959,000 00			
Rapid Transit Construction Fund, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Manhattan.....	156 00			
Rapid Transit Fund, No. 2.....	2,825 27			
Refunding Assessments Paid in Error, Borough of Manhattan.....	24 57			
Refunding Assessments Paid in Error, Borough of The Bronx.....	8 93			
Refunding Assessments Paid in Error, Borough of Brooklyn.....	802 69			
Refunding Taxes Paid in Error, Borough of Manhattan.....	325 75			
Refunding Taxes Paid in Error, Borough of The Bronx.....	1,695 87			
Refunding Taxes Paid in Error, Borough of Brooklyn.....	7 51			
Repaving—Chapter 346, Laws of 1889.....	2,330 07			
Repaving—Chapter 35, Laws of 1892.....	1,136 17			
Repaving—Chapter 475, Laws of 1895.....	135 49			
Repaving—Chapter 87, Laws of 1897.....	1,399 82			
Repaving Roads, Streets and Avenues, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	84 82			
Repaving Streets, Borough of Manhattan.....	91,699 34			
Repaving Streets, Borough of The Bronx.....	15,067 01			
Repaving Streets, Borough of Brooklyn.....	135,542 06			
Repaving Streets, Borough of Queens.....	5,000 19			
Repaving Streets, Borough of Richmond.....	15,802 14			
Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund—Borough of Manhattan.....	8,776 09			
Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund—Borough of The Bronx.....	133 43			
Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund—Borough of Brooklyn.....	163 00			
Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund—Borough of Queens.....	268 00			
Revenue Bonds, 1903.....	777,000 00			
Revenue Bond Fund—Board of Health—Necessary Expenses, etc.....	1,002 25			
Revenue Bond Fund—Claims.....	13,445 40			
Revenue Bond Fund—Cleaning Brook Avenue Sewer—Borough of The Bronx.....	389 28			
Revenue Bond Fund—Collating Election Returns, November, 1903.....	309 00			
Revenue Bond Fund—Construction, Erection, etc., Street Signs—Borough of Brooklyn.....	92 37			
Revenue Bond Fund—Construction and Improvement of Boscobel Place, Borough of The Bronx.....	1,666 00			
Revenue Bond Fund—Defraying Expenses, etc., New Plumbing, etc., Kings County Court-house.....	18,700 00			
Revenue Bond Fund—Department of Health—Alterations, etc., to Buildings, etc.....	301 16			
Revenue Bond Fund—Expenses for Conducting Criminal Actions Against A. T. Patrick, etc.....	80 00			
Revenue Bond Fund—Expenses of Making Extra Triangulations, etc., City of New York.....	12 19			
Revenue Bond Fund—Fire Alarm Telegraph System, Borough of Richmond.....	18 50			
Revenue Bond Fund—Furnishing, etc., Rooms, etc., Children's Court, Borough of Brooklyn.....	49 00			
Revenue Bond Fund—Judgments.....	26,699 03			
Revenue Bond Fund—Maintaining, etc., Public Baths, etc., Borough of Brooklyn.....	91 92			
Revenue Bond Fund—Operating, etc., Plant, etc., New York Water Works Company.....	564 43			
Revenue Bond Fund—Payment of County Charges and Expenses.....	1,980 58			
Revenue Bond Fund—Purchase of Fuel for Public Schools, 1903.....	1,419 45			
Revenue Bond Fund—Refurnishing, etc., Interior of City Hall.....	4,383 50			
Revenue Bond Fund—Renovating, etc., Public Markets, Borough of Manhattan.....	341 50			
Revenue Bond Fund—Repairing Damage to Streets, etc., Borough of Richmond.....	818 81			
Revenue Bond Fund—Repairing, etc., New York County Court-house of The Bronx.....	48 32			
Revenue Bond Fund—Repairs to Bungay Street Outlet Sewer, Borough of Manhattan.....	854 86			
Revenue Bond Fund—Repairs to and Reconstructing Sewers, Borough of Manhattan.....	224 50			
Revenue Bond Fund—Repairs to Surf Drains, etc., Borough of The Bronx.....	83 25			
Revenue Bond Fund—Surveys, etc., Sewer Outlet, etc., Bronx Water-shed, etc.....	33 00			
			Collector of Assessments	32 19
			Interest on Twenty-sixth Ward Bonds.....	4 01
			Interest on Twenty-sixth Ward Bonds.....	150 15
			Interest on Twenty-sixth Ward Bonds.....	5 04
			Interest on Twenty-sixth Ward Bonds.....	27 38
			Interest on Twenty-sixth Ward Bonds.....	1,202 80
			Interest on Twenty-sixth Ward Bonds.....	203 04
			Interest on Water Rents, Long Island City.....	34 41
			Interest on Water Rents, Long Island City.....	7 97
			Interest on Water Rents, Village of Flushing.....	20 27
			Interest on Water Rents, Village of Flushing.....	1 74
			Additional Water Fund.....	1,614 00
			Comptroller.....	371 26
			Unclaimed Salaries and Wages.....	19 13
			Dock Fund.....	31 13
			Wadley.....	82 18
			Reimb.....	93 00
			Expenses of Commissioners of Estimate and Appraisal, etc.....	785 02
			Excise Taxes.....	6,997 79
			Collector Assessments	208 12
			Timmerman.....	6,997 79
			Timmerman.....	7,205 31
			Refund.....	2 67
			Comptroller.....	392 00
			Haffen	6 00
			Commissioners Sinking Fund	5,000 00
			Corporate Stock (Bridge Across Prospect Avenue, etc., Borough of Brooklyn).....	5,000 00
			Corporate Stock (Botanical Garden, Bronx Park).....	2,500 00
			Corporate Stock (New Richmond County Jail, Construction of).....	1,000 00
			Corporate Stock (Washington Park, Town of Stapleton, etc., Borough of Richmond).....	20,000 00
			Corporate Stock (Repaving Streets) Borough of Brooklyn.....	10,000 00
			Corporate Stock (Improvement of Parks, Parkways and Drives) Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond.....	5,000 00
			Corporate Stock (Improvement of Parks, Parkways and Drives) Borough of The Bronx.....	15,000 00

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To Revenue Bond Fund—Surveys, etc., of Webster Avenue Sewer, etc., Borough of The Bronx.....	\$592 00	By 3 per cent. Corporate Stock (Armory Fund).....	Commissioners Sinking Fund	\$15,000 00
School Building Fund.....	187,939 89	3 per cent. Corporate Stock (Additional Water Fund).....	"	20,000 00
School Building Fund, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.....	841 30	3 per cent. Corporate Stock (Extension of Riverside Drive to Boulevard Lafayette).....	"	3,000 00
School Building Fund, Borough of Brooklyn.....	27,776 25	3 per cent. Corporate Stock (Department of Public Charities, Building Fund).....	"	20,000 00
Sites for Carnegie Libraries.....	3,500 00	4½ per cent. Special Revenue Bonds (Revenue Bond Fund—Payment of County Charges and Expenses).....	Fisk & Robinson	10,000 00
Street Cleaning, New Stock, etc., Borough of Richmond.....	200 00	4½ per cent. Special Revenue Bonds (Revenue Bond Fund—Payment of County Charges and Expenses).....	Comptroller	1,000 00
Street Improvement Fund.....	112,155 88	4½ per cent. Special Revenue Bonds (Revenue Bond Fund—Refurnishing, etc., Interior of City Hall).....	"	4,000 00
Unclaimed Salaries and Wages.....	597 77	4½ per cent. Special Revenue Bonds (Revenue Bond Fund—Salaries and Expenses of Children's Court), Borough of Brooklyn.....	"	1,000 00
Washington Park, Town of Stapleton, and Small Park, Port Richmond, Borough of Richmond.....	198 15	4½ per cent. Special Revenue Bonds (Revenue Bond Fund—Repairing, etc., New York County Court-house).....	"	1,000 00
Water Fund, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.....	9,540 92	4½ per cent. Special Revenue Bonds (Revenue Bond Fund—Expenses for Making Extra Triangulations, etc.), City of New York.....	"	500 00
Water Fund, Borough of Brooklyn.....	221 32	4½ per cent. Special Revenue Bonds (Revenue Bond Fund—Payment of Salaries of Additional Members, etc., of Fire Department).....	W. N. Coler & Co	15,000 00
Water Fund, Borough of Queens.....	1,416 70	4½ per cent. Special Revenue Bonds (Revenue Bond Fund—Payment of Salaries of Additional Members, etc., of Fire Department).....	DeWitt, Lockman & DeWitt	14,000 00
Water-main Fund, Borough of Brooklyn.....	23 25	4½ per cent. Special Revenue Bonds (Revenue Bond Fund—Expenses for Salaries of Additional Members, etc., of Fire Department).....	Geo. W. De Witt and Jacob Lockman	2,000 00
Water-main Fund, No. 3.....	13,725 00	4½ per cent. Special Revenue Bonds (Revenue Bond Fund—Payment of Salaries of Additional Members, etc., of Fire Department).....	Lockman and Robt. Muh...	5,000 00
Water Meter Fund, No. 2.....	1,585 40	4½ per cent. Special Revenue Bonds (Rapid Transit Fund, No. 2).....	Fisk & Robinson	10,000 00
Water Revenue, Borough of Brooklyn, 1903.....	108 04	3 per cent. Assessment Bonds (Street Improvement Fund, June 15, 1886).....	Commissioners Sinking Fund	50,000 00
1899 and Previous Years.				
Repaving Streets and Avenues, etc.....	\$55 18			
1900.				
Police Department.....	126 00			
1901.				
Department of Education—General School Fund.....	124 98			
1902.				
Board of City Record.....	2,637 60	Morgan & Bartlett, Maiden Lane Savings Bank.....	\$500,000 00	
Department of Education—General School Fund.....	1,626 75	Fisk & Robinson, Mary Bell, W. N. Coler & Co, Broadway Savings Bank.....	5,000 00 500,000 00 10,000 00	
Department of Education—Special School Fund.....	10,666 88			
Department of Health, Borough of Brooklyn.....	25 01			
Department of Public Charities.....	825 00			
Fire Department, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.....	1,600 00			
Fire Department, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.....	19 80			
Normal College.....	8 60			
Police Department.....	49 00			
President of the Borough of Brooklyn—				
Bureau of Highways.....	113 80	Bostwick.....	\$3 00	
Topographical Bureau.....	42 00	Monroe.....	03 20	
Tenement House Department.....	333 68	Comptroller.....	37 59	
1903.		Rives.....	100 00	
Advertising.....	69 40	Burke.....	114 78	
Aguilar Free Library Society.....	3,166 74	Goundie.....	30 00	
Armory Board, Borough of Manhattan.....	63 95	Livingston.....	1,284 65	
Armory Board, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.....	54 43	Haffen.....	121 84	
Asylum of St. Vincent de Paul.....	895 89	Comptroller.....	18 85	
Asylum of Sisters of St. Dominic.....	4,440 31	Goundie.....	51 00	
Bellevue and Allied Hospitals.....	10,242 37	Redfield.....	490 00	
Board of Assessors.....	112 25	Comptroller.....	1 31	
Board of City Record.....	10,502 88			
Board of Elections.....	7,858 60			
Board of Estimate and Apportionment.....	2,500 00			
Brooklyn Disciplinary Training School.....	697 68			
Brooklyn Howard Colored Orphan Asylum.....	825 64			
Brooklyn Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children.....	500 00			
Bushwick Central Hospital.....	887 47			
City Magistrates' Courts, First Division.....	20 12			
Civil Service Commission.....	485 28			
College of The City of New York.....	24,430 74			
Colored Orphan Asylum and Association, etc.....	1,147 57			
Commissioners of Accounts.....	187 50			
Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.....	1,528 35			
Coroners, Borough of Brooklyn.....	2,623 52			
Coroners, Borough of Richmond.....	108 17			
Court of Special Sessions, First Division.....	90 11			
Court of Special Sessions, Second Division.....	15 00			
Department of Bridges, Borough of Manhattan.....	1,138 04			
Department of Bridges, Borough of The Bronx.....	27 00			
Department of Bridges, Borough of Brooklyn.....	38 35			
Department of Correction, Borough of Manhattan.....	22,302 28			
Department of Correction, Borough of Brooklyn.....	640 80			
Department of Education—General School Fund.....	33,084 01			
Department of Education—Special School Fund—Board of Education.....	11,214 34			
Department of Education—Special School Fund, Borough of Manhattan.....	16,728 54			
Department of Education—Special School Fund, Borough of The Bronx.....	6,519 25			
Department of Education—Special School Fund, Borough of Brooklyn.....	14,877 94			
Department of Education—Special School Fund, Borough of Queens.....	4,816 26			
Department of Education—Special School Fund, Borough of Richmond.....	1,340 38			
Department of Finance.....	1,404 01			
Department of Health, Borough of Manhattan.....	3,324 99			
Department of Health, Borough of The Bronx.....	2,604 40			
Department of Health, Borough of Brooklyn.....	1,019 02			
Department of Health, Borough of Queens.....	11 97			
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Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond.....	16,769 14			
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Department of Street Cleaning, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.....	33,174 08			
Department of Street Cleaning, Borough of Brooklyn.....	90,658 81			
Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.....	29,120 22			
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Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Borough of Queens.....	4,523 30			
Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Borough of Richmond.....	8,056 37			
Fire Department, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.....	42 00			
Fire Department, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.....	5,938 19			
German Hospital, Borough of Brooklyn.....	4,342 81			
Hebrew Infant Asylum, City of New York.....	331 86			
House of St. Giles The Cripple.....	1,041 38			
Institution of Mercy.....	5,593 67			
Interest on the City Debt.....	13,794 73			
Law Department.....	1,105 47			
Maimonides Free Library, etc.....	833 34			
Missionary Sisters, Third Order of St. Francis.....	7,145 29			
Municipal Courts, City of New York.....	399 55			
New York Catholic Protectory.....	3,156 09			
New York Free Circulating Library for the Blind.....	56 53			
New York Public Library, Astor, Lenox and Tilden Foundations.....	9,262 50			
Normal College.....	13,964 31			
Police Department.....	7,507 36			
President of the Borough of Manhattan—				
Bureau of Buildings.....	140 37			
Bureau of Highways.....	3,955 05			
Bureau of Incumbrances.....	140 00			
Bureau of Public Bath, etc.....	843 50			
Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices.....	7,360 80			
Bureau of Sewers.....	3,306 66			
General Administration.....	934 10			
President of the Borough of The Bronx—				
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General Administration.....	96 78			
Topographical Bureau.....	205 42			
President of the Borough of Brooklyn—				
Bureau of Buildings.....	70 00			
Bureau of Highways.....	3,141 83			
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General Administration.....	20 68			
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General Administration.....	229 74			
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Queens Borough Library.....	34 99			
Redemption of the City Debt.....	6,100 00			
Rents.....	2,771 66			
Roman Catholic Orphan Asylum Society.....	6,041 14			
Sacred Heart Orphan Asylum.....	1,562 95			
St. Agatha's Home for Children.....	4,372 54			

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Fees and Expenses of Jurors.....	483 00																																																																																																		
Register.....	19 00																																																																																																		
Sheriff.....	233 96																																																																																																		
Supreme Court, Second Department.....	16,592 62																																																																																																		
Armories and Drill-rooms.....	248 00																																																																																																		
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Sheriff.....	147 70																																																																																																		
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Restoring and Repaving.....	81 10																																																																																																		
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E. & O. E., F. W. SMITH, Bookkeeper.

December 26, 1903. By Balance..... \$2,469,299 23

JOHN H. CAMPBELL, Deputy City Chamberlain. \$2,409.25

THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUNDS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, in account with ELGIN R. L. GOULD, Chamberlain, for and during the week ending December 26, 1903.

December 26, 1903. By Balances..... \$489,258 63 \$692,851 21 \$216 92 \$8,012 21 \$253 76

E. & O. E., F. W. SMITH, Bookkeeper.

JOHN H. CAMPBELL, Deputy City Chamberlain.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, in account with ELGIN R. L. GOULD, Chamberlain, during the week ending December 26, 1903.

1903. Dec. 26	To Interest Registered..... Balance.....	\$15,546 55 34,493 60	1903. Dec. 19	By Balance..... Interest Registered.....	\$37,110 35 12,929 80
		\$50,040 15			\$50,040 15

E. S. C. B. & W. S. SAWYER, Part I

JOHN H. CAMPBELL, Deputy City Chamberlain..... \$34.49

DR.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, in account with ELGIN R. L. GOULD, Chamberlain, during the week ending December 26, 1903.

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1903. Dec. 26	To Witness Fees. Balance.....	\$457 24 163 83 \$621 07	1903. Dec. 19	By Balance.....	\$621 07
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E. & O. E., F. W. SMITH, Bookkeeper.

December 26, 1903. By Balance..... \$163 83

JOHN H. CAMPBELL, Deputy City Chamberlain.

DR.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, in account with ELGIN R. L. GOULD, Chamberlain, during the week ending December 26, 1903.

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1903. Dec. 26	To Jury Fees. Balance.....	\$3,154 00 13,313 00 \$16,467 00	1903. Dec. 19	By Balance.....	\$16,467 00
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E. & O. E., F. W. SMITH, Bookkeeper.

December 26, 1903. By Balance..... \$13,313 00

JOHN H. CAMPBELL, Deputy City Chamberlain.

THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUNDS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, in account with ELGIN R. L. GOULD, for and during the week ending December 26, 1903.

1903. Dec. 19 " 26	By Balances, as per last account current. Revenue from Investments.....	WATER SINKING FUND, CITY OF NEW YORK.		WATER SINKING FUND, CITY OF BROOKLYN.		SINKING FUND, LONG ISLAND CITY—REDEMPTION OF REVENUE BONDS.		SINKING FUND, LONG ISLAND CITY—REDEMPTION OF FIRE BONDS.		SINKING FUND, LONG ISLAND CITY—REDEMPTION OF WATER BONDS.	
		DR.	CR.	DR.	CR.	DR.	CR.	DR.	CR.	DR.	CR.
	To Water Sinking Fund, City of New York..... Balances.....	\$5,000 00 4,529 88	\$9,529 88			\$51,330 56 22 25		\$51,341 81			
		\$9,529 88	\$9,529 88			\$51,341 81		\$51,341 81			

December 26, 1903. By Balances..... \$4,529 88

E. & O. E., F. W. SMITH, Bookkeeper.

\$51,341 81

JOHN H. CAMPBELL, Deputy City Chamberlain.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING FEBRUARY 6, 1904.

New York City Home for Aged and Infirm, Manhattan.

Appointments—

Feb. 2. Mary O'Neil, Hospital Helper (certified February 2), per annum.....
Feb. 3. Frederick Williams, Hospital Helper (certified February 3), per annum.....
Feb. 1. Mary Cour, Hospital Helper (certified February 1), per annum.....

Resignations—

Jan. 31. Thos. Jackson, Hospital Helper, per annum.....
Jan. 31. Mary Deegan, Hospital Helper, per annum.....
Feb. 2. Henry Schatz, Hospital Helper, per annum.....

Dropped—

Feb. 3. Wm. Kiggins, Hospital Helper (deceased), per annum.....

New York City Farm Colony.

Reinstated—

Feb. 4. Thos. Kenny, Sr., Superintendent, Bureau Dependent Adults (per order from Court), per annum.....

Removed—

Feb. 4. Ernest H. Seehusen, Superintendent, Bureau Dependent Adults, per annum.....

City Hospital.

Appointed—

Jan. 25. Josephine Lynch, Hospital Helper (certified January 28), per annum.....

Dropped—

Jan. 25. Mamie Cassidy, Hospital Helper (ill), per annum.....

Cumberland Street Hospital.

Transferred—

Feb. 1. Margaret G. Johnston, Pupil Nurse (from Kings County Hospital), per annum.....

Kings County Hospital.

Feb. 1. Marie Backert, Pupil Nurse (certified February 1), per annum.....

Transferred—

Feb. 1. Margaret G. Johnston, Pupil Nurse (to Cumberland Street Hospital), per annum.....

Metropolitan Hospital.

Appointments—

Jan. 22. John Tucker, Hospital Helper (certified January 30), per annum.....

Feb. 1. John Hosford, Hospital Helper (certified February 1), per annum.....

Feb. 1. John O'Hara, Hospital Helper (certified February 1), per annum.....

Feb. 1. John O'Keefe, Hospital Helper (certified February 1), per annum.....

Feb. 1. Nellie Bannon, Hospital Helper (certified February 2), per annum.....

Feb. 1. Wm. Halloway, Hospital Helper (certified February 2), per annum.....

Feb. 1. Mary Judge, Hospital Helper (certified February 2), per annum.....

Feb. 1. Frank Burns, Hospital Helper (certified February 2), per annum.....

Feb. 2. Jane Casey, Hospital Helper (certified February 3), per annum.....

Feb. 1. Michael Cullinan, Hospital Helper (certified February 3), per annum.....

Feb. 1. Daniel Kehoe, Hospital Helper (certified February 3), per annum.....

Feb. 1. Geo. Stewart, Hospital Helper (certified February 4), per annum.....

Feb. 1. Patrick Hallinan, Hospital Helper (certified February 4), per annum.....

Feb. 1. Nellie Augeris, Hospital Helper (certified February 5), per annum.....

Feb. 3. Wm. Davis, Hospital Helper (certified February 5), per annum.....

Resignations—

Jan. 31. Richard Walsh, Hospital Helper, per annum..... 180 00
Jan. 31. Caroline Hayes, Hospital Helper, per annum..... 180 00
Jan. 31. John Donnell, Hospital Helper, per annum..... 300 00
Feb. 3. Wm. Downing, Hospital Helper, per annum..... 150 00

Dismissed—

Jan. 31. John Daly, Hospital Helper (for intoxication), per annum..... 150 00
Jan. 31. Lizzie Sullivan, Hospital Helper (for intoxication), per annum..... 150 00

Jan. 31. Walter P. Gilligan, Hospital Helper (for intoxication), per annum..... 150 00

Jan. 31. Thos. Commerford, Hospital Helper (for incompetency), per annum..... 120 00

Jan. 31. Hugo Banholzer, Hospital Helper (for disobedience), per annum..... 150 00

Jan. 31. Wm. Treedwell, Hospital Helper (unsatisfactory), per annum..... 150 00

Feb. 2. Edw. Murphy, Hospital Helper (absent without leave), per annum..... 150 00

Dropped—

Jan. 31. James Roberts, Clerical Assistant (ill), per annum..... 150 00
Jan. 22. J. Philo. Monaghan, Hospital Helper (for failure to report), per annum..... 300 00

New York City Training School.

Appointments—
Feb. 1. A. P. E. Schulz, Trained Nurse (certified February 1), per annum..... 300 00

Feb. 7. Helen M. Sheehan, Trained Nurse (certified February 5), per annum..... 600 00

Resigned—
Feb. 6. Mary Quain, Trained Nurse, per annum..... 600 00

Bureau Dependent Adults.

Reappointed—
Feb. 4. Mary E. Gallagher, Pupil Examiner, per annum..... 300 00

Resigned—
Feb. 1. Charles Fayes, Pupil Examiner, per annum..... 360 00

Feb. 1. James Hennessy, Hospital Helper, per annum..... 300 00

Dropped—
Feb. 1. Charles Ballotti, Hospital Helper (abolished), per annum..... 400 00

Appointed—
Jan. 28. Mary Swift, Hospital Helper (certified January 29), per annum..... 120 00

Jan. 19. Mary A. Bowen, Trained Nurse (certified January 9), per annum..... 600 00

Jan. 19. Antonia Roonie, Hospital Helper (certified January 22), per annum..... 120 00

Dismissed—
Jan. 24. Delia Burns, Hospital Helper (absent without leave), per annum..... 120 00

Dec. 31. Mary Byrne, Hospital Helper (absent without leave), per annum..... 120 00

J. MCKEE BORDEN, Secretary.

Department of Public Charities,
Foot of East Twenty-sixth Street,
New York City, February 4, 1904.

Mr. JOSEPH D. DUFFY, No. 150 East Twenty-third Street, City:

Dear Sir—Your proposition of January 30, 1904, to furnish all labor and material on dock foot of East Twenty-sixth street, as per specifications enclosed, for the sum of three hundred and seventy-six dollars (\$376), is accepted, and you are hereby notified to proceed with the work.

By direction of the Commissioner.

Yours truly,
J. MCKEE BORDEN, Secretary.Department of Public Charities,
Foot of East Twenty-sixth Street,
February 4, 1904.

Gas Consumers' Association, No. 119 West Twenty-third Street, Mr. W. O. LUDOVIGI, Manager:

Dear Sir—I beg to inform you that the Commissioner has accepted your proposition of February 3 to continue your service in connection with the gas pipes and burners and the rental of your gas regulators as now installed for the period from January 1, 1904, to and including February 10, 1904, at the monthly rental as follows:

	Machines.	Amount.
City Hospital, Blackwell's Island.	7	\$21 00
Engine Company 49, Blackwell's Island.	1	1 50
Bakery, Blackwell's Island.	1	1 25
Lodgings, No. 398 First avenue.	1	1 50
Storehouse and waiting room, Blackwell's Island.	1	1 00
Metropolitan Training School, Blackwell's Island.	1	2 50
Metropolitan Hospital, Blackwell's Island.	14	20 00
Nurses' Home, Blackwell's Island.	1	1 50
A almhouse, Blackwell's Island.	23	26 75
Total.	50	\$77 00

After that date you should remove your machines from the pipes in the institutions of this Department.

Yours truly,
J. MCKEE BORDEN, Secretary.

Department of Public Charities,
Foot of East Twenty-sixth Street,
New York, February 6, 1904.

Messrs. OAKLEY & KEATING, No. 40 Cortlandt Street, City:

Gentlemen—Your proposition to furnish to our order the following articles, deliver and set them up in the laundry of the Farm Colony, Staten Island, and leave them in running condition, except pipe work, plumbing and steam-fitting, which is not covered by this proposal, viz.:

One 36-inch "O. & K." cylinder washer, inside cylinder 29 inches by 49 inches, made of oak, and outside cylinder of cypress.

One centrifugal extractor with attached counter-shaft, to have a tinned copper basket, 20-inch diameter.

One improved French mangle, with cylinder 54 inches long.

One 6-inch by 6-inch, 7 horse-power, self-contained vertical engine, with governor, sight-feed lubricator and oil cups.

Shafting—1 11-16 inches, self-oiling and adjustable hangers, collars, all necessary pulleys, all stringers, locks and bolts necessary to put same in place.

Belting—Oak tanned, short lapped leather belting, of suitable sizes and quantity to run machinery.

—all told, for the sum of seven hundred and sixty-five dollars (\$765), is accepted, and you are hereby notified to proceed with the work.

By direction of the Commissioner.

Yours truly,
J. MCKEE BORDEN, Secretary.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

MAYOR'S OFFICE—BUREAU OF LICENSES,
CITY HALL, NEW YORK, February 3, 1904.

Hon. GEORGE B. McCLELLAN, Mayor, City Hall, New York, N. Y.:

DEAR SIR—I have the honor to transmit to you herewith the report of the Bureau of Licenses in The City of New York for January, 1904. This report includes the receipts of all the offices of the Bureau of Licenses in the several boroughs.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN P. CORRIGAN, Chief of the Bureau of Licenses.

MAYOR'S OFFICE—BUREAU OF LICENSES.

CITY OF NEW YORK.

STATEMENT OF LICENSES ISSUED AND FEES RECEIVED.

January, 1904.

City Treasury.

1 Hoist, General	\$25 00
5 Hoist, General, renewal.	62 50
4 Hoist, Special	4 00
11 Intelligence Office	275 00
3 Ticket Speculator, renewal.	75 00
47 Peddler, Horse and Wagon	376 00
103 Peddler, Horse and Wagon, renewal.	412 00
144 Peddler, Push Cart	576 00
253 Peddler, Push Cart, renewal.	506 00
51 Peddler, Basket	102 00
37 Peddler, Basket, renewal	37 00
19 Express	95 00
142 Express, renewal	355 00
113 Public Cart	226 00
336 Public Cart, renewal	336 00
22 Dirt Cart	22 00
25 Dirt Cart, renewal.	12 50
11 Express Driver	5 50
13 Express Driver, renewal	75 00
1 Driver, renewal	25
16 Stand, East river	160 00
1 Common Show, renewal	12 50
34 Bowling Alley	170 00
80 Bowling Alley, renewal	200 00
256 Billiard Table	768 00
101 Billiard Table, renewal	151 50
5 Hand Organ	5 00
1 Public Porter	1 00
3 Public Porter, renewal	75
1,828	\$4,972 23

Sinking Fund.

14 Pawnbroker	\$7,000 00
13 Second-hand Dealer	325 00
32 Second-hand Dealer, renewal.	400 00
13 Junk Shop	260 00
20 Junk Shop, renewal.	200 00
1 Junk Boat	5 00
3 Junk Boat, renewal.	7 50
23 Junk Cart	115 00
44 Junk Cart, renewal.	110 00
8 Special Coach	40 00
15 Special Coach, renewal.	37 50
4 Public Coach	12 00
14 Public Coach, renewal.	21 00
13 Special Cab	39 00
26 Special Cab, renewal.	39 00
19 Public Cab	38 00
34 Public Cab, renewal.	34 00
40 Hack Driver	20 00
58 Hack Driver, renewal.	14 50
7 Stand, Newspaper	35 00
33 Stand, Fruit	330 00
1 Stand, Newspaper and Fruit	15 00
14 Stand, Bootblack, Chair	70 00
449	9,167 50
2,277 Totals	\$14,138 75

The above statement is complete and correct.

HENRY F. SCHLUENZEN, Financial Clerk,
Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, 12 M., FEBRUARY 6, 1904.

BOROUGH.	POPULATION U.S. CEN- SUS 1900.	ESTIMATED POPULATION MIDDLE OF YEAR 1904.	DEATHS.				Births.	Marriages.	Still- births.	DEATH-RATE.		
			1903.	1904.	* Cor- rected, 1904.	1903.				1903.	1904.	*Cor- rected, 1904.
Manhattan	1,850,093	1,940,121	786	898	851	1,218	636	81	21,38	24.15	22.88	
The Bronx	200,507	204,939	110	115	114	141	28	5	21,39	20.34	20.17	
Brooklyn	1,166,582	1,334,952	454	494	478	541	162	38	18,34	19.31	18.68	
Queens	152,099	193,494	60	60	58	65	12	9	17,13	16.18	15.64	
Richmond	67,021	74,18	23	23	22	47	10	1	16,53	16.10	15.40	
City of New York.	3,437,202	3,838,024	1,433	1,590	1,523	2,012	848	134	20,03	21.61	20.70	

* Non-residents and infants under 1 week old not included.

† The presence of several large institutions, the great majority of whose inmates are residents of the other boroughs, increases considerably the death-rate of this borough.

Cases of Infectious and Contagious Diseases Reported.

		WEEK ENDING—											
		Nov. 14	Nov. 21	Nov. 28	Dec. 5	Dec. 12	Dec. 19	Dec. 26	Jan. 2	Jan. 9	Jan. 16	Jan. 23	Jan. 30
Tuberculosis Pulmonalis	314	399	257	305	266	318	217	229	301	348	298	316	347
Diphtheria and Croup	423	384	406	428	405	379	461	460	425	395	461	475	
Measles	246 ^a	307	267 ^c	326 ^d	505 ^e	566 ^f	438 ^g	584	789 ^h	878 ⁱ	741	814 ^j	852 ^k
Scarlet Fever	103	171	101 ^c	211 ^d	249	581 ^h	277 ^j	345	410 ^k	365 ^l	427	435	413 ^m
Small-pox	1	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	5	1	5	5 ⁿ
Varicella	71	82	88	104	105	132	116	97	122	181	155	156	108
Typhoid Fever	102	68	74	68 ^e	68	46	61	36	42	29	29	24	24
Whooping Cough	27	8	7	35	10	9	5	8	16	15	23	20	12
Total	1,347 ^a	1,423 ^b	1,270	1,459	1,634	1,757	1,494	1,761	2,140	2,241	2,073 ^m	2,226	2,236

- a. Includes three cases of measles from Barge Office.
- b. Includes three cases of scarlet fever, three cases of measles and one case of diphtheria at Barge Office.
- c. Includes six cases measles, one case scarlet fever from Barge Office.
- d. Includes three cases of scarlet fever and six of measles at Barge Office.
- e. Includes one case of typhoid at Ellis Island.
- f. Includes two cases of diphtheria at Governor's Island.
- g. Includes two cases of measles at Barge Office

Deaths According to Cause, Annual Rate Per 1,000 and Age, with Meteorology and Number of Deaths in Public Institutions for 13 Weeks.

	WEEK ENDING—												
	Nov. 14.	Nov. 21.	Nov. 28.	Dec. 5.	Dec. 12.	Dec. 19.	Dec. 26.	Jan. 2.	Jan. 9.	Jan. 16.	Jan. 23.	Jan. 30.	Feb. 6.
Total deaths.....	1,248	1,227	1,283	1,313	1,315	1,288	1,321	1,420	1,635	1,610	1,451	1,549	1,590
Annual death-rate.....	17.44	17.15	17.93	18.35	18.38	18.00	18.46	19.30	22.23	21.88	19.72	21.06	21.61
Typhoid Fever.....	14	13	17	12	15	13	14	10	10	8	5	7	13
Malarial Fevers.....	2	2	1	2	..	1	2	1	..	2	1	1	1
Small-pox.....	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Measles.....	9	17	8	6	6	9	6	15	14	21	23	19	18
Scarlet Fever.....	5	8	13	19	3	18	27	23	34	21	30	27	24
Whooping Cough.....	5	2	4	4	6	3	2	1	2	2	1	2	2
Diphtheria and Croup.....	38	44	36	68	41	40	50	58	57	59	35	53	62
Influenza.....	2	3	7	2	4	7	7	19	15	12	16	17	..
Tuberculosis Pulmonalis.....	154	134	152	163	166	141	161	177	158	186	138	149	175
Other Tubercular.....	11	15	26	13	23	18	21	13	27	22	18	32	26
Acute Bronchitis.....	39	38	32	40	43	31	35	41	57	57	41	69	48
Pneumonia.....	138	158	155	164	172	188	178	200	239	225	221	221	213
Broncho Pneumonia.....	70	73	76	82	81	94	89	125	138	110	116	104	..
Diarrhoeal Diseases.....	55	37	29	41	34	31	47	32	33	41	40	31	49
Diarrhoeals under 2.....	47	28	25	33	23	20	33	24	21	32	36	23	38
Violent Deaths.....	86	76	53	71	63	70	73	63	73	70	62	74	84
Under one year.....	217	197	223	212	206	199	203	216	281	266	231	271	237
Under five years.....	328	329	331	351	327	331	363	383	481	473	412	486	438
Five to sixty-five.....	712	684	764	728	785	735	728	806	865	899	803	785	911
Sixty-five years and over.....	208	214	188	234	203	222	230	231	289	238	236	278	241
In Public and Private Institutions.....	345	348	336	350	375	351	368	372	410	459	387	446	467
Inquest cases.....	206	189	183	218	190	201	185	192	237	203	183	220	224
Mean barometer.....	29.939	30.121	29.851	29.928	29.846	30.106	29.729	29.869	29.966	29.785	30.106	30.129	29.924
Mean humidity.....	43.72	81	77	75	86	76	71	56	60	82	61	54	..
Inches of rain and snow.....	.10	.42	.03	.27	.77	.50	1.45	.93 in. snow.	.2 in. snow.	.4 in. snow.	.45 in. rain.	.54 in.	..
Mean temperature (Fahrenheit).....	48.1°	40.4°	32.5°	32.8°	35.4°	26.9°	36.9°	23.7	19.4°	31.1°	26.5°	24.6	26.1°
Maximum temperature (Fahrenheit).....	59.°	65.°	48.°	43.°	44.°	54.°	52.°	37.°	37.°	41.°	54.°	39.°	45.°
Minimum temperature (Fahrenheit).....	35.°	26.°	19.°	24.°	27.°	14.°	11.°	11.°	4.°	22.°	2.°	14.°	8.°

Infectious and Contagious Diseases in Hospital.

	WILLARD PARKER HOSPITAL			RIVERSIDE HOSPITAL			KINGSTON AVENUE HOSPITAL					
	Scarlet Fever.	Diphtheria.	Total.	Diphtheria.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Diphtheria.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Diphtheria.	Measles.	Total.
Remaining Jan. 30, 1904	62	62	5	52	130	..	35	222	17	24	26	7
Admitted.....	35	35	8	41	1	5	55	10	8	9	5	32
Discharged.....	21	21	3	14	28	1	1	47	7	11	6	26
Died.....	14	14	2	4	7	..	..	13	2	2	4	..
Remaining Feb. 6, 1904.....	62	62	..	42	136	..	39	217	18	21	27	10
Total treated.....	97	97	5	60	171	1	40	277	27	32	35	12

Cases of Infectious and Contagious Diseases Reported and Deaths from the Same, by Wards.

	WARDS.											
	Diphtheria and Croup.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Small-pox.	Tuberculosis Pulmonalis.	Diphtheria and Croup.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Small-pox.	Tuberculosis Pulmonalis.	Diphtheria and Croup.	Measles.
First.....	5	3	2	1	..	5	..	..	..	1	..	1
Second.....	..	2	1	..	..	2	1	..	..	1	..	1
Third.....	4	25	1	1	..	3	..	..	..	2	..	1
Fourth.....	1	1	2	..	..	4	..	..	..	1	..	4
Fifth.....	2	..	2	..	1	3	..	..	..	4	..	2
Sixth.....	9	11	2	..	..	11	..	..	..	3	..	8
Seventh.....	14	5	2	..	..	3	1	..	..	2	..	18
Eighth.....	11	12	11	..	..	1	1	..	..	3	..	20
Ninth.....	12	14	3	..	..	5	2	..	..	1	..	2
Tenth.....	3	16	7	..	..	7	..	..	..	3	..	31
Eleventh.....	22	6	4	..	..	9	..	..	..	3	..	25
Twelfth.....	12	8	13	..	..	11	3	..	..	1	..	27
Thirteenth.....	61	120	59	..	..	6	53	4	2	..	..	216
Fourteenth.....	7	3	6	..	..	3	8	3	..	..	..	24
Fifteenth.....	3	1	2	..	..	3	2	..	..	3	..	30
Sixteenth.....	55	7	5	..	..	6	..	..	..	2	..	22
Seventeenth.....	20	24	31	..	..	10	2	2	..	3	..	55
Eighteenth.....	17	8	11	..	..	9	2	..	..	3	..	40
Nineteenth.....	48	83	41	1	3	27	4					

COURT.	REGIS- TER AND FOLIO.	WHEN COM- MENCED.	TITLE.	NATURE OF ACTION.
County, Kings Co.	44 441	Jan. 13, 1904	Kinkel, Charles A.	Damage to property, overflow of sewer, \$1623.30.
"	44 442	Jan. 13, 1904	Lang, John.	Damage to property, overflow of sewer, \$118.80.
"	44 443	Jan. 13, 1904	Lampel, Elizabeth.	Damage to property, overflow of sewer, \$800.
"	44 444	Jan. 13, 1904	Hornecker, Martin.	Damage to property, overflow of sewer, \$322.
"	44 445	Jan. 13, 1904	Fritz, Charles.	Damage to property, overflow of sewer, \$997.65.
"	44 445	Jan. 13, 1904	Fritz, Charles.	Damage to property, overflow of sewer, \$51.18.
"	44 445	Jan. 13, 1904	McCoy, Elizabeth.	Damage to property, overflow of sewer, \$1,150.
"	44 446	Jan. 13, 1904	Roche, Charles H.	Damage to property, overflow of sewer, \$250.
"	44 446	Jan. 13, 1904	Schmidt, Ernestine.	Damage to property, overflow of sewer, \$1,550.
"	44 446	Jan. 13, 1904	Schlipp, August.	Damage to property, overflow of sewer, \$75.56.
"	44 447	Jan. 13, 1904	Zalewski, Charles, and another.	Damage to property, overflow of sewer, \$180.
"	44 447	Jan. 13, 1904	Zalewski, Edna.	Damage to property, overflow of sewer, \$100.
Supreme ...	44 448	Jan. 14, 1904	Hatch, Edward P.	Summons only served.
County, Kings Co.	44 450	Jan. 14, 1904	Gartland, Charles T., vs. The Board of Education of The City of New York.	Amount due on contract of service made with defendant as Attendance Officer, \$137.11.
"	44 451	Jan. 14, 1904	Mead, Joseph W.	Amount due on contract of service made with defendant as Attendance Officer, \$137.11.
"	44 451	Jan. 14, 1904	Nichols, Frank J.	Amount due on contract of service made with defendant as Attendance Officer, \$137.11.
"	44 451	Jan. 14, 1904	Walsh, Jennie F.	Amount due on contract of service made with defendant as Attendance Officer, \$178.64.
Supreme ...	44 452	Jan. 14, 1904	Tolk, Nathan, vs. Gottlieb Vosatka (No. 1).	Summons only served.
"	44 453	Jan. 14, 1904	Trebisch, Rudolph H. vs. Gottlieb Vosatka.	Summons only served.
"	44 454	Jan. 14, 1904	Tolk, Nathan, vs. Gottlieb Vosatka (No. 2).	Summons only served.
Municipal, Queens Co.	44 455	Jan. 14, 1904	Dold, William E.	For professional services rendered, \$20.
"	40 206	Jan. 14, 1904	Weinberger, Martin.	For professional services rendered, \$75.
"	40 205	Jan. 14, 1904	Brennan, Timothy J. C.	For professional services rendered, \$150.
"	40 204	Jan. 14, 1904	The City of New York vs. Morris Levenson and John Kaizman.	For removing rubbish, etc., from land taken for New East River Bridge, \$89.
Municipal...	44 458	Jan. 14, 1904	Seward, Sarah J., vs. The City of New York and John E. Easton.	Personal injuries, run down by cart belonging to City, \$20,000.
Supreme, Kings Co.	44 459	Jan. 14, 1904	Seward, William E., vs. The City of New York and John E. Easton.	For loss of services of wife, injured by being run down by wagon, \$6,000.
"	44 460	Jan. 14, 1904	Brown, Andrew.	Salary as Policeman, \$123.14.
"	44 462	Jan. 14, 1904	Cuneo, John P.	Damage to property, overflow of sewer, \$113.25.
"	44 464	Jan. 14, 1904	Kelly, Mary B.	Damage to property, overflow of sewer, \$400.
"	44 464	Jan. 14, 1904	Luongo, Frank.	Damage to property, overflow of sewer, \$200.
"	44 464	Jan. 14, 1904	Werckmeister, Conrad.	Damage to property, overflow of sewer, \$315.65.
Supreme, Queens Co.	44 465	Jan. 15, 1904	Rogers, William S.	To remove cloud on title in form of assessment made by Assessors of Town of Hempstead.
Supreme...	40 268	Jan. 15, 1904	Kellogg, L. Laflin, et al., etc. (Matter of).	For an order to determine amount of attorney's lien.
Supreme, Kings Co.	44 467	Jan. 15, 1904	Hulse, Sarah E.	Damage to property, overflow of sewer, \$138.11.
County, Kings Co., Municipal, Richmond	44 468	Jan. 15, 1904	Black, William J., vs. Board of Education of The City of New York.	Balance on contract with defendant as Attendance Officer, \$137.38.
"	44 469	Jan. 15, 1904	Albrecht, Joseph.	Damage to property, overflow of sewer, \$150.
Municipal, Kings Co.	44 470	Jan. 15, 1904	Ferranace, Sam, vs. The City of New York and the Brooklyn Alcatraz Asphalt Co.	Damage to baker's oven, piling material on sidewalk, \$183.15.
Supreme, Kings Co.	44 471	Jan. 15, 1904	Burrows, Maria L.	Damage to property, overflow of sewer, \$445.50.
"	44 472	Jan. 15, 1904	Fenn, Robert.	Damage to property, overflow of sewer, \$323.
"	44 472	Jan. 15, 1904	Hill, Julia.	Damage to property, overflow of sewer, \$394.50.
"	44 472	Jan. 15, 1904	Leopold, Ricke.	Damage to property, overflow of sewer, \$4,400.
"	44 473	Jan. 15, 1904	Hodel, Jacob.	Damage to property, overflow of sewer, \$1,500.
"	44 474	Jan. 15, 1904	Heller, John.	Damage to property, overflow of sewer, \$2,800.
"	44 474	Jan. 15, 1904	Stanchit, Theodore.	Damage to property, overflow of sewer, \$2,500.
"	44 475	Jan. 15, 1904	Christiansen, Charles.	Damage to property, overflow of sewer, \$1,015.76.
"	44 476	Jan. 15, 1904	De Bellovi, Felice.	Damage to property, overflow of sewer, \$1,346.85.
"	44 476	Jan. 15, 1904	Heilmann, Louise.	Damage to property, overflow of sewer, \$573.
"	44 476	Jan. 15, 1904	Walker, John T.	Damage to property, overflow of sewer, \$333.
"	44 477	Jan. 15, 1904	Winter, Felix.	Damage to property, overflow of sewer, \$2,193.
Supreme ...	44 478	Jan. 15, 1904	Fite, Lena.	Personal injuries, fall, condition of sidewalk, Stanton street, \$15,000.
"	44 479	Jan. 16, 1904	Fite, Abraham.	For loss of services of wife, injured in fall, Stanton street, \$5,000.
"	44 480	Jan. 16, 1904	Weineck, Oscar, vs. Board of Education of The City of New York.	Salary as Teacher of German, \$1,739.80.
Supreme, Kings Co.	44 481	Jan. 16, 1904	Tritt, George W., vs. Edward M. Grout, etc., and Benjamin May.	To restrain leasing of vacant lands at Wallabout Market.
"	44 482	Jan. 16, 1904	Laws, Harriet N.	Personal injuries, falling beam of telegraph pole, \$25,000.
Supreme ...	44 483	Jan. 16, 1904	Naimoli, Frank J. (ex rel.), vs. John F. Ahearn, etc.	Mandamus to compel removal of occupant of news stand, southeast corner of West Broadway.

"Suspension" Actions.

REGIS- TER AND FOLIO.	WHEN COMMENCED.	TITLE.	NATURE OF ACTION.
44 417	Jan. 11, 1904	Mundy, Edward P., vs. The City of New York et al.	Fireman, Fire Department, \$666.70.
40 202	Jan. 11, 1904	McGowan, George, vs. The City of New York et al.	Fireman, Fire Department, \$666.70.
44 418	Jan. 11, 1904	Hogan, George C., vs. The City of New York et al.	Fireman, Fire Department, \$666.70.
40 200	Jan. 12, 1904	Kearns, Garrett, vs. The City of New York et al.	Fireman, Fire Department, \$666.70.
44 429	Jan. 12, 1904	O'Connor, Richard, vs. The City of New York et al.	Fireman, Fire Department, \$666.70.
40 201	Jan. 12, 1904	Stoker, Department of Charities, #810.	Fireman, Fire Department, \$666.70.
44 449	Jan. 12, 1904	Caulker, Department of Water Supply, \$499.	Fireman, Fire Department, \$666.70.
40 209	Jan. 12, 1904	Toolman, Department of Water Supply, \$1,095.	Fireman, Fire Department, \$666.70.
44 461	Jan. 12, 1904	Stoker, Department of Charities, \$530.	Fireman, Fire Department, \$666.70.
40 207	Jan. 12, 1904	Caulker, Department of Water Supply, \$499.	Fireman, Fire Department, \$666.70.

"Prevailing Rate of Wages" Actions.

REGIS- TER AND FOLIO.	WHEN COMMENCED.	TITLE.	NATURE OF ACTION.
44 422	Jan. 12, 1904	Behr, Linos.	Stoker, Department of Charities, #810.
44 423	Jan. 12, 1904	Bryon, Frederick J.	Caulker, Department of Water Supply, \$499.
44 423	Jan. 12, 1904	Conroy, Joseph.	Toolman, Department of Water Supply, \$1,095.
44 424	Jan. 12, 1904	Greer, James.	Stoker, Department of Charities, \$530.
44 424	Jan. 12, 1904	Healey, William P.	Caulker, Department of Water Supply, \$499.
44 424	Jan. 12, 1904	Lewis, Michael.	Stoker, Department of Charities, \$540.
44 425	Jan. 12, 1904	Redding, James.	Caulker, Department of Water Supply, \$499.
44 425	Jan. 12, 1904	Neckermann, Richard.	Stoker, Department of Charities, \$315.
44 425	Jan. 12, 1904	Travers, Thomas F.	Carpenter, Department of Water Supply, \$939.

SCHEDULE "B."
Judgments, Orders and Decrees Entered.

Rufus Gibbs; Rudolph Berrian—Entered orders discontinuing actions without costs.

Diederich G. George—Decision entered directing judgment sustaining the demurrer to the complaint, without costs.

People ex rel. Central Crosstown Railroad Company vs. T. L. Feitner et al.—Order entered vacating assessment on relator's real estate for 1901.

People ex rel. Sixth Avenue Railroad Company vs. T. L. Feitner et al.—Order entered reducing assessment on relator's real property for 1901 to \$223,700.

People ex rel. Trustees of Masonic Hall and Asylum Fund vs. J. L. Wells et al.—Entered order granting defendants' motion to quash the writ of certiorari, with costs.

Mary Vandeski—Appellate Division order entered reversing the judgment appealed from, and directing a new trial with costs to appellant to abide the event.

Astoria Heights Land Company; Alfred Bridgeman et al.—Entered Appellate Division orders affirming the judgment appealed from, with costs to defendant.

People ex rel. Central Park, North and East River Railroad Company vs. T. L. Feitner et al.—Order entered canceling assessment on relator's real property for 1901.

People ex rel. Eugene J. McEnroe vs. J. L. Wells et al.—Appellate Division order entered sustaining the demurrer to amended return, and granting leave to respondents to further amend the return to writ of mandamus on payment of costs.

John C. McCord vs. E. Lauterbach et al.—Order entered denying plaintiff's motion to continue the injunction pendente lite, and vacating stay of proceedings.

Edward P. Hatch, etc.—Order entered discontinuing action without costs.

Margaret Goss—Entered judgment dismissing the complaint, and for \$106.85 costs.

Mayor, etc., vs. The New York Mutual Gas-light Company—Entered judgment that the City is seized in fee simple of lands under water at foot of Thirteenth street, East river.

People ex rel. Mary E. Kelly vs. R. H. Adams et al.—Entered Appellate Division order affirming the judgment of Trial Term, sustaining demurrer to alternative writ of mandamus, with costs to defendants.

People ex rel. Joseph J. Madden vs. J. N. Partridge—Entered judgment on Appellate Division order dismissing the writ of certiorari, for \$57.45 costs.

James F. McCabe vs. The City of New York et al.—Order entered sustaining the separate demurrers of defendants and dismissing the bill of complaint, with \$21.10 costs to City.

People ex rel. Archibald Robinson vs. T. Sturgis; People ex rel. Terence McArdle vs. J. M. Woodbury—Entered Appellate Division orders affirming Special Term orders denying motions for mandamus with costs to defendants.

Thomas McNamara and another vs. W. R. Willcox et al.—Entered judgment on order of remittitur from Court of Appeals, for \$111.45 costs.

People ex rel. William S. Hillman vs. G. Scholer et al.—Order entered directing that proceedings be remitted to Special Term for final order granting peremptory writ of mandamus.

People ex rel. James Crawford vs. H. S. Thompson—Order entered granting relator's motion for a peremptory writ of mandamus.

People ex rel. Standard Safe Deposit Company vs. J. L. Wells et al.—Order entered denying defendants' motion to quash the writ of certiorari, with \$10 costs to relator.

Ann Foley—Entered order denying defendant's motion for a new trial.

William F. Cunningham and another—Entered Appellate Division order affirming the order setting aside verdict of jury with costs to defendant.

City of New York vs. Metropolitan Street Railway Company; same vs. Charles A. Brown and another; George W. Sauer—Entered Appellate Division orders affirming the judgments appealed from, with costs and disbursements to respondents.

Salomon Landau, as administrator, etc.—Entered Appellate Division order reversing the judgment appealed from,

SCHEDULE "C."
Record of Court Work.

Harris Corpel—Tried before Herrick, J., and a jury. Verdict for plaintiff for \$450. J. A. Stover for the City.

Isaac A. Hopper—Reference proceeded and adjourned. E. J. Freedman for the City.

People ex rel. Martin H. O'Roarke vs. F. V. Greene. Submitted to Appellate Division; decision reserved. T. Farley for the City.

Frederick W. Bach—Tried before Truax, J., and a jury. Verdict for defendant. M. Hare for the City.

Elizabeth Blair—Complaint dismissed by default before Truax, J. I. T. Burden, Jr., for the City.

Nelson Zabriskie and another—Motion for order directing process to issue against O'Rourke Engineering Company, submitted to Adams, J., and granted. E. C. Kindleberger for the City.

People ex rel. Thomas F. Campbell vs. J. N. Partridge—Motion for order directing service of an amended return argued before Leventritt, J. Reference ordered. F. J. Byrne for the City.

Pople ex rel. William H. Arnold vs. T. L. Feitner et al.—Motion to vacate final order dismissing writ of certiorari, and to reopen proceedings, argued before Leventritt, J. Decision reserved. D. Rumsey for the City. "Motion denied."

Mary E. Coolidge, as administratrix, etc., vs. The City of New York et al.—Tried before Cochrane, J., and a jury. Verdict for plaintiff for \$22,000. Motion to set aside verdict as against the weight of evidence, and for excessive damages, argued. Decision reserved. W. J. O'Sullivan for the City. "Motion denied."

Robert Bishop—Motion for reargument of defendant's motion for a new trial, argued before Leventritt, J. Decision reserved. J. T. Malone for the City.

Maria Power—Complaint dismissed by default before Truax, J. I. T. Burden, Jr., for the City.

Jacob J. Durfield, as administrator, etc.—Tried before Truax, J., and a jury. Verdict for plaintiff for \$10,000. A. C. Butts for the City.

Riverside Park (Re Post et al.)—Reference proceeded and adjourned. C. A. O'Neil for the City.

People ex rel. W. L. Sexton & Co. vs. J. L. Wells et al.—Tried before Bischoff, J. Decision reserved. D. Rumsey for the City.

People ex rel. New York Produce Exchange vs. J. L. Wells et al.—Motion for a reference submitted to Bischoff, J., and granted. A. T. Campbell, Jr., for the City.

William W. Penfield—Tried before Scott, J. Judgment for plaintiff for \$173.25. C. A. O'Neil for the City.

Edward Coppers—Tried before Scott, J., and a jury. Juror withdrawn. M. Hare for the City.

Rapid Transit (Broadway, One Hundred and Twenty-second to One Hundred and Thirty-fifth streets). (Matter of Bien)—Motion for reargument of appeal submitted at Appellate Division. Decision reserved. J. H. Greener for the City. "Motion denied."

In re F. C. Schultz Lumber Company, bankrupt—Hearing on City's claim proceeded and adjourned. E. C. Kindleberger for the City.

People ex rel. Brooklyn, Queens County and Suburban Railway Company vs. T. L. Feitner et al. Reference proceeded and adjourned. G. S. Coleman for the City.

Giovannina De Nicola—Trial before Crane, J., and a jury. Verdict for defendant. P. E. Callahan for the City.

John J. Bradley—Tried before Smith, J., and a jury. Verdict for plaintiff for \$2,500. J. W. Covert for the City.

John Kinsey—Argued at Court of Appeals. Decision reserved. J. D. Bell for the City.

Michael Wagner—Tried before Smith, J., and a jury. Verdict for defendant. H. B. Brush for the City.

People ex rel. Frank Graham vs. J. N. Partridge. Reargued at Appellate Division. Decision reserved. J. D. Bell for the City.

James Dee—Tried before Smith, J., and a jury. Verdict for plaintiff for \$450. P. E. Callahan for the City.

William H. Gildersleeve vs. Board of Education—Motion to vacate judgment in favor of plaintiff, submitted to Keogh, J., and granted. S. K. Probasco for the City.

Patrick McAllister—Complaint dismissed by default before Marean, J. C. R. Hartmann for the City.

Joseph Buchanan—Tried before Garretson, J. Judgment for defendant. R. Weed for the City.

Hearings Before Commissioners of Estimate in Condemnation Proceedings.

Eighteenth to Twenty-third streets, North River Dock, three hearings; Pier No. 23, East River Dock; Bulkhead between Piers Nos. 23 and 24, East River Dock; Pier No. 24, East River Dock, one hearing each. C. D. Olendorf for the City.

Brooklyn Terminal for East River Bridge No. 2, three hearings; Manhattan approach to East River Bridge No. 3; Rapid Transit (Joralemon street), two hearings each; Rapid Transit (Bergen avenue and One Hundred and Forty-ninth street); Fourth Avenue Widening; Brooklyn approach to East River Bridge No. 2, one hearing each. C. N. Harris for the City.

Vernor Avenue Park, one hearing. J. T. Malone for the City.

SCHEDULE "D."

Contracts, etc., Drafted, Examined and Approved as to Form.

DEPARTMENT.	CONTRACTS APPROVED AS TO FORM.	CONTRACTS EXAMINED AND RETURNED FOR REVISION.	ADVERTISEMENTS APPROVED AS TO FORM.
Education	9	..	1
Parks	2	..	..
Docks	6	2	..
Police	5	..	2
Public Works	1	..	..
Borough Presidents	15	..	1
Street Cleaning	1	..	2
Bellevue and Allied Hospitals	15
Health	23
Total	77	2	7

Bonds Approved.

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SCHEDULE "E."

Opinions Rendered to the Various Departments.

DEPARTMENT.	NUMBER OF OPINIONS.
Finance	10
Fire	1
Charities	1
Parks	2
Docks	1
Education	3
Water Supply, Gas and Electricity	4
Borough Presidents	2
Street Cleaning	1
Municipal Civil Service Commission	1
Taxes and Assessments	3
Mayor	1
City Record	1
Estimate and Apportionment	2
Bureau of Licenses	1
Total	33

JOHN J. DELANY, Corporation Counsel.

BOARD OF ELECTIONS.

Meeting of the Board of Elections held Thursday, February 4, 1904, at 12 o'clock noon.

Present—Commissioners Voorhis, Page and Fuller.

The minutes of the meeting of the Board held on the 27th ult. were read and approved.

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

From N. Taylor Phillips, Secretary, Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, without date, calling the attention of the Board to certain resolutions adopted by said Commissioners in regard to the acquirement or disposition of property, by lease or otherwise, for public purposes.

Filed, and the Secretary directed to acknowledge the receipt thereof.

From William McKinny, Auditor of Accounts, Department of Finance, dated the 28th ult., in regard to the claim of David G. Legget for the rent of Room No. 405, Temple Bar Building, No. 42 Court street, occupied by the branch office of the Board for the Borough of Brooklyn.

Referred to the President to confer with the Finance Department in relation thereto.

From John J. Delany, Corporation Counsel, dated the 2d inst., giving, in response to a request by the Board, his opinion on the question in relation to the number of newspapers in which the publication of the list of polling places and election district boundaries is required to be made by law, for the special election to be held on the 23d day of February, 1904.

Filed.

From John L. O'Brien, Acting Corporation Counsel, dated the 4th inst., returning draft of blank proposal and advertisement for supplies required by the Board for the primary election to be held on March 29, 1904.

On motion, the said draft of blank proposal and advertisement were approved by the Board, the required number of copies directed to be printed, and when approved by the Corporation Counsel to be published in the "City Record," as provided by law.

At this stage of the proceedings Commissioner Maguire appeared and took part in the meeting.

From Cornelius F. Collins, Deputy Attorney General, dated the 2d inst., transmitting a copy of an opinion rendered by him in relation to the duties and functions of the State Superintendent of Elections for the Metropolitan Elections District in connection with the special election to fill the vacancy in the office of Representative in the Fifty-eighth Congress of the United States for the Twelfth Congressional District of the State of New York.

Filed.

From Thomas Darlington, President, Department of Health, dated the 2d inst., requesting a set of assembly district maps for New York City.

Filed, and request directed to be complied with.

From Cornelius F. Collins, Chairman, and Orlando C. Flynn, Secretary, the records of the proceedings of the Twelfth Congressional District Convention of the Democratic Party, which convened on the 1st inst. and nominated William Bourke Cockran for the office of Representative in Congress for said district, together with the certificate of nomination of said person for said office.

Filed, and certificate referred to the Chief Clerk of the Board to be recorded in the Book of Nominations.

From Henry Engel, Chairman, and S. Goldbarth, Secretary, a certificate purporting that at a convention of delegates representing the Social Democratic Party, held on the 27th day of January, 1904, Edward Cassidy was nominated for the office of Representative in Congress for the Twelfth Congressional District.

Referred to the Chief Clerk of the Board to be entered in Book of Nominations.

From William J. Beattie, Borough of Brooklyn, dated the 22d ult., asking for the removal of Edward J. Walsh and Charles Kling, Republican Inspectors of Elections for the Sixteenth Election District, Second Assembly District, Kings County, on the ground of the failure of said persons to enroll and declare their party affiliation in October, 1903.

On motion, communication ordered filed, and writer to be informed that it is the opinion of the Board that the grounds stated do not constitute a legal disqualification, and therefore are insufficient to warrant a removal of the officers.

From the Co-operative Law Company, R. V. Ingorsoll, Attorney, dated the 27th ult., stating that the Brooklyn District Telegraph Company has placed in its hands for collection a claim for services rendered to the Brooklyn Board of Elections from December, 1897, to January, 1898, inclusive, and asking to be advised when a settlement of the same may be expected.

Communication filed and the Secretary directed to notify the Co-operative Law Company that the Board has no record or knowledge of the merits of the claim.

From the Mercantile Finance Company, William J. Kennedy, General Manager, dated the 3d inst., in reference to its position as assignee of an Election Inspector's claim for services.

Filed.

From the Chief Clerk of the Board, dated the 29th ult., reporting the receipt of a communication by him from the Chief Clerk of the Queens Borough office transmitting the written resignations of the four Inspectors of Elections for the Twentieth Election District, First Assembly District, Queens.

On motion, said resignations were accepted and communications filed, and the Secretary directed to notify the Chief Clerk of the Queens Borough office thereof.

From the Martin B. Brown Company, dated the 29th ult., proposing to print and deliver ballots for the special election for a Representative in Congress, for the Twelfth Congressional District, to be held on February 23, 1904, viz.: 70,400 official and 17,600 sample ballots for the sum of \$723.75.

On motion, the said proposal was accepted and communication filed.

From P. H. Keahon, dated the 3d inst., proposal for doing the cartage in connection with special election for Representative in Congress in the Twelfth Congressional District, to be held February 23, 1904, at the rate of \$2.40 per election district.

Communication filed, and the following resolution thereupon adopted, viz.:

Resolved, That the proposal of P. H. Keahon, of No. 108 Tenth avenue, for cartage of polling place fittings, voting booths and ballot boxes for the day of registry (February 13, 1904) and special election (February 23, 1904), from places of storage to polling places in the several election districts of the Eighteenth, Twenty-first, Twenty-fourth and Twenty-fifth Police Precincts (comprised in the Twelfth Congressional District), returning the same to the places of storage after the election, for the sum and price of \$2.40 per election district, be and hereby is accepted.

The following resolutions were adopted, viz.:

Resolved, That the location of the polling places heretofore designated in the following-named election and Assembly districts be and the same are changed, for the reasons given below:

Eighteenth Election District, Twenty-second Assembly District, from southeast corner of Fiftieth street and First avenue, steel booth, to No. 874 First avenue, toy store.

Cause, changed from steel polling booth.

Twentieth Election District, Twenty-fourth Assembly District, from No. 226 East Sixty-third street, carriage factory, to No. 1083 Third avenue, undertaker.

Cause, No. 226 East Sixty-third street unavailable.

Seventh Election District, Twenty-second Assembly District, from southeast corner of Forty-first street and Second avenue, steel polling booth, to No. 774 Second avenue, laundry.

Cause, changed from steel polling booth.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 10, chapter 909, Laws of 1896, as amended, notice of the day for the special election (February 23, 1904) for Representative in the Fifty-eighth Congress of the United States, for the Twelfth Congressional District, State of New York, and of the day for the revision of registration therefor (February 13, 1904), also the location of the polling places of the election districts and their boundaries, as comprised in the Twelfth Congressional District (Borough of Manhattan), be and hereby is authorized to be published on February 12, 13, 20 and 23, 1904 (four insertions), in the following daily newspapers, published in the Borough of Manhattan, at rates per one thousand ems, agate measurement, not to exceed the prices herein below stated, viz.:

The Sun, per 1,000 ems, agate type.....	\$13 60
The Mail and Express, per 1,000 ems, agate type.....	13 80
The Tribune, per 1,000 ems, agate type.....	13 80
New York Daily News, per 1,000 ems, agate type.....	12 40
The New York American, per 1,000 ems, agate type.....	16 66 2-3
The Morning Telegraph, per 1,000 ems, agate type.....	13 20
 The following bills were approved and ordered to be transmitted to the Finance Department for payment, viz.:	
Morgan & Bro. (storage).....	\$237 50
Yetter & Co. (storage).....	125 00
 Total.....	<u><u>\$362 50</u></u>

The Board then considered the matter of the charges against the election officers of the Twenty-first Election District and Thirty-first Election District of the Nineteenth Assembly District and the Ninth, Tenth, Eleventh, Thirteenth, Fourteenth and Fifteenth election districts of the Twelfth Assembly District, New York County, upon which hearings had heretofore been given, and, on motion, the following preamble and resolutions were adopted, viz.:

Whereas, A complaint was filed with the Board of Elections, dated November 20, 1903, signed by John J. Murphy, Secretary of the Citizens' Union organization of The City of New York, wherein the election officers acting at the general election in this City, held November 3, 1903, in the Twenty-first Election District and Thirty-first Election District of the Nineteenth Assembly District of the County of New York; also the election officers likewise acting at said election in the Ninth Election District, Tenth Election District, Eleventh Election District, Thirteenth Election District, Fourteenth Election District and Fifteenth Election District of the Twelfth Assembly District of the County of New York, are severally and respectively charged with making and certifying to false returns of the number of votes cast at the election held November 3, 1903, in said election districts to which they were respectively assigned for duty and service; and

Whereas, Charges in writing based on said complaint, with notice of a hearing thereon, were duly served on each of said officers of election, and a hearing held December 2, 1903, by the Board of Elections, pursuant to said notice, and after due consideration of the statements and testimony submitted in support of and in opposition to said charges, be it

Resolved, That the charges made by John J. Murphy, Secretary of the Citizens' Union organization of The City of New York, against

James Hogan, Inspector, Twenty-first Election District, Nineteenth Assembly District;

Michael Cleary, Inspector, Twenty-first Election District, Nineteenth Assembly District;

Jacob H. Forshay, Inspector, Twenty-first Election District, Nineteenth Assembly District;

Frank A. C. Niemann, Inspector, Twenty-first Election District, Nineteenth Assembly District;

Wm. H. Robertson, Poll Clerk, Twenty-first Election District, Nineteenth Assembly District;

Harry Freund, Poll Clerk, Twenty-first Election District, Nineteenth Assembly District;

Morris Loewenstein, Inspector, Thirty-first Election District, Nineteenth Assembly District;

Charles F. Thomas, Inspector, Thirty-first Election District, Nineteenth Assembly District;

John M. Burke, Inspector, Thirty-first Election District, Nineteenth Assembly District;

Conrad Brehmer, Inspector, Thirty-first Election District, Nineteenth Assembly District;

George V. Miller, Poll Clerk, Thirty-first Election District, Nineteenth Assembly District;

John A. Donohue, Poll Clerk, Thirty-first Election District, Nineteenth Assembly District;

—be and are sustained, and the said named persons are hereby removed and dismissed as officers of election in said election districts and assembly district; also

Resolved, That the charges made by John J. Murphy, Secretary of the Citizens' Union organization of The City of New York, against

John J. Burke, Inspector, Ninth Election District, Twelfth Assembly District;

Thomas Gilligan, Inspector, Ninth Election District, Twelfth Assembly District;

Morris Stern, Inspector, Ninth Assembly District, Twelfth Election District;

Henry Jacobs, Inspector, Ninth Election District, Twelfth Assembly District;

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—be and are hereby dismissed.

On motion, the communication from John J. Murphy, Secretary, Citizens' Union of The City of New York, dated the 13th instant, in relation to the above matter, which was laid on the table at the meeting of the Board held on the 20th ultimo, was taken therefrom, and, together with all the other papers in the matter, ordered to be filed, and the Secretary directed to notify all the interested parties of the action taken by the Board.

The Board then adjourned.

CHARLES B. PAGE, Secretary.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

LOCAL BOARD—THE HEIGHTS DISTRICT.

Monday, February 1, 1904.

Meeting in Borough Hall, at 2:30 p. m.

The roll was called and the following members answered to their names:

Hon. Martin W. Littleton, President, presiding; Alderman Downing, Forty-fifth Aldermanic District; Alderman Bridges, Forty-sixth Aldermanic District; Alderman Wafer, Forty-seventh Aldermanic District.

No. 1.

The President presented a petition to extend Columbia place from Joralemon street to Remsen street; and in connection therewith a petition to lay out a park bounded by Remsen street, Joralemon street, Furman street and the proposed extension of Columbia place.

The following reports from the Chief Engineer of the Bureau of Highways were submitted:

January 14, 1904.

J. C. BRACKENRIDGE, Esq., Commissioner of Public Works, Borough of Brooklyn:

Dear Sir—I return you herewith petition for a change in the map of The City of New York by extending Columbia place from Joralemon street to Remsen street.

This is a street 50 feet wide, and which, while not very long, extends through some very valuable property. I think that the matter should have very careful attention before anything is done. As I understand the law, the Local Board would have no province in this matter, except to make a recommendation to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

Map and technical description also herewith sent.

Respectfully,
(Signed) GEO. W. TILLSON, Chief Engineer.

January 19, 1904.

J. C. BRACKENRIDGE, Esq., Commissioner of Public Works, Borough of Brooklyn:

Dear Sir—I return you herewith map and technical description for the extension of

Columbia place, from Joralemon street and Remsen street.

This extension will take very valuable property, and the petition is signed by only two people. The project is so little value, in my opinion, that I would recommend that it be gone into very carefully before any final action is taken.

Petition for same is herewith returned.

Respectfully,
(Signed) GEO. W. TILLSON, Chief Engineer.

January 19, 1904.

J. C. BRACKENRIDGE, Esq., Commissioner of Public Works, Borough of Brooklyn:

Dear Sir—I return you herewith petition for a park to be bounded by Remsen street, Joralemon street, Furman street, and the proposed extension of Columbia place, together with map and technical description for the same, the map showing the assessed valuation, which is \$269,200. This is a very large amount to be paid for a park of that size.

Respectfully,
(Signed) GEO. W. TILLSON, Chief Engineer.

The following persons were heard in favor of the proposed park: Former Judge George B. Reynolds, Former Corporation Counsel James McKeen, Former Park Commissioner George V. Brower, Former Sheriff Norman S. Dike, Assemblyman O'Neill, Mr. Bellamy and Mr. Pelletreau.

Resolutions recommending to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment the alteration of the map or plan of The City of New York by extending Columbia place from Joralemon street to Remsen street; and laying out a park bounded by Remsen street, Joralemon street, Furman street and the proposed extension of Columbia place; and that the cost of said extension and park be assessed upon the City at large, were adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Downing, Bridges and Wafer. President Littleton not voting.

President Littleton explained his reason for not voting as follows:

"As I am a member of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and have to vote finally on this proposition before that body, and as this is the first hearing had, I do not intend to vote for or against it, but will attend to it when I can vote effectively. I will let it go on, but I want it understood that my objection to voting on it is that I wish to be fully informed before acting decisively.

"I am opposed to laying out the street, unless for the purpose of a park. I am not going to commit myself one way or the other at the present time, inasmuch as this is simply an introductory action."

Adjournment.

JOHN A. HEFFERNAN, Secretary.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

JOINT MEETING OF THE LOCAL BOARDS—FLATBUSH AND BUSHWICK DISTRICTS.

Thursday, February 4, 1904.

Meeting in Borough Hall, at 11 a. m.

The roll was called and the following members answered to their names:

Hon. Martin W. Littleton, President, presiding; Alderman Wentz, Sixty-first Aldermanic District; Alderman Hann, Sixty-third Aldermanic District; Alderman Bennett, Sixty-fifth Aldermanic District; Alderman Grimm, Sixty-sixth Aldermanic District.

No. 1.

The President submitted to the Board a petition signed by the Brownsville Association, Clifford S. Kelsey, president, for a change of grade of the territory lying in the Twenty-sixth and Thirty-second Wards, Borough of Brooklyn, bounded by Blake avenue, Newport street, Thatford avenue and Amboy street, together with a report and technical description prepared by the Chief Engineer of the Bureau of Highways.

Alderman Hann stated that he had not had an opportunity to investigate this matter, and moved that it be laid over for future consideration.

Mr. Clifford S. Kelsey was heard on behalf of the Brownsville Association.

President Littleton stated that he had investigated the proposed change of grade, and was in favor of it.

The motion to lay over was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Wentz, Hann, Bennett and Grimm.

Negative—President Littleton.

Adjournment.

JOHN A. HEFFERNAN, Secretary.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

Office of the City Clerk, City Hall, New York, February 9, 1904.

Public notice is hereby given that the Committee on Buildings of the Board of Aldermen will hold a public hearing in the Aldermanic Chamber, in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, on Monday, February 15, 1904, at 2:30 o'clock P. M., on an ordinance in relation to erection of buildings.

All persons interested in the above matter are respectfully requested to attend.

P. J. SCULLY,
Clerk of the Board of Aldermen.



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DANIEL NOBLE, Surrogate.
Office at Jamaica.

Except on Sundays, holidays and half holidays the office is open between March 31 and October 1 from 8 a. m. to 5 p. m.; on Saturdays from 8 a. m. to 12 m.; between September 30 and April 1, from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m.

Surrogate's Court sits on Thursday and Friday of each week, except during the month of August, when no court is held. Calendar called at 10 a. m.

COUNTY COURT.

County Court-house, Long Island City. County Court opens at 9:30 a. m.; adjourns at 5 p. m.; County Judge's office always open at Flushing, N. Y.

BURT J. HUMPHREY, County Judge.

SHERIFF.

County Court-house, Long Island City, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m.

JOSEPH MEYERSON, Sheriff; JOSIAH C. BENNETT, Under Sheriff.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

Office, Queens County Court-house, Long Island City, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.
GEORGE A. GREGG, District Attorney.

COUNTY CLERK.

Jamaica, N. Y., Fourth Ward, Borough of Queens.
Office hours, April 1 to October 1, 8 a. m. to 5 p. m.; October 1 to April 1, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturdays, to 12 m.

County and Supreme Court held at the Queens County Court-house, Long Island City. Court opens at 9:30 a. m., to adjourn 5 p. m.

DAVID L. VON NOSTRAND, County Clerk.

CHARLES DOWNEY, Deputy County Clerk.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

Office hours, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.

EDWARD J. KNAUER, Commissioner.

H. HOMER MOORE, Assistant Commissioner.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.

No. 103 Third street, Long Island City, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.

CHARLES A. WADLEY, Public Administrator.

RICHMOND COUNTY OFFICES.**COURT, JUDGE AND SURROGATE.**

Terms of Court, Richmond County, 1904.

County Courts—STEPHEN D. STEPHENS, County Judge.

First Monday of June, Grand and Trial Jury; First Monday of December, Grand and Trial Jury;

Fourth Wednesday of January, without a Jury; Fourth Wednesday of February, without a Jury;

Fourth Wednesday of March, without a Jury; Fourth Wednesday of April, without a Jury;

Fourth Wednesday of July, without a Jury; Fourth Wednesday of September, without a Jury;

Fourth Wednesday of October, without a Jury; All at the Court-house at Richmond.

Surrogate's Court—STEPHEN D. STEPHENS, Surrogate.

Mondays, at the First National Bank Building, St. George, at 10:30 o'clock A. M.

Tuesdays, at the First National Bank Building, St. George, at 10:30 o'clock A. M.

Wednesdays, at the Surrogate's Office, Richmond, at 10:30 o'clock A. M.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

Port Richmond, S. I.

Office hours, from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and from 1 p. m. to 5 p. m.

EDWARD S. RAWSON, District Attorney.

COUNTY CLERK.

County Office Building, Richmond, S. I., 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

C. L. BOSTWICK, County Clerk.

County Court-house, Richmond, S. I., 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

SHERIFF.

CHARLES J. McCORMACK, Sheriff.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

Village Hall, Stapleton.

CHARLES J. KULLMAN, Commissioner.

J. LOUIS GARRETSON, Commissioner.

Office open from 9 a. m. until 4 p. m.; Saturdays, from 9 a. m. to 12 m.

THE COURTS.**APPELLATE DIVISION SUPREME COURT.****FIRST JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.**

Court-house, Madison avenue, corner Twenty-fifth street. Court opens at 1 p. m.

CHARLES H. VAN BRUNT, Presiding Justice; EDWARD PATTERSON, MORGAN J. O'BRIEN, GEORGE L. INGRAM, CHESTER B. McLAUGHLIN, EDWARD W. HATCH, FRANK C. LAUGHLIN, Justices; ALFRED WAGSTAFF, Clerk. WILLIAM LAMB, JR., Deputy Clerk.

Clerk's Office opens at 9 a. m.

SUPREME COURT—FIRST DEPARTMENT.

County Court-house, Chambers street. Courts open from 10:15 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Special Term, Part I. (motions), Room No. 12.

Hundred and Twentieth street, between Seventh avenue and Broadway; north of the centre line of One Hundred and Nineteenth street, between Broadway and the North or Hudson river, and west of the centre line of Lenox or Sixth avenue and of the Harlem river; north of the terminus of Lenox or Sixth avenue. Court-room, 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. HERMAN B. WILSON, Clerk.

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

ALFRED P. W. SEAMON, Justice. JAMES V. GILLOON, Clerk.

Thirteenth District—South side of Delancey street, from East river to Pitt street; east side of Pitt street, Grand street, south side of Grand street to Norfolk street, east side of Norfolk street to Division street, south side of Division street to Catharine street, east side of Catharine street to East river. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

LEON SONDER, Justice; JAMES J. DEVLIN, Clerk. Court-room, No. 200 East Broadway.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

First District—All that part of the Twenty-fourth Ward which was lately annexed to the City and County of New York by chapter 1034 of the Laws of 1895, comprising all of the late Town of Westchester, and part of the Towns of Eastchester and Pelham, including the Villages of Wakefield and Williamsbridge. Court-room, Town Hall, Main street, Westchester Village. Court opens daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Trial of causes are Tuesday and Friday of each week.

WILLIAM W. PENFIELD, Justice. THOMAS F. DELEHANTY, Clerk.

Office hours from 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Saturdays, closing at 12 M.

Second District—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, except the territory described in chapter 1034 of the Laws of 1895. Court-room, corner Third avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street. Office hours from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court opens at 10 A. M.

JOHN M. TIERNEY, Justice. THOMAS A. MAHER, Clerk.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

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

JOHN J. WALSH, Justice. EDWARD MORAN, Clerk.

Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Calendar called at 10 A. M.

Second District—Seventh, Ninth, Eleventh, Twentieth, Twenty-first and Twenty-third Wards. Court-room located at No. 1217 Bedford avenue, Brooklyn. Calendar called at 10 o'clock A. M.

GERARD B. VAN WART, Justice. WILLIAM H. ALLEN, Clerk.

Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

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

WILLIAM J. LYNCH, Justice. JOHN W. CARPENTER, Clerk.

Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Court opens at 10 o'clock.

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

THOMAS H. WILLIAMS, Justice. HERMAN GOHLSINGHORST, Clerk; JAMES P. SINNOTT, Assistant Clerk.

Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Fifth District—Eighth, Twenty-second, Twenty-ninth, Thirtieth, Thirty-first and Thirty-second Wards. Court-house, Bay Twenty-second street and Bath avenue, Bath Beach. Telephone, 83 Bath.

CORNELIUS FURGUESON, Justice. JEREMIAH J. O'LEARY, Clerk.

Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

First District—First Ward (all of Long Island City, formerly composing five wards). Court-room, No. 46 Jackson avenue, Long Island City.

Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. each day, excepting Saturdays, closing at 12 M. Trial days, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. All other business transacted on Tuesdays and Thursdays.

THOMAS C. KADEN, Justice. THOMAS F. KENDY, Clerk.

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

WILLIAM RASQUIN, Jr., Justice. HENRY WALTER, Jr., Clerk.

Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Third District—JAMES F. MC LAUGHLIN, 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. KENNY, Justice. FRANCIS F. LEMAN, Clerk.

Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Court held each day, except Saturdays, from 10 A. M.

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

GEORGE W. STAKE, Justice. PETER TIERNAN, Clerk.

Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Court held each day from 10 A. M., and continues until close of business.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

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

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

36. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for the public place and Lane avenue, at the junction of Westchester avenue and West Farms road, and to the street connecting West Farms road near Old Fire Engine-house with Public Dock on Westchester creek, as shown on a map entitled

"Map or plan showing the locating and laying out and the grades of West Farms road from the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad to Westchester creek, and of a public place near junction of Westchester avenue," dated October 19, 1903.

37. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for Taylor street, from Morris Park avenue to West Farms road.

38. Regulating and grading, setting curbstones, flagging sidewalks a space 4 feet wide, laying crosswalks, building approaches and erecting fences where necessary in Taylor street, from Morris Park avenue to West Farms road.

39. Constructing temporary sewer and appurtenances in Taylor street, from the existing sewer east of Columbus avenue to the Harlem River Branch of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad.

The petition for the above will be submitted by me to the Local Board having jurisdiction thereof on February 25, 1904, at 3 P. M., at the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, Municipal Building, Crotona Park, One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue.

Dated FEBRUARY 10, 1904.

LOUIS F. HAFFEN, President.

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

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

27. Paving with asphalt blocks on concrete Wales avenue, from St. Joseph's (One Hundred and Forty-fourth) street to East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, and setting curb where necessary.

28. Paving with granite block pavement on sand foundation Park avenue, from East One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street to East One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, and setting curb where necessary.

29. Regulating and grading, setting curbstones, flagging sidewalks a space 4 feet wide, laying crosswalks, building approaches and erecting fences where necessary in Grant avenue, from East One Hundred and Sixty-first street to East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street.

30. Regulating and grading, setting curbstones and flagging sidewalks a space 4 feet wide, laying crosswalks, building approaches and erecting fences where necessary in East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street, from Morris avenue to East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street.

31. Constructing sewers and appurtenances in Grant avenue, between East One Hundred and Sixty-third street and East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, and in East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth and in East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth streets, between Grant and Sherman avenues.

32. Constructing a sewer and appurtenances in Park avenue, between Third avenue and East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street, with branch in East One Hundred and Eighty-eighth street, between Park and Third avenues.

33. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for the legal opening of Riverdale avenue, from the junction of West Two Hundred and Thirtieth street, northerly to the intersection of Spuyten Duyvil road.

34. Laying out on the map of The City of New York a widening of Third avenue, between Lorillard place and Washington avenue, so as to make the northeasterly side thereof conform to the old line of said avenue.

35. Altering, changing or amending the map of The City of New York by removing therefrom the portion of Jennings street shown thereon between the easterly side of Edgewater road and Bronx river.

The petitions for the above will be submitted by me to the Local Board having jurisdiction thereof on February 25, 1904, at 4 P. M., at the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, Municipal Building, Crotona Park, One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue.

Dated FEBRUARY 10, 1904.

LOUIS F. HAFFEN, President.

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF RICHMOND, FIRST NATIONAL BANK BUILDING, ST. GEORGE, NEW BRONX, NEW YORK CITY.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE RECEIVED by the President of the Borough of Richmond, at the above office until 3 o'clock P. M., on

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 1904.

Borough of Richmond.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING A TEMPORARY STORM WATER SEWER IN GORDON AND HUDSON STREETS, IN THE SECOND WARD.

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

329 linear feet fifteen-inch vitrified stoneware pipe.

270 linear feet twelve-inch vitrified stoneware pipe.

1 receiving-basin.

2 manholes.

2 cubic yards cement rubble masonry.

48 linear feet cast-iron pipe, 16 inches in diameter.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is 15 days.

The amount of security required is Five Hundred Dollars (\$500).

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR REGULATING, GRADING AND PAVING WITH MACADAM PAVEMENT FIRST STREET, from York avenue to Franklin avenue.

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

450 cubic yards excavation.

1,375 square yards macadam pavement.

125 square yards new granite block pavement.

550 square yards new belgian block pavement.

20 square yards old stone block relaid.

1,730 linear feet new curbstone.

30 linear feet old curbstone reset.

7,000 square feet new flagstone laid.

300 square feet old flagstone relaid.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is 45 days.

The amount of security required is Two Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$2,500).

No. 3. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR REGULATING, GRADING AND PAVING WITH MACADAM PAVEMENT HATFIELD AVENUE, from Richmond avenue to Nicholas avenue, and LAFAYETTE AVENUE, SHARP AVENUE AND ELM STREET, from Harrison avenue to Hatfield avenue.

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

600 cubic yards excavation.
6,650 square yards macadam pavement.
200 square yards new belgian block pavement.

60 square yards old stone blocks relaid.

30 square yards old cobble gutters relaid.

2,050 square feet new bridgestone laid.

260 square feet old bridgestone relaid.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is 60 days.

The amount of security required is Three Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$3,500).

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

The bidder will state the price of each term or article contained in the specifications for schedules he has annexed, per linear foot, per board measure, barrel or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the President, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to 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 Commissioner of Public Works. The plans and drawings may be seen and other information obtained at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works of the Borough of Richmond, Richmond Building, New Brighton, Borough of Richmond.

GEORGE CROMWELL, President.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, February 8, 1904.

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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 8, 1904.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, AS REQUIRED by the Greater New York Charter, that the books

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 Buildings at the above office of the Department of Education until 10 o'clock, A. M., on

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 1904.
Borough of The Bronx.

NO. 3. GENERAL CONSTRUCTION (CONTRACT NO. 1) AND PLUMBING AND DRAINAGE (CONTRACT NO. 1) OF ADDITION TO AND ALTERATIONS IN PUBLIC SCHOOL NO. 11, ON WEST SIDE OF OGDEN AVENUE, BETWEEN ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-NINTH STREET AND MERRIAM AVENUE, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 200 working days.

The amount of security required is as follows:

Item 1 \$40,000 00

Item 2 400 00

No. 4. GLASS TO BE FURNISHED TO THE VARIOUS SCHOOLS IN THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

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

The amount of security required is Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars.

Borough of Manhattan.

NO. 5. FURNITURE OF NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL NO. 106, ON MOTI AND ELIZABETH STREETS, ABOUT 100 FEET NORTH OF SPRING STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be as follows: Sixty (60) working days for the first section and sixty (60) working days for the second section, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows:

Item 1 \$1,500 00

Item 2 1,500 00

Item 3 1,500 00

Item 4 5,000 00

Item 5 1,500 00

On Contract No. 4 the bids will be compared and the contract awarded in a lump sum to the lowest bidder.

On Contracts 3 and 5 the bidders must state the price of each or any article or item contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed by which the bids will be tested.

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

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

Blank forms may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Superintendent, at Estimating Room, Hall of the Board of Education, Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan.

C. P. J. SNYDER,
Superintendent of School Buildings.

FEBRUARY 3, 1904.

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DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING, NEW YORK, February 9, 1904.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT written applications for non-competitive examinations for the following positions on the steam dumpers "Cinderella," "Aschenbroedel" and "Cenerentola," pursuant to a resolution of the Municipal Civil Service Commission, February 1, 1904, will be received at the Main Office of the Department of Street Cleaning, on the fourteenth floor of No. 13-21 Park row, Room No. 1416, on Wednesdays of each week at 2 P. M.:

3 Masters.

3 Mates.

6 Marine Enginemen.

12 Deckhands.

12 Firemen.

(Signed) JOHN McGAW WOODBURY,
Commissioner.

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MAIN OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING, ROOM 1421, NOS. 13-21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE RECEIVED by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning at the above office until 2 o'clock P. M., on

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 1904.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.
CONTRACT FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR TOWING SCOWS AND UNLOADING THEM AT RIKER'S ISLAND.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is one year.

The amount of security required is Thirty Thousand Dollars.

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

Each bid must state the price per scow load (per "small" scow, per "large" scow, per "extra large" scow, and per "special extra large" scow), and these prices must be written out, and must also be given in figures.

Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check on a solvent banking corporation in The City of New York, payable to the order of the Comptroller of The City of New York, for five per centum of the amount for which the work bid for is proposed in one year to be performed.

From the bids received the Commissioner of Street Cleaning may select the bid the acceptance of which will in his judgment best secure the efficient performance of the work, or he may reject any or all of said bids.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Department of Street Cleaning, the Borough of Manhattan, Nos. 13-21 Park row.

JOHN McG. WOODBURY,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

Dated 1904.

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

MAIN OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING, ROOM 1421, NOS. 13-21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE RECEIVED by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning at the above office until 2 o'clock P. M., on

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 1904.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.
CONTRACT FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING LUMBER.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies, and the performance of the contract, is by or before December 31, 1904.

The amount of security required is fifty per cent.

(50%) of the amount of the bid or estimate.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications, per thousand feet board measure, or other unit of measure by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total for each class and awards made to the lowest bidder on each class.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Department of Street Cleaning, the Borough of Manhattan, Nos. 13-21 Park row.

JOHN McG. WOODBURY,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

Dated FEBRUARY 3, 1904.

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

ASHES, ETC., FOR FILLING IN LANDS.

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

JOHN McGAW WOODBURY,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 61 ELM STREET, NEW YORK, February 11, 1904.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a public hearing will be held at the office of the Commission, No. 61 Elm street, New York City, on Wednesday, February 17, 1904, at 3 P. M., on the following matters:

(1) Amending the classification of positions in the Exempt Class in the Department of Taxes and Assessments, by including therein all Deputy Tax Commissioners.

(2) Amending the classification of positions in the Exempt Class, Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, by including therein the position of Superintendent of Ponds and Reservoirs.

(3) Striking from the classification of positions in the Labor Class, Part I, the position of Driver, with horse and cart, or Driver, with wagon and team.

(4) Amending the classification of positions in the Non-competitive Class, by including therein the position of Printer.

(5) Amending clause 3 of Rule XIX., so as to read as follows:

"Part I. Laborers and mechanics registered for employment in a designated borough.

"Part II. Mechanics registered for employment in a designated borough, subject to trade examination;"

and that the classification of the Labor Class be amended by consolidating Parts I. and II. as they now exist, Part III, as it is now known to be designated as Part II.

HENRY BERLINGER, Secretary.

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PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT open competitive examinations will be held for the following positions:

FEBRUARY 6, 1904.

CLERK (MEN ONLY) First to Fourth Grades, Salary \$750 to \$1,200.

Time and place of examination to be announced hereafter.

The subjects and weights of the examination are as follows:

Spelling 15
Dictation 15
Handwriting 30
Arithmetic 20
Letter-writing 20

Required percentage is 80. The number of vacancies can not be foretold, but about 50 appointments were made in the year 1903.

The receipt of applications will close on February 23, at 4 P. M.

The minimum age is 21.

FEBRUARY 6, 1904.

JUNIOR ASSISTANT LIBRARIAN—QUEENS BOROUGH.

Thursday, March 3, 1904, 10 A. M., at 61 Elm street.

The receipt of applications for this examination will close on Tuesday, February 23, at 4 P. M.

The subjects and weights of the examination are as follows:

Special examination covering library work... 6
Experience 3
Arithmetic 1

Required percentage is 70.

There are, approximately, four vacancies to be filled.

The minimum age is 18.

FEBRUARY 6, 1904.

STENOGRAPHER AND TYPEWRITER (WOMEN ONLY) First to Fourth Grades, Salary, \$750 to \$1,200 per annum, Tuesday, March 1, 1904, at 10 A. M. (and later dates, if necessary), at No. 61 Elm street.

The receipt of applications for this examination will close on Tuesday, February 23, at 4 P. M.

The subjects and weights of the examination are as follows:

Accuracy 4
Speed 2
Handwriting 1
Letter-writing 1
Arithmetic 1

Required percentage is 70. It is impossible to foretell the number of vacancies likely to occur, but between 40 and 50 appointments were made during the year 1903. The minimum age is 18.

FEBRUARY 6, 1904.

TYPEWRITING COPYIST (MEN AND WOMEN), First to Third Grades, Salary, \$750 to \$1,200. Wednesday, March 6, 1904, at 10 A. M. (and later dates, if necessary) at 61 Elm street.

The receipt of applications will close on Tuesday, February 23, at 4 P. M.

The subjects and weights of the examination are as follows:

Accuracy 4
Speed 3
Spelling 1
Arithmetic 1
Letter 1

Required percentage is 70.

The minimum age is 18.

HENRY BERLINGER,
Secretary.

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MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, NO. 61 ELM STREET, CITY OF NEW YORK.

PUBLIC NOTICE WILL BE GIVEN OF ALL competitive examinations two weeks in advance of the date upon which the receipt of applications for any scheduled examination will be received for only such examinations as are scheduled.

When an examination is advertised, a person desiring to compete in the same may obtain an application blank upon request made in writing, or by personal application at the office of the Commission.

All notices of examinations will be posted in the office of the Commission, City Hall, Municipal Building, Brooklyn, and advertised in the "City Record" for two weeks in advance of the date upon which the receipt of applications will close for any stated position.

Public notice will also be given by advertisement in most of the City papers.

Wherever an examination is of a technical character, due notice is given by advertisement in the technical journals appertaining to the particular profession for which the examination is called.

Such notices will be sent to the daily papers as matters of news, and to the General Postoffice and stations thereof. The scope of the examination will be stated, but for more general information application should be made at the office of the Commission.

Unless otherwise specifically stated the minimum age requirement for all positions is 21.

HENRY BERLINGER, Secretary.

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BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

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

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

List 7770, No. 1. Paving St. Paul's court, between St. Paul's place and Ocean avenue, with asphalt pavement.

List 7791, No. 2. Flagging sidewalk on the north side of Forty-eighth street, between Fourth and Fifth avenues.

List 7792, No. 3. Flagging sidewalk on the north side of Glenmore avenue, between Ashford and Cleveland streets.

List 7793, No. 4. Flagging sidewalk on the north side of Glenmore avenue, between Elton and Linwood streets.

List 7794, No. 5. Flagging sidewalk on the north side of Glenmore avenue, between Cleveland and Linwood streets.

List 7795,

List 7848, No. 18. Fencing lots on the south side of Atlantic avenue, between Jerome and Warwick streets, and on the west side of Warwick street, between Atlantic and Liberty avenues.

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 Sixty-fifth street, from a point distant about 145 feet west of Fifth avenue to Eighth avenue; both sides of Sixty-sixth street, from Fourth to Eighth avenue; both sides of Sixty-seventh street, from Fourth to Eighth avenue; both sides of Sixty-eighth street, from a point distant about 534 feet west of Eighth avenue to Eighth avenue; both sides of Bay Ridge avenue, from Fourth avenue to a point distant about 351 feet east of Eighth avenue; both sides of Ovington avenue and Seventieth street, from Fourth avenue to a point distant about 544 feet east of Eighth avenue; both sides of Seventy-first street, from Sixth avenue to Fort Hamilton avenue, from Fourth avenue to a point distant about 351 feet east of Eighth avenue; both sides of Seventy-second street, from Sixth avenue to Fort Hamilton avenue; both sides of Seventy-third street, from Sixth avenue to Fort Hamilton avenue; both sides of Fourth avenue, from Ovington avenue to Senator street; both sides of Senator street, from Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue; both sides of Fifth avenue, from Sixty-ninth street to Ovington avenue; both sides of Sixth avenue, from Sixty-fourth to Seventy-third street; both sides of Seventh avenue, from Sixty-fourth to Seventy-fourth street; both sides of Eighth avenue, from Sixty-seventh to Seventy-third street; west side of Fort Hamilton avenue, from Seventy-second to Seventy-fourth street; east side of Fourth avenue, from Senator street to Sixty-sixth street.

No. 2. West side of Eleventh avenue, between Seventy-ninth and Eightieth streets, on Block 546, Lots Nos. 5, 6, 7, 8, 9 and 30.

No. 3. West side of Eleventh avenue, between Eighteenth and Eighty-first streets, on Block 545, Lots Nos. 11 and 12.

No. 4. West side of Eleventh avenue, between Eighty-first and Eighty-second streets, on Block 544, Lots Nos. 3 and 4.

No. 5. North side of Eighty-fourth street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues, on Block 542, Lots Nos. 11, 10, 9, 18, 19, 20 and 21.

No. 6. North side of Eighty-fourth street, between Eleventh and Twelfth avenues, on Block 537, Lots Nos. 5, 11, 12, 14, 15, 16 and 17.

No. 7. North side of Seventy-fourth street, from Fort Hamilton avenue to Tenth avenue.

No. 8. South side of Seventy-fourth street, between Fort Hamilton and Tenth avenues, on Block 570, Lots Nos. 2, 3, 4, 5, 10 and 12.

No. 9. East side of Flatbush avenue, between Sterling place and Plaza street, on Block 1169, Lot No. 12.

No. 10. North side of Fulton street, between Grenada place and Sumner avenue, on Block 1859, Lot No. 36.

No. 11. East side of Lewis avenue, between Gates avenue and Quincy street, on Block 1630, Lot No. 3.

No. 12. South side of Marion street, between Reid and Patchen avenues, on Block 1695, Lot No. 3.

No. 13. West side of Oakland street, between Dupont and Eagle streets, on Block 79, Lot No. 31.

No. 14. South side of Pacific street, between Grand and Classon avenues, on Block 1133, Lots Nos. 32, and 34 to 40, inclusive.

No. 15. West side of Ryerson street, between DeKalb and Lafayette avenues, on Block 1933, Lot No. 41.

No. 16. East side of Steuben street, between Park and Myrtle avenues, on Block 1894, Lots Nos. 2, 10, 11, 12 and 13.

No. 17. East side of Union avenue, between Frost and Withers streets, on Block 21, Lot No. 64.

No. 18. South side of Atlantic avenue, between Jerome and Warwick streets, and west side of Warwick street, between Atlantic and Liberty avenues, on Block 351, Lots Nos. 7 and 8.

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 8, 1904, at 1 P.M., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

ROBERT MUH,
ANTONIO ZUCCA,
CHARLES A. O'MALLEY,

Board of Assessors.

WILLIAM H. JASPER,
Secretary,
No. 320 Broadway,
CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, 1

February 5, 1904.

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BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

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

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

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 1904.

No. 1. FOR GRADING LOTS ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF LINCOLN ROAD, between Nostrand avenue and Rogers avenue; also on the WEST SIDE OF NOSTRAND AVENUE, between Lincoln road and Maple street, known as Lots Nos. 42 to 50, inclusive; Block 340, Twenty-ninth Ward Map.

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

1,256 cubic yards of filling, to be furnished.

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

The amount of security required is Four Hundred Dollars.

No. 2. FOR GRADING LOTS ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF FIFTEENTH STREET, between Seventh and Eighth avenues, known as Lots Nos. 11, 12, 13, 69 and 16, Block 1104, Twenty-second Ward Map.

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

1,765 cubic yards of earth excavation.

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

The amount of security required is Five Hundred Dollars.

No. 3. FOR GRADING LOTS ON THE WEST SIDE OF FIFTH AVENUE, between Fifty-eighth and Fifty-ninth streets, known as Lot No. 37, Block 855, Eighth Ward Map.

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

651 cubic yards of earth excavation.

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

The amount of security required is Seventy-five Dollars.

No. 4. FOR GRADING LOTS ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF FORTY-EIGHTH STREET,

between Fifth avenue and Sixth avenue, known as Lots Nos. 12 and 13, Block 775, Eighth Ward Map.

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

1,799 cubic yards of earth excavation.

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

The amount of security required is One Hundred and Fifty Dollars.

No. 5. FOR GRADING LOTS ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF SIXTIETH STREET, between Third and Fourth avenues, known as Lots Nos. 44, 45, 48 and 71, Block 951, Thirtieth Ward Map.

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

1,448 cubic yards of earth excavation.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is one hundred (100) working days.

The amount of security required is Two Thousand Dollars.

No. 6. FOR GRADING LOTS ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF FORTY-FIRST STREET, between Third avenue and Fourth avenue, known as Lots Nos. 33, 34, 35, 39 and 42, Block 718, Eighth Ward Map.

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

1,817 cubic yards of earth excavation.

160 cubic yards of filling, not to be bid for.

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

The amount of security required is Five Hundred Dollars.

No. 7. FOR GRADING LOTS ON THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF FOURTH AVENUE AND FORTIETH STREET, known as Lot No. 44, Block 708, Eighth Ward Map.

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

644 cubic yards of earth excavation.

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

The amount of security required is Two Hundred Dollars.

No. 8. FOR GRADING LOTS ON THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF FIFTY-SEVENTH STREET AND FOURTH AVENUE, known as Lot No. 1, Block 839, Eighth Ward Map.

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

6 cubic yards of earth excavation.

Time for the delivery of the supplies and full performance of the contract is on or before December 31, 1904.

The amount of security required is Four Thousand Dollars.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per linear foot, B.M., ton, cubic yard or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested.

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

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Assistant Commissioner of Public Works, Room 15, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn.

51 manholes.

25 receiving-basins.

5 receiving-basins, reconnected.

600,000 feet, board measure, foundation planking and pile capping.

1,375,000 feet, board measure, sheeting and bracing.

100 linear feet piles.

5 cubic yards brick masonry, other than shown in sewer section.

5 cubic yards concrete, other than shown in sewer section.

6,390 linear feet 12-inch vitrified stoneware pipe sub-drafn.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract is 300 working days.

The amount of security required is One Hundred and Twelve Thousand Dollars.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER IN FRANKLIN AVENUE, from Montgomery street to Union street, and outlet sewer in Montgomery street, etc.

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

1,088 linear feet 36-inch brick sewer.

332 linear feet 30-inch brick sewer.

332 linear feet 24-inch vitrified stoneware pipe sewer laid in concrete.

315 linear feet 12-inch vitrified stoneware pipe sewer laid in concrete.

15 manholes.

12 receiving-basins.

13,000 feet, board measure, foundation planking.

125,000 feet, board measure, sheeting and bracing.

5 cubic yards concrete.

5 cubic yards brick masonry.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract is 90 working days.

The amount of security required is Six Thousand Dollars.

No. 3. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 1,700 GROS-TONS (2,240 LBS. TO A TON) OF THE BEST GRADES OF WHITE ASH ANTHRACITE COAL, PEA SIZE, TO THE SEVERAL SEWAGE DISPOSAL WORKS, IN THE TWENTY-SIXTH AND THIRTY-FIRST WARDS, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time for the delivery of the supplies and full performance of the contract is on or before December 31, 1904.

The amount of security required is Four Thousand Dollars.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per linear foot, B.M., ton, cubic yard or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested.

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

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Board of Elections, Borough of Manhattan, No. 107 West Forty-first street.

JOHN R. VOORHIS,
CHARLES B. PAGE,
JOHN MAGUIRE,
RUDOLPH C. FULLER,
Board of Elections.

Dated JANUARY 26, 1904.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE

Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to close and discontinue so much of the public park in the block bounded by Water, Broad and Pearl streets and Coenties slip as is not occupied by the building known as Fraunces Tavern, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 20th day of February, 1904, at 10:30 o'clock A.M., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board: all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions, adopted by the Board on the 29th day of January, 1904, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442, of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York by closing and discontinuing so much of the public park in the block bounded by Water, Broad and Pearl Streets and Coenties slip as is not occupied by the building known as Fraunces Tavern, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the northerly side of Water street 102.28 feet westerly from the intersection of the northerly line of Water street with the westerly line of Coenties slip; running

Thence westerly along the northerly side of Water street for a distance of 131.75 feet to the intersection of the northerly line of Water street with the easterly line of Broad street; running

Thence northerly along the easterly side of Broad street 71.64 feet, more or less, to the southerly side of the lot occupied by Frances' Tavern; running

Thence easterly along the southerly line of the said Fraunces' Tavern 37.25 feet, more or less; running

Thence northerly along the said Fraunces' Tavern 3.7 feet, more or less; running

Thence easterly along the southerly side of the said Fraunces' Tavern 26.08 feet, more or less, to the southeasterly corner of the said Fraunces' Tavern; running

Thence northerly along the easterly side of the said Fraunces' Tavern 37.42 feet, more or less, to the souther

Thence southerly to the intersection of Newport street, the elevation to be 23.85 feet as heretofore.

Hopkinson Avenue.

Beginning at the intersection of Dumont avenue and Hopkinson avenue, the elevation to be 28.20 feet as heretofore;

Thence southerly to a summit, distant 200 feet from the southerly line of Dumont avenue, the elevation to be 29.29 feet;

Thence southerly to the intersection of Livonia avenue, the elevation to be 27.70 feet as heretofore;

Thence southerly to a summit, distant 230 feet from the northerly line of Riverdale avenue, the elevation to be 29.14 feet;

Thence southerly to the intersection of Riverdale avenue, the elevation to be 27.90 feet;

Thence southerly to the intersection of Newport street, the elevation to be 24.06 feet as heretofore.

Dumont Avenue.

Beginning at the intersection of Hopkinson avenue and Dumont avenue, the elevation to be 28.20 feet as heretofore;

Thence easterly to the intersection of Bristol street, the elevation to be 30 feet;

Thence easterly to the intersection of Chester street, the elevation to be 28.73 feet as heretofore;

Thence easterly to the intersection of Rockaway avenue, the elevation to be 25.88 feet;

Thence easterly to the intersection of Thatford avenue, the elevation to be 28.42 feet as heretofore.

Livonia Avenue.

Beginning at the intersection of Hopkinson avenue and Livonia avenue, the elevation to be 27.70 feet as heretofore;

Thence easterly to the intersection of Bristol street, the elevation to be 31.12 feet;

Thence easterly to the intersection of Chester street, the elevation to be 29.80 feet;

Thence easterly to the intersection of Rockaway avenue, the elevation to be 26.13 feet;

Thence easterly to the intersection of Thatford avenue, the elevation to be 25.66 feet as heretofore.

Riverdale Avenue.

Beginning at the intersection of Amboy street and Riverdale avenue, the elevation to be 26.93 feet as heretofore;

Thence easterly to the intersection of Hopkinson avenue, the elevation to be 27.90 feet as heretofore;

Thence easterly to the intersection of Bristol street, the elevation to be 28.87 feet;

Thence easterly to the intersection of Chester street, the elevation to be 27.55 feet;

Thence easterly to the intersection of Rockaway avenue, the elevation to be 23.85 feet;

Thence easterly to the intersection of Thatford avenue, the elevation to be 20.82 feet as heretofore.

NOTE—All elevations refer to mean high-water datum as established by the Bureau of Highways, Borough of Brooklyn.

Resolved, That the President of the Borough of Brooklyn cause to be prepared for submission to this Board three similar maps or plans for certification and filing in the manner required by law, showing as nearly as possible the nature and extent of the proposed change and the location of the immediate adjacent or of intersecting open or established streets, roads, squares, or places, sufficient for the identification and location thereof.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of this Board, to be held in the Old Council Chamber, (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 26th day of February, 1904, at 10.30 o'clock A. M.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the CITY RECORD and the corporation newspapers for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 26th day of February, 1904.

JOHN H. MOONEY,
Assistant Secretary.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE

Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to change the grades of certain streets in the territory bounded by Third avenue, Gowanus canal, Fifteenth street and Hamilton avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 26th day of February, 1904, at 10.30 o'clock A. M., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on the 29th day of January, 1904, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York charter as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the grades of certain streets in the territory bounded by Third avenue, Gowanus canal, Fifteenth street and Hamilton avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

Second Avenue.

Beginning at the intersection of Second avenue and Gowanus canal the grade to be 5.00 feet; thence to the intersection of Second avenue and Sixth street the grade to be 7.00 feet; thence to a point distant 100 feet northerly from the north building line of Seventh street the grade to be 6.30 feet; thence to the intersection of Second avenue and Seventh street the grade to be 8.00 feet; thence to a point distant 80 feet northerly from the north building line of Eighth street the grade to be 9.00 feet; thence to the intersection of Second avenue and Eighth street the grade to be 8.50 feet; thence to the intersection of Second avenue and Ninth street the grade to be 7.45 feet; thence to the intersection of Second avenue and Tenth street the grade to be 10.60 feet; thence to a point distant 62 feet westerly from the westerly building line of Second avenue the grade to be 4.40 feet; thence to the intersection of Ninth street and the bulkhead-line of Gowanus canal the grade to be 10.00 feet.

Ninth Street.

Beginning at the intersection of Second avenue and Ninth street the grade to be 8.50 feet; thence to the intersection of Eighth street and Gowanus canal the grade to be 5.00 feet.

Tenth Street.

Beginning at the intersection of Third avenue and Tenth street the grade to be 20.17 feet as heretofore; thence to a point distant 140 feet easterly from the eastern building line of Second avenue the grade to be 11.90 feet; thence to the intersection of Second avenue and Tenth street the grade to be 10.60 feet; thence to the intersection of Tenth street and the bulkhead-line of Gowanus canal the grade to be 5.00 feet.

Eleventh Street.

Beginning at the intersection of Third avenue and Eleventh street the grade to be 22.33 feet as heretofore; thence to the intersection of Eleventh street and Second avenue the grade to be 11.30 feet; thence to the intersection of Eleventh street and the bulkhead-line of Gowanus canal the grade to be 5.00 feet.

Twelfth Street.

Beginning at the intersection of Third avenue and Twelfth street the grade to be 24.50 feet as heretofore; thence to the intersection of Second avenue and Twelfth street the grade to be 10.40 feet; thence to the intersection of Twelfth street and the bulkhead-line of Gowanus canal the grade to be 5.00 feet.

Thirteenth Street.

Beginning at the intersection of Third avenue and Thirteenth street the grade to be 24.50 feet as heretofore; thence to the intersection of Second avenue and Thirteenth street the grade to be 12.30 feet; thence to the intersection of Thirteenth street and the bulkhead-line of Gowanus canal the grade to be 5.00 feet.

Fourteenth Street.

Beginning at the intersection of Third avenue and Fourteenth street the grade to be 22.33 feet as heretofore; thence to the intersection of Fourteenth street and Second avenue the grade to be 13.75 feet; thence to a point distant 50 feet easterly from the intersection of the northerly building line of Fourteenth street and the easterly building line of Hamilton avenue the grade to be 8.50 feet; thence to the intersection of Fourteenth street and Hamilton avenue the grade to be 10.80 feet as heretofore.

Fifteenth Street.

Beginning at the intersection of Third avenue and Fifteenth street the grade to be 20.17 feet as heretofore; thence to the intersection of Second avenue and Fifteenth street the grade to be 11.90 feet; thence to the intersection of Fifteenth street and Hamilton avenue the grade to be 9.00 feet as heretofore.

All grades are referred to mean high-water datum as established by the Bureau of Highways, Borough of Brooklyn.

Resolved, That the President of the Borough of Brooklyn cause to be prepared for submission to this Board three similar maps or plans for certification and filing in the manner required by law, showing as nearly as possible the nature and extent of the proposed change and the location of the immediate adjacent or of intersecting open or established streets, roads, squares, or places, sufficient for the identification and location thereof.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of this Board, to be held in the Old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 26th day of February, 1904, at 10.30 o'clock A. M.

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Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to change the lines of streets in the territory bounded by Coney Island avenue, Church avenue and Ocean parkway, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 26th day of February, 1904, at 10.30 o'clock A. M., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on the 29th day of January, 1904, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

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Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to change the lines of Jay street, between Hamilton avenue and Stuyvesant place, First Ward, Borough of Richmond, City of New York, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 26th day of February, 1904, at 10.30 o'clock A. M., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on the 29th day of January, 1904, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

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JOHN H. MOONEY,

Assistant Secretary.

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of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 26th day of February, 1904, at 10.30 o'clock A. M.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions, and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the CITY RECORD for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 26th day of February, 1904.

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PUBLIC NOTICE OF UNCLAIMED TRUCKS, WAGONS, ETC.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF section 853 of the Greater New York Charter, public notice is hereby given that there are now, and have been for six months prior to the 1st day of January, 1904, stored in the Pound of the Department of Docks and Ferries, at the foot of West Twenty-sixth street, North river, Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, the following vehicles:

Pound No. 1—Dirt cart, bad shape; red body and red wheels. Candee & Smith, Twenty-sixth street, East river, No. 17. In Pound four years.

Pound No. 5—Single wagon, blue body and red wheels; fair shape. Coal and wood, License 8719. Taken from Pier 14, North river, April 5, 1899.

Pound No. 10—Double truck, bad shape; red body and red wheels; no pole. License 2816. Taken from Pier 43, North river, April 13, 1899.

Pound No. 19—Single wagon, bad shape; yellow body and red wheels. License 6073 or 674. Taken from Stanton street, East river, May 9, 1899.

Pound No. 20—Single wagon, fair shape; green body and red wheels. License 9029. Taken from Stanton street, East river, May 9, 1899.

Found No. 21—Single-shed wagon, bad shape; green body and red wheels. C. Schultze, Bottle Dealer, No. 13 Ninth avenue. Taken from Thirteenth street, North river, May 13, 1899.

Pound No. 27—Single wagon, bad shape; green body and red wheels. M. Buchalter, No. 242 East Second street. Taken from Stanton street, East river, May 20, 1899.

Pound No. 30—Single wagon, bad shape; green body and red wheels. No. 218 Mott street. License 3159. Taken from Stanton street, East river, May 20, 1899.

Pound No. 42—Single truck, bad shape; red body and red wheels. H. Kester, Public Truck, No. 41 Essex street. License 5342. Taken from Pike street, East river, July 15, 1899.

Pound No. 71—Double truck, bad shape; red body and red wheels; no pole, no marks. Taken from Pier 39, North river, May 10, 1902.

Pound No. 84—Coal cart, no tail-board, bad shape; black body and red wheels, No. 6. Taken from Thirteenth street, North river, June 2, 1902.

Pound No. 85—Dirt cart, no tail-board, bad shape; blue body and red wheels. License 179. Taken from Thirteenth street, North river, June 2, 1902.

Pound No. 107—Single-shed wagon, fair shape; red body and yellow wheels. John Ridel, No. 168 West Forty-fourth street, Bayonne, N. J. Fruits and Vegetables. Taken from Pier 39, North river, August 4, 1902.

Pound No. 116—Single wagon, fair shape; red body and yellow wheels. J. H. Port, No. 221 Avenue B. Taken from Pier 42, North river, October 14, 1902.

Pound No. 124—Single wagon, bad shape; green body and red wheels; no marks. Taken from Pier 42, North river, February 5, 1903.

Pound No. 125—Single truck, bad shape; red body and red wheels. J. H. Ackerman, No. 1719. Taken from Pier 43, North river, February 5, 1903.

Pound No. 139—Double truck, bad shape; red body and red wheels; with pole; no marks. Taken from Pier 38, North river, March 24, 1903.

Pound No. 145—Double ash truck, fair shape; blue body and red wheels; with pole. P. Goss, No. 320 East Thirty-fifth street. License 162. Taken from Thirty-fifth street, East river, April 1, 1903.

Pound No. 147—Single truck, bad shape; white body and red wheels. License 6761. Taken from Fifth street, East river, April 6, 1903.

Pound No. 151—Double truck, bad shape; blue body and red wheels; no pole, no marks. Taken from between Twenty-eighth and Twenty-ninth streets, North river, May 1, 1903.

Pound No. 153—Single windlass truck, bad shape; red body and red wheels. Empire Forwarding Company, 119. Taken from Pier 35, North river, May 5, 1903.

Pound No. 154—Single wagon, bad shape; green body and red wheels. Edwin A. Low, Low's Exchange, No. 1123 Broadway. Taken from Twenty-fifth street, North river, May 15, 1903.

Pound No. 156—Double ash truck; white body and red wheels. P. Goss, No. 320 East Thirty-fifth street, No. 15. Bad shape, no pole. Taken from Thirty-fifth street, East river, May 18, 1903.

Pound No. 157—Double truck, with pole, bad shape; blue body and red wheels; no marks. Taken from between Piers 24 and 25, North river, May 22, 1903.

Pound No. 159—Dirt cart, bad shape; green body and red wheels. J. Garvey. License 868. Taken from between Twenty-eighth and Twenty-ninth streets, North river, June 8, 1903.

Pound No. 160—Single wagon, bad shape; green body and red wheels. Star Baggage Express. License 1463. Taken from Pier 44, North river, June 9, 1903.

Pound No. 161—Double ash truck, with pole, fair shape; white body and red wheels. P. Goss, No. 320 East Thirty-fifth street. Taken from Thirtieth street, East river, June 20, 1903.

Notice is hereby given to any and all persons claiming to own or owning the same that the same may be obtained at any time within three months from and after the 15th day of February, 1904, upon furnishing to the Commissioner of Docks at his office, Pier "A," North river, Battery place, Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, proof of ownership of any such trucks, wagons, etc., and upon payment to the Commissioner of Docks of the expenses which have been incurred in connection therewith.

Further notice is hereby given that unless such trucks, wagons, etc., are reclaimed and the expenses incurred in connection therewith are paid to the Commissioner of Docks on or before the 16th day of May, 1904, the Commissioner of Docks will, after further advertisement, sell such trucks, wagons, etc., at public auction to the highest bidder and pay the expenses which have been incurred in connection therewith.

Dated THE CITY OF NEW YORK, January 28, 1904.

MAURICE FEATHERSON,
Commissioner of Docks.
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OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES, PIER "A," FOOT OF BATTERY PLACE, NORTH RIVER, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE RECEIVED by the Commissioner of Docks at the above office until 2 o'clock P. M., on

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 1904.

Borough of Manhattan.

CONTRACT No. 834.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR PREPARING FOR AND BUILDING A NEW PIER WITH APURTEANCES AT THE FOOT OF WEST NINETEENTH STREET, NORTH RIVER, TO BE KNOWN AS PIER No. 60, OR WEST NINETEENTH STREET PIER.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of 150 calendar days.

The amount of security required is Eighty-eight Thousand Dollars.

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

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the said Department.

MAURICE FEATHERSON,
Commissioner of Docks.

Dated FEBRUARY 4, 1904. f6,23

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DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES, PIER "A," FOOT OF BATTERY PLACE, NORTH RIVER, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OF ESTIMATES WILL BE RECEIVED by the Commissioner of Docks at the above office until 2 o'clock P. M., on

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 1904.

Borough of Manhattan.

CONTRACT No. 835.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR PREPARING FOR AND BUILDING A NEW PIER NEAR THE FOOT OF WEST TWENTY-FIRST STREET, NORTH RIVER, TO BE KNOWN AS PIER No. 60, OR WEST TWENTY-FIRST STREET PIER.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of 150 calendar days.

The amount of security required is Eighty-eight Thousand Dollars.

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

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the said Department.

MAURICE FEATHERSON,
Commissioner of Docks.

Dated FEBRUARY 4, 1904. f6,23

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

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES, PIER "A," FOOT OF BATTERY PLACE, NORTH RIVER, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE RECEIVED by the Commissioner of Docks at the above office until 2 o'clock P. M., on

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 1904.

Borough of Manhattan.

CONTRACT No. 836.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR RAISING AND RECONSTRUCTING THE DECK AND EXTENDING THE DUMPING BOARD PIER AT THE FOOT OF EAST FORTY-SIXTH STREET, EAST RIVER.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of 45 calendar days.

The amount of security required is Eleven Thousand Dollars.

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

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the said Department.

MAURICE FEATHERSON,
Commissioner of Docks.

Dated FEBRUARY 4, 1904. f6,23

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POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, NO. 300 MULBERRY STREET.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE RECEIVED by the Police Commissioner of the Police Department of the City of New York at the above office until 2 o'clock P. M., on

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 1904.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ONE THOUSAND TONS OF ANTHRACITE COAL FOR THE USE OF THE STEAMBOAT "PATROL."

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is during the year 1904.

The amount of security required will be Two Thousand Dollars.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed per 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. The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the Central Office of the Police Department, No. 300 Mulberry street, Borough of Manhattan.

WILLIAM McADOO,
Police Commissioner.

Dated FEBRUARY 4, 1904. f6,23

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POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, NO. 300 MULBERRY STREET.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE RECEIVED by the Police Commissioner of the Police Department of the City of New York at the above office until 2 o'clock P. M., on

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 1904.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING DOORMAN'S AND STABLE SUPPLIES.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is during the year 1904.

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

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

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of 150 calendar days.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the Central Office of the Police Department, No. 300 Mulberry street, Borough of Manhattan.

WILLIAM McADOO,
Police Commissioner.

Dated FEBRUARY 4, 1904. f6,23

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POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, NO. 300 MULBERRY STREET.

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The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of 150 calendar days.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the Central Office of the Police Department, No. 300 Mulberry street, Borough of Manhattan.

WILLIAM McADOO,
Police Commissioner.

Dated FEBRUARY 4, 1904. f6,23

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POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, NO. 300 MULBERRY STREET.

the same was established by chapter 182 of the Laws of 1837; running thence northerly along said easterly side of Thirteenth avenue to the southerly side of West Forty-second street, extended; running thence easterly along the southerly side of West Forty-second street, extended, to the westerly side of Twelfth avenue, and running thence southerly along the westerly side of Twelfth avenue to the northerly side of West Forty-first street, to the point or place of beginning:

Together with all wharfage rights, terms, easements and privileges and appurtenances or emoluments of any kind whatsoever in and to the above-described premises, including the bulkhead westerly of the westerly side of Twelfth avenue, between West Forty-first and West Forty-second streets.

All parties and persons interested in the said lands, lands under water, lands under water filled in, wharf property, wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges taken, or to be taken for the said improvement of the water front of The City of New York on the North river, 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, Room No. 401, on the fourth floor of the building No. 258 Broadway, in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, 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 office above specified on the 15th day of March, 1904, 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, or at such other or further times and places 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 or allegations as may be then offered by such owners, or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK, February 11, 1904.

EDWARD LEWINSON, Chairman;
JOHN C. COLEMAN,
FREDERIC C. WAGNER,
Commissioners.

JOSEPH M. SCHENCK,
Clerk.
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York, and in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on or about the 6th day of October, 1903.

Dated NEW YORK, February 4, 1904.
JOHN J. DELANY,
Corporation Counsel,
No. 2 Tryon Row,
Borough of Manhattan,
New York City.
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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of WESTCHESTER AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from the Bronx River to Main 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 31st day of December, 1903, 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 6th day of January, 1904, and 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 17th day of January, 1904, 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, 1904, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Register of the County of New York, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances, No. 172, 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, 1904, in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings on the 6th day of January, 1904, and in the office of the Clerk of the County of Westchester on the 17th day of January, 1904, and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue or 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 thereto, 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.

Notice is hereby further given that by an order of the Supreme Court, duly filed and entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Westchester on January 6, 1904; in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings on the 6th day of January, 1904, and in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on January 7, 1904, and a copy of which order was filed in the office of the Register of the County of New York on the 7th day of January, 1904, the above-entitled proceeding was duly and regularly amended by excluding therefrom the property not required for the opening of said avenue and by including therein certain additional pieces of land, which, together with the lands to be excluded, are more particularly described and bounded in the petition attached to said order.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken under this order for the purpose of acquiring 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, fourteenth floor, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the 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 3d day of March, 1904, 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 or allegations as may then be offered by such owners or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK, February 3, 1904.

JOHN F. COFFIN, Chairman;
EDWARD L. GODFREY,
M. J. MACK, Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.
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FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education, by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands on the northerly side of NINETEEN-FIRST STREET, between First and Second avenues, in the Twelfth Ward of said City, in the Borough of Manhattan, duly selected as a site for school purposes under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 102 of the Laws of 1888, and various statutes amendatory thereof, and other laws, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the western line of Exterior street (as now being acquired) distant 51.67 feet southerly from the intersection of said line with the southern line of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street as legally opened;

1st. Thence easterly parallel with the southern line of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street for 20.67 feet;

2d. Thence southerly deflecting 75 degrees 24 minutes to the right for 743.30 feet;

3d. Thence northwesterly deflecting 135 degrees 8 minutes 30 seconds to the right for 54.05 feet;

4th. Thence southwesterly deflecting 73 degrees 34 minutes to the left for 21.81 feet;

5th. Thence southwesterly deflecting 1 degree 49 minutes 20 seconds to the right for 53.16 feet;

6th. Thence southwesterly deflecting 2 degrees 10 minutes 40 seconds to the right for 8.22 feet to the pierhead and bulkhead-line of the Harlem river;

7th. Thence northerly along said line deflecting 104 degrees 36 minutes 5 seconds to the right for 77.15 feet;

8th. Thence northerly still along said line deflecting 0 degrees 57 minutes 28 seconds to the left for 62.85 feet;

9th. Thence easterly deflecting 90 degrees to the right for 119.35 feet;

10th. Thence northerly deflecting 79 degrees 13 minutes 7 seconds to the left for 587.71 feet to the point of beginning.

The land excluded from Exterior street is shown on a map entitled "Map or plan showing change of lines of Exterior street, between East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and East One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, and change of grades of East One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street and Exterior street, between Park avenue and Cheever place, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, prepared by the President of the Borough of The Bronx under authority of chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901," which was filed in the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, in the office of the Counsel to the Corporation of The City of New

York, and in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on or about the 6th day of October, 1903.

Dated NEW YORK, January 30, 1904.
SAMUEL J. FOLEY,
FRANK D. ARTHUR,
Commissioners.
JOSEPH M. SCHENCK,
Clerk.
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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening NARROWS AVENUE, from Seventy-first street to Shore road, in the Thirteenth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn of The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

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

First—That we have completed our supplemental and amended estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us, at our office, in the office of the Law Department, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on or before the 23d day of February, 1904, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 25th day of February, 1904, at 2 o'clock P.M.

Second—That the abstract of our said supplemental and amended estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of The City of New York, in the Borough of Brooklyn, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, there to remain until the 29th day of February, 1904.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, to wit:

Commencing at the intersection of the easterly side of Narrows avenue with the Bay Ridge parkway or Shore road; running thence easterly and parallel with the southerly side of Eighty-ninth street to the centre line of the block between Narrows avenue and First avenue; running thence northerly and along the centre lines of the blocks between Narrows avenue and First avenue to the southerly side of Bay Ridge avenue; thence westerly along the southerly side of Bay Ridge avenue to the Shore road, and thence southerly along the easterly side of the Bay Ridge parkway or Shore road to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 14th day of March, 1904, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK, January 29, 1904.

GEORGE W. CHAUNCEY,
Chairman,
FRANK BAILEY,
JOHN B. SHANAHAN,
Commissioners.
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All parties and persons interested in the said wharf property, wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges taken or to be taken for the said improvement of the water front of The City of New York on the East river, 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, Room No. 401, on the fourth floor of the building No. 258 Broadway, in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, 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 office above specified on the 25th day of February, 1904, 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, or at such other or further times and places 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 or allegations as may be then offered by such owners, or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK, January 29, 1904.

EMANUEL BLUMENSTIEL,
WILBUR LARREMORE,
HERMAN ALSBERG,
Commissioners.

JOSEPH M. SCHENCK, Clerk.

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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held for the hearing of motions, at the Kings County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 15th day of February, 1904, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 909 of title 4 of chapter 17, of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, NEW YORK, February 2, 1904.

PHILIP D. MEAGHER,
JOHN B. LORD,
Commissioners.
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PROPOSALS FOR BIDS AND ESTIMATES FOR THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

The person or persons making a bid or estimate for any services, work, materials or supplies for The City of New York, or for any of its departments, bureaus or offices, shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed with the title of the supplies, materials, work or services for which the bid or estimate is made, with his or their name or names and the date of presentation to the President or Board or to the head of the Department at his or its office, on or before the date and hour named in the advertisement for the same, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the President or Board or head of said Department and read, and the award of the contract made according to law as soon thereafter as practicable.

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

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

No bid or estimate will be considered unless, as a condition precedent to the reception or consideration of any proposal, it be accompanied by a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the bid required, as provided in section 420 of the Greater New York Charter.

The certified check or money should not be enclosed in the envelope containing the bid or estimate, but should be either enclosed in a separate envelope addressed to the head of the Department, President or Board, or submitted personally upon the presentation of the bid or estimate.

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

No bid shall be accepted from or contract awarded to any person who is in arrears to The City of New York upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the City.

The contract must be bid for separately.

The right is reserved in each case to reject all bids or estimates if it is deemed to be for the interest of the City so to do.

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

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank forms prepared and furnished by the City, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department for which the work is to be done. Plans and drawings of construction work may also be seen there.