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THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

STATED MEETING.

Tuesday, April 8, 1902, 1 o'clock p. m.

The Board met in the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall.

Present:

Hon. CHARLES V. FORNES, President of the Board of Aldermen.

Aldermen:

James H. McInnes, Vice-Chairman;
Charles Alt,
Thomas F. Baldwin,
John H. Behrmann,
Frank Bennett,
Joseph A. Bill,
Frederick Brenner,
James J. Bridges,
Patrick Chambers,
John V. Coggey,
Charles W. Cuklin,
James J. Devlin,
William Dickinson,
John Diemer,
John J. Dietz,
John H. Donohue,
Reginald Doull,
Frank L. Dowling,
Robert F. Downing,
John L. Florence,
Thomas F. Foley,
James E. Gaffney,
Frank Gass,
Andrew M. Gillen,
John D. Gillies,
John L. Goldwater,
Elias Goodman,
John J. Haggerty,
Leopold W. Harburger,
Philip Harnischfeger,
Patrick Higgins,
Peter Holler,
David M. Holmes,
Charles P. Howland,
William T. James,
Samuel H. Jones,
Patrick S. Keely,
Michael Kennedy,
Francis P. Kenney,
John C. Klett,
Jacob Leitner,
Frederick W. Longfellow,
John T. McCall,
John E. McCarthy,
Thomas F. McCaul,
Patrick H. Malone,
Joseph H. Maloy,
Isaac Marks,
Armitage Mathews,
Charles Metzger,
James Cowden Meyers,
Nicholas Nehrbauser,
Joseph Oatman,
James Owens,
Herbert Parsons,
William D. Peck,
Frederick Richter,
Max J. Porges,
Ernest A. Seebeck, Jr.,
Cornelius A. Shea,
David S. Stewart,
Timothy P. Sullivan,
Noah Tebbetts,
John J. Twomey,
Moses J. Wafer,
Webster R. Walkley,
Franklin B. Ware,
William Wentz,
William J. Whitaker,
Henry Willett,
John Wirth;

George Cromwell, President Borough of Richmond;
Joseph Cassidy, President Borough of Queens;
Louis F. Haffen, President Borough of The Bronx;
J. Edward Swanson, President Borough of Brooklyn;
Jacob A. Cantor, President Borough of Manhattan.

The Clerk proceeded to read the minutes of the stated meeting of April 1, 1902. Alderman Oatman moved that a further reading be dispensed with and that the minutes be approved as printed. Which was adopted.

MOTIONS, ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS.

Alderman Harburger asked for and obtained unanimous consent to introduce the following:

No. 410.

Whereas, We, the members of the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York, have learned with deep regret of the sudden demise of Henry Cantor, beloved father of our distinguished member, Jacob A. Cantor, President of the Borough of Manhattan and a member of this Board; and

Whereas, We, the members of the Board of Aldermen, do deeply sympathize with him in this the hour of his affliction; therefore be it

Resolved, That the members of the Board of Aldermen, in meeting assembled on April 8, 1902, do deeply and sincerely sympathize with the said Jacob A. Cantor upon the loss of his beloved father; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the Hon. Jacob A. Cantor, President of the Borough of Manhattan and a member of this Board.

Which was unanimously adopted by a rising vote.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM CITY, COUNTY OR BOROUGH OFFICERS.

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

No. 411.

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

To the Honorable, the Board of Aldermen:

Gentlemen—I am in receipt of a resolution adopted by you on March 11, 1902, which reads as follows:

"Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel be and he is hereby requested to inform this Board at his convenience regarding the authority of the Board to appoint City Surveyors."

In answer to this communication I have to say that to show the authority of your Honorable Board in making this appointment will require a somewhat extended discussion of the question.

The office of City Surveyor is an ancient one, dating from the year 1647, when the Director General and Council of New Netherland appointed three surveyors. (1 Records of New Amsterdam, 4).

While the broad provisions of the Dongan and Montgomerie Charters would have justified the appointment of City Surveyors by the corporate authorities of The City of New York, it seems to have been thought advisable to obtain statutory authority, and such authority was given by chapter 18 of the Laws of 1691, which gave power to the Mayor, Aldermen and Common Council of the city to appoint one or more surveyors.

After the Revolution, another act was passed, chapter 86 of the Laws of 1787, which gave authority to the "Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, in Common Council convened," to make ordinances, etc., and among other things to appoint two or more Surveyors.

Under this act an ordinance was passed in 1799 (Ordinances of 1799, page 28), providing that there should be such and so many Surveyors as the Common Council should from time to time think proper.

A similar ordinance was passed January 11, 1808, being chapter 30 of the revision of that year.

By section 237 of chapter 86 of the Laws of 1813, it was again enacted that the Common Council should appoint two or more fit persons to be Surveyors, etc.

This is apparently the last express statutory authority for the appointment of City Surveyors, but it has been acted upon ever since and ordinances have been passed from time to time in relation to the subject, as for instance, the ordinance of April 23, 1830 authorizing the appointment of so many Surveyors as the Common Council should see fit.

This ordinance was clearly continued in force under the general provisions of section 119 of the Charter of 1873.

This ordinance was included in the Revised Ordinances of 1880, as sections 113-124, and is contained in the Revised Ordinances of 1897, which are now in force in the old City of New York as sections 259-270.

As regards the former City of Brooklyn its Charter, title 2, section 12, subdivision 9, provided that the Common Council should have power to establish, amend and repeal ordinances to regulate weights and measures and appoint City Surveyors, and

this power was exercised by ordinances which form article 12 in the ordinances of the City of Brooklyn, which are still in force in the Borough of Brooklyn.

By section 41 of the Greater New York Charter the ordinances both of the former City of New York and of the former City of Brooklyn are continued in force.

It will be seen therefore from the foregoing statement of the laws and ordinances relating thereto that there is no doubt of the valid existence to-day of ordinances regulating the appointment and powers of City Surveyors.

As the present Board of Aldermen of this city, under the Greater New York Charter, has the powers of the former Common Council of the City of New York and of the former Common Council of the City of Brooklyn (Greater New York Charter, section 42), there can be no doubt of their succession to the powers of the Boards named.

But in addition to all which has been said, it may be pointed out that under the very broad powers conferred upon your honorable Board by section 44 of the Greater New York Charter (carrying out the rule laid down in the case of Moore against The Mayor, 73 N. Y. 238), that your Board has such broad legislative functions as would give it ample power to appoint City Surveyors without invoking the aid of the statutes and ordinances already mentioned.

I think, therefore, there can be no doubt that your Board has power to appoint City Surveyors.

Respectfully yours,

G. L. RIVES, Corporation Counsel.

Which was ordered on file.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Public Administrator:

No. 412.

Bureau of the Public Administrator of the County of New York,

New York, March 31, 1902.

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

Pursuant to chapter 230, section 30, Laws of 1898, the undersigned hereby reports a transcript of such of his accounts as have been closed or finally settled, and of those on which any money has been received by him as part of the proceeds of any estate on which he has administered since the date of his last report.

Respectfully, WILLIAM M. HOES,

Public Administrator of the County of New York.

A Transcript of Such of His Accounts as Have Been Closed or Finally Settled Since the Date of His Last Report.

Name of Deceased.	Date of Final Decree.	Total Amount Received.	Total Amount Paid for Funeral Expenses, Expenses of Administration and Claims of Creditors.	Amount Paid to the City Treasury.	Amount Paid to Legatees or Next of Kin.	Amount Paid Into City Treasury for Unknown Next of Kin.	Sumdries.
Evangelos R. Lucatos		\$351 61	\$214 03	\$17 58	\$120 00		
Bessie Taub		7 24	2 24				
Thomas Gosson	Mar. 4, 1902	211 46	48 47	10 57	152 42		
Charles Kenny		36 26	1 20		33 25		
George Marshall	Mar. 4, 1902	350 97	153 30	17 35	180 12		
Thomas Rafter	Mar. 6, 1902	484 68	2 85	24 23	457 60		
William Wilson		50 98	1 35	2 85	52 78		
Frances Hoegner	Mar. 7, 1902	3,041 72	210 50		3,331 22		\$3,000 00
Edward Ryan		851 02	251 53	67	573 82		\$25 00
Louise Baumann		563 28	535 11	28 17			
Closed pursuant to Chapter 230, Laws of 1898:							
Lewis Lewth		190 51	159 30	9 53		\$21 68	
John W. Miller		6 20	2 50	31		3 39	
Nelson Homer		7 75	3 00	30		3 79	
Clara Renault		22 29	18 30	1 11		3 88	
Margt. Brown		13 16	3 85	66		8 65	
Adolph Fietz		11 78	10 49	59		6 70	
Fred L. Dodsworth		8 12	1 00			26 24	
Patrick Beatty		213 67	176 75	10 68		35 24	
Kiley Goodwin		45 40	7 15	2 27		33	
Gustavo Kennedy		10 00	9 17	50		17 32	
Mary Kennedy		162 00	137 15	8 13		140 97	
Antonio Margall		250 39	91 80	12 52		23 53	
Herbert Lester		28 01	3 65	1 43		64 35	
Mary McAnally		230 63	154 75	11 53		9 19	
John Gibney		183 78	105 40	9 19		54 93	
Mamie O'Neil		529 10	447 71	26 46		69	
Aime Renny		20	10	01		1 86	
Herman Wagner		3 54	1 50	18			
Elizabeth Abbott	Mar. 20, 1902	2,198 54	559 84	109 93	1,528 77		
Christopher Faber		216 00	205 20	10 80			
Pietro Barnascone		139 00	67 66		71 34		
John Joyce	Mar. 20, 1902	5,127 83	483 37	191 00	3,688 67		\$150 00
Estate received from Coroners, December 6, 1901, as per list attached:							
		44 88		2 24		42 64	
Estate received from House of Relief, September 24, 1901, as per list attached:							
		4 80		24		4 56	
Estate received from Department of Public Charities, March 5, 1902, as per list attached:							
		14				14	
Estate received from Board of Health, December 22, 1901, as per list attached:							
		29 22		1 46		27 76	
		\$10,232 76	\$4,135 13	\$514 98	\$10,189 99	\$502 87	\$889 78

*Held. †Amount held. ‡Held to pay taxes of 1902. §Held for taxes of 1902. ¶Held for future distribution.

A Statement of the Title of Any Estate on Which Any Money Has Been Received Since the Date of the Last Report.

Name of Deceased.	Total Amount Received.	Name of Deceased.	Total Amount Received.
Catherine Block	\$80 46	Max Freh	\$0 82
Annie Persson	48 85	Jeremiah D. McDonald	116 25
House of Relief, est. Wm. Cox	5 00	Charles Schloman	20
Catherine L. Power	70 00	Patrick Kearney	6 00
Henry Kunoth	248 65	Daniel Darby	5 28
Louise Schallner	35 76	Mary Gloss	1 35
Pietro Barnascone	139 00	John Klarman	40 79
Michael Cook	900 00	Jane Lefrange	3 32
Marie Hebert	4 00	Charles Glover	19 39
William H. Hoskins	35	Ann Egan	70 20
Department of Public Charities, as per list attached:	14	Emil Behay	58 80
Honora Dowling	1 25	Eduard William	8 80
Ann Hurley	175 40	Aaron Young	2 20
Thomas Harrington	95 48	Bellevue Hospital, estates of Henry Newton and others, as per list attached:	26 08
Benjamin L. Page	5 00	Board of Health, estates of James Neville and others, as per list attached:	3 25
Benjamin J. Juppert	1 11	Interest received from banks on average amount of deposits:	1,063 33
Maailde Gebhart	3 10		
Cecile Connell	234 90		
Joogen A. Moller	2 89		
Reuben Shire	85		
Hugo B. E. Bauer	77 25		
Owen Hagen	2,320 22		
William Behay	216 22		
		Total	\$6,088 94

Cash received from Board of Health, March 18, 1902.

James Neville.....	\$1 25	Pauline Schmidt.....	\$1 50
Frederick Steiger.....	50		
			\$3 25

Cash received from Bellevue Hospital, March 18, 1902.

Henry Nowton.....	\$4 10	Norman Cook.....	\$0 64
James McSorley.....	3 00	Unknown woman, No. 326 East Thirty-fourth street.....	10
James McSorley.....	1 83	Thomas Handbode.....	1 00
William Wallace.....	3 65	Edward Wilson.....	40
Mary O'Hare.....	2 54	John Lee.....	98
Andrew Verklender.....	1 25	Charles King.....	1 40
Charles Gannon.....	1 60	James Poland.....	50
John Koenig.....	05	Gregari Stelm.....	52
Dr. Covy.....	02		
John Vane.....	25		
Charles Martin.....	2 25		
			\$26 08

Cash Received from the Coroners' Office, December 6, 1901.

Unknown man, foot of East One Hundred and Fourteenth street, May 8, 1901.....	\$0 55	Unknown man, Harlem Hospital.....	\$0 64
Jon Bruder, North river, off Pier 5, May 9, 1901.....	04	John Bauman.....	20
Unknown man, No. 114 Greenwich avenue, May 13, 1901.....	1 43	Unknown man, Pier 11, East river.....	10
Unknown man, Pier 40, North river, May 20, 1901.....	55	Unknown man, One Hundred and Twentieth street and Lexington avenue.....	1 55
Unknown man, No. 22 Mulberry street, May 27, 1901.....	04	Dora Krennan.....	92
Unknown man, Pier 40, North river, May 28, 1901.....	85	Unknown man, No. 736 Sixth avenue.....	06
Unknown man, off Randall's Island, June 5, 1901, less expenses \$1.10.....	1 25	Unknown man, East Thirty-third street.....	30
Unknown man, Seventy-eighth and Seventy-ninth streets, East river, June 13, 1901.....	05	Unknown man, Pier 31, North river.....	09
Unknown man, Catharine street ferry, June 18, 1901.....	10	Unknown man, Fortieth street and North river.....	04
John Driscoll, Elevated Railroad and New Chambers street, June 25, 1901.....	1 00	Unknown man, Ninth street and East river.....	1 48
Unknown man, One Hundred and Thirtieth street and North river, June 28, 1901.....	1 06	Charles Doran, No. 380 Canal street.....	21
Unknown man, Central Park Reservoir and Ninety-fourth street.....	2 87	Unknown man, St. Vincent's Hospital.....	25
Unknown woman, No. 2125 Third avenue.....	1 37	Unknown man, Arsenal, Central Park.....	10
Unknown man, No. 112 Greenwich street, New York.....	28	Unknown man, Fortieth street and North river.....	05
Unknown man, Fifty-second street and North river.....	03	Unknown man, Fourteenth street and North river.....	20
Unknown man, East river, foot of Twenty-first street.....	31	Unknown man, No. 279 Canal street.....	99
Unknown man, Pier 20, East river.....	2 04	Unknown man, No. 257 West Thirty-ninth street.....	52
Unknown man, Corlandt street and North river.....	1 02	Unknown man, in front of No. 95 Bowery.....	10
Unknown man, One Hundred and Fifty-third street and Harlem river.....	05	Unknown man, No. 2679 Eighth avenue.....	1 05
Unknown man, Pier 47, North river.....	06	Frederick Wheatly, No. 2413 Seventh avenue.....	12
Henry Martin, Pier A, New York.....	30	Henry Weisendanger, One Hundred and Thirty-first street and Fifth avenue.....	19
Unknown man, east of Amsterdam avenue.....	05	William J. Donnelly, New York Bay and Castle William.....	1 35
Thomas Doyle, No. 153 West Twenty-sixth street.....	25	Unknown man, Forty-eighth street and North river.....	1 15
Unknown man, Herald Square Park.....	82	Unknown man, foot of West Sixty-first street.....	95
Chu Foo.....	05	George Buche, Hudson Street Hospital.....	29
Unknown man, North river, Pier A.....	08	Unknown man, Pier 14, North river.....	04
Unknown man, Pier 4, North river.....	08	Emrich M. Fennis, front of No. 62 Pitt street.....	4 33
Unknown man, One Hundred and Seventeenth street and Pleasant avenue.....	88	Unknown man, No. 26 Bowery.....	05
Hugh McBrearty.....	96	Unknown man, scow "Admiral," Seventy-ninth street and North river.....	10
William Kinsler.....	15	Unknown man, No. 179 Thompson street.....	11
		Unknown man, Thirty-eighth street and North river.....	2 06
		Unknown man, No. 2283 Third avenue.....	14
		William Marsland, in front of No. 127 Bowery.....	11
		Owen Murphy, Pier 38, North river.....	5 70
		Total.....	\$44 88

Cash Received from House of Relief, September 24, 1901.

Estate of Wm. Cox.....	\$5 00		\$4 80
Less car fare.....	20		
			\$4 60

Cash Received from Commissioners of Charities, March 5, 1902.

Samuel Millike.....	\$0 03	Menidon Craton.....	\$0 04
Unknown woman, Bellevue Hospital, December 10, 1896.....	07		
		Total.....	\$0 14

Cash Received from the Board of Health, December 22, 1901.

Elizabeth Bene.....	\$5 00	Walter Harris.....	\$2 00
Clarence Cotton.....	10	Annie Mollet.....	25
Frank Liberty, \$12, less 10 cents expenses.....	11 90	Antonia Ferraro.....	2 80
William Carman.....	08	John Morris.....	4 00
Ferrini Fornata.....	2 00		
George Ricketts.....	1 00		
		Total.....	\$29 22

Which was ordered on file.

The President laid before the Board the following Departmental Estimate:

No. 413.

Mechanics' Institute,

Nos. 16-24 West Forty-fourth Street,

New York, April 4, 1902.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

Dear Sirs—In accordance with request of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York of January 22, 1902, I send herewith inclosed revised estimate for an appropriation for 1902.

Very truly yours,

RICHARD T. DAVIES, Secretary.

General Society of Mechanics and Tradesmen,

Office of the Secretary, Nos. 16-24 West Forty-fourth Street,

New York, April 4, 1902.

To the Honorable the Municipal Assembly of The City of New York:

Dear Sirs—The General Society of Mechanics and Tradesmen of The City of New York, a duly incorporated body under the Laws of the State of New York, applies through its Secretary to you for an appropriation of ten thousand five hundred dollars to be used by the said Society in the support and maintenance of the "Free Library," located at Nos. 16-24 West Forty-fourth street, in The City of New York.

It respectfully declares that the said library is owned and maintained solely by the said Society as a free public library; that it is open for the free circulation of books among the inhabitants of The City of New York from 8 o'clock a. m. to 8 o'clock p. m. every day, except Sundays and holidays; that the number of volumes contained in the library is one hundred and eight thousand seven hundred and twenty-eight; that the aggregate number of volumes actually withdrawn from the said library by the inhabitants of the said city for use in their homes or places of business during the twelve months preceding the first day of January, 1900, was one hundred and four thousand six hundred and thirty-six.

It further respectfully declares that the value of the real estate owned by the said society, and used solely for the said library, exceeds twenty thousand dollars and is free from any incumbrances.

RICHARD T. DAVIES, Secretary.

Which was ordered on file.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Report of Committee on Parks—

No. 333.

The Committee on Parks, to whom was referred on March 18, 1902 (Minutes, page 159b), the annexed resolution in favor of transferring jurisdiction over the Southern Boulevard, Bronx, to the Department of Parks, respectfully

REPORT:

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

(Substitute.)

Whereas, The Department of Parks is about ready to lay out Crotona Parkway, in the Borough of The Bronx, and said parkway running parallel with and adjoining the Southern Boulevard; therefore be it

Resolved, That, in order to carry out the contemplated improvement successfully, the care and maintenance of the said Southern Boulevard is hereby transferred to and jurisdiction over the same is conveyed to the Department of Parks for a distance commencing one hundred feet south of East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street, and running thence northwesterly to the southerly line of the Botanical Gardens.

(Original.)

Whereas, The Department of Parks is about ready to lay out Crotona Parkway, in the Borough of The Bronx, and said parkway running parallel with and adjoining the Southern Boulevard; therefore be it

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FREDERICK W. LONGFELLOW, FRANKLIN B. WARE, CORNELIUS A. SHEA, JOHN J. TWOMEY, PHILIP HARNISCHFEGGER, JAMES J. DEVLIN, HENRY WILLETT, PATRICK H. MALONE, WILLIAM J. WHITAKER, Committee on Parks.

Which was, on motion of Alderman Longfellow, recommitted to the Committee on Parks.

Report of Committee on Railroads—

No. 151.

The Committee on Railroads, to whom was referred on March 18, 1902 (Minutes, page 157f), the resolution in favor of approving extension of rapid transit system on Lenox avenue, Borough of Manhattan, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they desire another week's time for consideration thereof, and therefore report progress, which report they ask this Board to accept.

JOHN DIEMER, WILLIAM D. PECK, JOHN C. KLETT, JAMES OWENS, MOSES J. WAFER, Committee on Railroads.

Which report was accepted.

Report of Committee on Laws and Legislation—

No. 388—(S. O. No. 16).

The Committee on Laws and Legislation, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of regulating the issuing of licenses for stands within the stoop lines, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they recommend the adoption of the annexed substitute ordinance, which embodies all of the suggestions, and meets all of the objections stated in the letter of his Honor the Mayor, dated March 25, 1902, with which he returned a previous ordinance bearing the same title. The committee has carefully considered the Mayor's suggestion regarding provision for temporary stands for the sale of newspapers, periodicals or both, and the committee believes that this is sufficiently covered by section 3 of the proposed ordinance, in which no distinction is made between permanent and temporary stands. The license fee of \$5 is merely nominal, and if any change were to be made it should be in the direction of a larger license fee for permanent stands rather than a smaller one for temporary stands.

(Substitute.)

A GENERAL ORDINANCE to provide for the licensing and otherwise regulating the erection of stands within stoop lines and under the stairs of the elevated railroad stations in The City of New York.

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

Section 1. No person shall have or use any bootblack stand outside of any building in The City of New York, and there shall be no booth or stand erected or maintained within the stoop lines of any building or under the stairs of the elevated railroad stations in The City of New York without first procuring a license therefor, as hereinafter provided; and any person so doing shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction before any Magistrate shall be fined by said Magistrate not less than \$2 or more than \$10 for each offense, and in default of payment of such fine may be committed to prison by such Magistrate until the same be paid; but such imprisonment shall not exceed to days.

Sec. 2. All licenses for bootblacks and stands within stoop lines or under the stairs of the elevated railroad stations in The City of New York shall be granted by authority of the Mayor, and issued by the Bureau of Licenses, for a term of one year from the date thereof, unless sooner suspended or revoked by the Mayor or the Chief of said Bureau, with the approval of the Mayor; and no person shall be licensed except a citizen of the United States or one who has regularly declared intention to become such citizen and the time to obtain such full citizenship has not yet elapsed.

Sec. 3. Stands within stoop lines may be permitted and licensed, with the consent of the owner of the premises and the consent of the Alderman of the district in which said stand is to be located, for the sale of newspapers, periodicals, fruits and soda water and the blacking of boots, and no bootblack stand shall be provided with more than three chairs. All such stands shall be classified, and the annual license fees therefor shall be fixed and collected as specified in the schedule following: Stands for the sale of newspapers, periodicals or both, \$5; stands for the sale of fruits or soda water or both, \$10; stands for the sale of newspapers, periodicals or both, and in addition also fruits or soda water or both, \$15; bootblack stands, each chair, \$5.

Sec. 4. Every such stand must be strictly within the stoop line and shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the sidewalk by the public, and shall not exceed the space of six feet long by four feet wide, except that in the case of bootblack stands a space not more than three feet wide and four feet long may be occupied by each chair of such stand. The construction and erection of all stands permitted by each chair of such stand. The construction and erection of all stands permitted by this ordinance shall be at the expense of the applicant and under the direction of the President of the Borough in which said stand is located. No person shall be permitted to sleep in any portion of the structure or hold more than one license. The Mayor, or Chief of the Bureau of Licenses, shall have power to transfer a permit or license to another location for the period of its unexpired term; provided, however, that the application for such transfer shall be accompanied by the written revocation of the owner's consent previously given therefor, by the consent of the owner of the premises to which the proposed transfer is to be made and by the consent of the Alderman of the district in which said premises are located.

Sec. 5. Any person desiring to erect a stand or booth underneath the stairs of any of the elevated railroad stations in The City of New York for the sale of newspapers and periodicals shall file in the Bureau of Licenses an application, having indorsed thereon the consent of the Alderman or of the Local Board of Improvements of the district in which said stand or booth is located, in which the applicant shall specify the location desired for such stand, and no such stand or booth or any projection therefrom shall be erected which is wider than the width of the stairs under which it is placed or which extends along the sidewalk a greater distance than to a point where the under surface of the stairs is not over seven feet from the level of the sidewalk; and said stand shall be constructed, erected and maintained at the expense of the applicant and under the direction of the President of the Borough in which such stand is located, upon plans to be approved by the Chief Engineer of the elevated railroad company affected, so as to permit a ready removal of so much thereof as may be necessary to enable the said company, its agents or employees, to get convenient access to any part of the said stairways, for the inspection, painting or repairing thereof, and shall be painted the same color as the stairs of the elevated railroad, and no advertisement shall be painted or displayed thereon.

Sec. 6. Every license granted pursuant to section 5 of this ordinance shall contain the following reservation: "It is expressly agreed and understood that this permit is given subject to the right of the elevated railway company affected, its agents, employees, successors or assigns, or the owner of said stairway, at any time properly to inspect, paint, repair, renew, reconstruct or remove said stairway or any portion thereof, and without claim on the part of said licensee as against said company, its agents, employees, successors or assigns, or the owner of said stairway, for damages to or interference with said booth or stand, or the business therein conducted, occasioned by such inspection, painting, repair, renewal, reconstruction or removal."

Sec. 7. The licensee shall pay for such a stand or booth underneath the stairs of the elevated railroad stations the annual license fee of \$10.

Sec. 8. The official license for any stand or booth must be displayed thereon, so as to be easily visible at all times.

Sec. 9. In the event of a refusal by any Alderman of the consent required by sections 3, 4 and 5 of this ordinance, the applicant for license or transfer may present his application to the Board of Local Improvements of the district in which the proposed stand is to be located, and by vote of a majority of the members elected, the consent of the said Board may be substituted for that of the Alderman. In case an Alderman fails to give his consent as aforesaid within ten days after he has received the application for license or transfer, such failure shall be deemed to be a refusal within the meaning of this section.

Sec. 10. The Chief of the Bureau of Licenses shall have the power to hear and determine complaints against any of the licensees hereunder, and impose a fine of \$2 for any violation of the regulations herein provided and, subject to the approval of the Mayor, shall have power to suspend the license pending payment of such fine. All such fines when collected shall be paid into the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt.

Sec. 11. All ordinances of the former municipal and public corporations consolidated into The City of New York inconsistent or conflicting herewith are hereby repealed.

Sec. 12. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

A GENERAL ORDINANCE to provide for the licensing and otherwise regulating the erection of stands within stoop lines and under the stairs of the elevated railroad stations in The City of New York.

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

Section 1. No person shall have or use any bootblack stand outside of any building in The City of New York, and there shall be no booth or stand erected within stoop lines of any building or under the stairs of the elevated railroad stations in The City of New York without first procuring a license therefor, as hereinafter provided; and any person so doing shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction before any magistrate shall be fined by said magistrate not less than \$1 or more than \$10 for each offense, and in default of payment of such fine may be committed to prison by such magistrate until the same be paid; but such imprisonment shall not exceed 10 days.

Sec. 2. All licenses for bootblacks and stands within stoop lines or under the stairs of the elevated railroad stations in The City of New York shall be granted by authority of the Mayor, and issued by the Bureau of Licenses, for a term of one year from the date thereof, unless sooner suspended or revoked by the Mayor or the Chief of said Bureau, with the approval of the Mayor; and no person shall be licensed except a citizen of the United States or one who has regularly declared intention to become such citizen and the time to obtain such full citizenship has not yet elapsed.

Sec. 3. Stands within stoop lines may be permitted and licensed, with the consent of the owner of the premises and the consent of the Alderman or of the Local Board of Improvements of the district in which said stand is to be located, for the sale of newspapers, periodicals, fruits and soda-water and the blacking of boots, and no bootblack stand shall be provided with more than three chairs. All such stands shall be classified, and the annual license fees therefor shall be fixed and collected as specified in the schedule following: Stands for sale of newspapers, periodicals, or both, \$5; stands for the sale of fruits or soda water or both, \$10; stands for the sale of newspapers, periodicals or both, and in addition also fruits or soda water or both, \$15; bootblack stands, each chair, \$5.

Sec. 4. Every such stand must be strictly within the stoop line and shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the sidewalk by the public, and shall not exceed the space of six feet long by four feet wide, except that in the case of bootblack stands a space not more than three feet wide and four feet long may be occupied by each chair of such stand. The construction and erection of all stands permitted by this ordinance shall be at the expense of the applicant and under the direction of the President of the Borough in which said stand is located. No person shall be permitted to sleep in any portion of the structure or hold more than one license. Upon the written revocation by the owner of the consent previously given therefor, the Mayor or Chief of the Bureau of Licenses shall have power to transfer said permit or license to another location; provided, however, that the approval of such transfer be first obtained, from either the Alderman or of the Local Board of Improvements of the district in which the said stand or booth is located; and which transfer shall be only for the unexpired term of the permit or license.

Sec. 5. Any person desiring to erect a stand or booth underneath the stairs of any of the elevated railroad stations in The City of New York for the sale of newspapers and periodicals shall file in the Bureau of Licenses an application, having indorsed thereon the consent of the Alderman or of the Local Board of Improvements of the district in which said stand or booth is located, in which the applicant shall specify the location desired for such stand, and no such stand or booth or any projection therefrom shall be erected which is wider than the width of the stairs under which it is placed or which extends along the sidewalk a greater distance than to a point where the under surface of the stairs is not over seven feet from the level of the sidewalk; and said stand shall be constructed, erected and maintained at the expense of the applicant and under the direction of the President of the Borough in which such stand is located, upon plans to be approved by the Chief Engineer of the elevated railroad company affected, so as to permit a ready removal of so much thereof as may be necessary to enable the said company, its agents, or employees, to get convenient access to any part of the said stairways, for the inspection, painting or repairing thereof, and shall be painted the same color as the stairs of the elevated railroad, and no advertisement shall be painted or displayed thereon.

Sec. 6. Every license granted pursuant to section 5 of this ordinance shall contain the following reservation: "It is expressly agreed and understood that this permit is given subject to the right of the elevated railroad company affected, its agents, employees, successors or assigns, or the owner of said stairway, at any time properly to inspect, paint, repair, renew, reconstruct or remove said stairway, or any portion thereof, and without claim on the part of said licensee as against said company, its agents, employees, successors or assigns or the owner of said stairway, for damages to or interference with said booth or stand, or the business therein conducted, occasioned by such inspection, painting, repair, renewal, reconstruction or removal."

Sec. 7. The licensee shall pay for such a stand or booth underneath the stairs of the elevated railroad stations the annual license fee of \$10.

Sec. 8. The official license for any stand or booth must be displayed thereon, so as to be easily visible at all times.

Sec. 9. The Chief of the Bureau of Licenses shall have the power to hear and determine complaints against any of the licensees hereunder, and impose a fine of \$2 for any violation of the regulations herein provided and, subject to the approval of the Mayor, shall have power to suspend the license pending payment of such fine. All such fines when collected shall be paid into the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt.

Sec. 10. All ordinances of the former municipal and public corporations consolidated into The City of New York inconsistent or conflicting herewith are hereby repealed.

Sec. 11. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

ARMITAGE MATHEWS, JAMES COWDEN MEYERS, FRANK L. DOWLING, ERNEST A. SEEBECK, JR., NOAH TEBBETTS, ISAAC MARKS, JOHN H. BEHRMANN, Committee on Laws and Legislation.

Alderman Mathews moved immediate consideration.

Which was lost.

On motion of Alderman Oatman, the paper was then laid over and made a special order for 2.15 o'clock p. m.

Subsequently, the hour of 2.15 p. m. having arrived, Alderman Marks called up the above report.

The Vice-Chairman, then in the chair, put the question whether the Board would agree to accept said report and adopt said substituted ordinance.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Alt. Baldwin, Behrmann, Bennett, Bill, Brenner, Chambers, Coggey, Culkin, Devlin, Dickinson, Dietz, Donohue, Dowling, Florence, Gaffney, Gass, Gillies, Goldwater, Goodman, Haggerty, Harburger, Harnischfeger, Higgins, Holler, Holmes, James, Jones, Keely, Klett, Leitner, McCarthy, Thomas F. McCaul, Malone, Maloy, Marks, Mathews, Metzger, Meyers, Nehrbauser, Oatman, Parsons, Peck,

Porges, Richter, Seebeck, Shea, Stewart, Sullivan, Tebbetts, Twomey, Walkley, Ware, Wentz, Whitaker, Willett, Wirth; President Cromwell, Borough of Richmond; President Cassidy, Borough of Queens; President Haffen, Borough of The Bronx; President Swanstrom, Borough of Brooklyn; President Cantor, Borough of Manhattan, and the Vice-Chairman of the Board of Aldermen—63.

Negative—Aldermen Bridges, Downing, Gillen and Wafer—4.

Report of Committee on Buildings—

No. 212.

The Committee on Buildings, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of requesting the New York State Legislature to pass the measure known as the "Ash bill," respectfully

REPORT:

That the New York State Legislature having adjourned, they ask to be excused from further consideration of the subject, and that the resolution be placed on file.

Whereas, There is now pending before the Legislature a measure, called the "Ash bill," regards to amending the Tenement House law, which has been so disastrous and obnoxious to the builders of our boroughs;

Resolved, That we, the members of the Board of Aldermen, do indorse the said Ash bill and pray you to pass the said amendments.

FRANKLIN B. WARE, PETER HOLLER, JOHN C. KLETT, DAVID M. HOLMES, LEOPOLD W. HARBURGER, FREDERICK BRENNER, Committee on Buildings.

Which report was accepted.

Report of Committee on Salaries and Offices—

No. 407.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to whom was referred on April 1, 1902 (Minutes, page 1780), the annexed resolution in favor of appointing John F. Johnson of No. 396 East Tenth street, Borough of Manhattan, a City Surveyor, respectfully

REPORT:

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

Resolved, That John F. Johnson, of No. 396 East Tenth street, Borough of Manhattan, be and he is hereby appointed a City Surveyor.

WILLIAM D. PECK, SAMUEL H. JONES, JOHN H. DONOHUE, PATRICK H. MALONE, JOHN J. HAGGERTY, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

On motion of Alderman Bridges, the paper was recommitted to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

GENERAL ORDERS.

Alderman Downing called up General Order No. 18, being a report and resolution as follows:

No. 237.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of fixing salary of Charles V. Adey, Clerk to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, at \$3,500 per annum, respectfully

REPORT:

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

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment on January 14, 1902, adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen, in accordance with section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901, that the salary of Charles V. Adey, Clerk to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, be fixed at three thousand five hundred dollars (\$3,500) per annum.

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and hereby fixes the salary of Charles V. Adey, Clerk to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, at three thousand five hundred dollars (\$3,500).

ROBERT F. DOWNING, WILLIAM D. PECK, SAMUEL H. JONES, JOHN H. DONOHUE, JOHN D. GILLIES, JOHN J. HAGGERTY, JOHN H. BEHRMANN, PATRICK H. MALONE, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

President Cassidy, of the Borough of Queens, moved that the paper be recommitted to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

Alderman Marks moved as an amendment that the paper be laid on the table.

Which amendment was adopted.

Alderman Downing called up General Order No. 19, being a report and resolution, as follows:

No. 238A.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of fixing the salary of the Resident Physician in Pavilion for Insane at Bellevue Hospital, respectfully

REPORT:

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

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, at meeting held February 14, 1902, adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the amended Greater New York Charter, that the salary of the Resident Physician in the Pavilion for the Insane at Bellevue Hospital be fixed at two thousand five hundred dollars per annum.

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salary of the Resident Physician in the Pavilion for the Insane at Bellevue Hospital, at two thousand five hundred dollars per annum.

ROBERT F. DOWNING, WILLIAM D. PECK, SAMUEL H. JONES, JOHN H. DONOHUE, JOHN D. GILLIES, JOHN J. HAGGERTY, JOHN H. BEHRMANN, PATRICK H. MALONE, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

Which was, on motion of Alderman Marks, laid on the table.

Alderman Bridges called up General Order No. 39, being a report and ordinance as follows:

No. 280—(S. O. No. 17).

The Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance relating to the transfer of passengers on street cars operated in The City of New York (page 1366, Minutes March 11, 1902), respectfully

REPORT:

That they have had several public hearings on the matter, at which all persons so desiring were heard and facts adduced, whereupon your committee recommends that the accompanying substitute ordinance be adopted.

(Substitute.)

AN ORDINANCE in relation to car transfers in The City of New York.

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

Section 1. That no surface road or street railway company owning, operating, managing, running or controlling street cars in the streets or highways of The City of Greater New York shall, directly or indirectly, through its officers, agents or servants transfer any passenger from a car leaving the company's car depot to any other car on its single branch, or leased branches, until it shall have reached the termination of its route, and for every violation of the ordinance there shall be recoverable against the company offending a penalty of fifty dollars, to be sued for in the name of each and every passenger so transferred.

Sec. 2. Amend—This ordinance shall not apply to transfers on any other road going in another direction, nor in case of accident.

Sec. 3. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

(Original.)

AN ORDINANCE in relation to car transfers in The City of New York.

Resolved, By the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York:

Section 1. That it shall be a penalty of fifty dollars for each individual offense, to be recovered by the Corporation Counsel, for any surface road operating or run-

ning street cars in the streets or highways of The City of New York, to transfer any passengers from the car which leaves the company's car depot to any other car on its single branch until it shall reach the termination of its route.

Sec. 2. This ordinance shall not apply to transfers to any other road.

Sec. 3. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

FRANK L. DOWLING, TIMOTHY P. SULLIVAN, CHARLES ALT, PATRICK H. MALONE, WILLIAM J. WHITAKER, ERNEST A. SEEBECK, Jr., Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers.

On motion of Alderman Sullivan it was laid over and made a special order for 2 o'clock p. m. at the next meeting.

At this point the Vice-Chairman took the chair.

SPECIAL ORDERS.

The hour of 2 o'clock having arrived, Alderman Calkin called up Special Order No. 15, being a majority and a minority report of the Committee on Police, as follows:

No. 226.

The Committee on Police, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of requesting Commissioner Partridge to restore the three-platoon system, respectfully

REPORT:

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

Whereas, The Patrolmen of the Police Department of The City of New York are entitled in this age of progress and civilization to have proper opportunities for enjoying the ties of domesticity and home life, which for a time were participated in by them under what is known as the three-platoon system; and

Whereas, The present head of the Police Department, Hon. John N. Partridge, has abolished the three platoon system and has substituted in its stead the condition of affairs which formerly existed; therefore be it

Resolved, That Commissioner Partridge be and he is respectfully requested to restore the three-platoon system, so that the American citizens serving as Patrolmen can be the equals of other men in obtaining just time for mental improvement, proper recreation and upbuilding of the home, the foundation of the nation's supremacy.

FRANK L. DOWLING, PATRICK S. KEELY, MICHAEL KENNEDY, PATRICK HIGGINS, Committee on Police.
To the Honorable Board of Aldermen:

The undersigned, a minority of the Committee on Police, respectfully dissent from the conclusions of the majority of said committee, for the following reasons:

First—The preamble to the resolution before us implies very strongly that the Hon. John N. Partridge, Commissioner of Police, has willfully deprived the Police Force of the city of the humane rights to which they are entitled, and that he has disregarded all elements of humanity, without giving a just cause for his action.

Second—The resolution further implies that he is willing to sacrifice a rigid enforcement of police laws and the protection of life for the successful carrying out of the two-platoon system.

Third—In the resolution itself the said Commissioner is impliedly charged with a disregard of the fact that Patrolmen are "the equal of other men."

We further dissent, because we believe that the magnitude of the question deserves time, thought and the most careful investigation, and that it should not be considered impulsively nor be judged by any feeling of prejudice or passion. We are in full sympathy with those who are clamoring for some relief that will afford the force more time at home in the bosom of their families; but we advocate and urge a recognition of justice first and generosity afterward—justice to the entire population of the city before generosity to any particular class, no matter in what esteem we may hold them. We must also take the taxpayer into consideration, and in doing so we cannot overlook the fact that the present annual expenditure would be increased two million and a half by the additional number of men required to protect the city by properly patrolling the city at night, in order that crime and outlaws should not be rampant at the very time when the citizen, being asleep, is unable to guard his property and protect his family and himself.

We therefore offer the following:

Whereas, To return to the system that has so lately been tried and in cases of emergency and disaster found to be wanting to a considerable extent because of the inadequacy of the reserve force due to the large number of Patrolmen being at their homes and therefore unavailable; and

Whereas, It has been demonstrated that while the three-platoon system affords them the opportunity for the enjoyment of home life, which all citizens join in desiring, it is, nevertheless, unwise to continue such system with its imperfections while proper thought and consideration is being given to a plan that will carry into successful operation the benefits of the three-platoon system and eliminate, therefore, the harsh condition prevailing because of the distinct features of the two-platoon system; and

Whereas, Conscious of the comfort and mindful of the best interests of the members of the Police Force in all matters pertaining to their home life, fully realizing the all-powerful influence of the home as the greatest factor in developing the highest type of manhood and citizenship, with no desire to curtail the hours which the individual members of the force can spend in the society of their wives and children, but on the contrary seeking to afford them every opportunity to spend at their homes every moment that an efficient surveillance over the life, health and safety of the citizens will permit, with no desire to add to their burdens or lessen the opportunities for recreation and improvement which come to all from hours of leisure; and

Whereas, The Hon. John N. Partridge, Commissioner of Police of The City of New York, has seen fit to return, for cogent reasons, to the platoon system which had been abandoned for a period of six months during the term of office of his predecessor;

Whereas, The two-platoon system has been in vogue for upwards of thirty-five years, with the exception of two or three intervals aggregating less than one year, and has been found by previous police boards to be suited to the rapid growth of the city during all these years and has been regarded by such police boards to be a feasible method of dividing up the hours of the day in such a way as to give the greatest protection to the citizen with the least number of men, thereby largely relieving the burdens of taxation; and

Whereas, Notwithstanding adverse criticism under the two-platoon system the record shows that during any four days in the year a Patrolman spends thirty-six hours on post, twenty-eight hours on reserve and thirty-two hours at home, thus affording him considerably more time with his family than is generally conceded, and which should not be overlooked or disregarded; and

Whereas, By reason of the exacting nature of his duties, the element of personal danger to which he is at all times subjected, and the inconvenience of spending a portion of the time doing reserve duty at the station house which other men have at their own disposal, the compensation of a police officer (fourteen hundred dollars a year for a Patrolman) is at least four times as great as that of the soldier whose duties are even more exacting, and whose furloughs at home are few and far between; and in addition the Patrolman is entitled to and receives free medical attendance in case of illness and to retirement on half pay when incapacitated to do duty or by reason of old age; now therefore be it

Resolved, That the Committee on Police indorse the declared intention of the Hon. John N. Partridge to calmly, deliberately and dispassionately enter into an examination of the distinctive features of the two systems with a view to eliminating from the one the harsh and rigorous elements thereof, and embodying those elements of the other which will afford to the force the realization of the comforts and advantages of home life so much desired and to which no one can or ought to object.

PETER HOLLER,
WILLIAM DICKINSON.

At this point Alderman Howland presented another minority report, as follows:

No. 414.

The undersigned, a member of the Committee on Police, dissents from the views of his colleagues as set forth in the reports now pending, for the following reasons:

1. This Board is too large and the opinions of its members too varied to permit it satisfactorily to consider and determine purely administrative questions. Whatever knowledge it has in the premises must be obtained at second hand.

2. Administrative decisions, especially those involving matters of discipline, should be determined only by persons who obtain their information at first hand and can form an independent judgment. This principle prevails in all the organized services, national, State and municipal, and departure from it is invariably a public misfortune.

3. One of the avowed intentions of the present administration, and a principle which was sanctioned by the election of a majority of the members of the present Board, is "to take the police out of politics." Even an expression of sentiment upon any matter affecting their organization will necessarily restore them to that field where administrative matters are not always determined by the public interest. If we should express our sentiment upon a matter of discipline of the police affairs we might with equal propriety entertain and express views as to the conduct of all the executive departments of the city.

The number of persons affected in the present instance should not make any difference in the application of this principle.

4. This Board has no power to take any effective action in the premises, and the very form of the resolution recognizes this fact. Any expression of sentiment where the Board has no express or implied authority committed to it by the Charter is inexpedient and unwise, and especially so in the present instance, where it would involve interference in a matter of considerable consequence with the unrestrained power of an administrative branch of the City Government.

5. Where an administrative official of the city has already reached a decision upon any question within his authority, an expression of opinion by this body contrary to his decision must imply a certain degree of censure, however smooth may be its language.

Therefore, in view of the foregoing circumstances, I offer the following:

Resolved, That both reports—namely, that of the majority and that of the minority—be laid on the table.

CHARLES P. HOWLAND.

Alderman Goodman moved the adoption of the report signed by Alderman Howland.

Alderman John T. McCall moved as an amendment the adoption of the majority report.

Alderman Goodman raised the point of order that the substitute report took precedence.

And the Vice-Chairman ruled that the point of order was well taken.

The Vice-Chairman then put the question whether the Board would agree to accept said report and adopt said resolution of Alderman Howland.

Which was decided in the negative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Alt, Dickinson, Diemer, Goldwater, Goodman, Holler, Holmes, Howland, James, Jones, Klett, Leitner, Longfellow, Meyers, Parsons, Peck, Shea, Stewart, Walkley, Ware, Willett, Wirth; President Cromwell, Borough of Richmond; the Vice-Chairman of the Board of Aldermen, and the President of the Board of Aldermen—25.

Negative—Aldermen Baldwin, Behrmann, Bennett, Bill, Brenner, Bridges, Chambers, Coggey, Calkin, Devlin, Dietz, Donohue, Doull, Dowling, Downing, Florence, Gaffney, Gass, Gillen, Gillies, Haggerty, Harburger, Harnischfeger, Higgins, Kenney, John T. McCall, McCarthy, Thomas F. McCaul, Malone, Marks, Mathews, Nehrbaue, Oatman, Owens, Porges, Richter, Sullivan, Tebbetts, Twomey, Wafer, Wentz, Whitaker; President Cassidy, Borough of Queens; President Haffen, Borough of The Bronx; President Swanstrom, Borough of Brooklyn, and President Cantor, Borough of Manhattan—46.

Alderman Goodman then moved the adoption of the minority report signed by Aldermen Holler and Dickinson.

Alderman Meyers moved that the said minority report be amended by striking from the resolution contained therein the words "Committee on Police," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Board of Aldermen."

Which amendment was adopted.

Alderman Mathews moved the previous question. The Vice-Chairman put the question, "Shall the main question be now put?"

Which was adopted.

The Vice-Chairman then put the question whether the Board would agree to accept the report signed by Aldermen Holler and Dickinson with its resolution as amended:

Which was decided in the negative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Dickinson, Goodman, Holler, Holmes, Howland, James, Klett, Leitner, Longfellow, Meyers, Oatman, Parsons, Peck, Shea, Stewart, Walkley, Ware, Wentz, Willett, Wirth, and the Vice-Chairman of the Board of Aldermen—21.

Negative—Aldermen Alt, Baldwin, Behrmann, Bennett, Bill, Brenner, Bridges, Chambers, Coggey, Calkin, Devlin, Dietz, Donohue, Doull, Dowling, Downing, Florence, Foley, Gaffney, Gass, Gillen, Gillies, Goldwater, Haggerty, Harburger, Harnischfeger, Higgins, Jones, Kennedy, Kenney, John T. McCall, McCarthy, Thomas F. McCaul, Malone, Marks, Mathews, Metzger, Nehrbaue, Owens, Porges, Richter, Seebeck, Sullivan, Tebbetts, Twomey, Wafer, and Whitaker—47.

Alderman Goodman then offered the following as a substitute for the majority report:

Whereas, This Board, appreciating the extent of public sentiment that has been aroused in favor of the strong and sterling features of the three platoon system, whereby the police force are enabled to enjoy merited opportunities for home life in the midst of their respective families; and

Whereas, We are in sympathy with the prevailing desire that such opportunities be afforded the members of the force to the fullest extent, whenever and as soon as it is possible and practicable to carry into effect the distinctive features of the said three platoon system; therefore

Resolved, That Hon. John N. Partridge, Commissioner of Police, be and he hereby is respectfully requested and urged to take early action toward bringing about such results as will afford the members of the police force and their several families the benefits and advantages set forth, without detriment to public interests and without lessening the protection to life, limb and property.

The Vice-Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree with said substitute of Alderman Goodman.

Which was decided in the negative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Behrmann, Bennett, Dickinson, Diemer, Dowling, Downing, Florence, Goldwater, Goodman, Holler, Holmes, Howland, James, Jones, Klett, Leitner, Longfellow, Maloy, Meyers, Oatman, Parsons, Peck, Shea, Stewart, Tebbetts, Walkley, Ware, Wentz, Whitaker, Willett, Wirth; President Cromwell, Borough of Richmond, and the Vice-Chairman of the Board of Aldermen—33.

Negative—Aldermen Alt, Baldwin, Bill, Brenner, Bridges, Chambers, Coggey, Calkin, Devlin, Dietz, Donohue, Doull, Foley, Gaffney, Gass, Gillen, Gillies, Haggerty, Harburger, Harnischfeger, Higgins, Kennedy, Kenney, John T. McCall, McCarthy, Thomas F. McCaul, Malone, Marks, Mathews, Metzger, Nehrbaue, Owens, Porges, Richter, Seebeck, Sullivan, Twomey, and Wafer—38.

Alderman Calkin moved the adoption of the majority report.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Alt, Baldwin, Behrmann, Bennett, Bill, Brenner, Bridges, Chambers, Coggey, Calkin, Devlin, Diemer, Dietz, Donohue, Doull, Dowling, Downing, Florence, Foley, Gaffney, Gass, Gillen, Gillies, Goldwater, Haggerty, Harburger, Harnischfeger, Higgins, Holmes, Jones, Keely, Kennedy, Kenney, Klett, Leitner, John T. McCall, McCarthy, Thomas F. McCaul, Maloy, Marks, Mathews, Metzger, Meyers, Nehrbaue, Oatman, Owens, Porges, Richter, Seebeck, Shea, Sullivan, Tebbetts, Twomey, Wafer, Wentz, Whitaker, Willett; President Cassidy, Borough of Queens; President Haffen, Borough of The Bronx; President Swanstrom, Borough of Brooklyn, and President Cantor, Borough of Manhattan—62.

Negative—Aldermen Dickinson, Goodman, Holler, James, Longfellow, Parsons, Peck, Stewart, Walkley, Ware, Wirth; President Cromwell, Borough of Richmond, and the Vice-Chairman of the Board of Aldermen—13.

Excused—The President—1.

Alderman Walkley moved that the Board do now adjourn.

Which was lost.

Alderman John T. McCall moved that the Board proceed to the order of business of Motions, Ordinances and Resolutions.

Which was lost.

GENERAL ORDERS, RESUMED.

Alderman Mathews called up General Order No. 38, being a report and ordinance, as follows:

No. 262.

The Committee on Laws and Legislation, to whom was referred on March 11, 1902 (Minutes, page 1312), the annexed communication in relation to the storage of explosives, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they report the following ordinance for adoption:

AN ORDINANCE to regulate the sale, use and transportation of explosives in The City of New York.

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

Section 1. The terms "explosive" and "explosives" as used herein include gun powder, blasting powder, gun cotton, dynamite, nitro-glycerine or any substance or compound or mixture or article having properties of such a character that alone or in combination or in contiguity with other substances or compounds, it might decompose suddenly and generate sufficient heat or gas or pressure, or all of them, so as to produce rapid-flaming combustion or administer a destructive blow to surrounding persons or things.

Sec. 2. No person, firm or corporation shall have, keep, sell, use, give away or transport any explosive within the corporate limits of The City of New York without a license from the Fire Commissioner, issued in accordance with the provisions of this ordinance.

Sec. 3. The Fire Commissioner shall have authority, subject to the limitations herein prescribed, to issue licenses:

- (a). To retail dealers in explosives;
- (b). To persons engaged in work requiring the use of explosives;
- (c). Persons engaged in the transportation of explosives.

Sec. 4. The Fire Commissioner may issue licenses to persons desiring to sell explosives at retail at a particular place in The City of New York to be described in such licenses (provided the same shall not be in a building used in any part thereof as a dwelling), authorizing the holders of such licenses to have and keep for sale, but for no other purpose, at the place so described such quantities of explosives as the Fire Commissioner shall determine, not exceeding at any one time, however, of gun-powder, twenty-eight pounds; of blasting powder, fourteen pounds, and of any other explosive or explosives, five pounds. Explosives so had and kept for sale under such licenses shall be securely inclosed and protected from danger of explosion in a manner to be specifically prescribed by the Fire Commissioner in each license, according to the circumstances of each case.

Sec. 5. The Fire Commissioner may issue licenses to persons engaged in work requiring the use of explosives for blasting or other purposes, upon such terms and conditions as the particular work shall, in his judgment, require or permit, due regard being had for the comfort and safety of the community; provided, however, that in no case shall such license authorize the holder thereof to keep on hand for the purposes of such work any larger quantity of explosives than will be needed for the twenty-four hours of work next ensuing, and that such explosives shall be kept in such place or places and protected from danger of explosion in a manner to be specifically prescribed by the Fire Commissioner in each license, according to the circumstances and requirements of each case.

Sec. 6. The Fire Commissioner may issue licenses to persons, firms or corporations engaged in the manufacture of explosives out of the city, or in the transportation thereof, authorizing them, or their agents or employees, to carry within the city during the daytime for the purpose of distribution to, or delivery from, places within the city where the same may be lawfully kept for sale or used, pursuant to the two preceding sections, a quantity not exceeding at any one time, or in any one vehicle, five hundred pounds of gun powder or two hundred and fifty pounds of any other explosive.

Sec. 7. No licensee shall employ anyone in the use, care, sale or transportation of explosives, unless such employee shall hold a certificate of fitness issued to him by the Fire Commissioner, which certificate shall only be issued after personal examination of such employee by the Fire Commissioner.

Sec. 8. No explosive shall be manufactured in The City of New York.

Sec. 9. No license issued hereunder shall become operative until the holder thereof shall have filed a bond, approved by the Comptroller, with the Fire Commissioner, conditioned for the payment of any damage or injury resulting to persons or property from explosions occasioned by the non-observance of this ordinance, or the terms and conditions of the licenses, which bond shall, in the case of retail dealers in explosives be in the penal sum of not less than one hundred dollars (\$100) nor more than one thousand dollars (\$1,000); and in all other cases in the penal sum of not less than one thousand dollars (\$1,000) nor more than twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000), as the Fire Commissioner shall determine.

Sec. 10. In case of the violation by any licensee of the provisions of this ordinance, even though no damage to persons or property be sustained, twenty (20) per cent. of said bond for the first infraction and the whole amount for the second offense shall be forfeited and paid over to and for the use and benefit of the Relief Fund of the Fire Department of New York City.

Sec. 11. The commander, owner or owners of any ship or vessel arriving in the harbor of New York and having more than twenty-eight pounds of explosives on board shall, immediately upon arrival and before such ship or vessel shall approach nearer than three hundred yards of the pier line of said city, give written notice to the Fire Commissioner of the fact that such explosives are on said vessel. And all vessels having on board or loading explosives exceeding twenty-eight pounds shall cause to be displayed at the mast-head nearest the land while remaining within the city limits a red flag, at least five feet square, and no ship or vessel shall lie at the pier after sunset having more than twenty-eight pounds of explosives without a permit from the said Commissioner, said permit to be issued for not exceeding forty-eight hours.

Sec. 12. Nothing in this ordinance shall be construed to apply to any vessel or ship of war in the service of the United States or any foreign government while lying at a distance of three hundred yards or upwards from the pier line of said city, nor to any ship or vessel of war in the service of the United States while lying in any part of the Navy Yard in the Borough of Brooklyn, nor, except as provided in section 13 hereof, to armories.

Sec. 13. Within twelve months after the passing of this ordinance all of the ammunition stored in armories in the said city shall be stored in vaults, each of which shall have connected with it a standpipe having an orifice in the exterior wall of the building, so placed and of such a character that the apparatus of the Fire Department can be connected with it, in order that the magazine may be flooded when, in the opinion of the Fire Commissioner or such other person or persons as he may designate, it shall be necessary to do so; provided, however, in case the armory is in charge of troops under arms said magazine should not be flooded except by and with the consent of the officer in command of said armory.

Sec. 14. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent or conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

ARMITAGE MATHEWS, JAMES COWDEN MEYERS, ISAAC MARKS, THOMAS F. FOLEY, FRANK L. DOWLING, ERNEST A. SEEBECK, Jr., Committee on Laws and Legislation.

Alderman Mathews moved that the ordinance be amended by adding at the end thereof the following:

"Section 15. This ordinance shall take effect immediately."

Which amendment was adopted.

The Vice-Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree to accept said report and adopt said ordinance as amended.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Alt, Baldwin, Behrmann, Bennett, Bill, Brenner, Bridges, Chambers, Calkin, Devlin, Diemer, Dietz, Donohue, Doull, Dowling, Downing, Florence, Gass, Goldwater, Goodman, Haggerty, Harburger, Harnischfeger, Higgins, Holler, Holmes, James, Jones, Kenney, Klett, Leitner, Thomas F. McCaul, Marks, Mathews, Metzger, Meyers, Parsons, Peck, Porges, Richter, Seebeck, Stewart, Sullivan, Tebbetts, Twomey, Wafer, Walkley, Wentz, Whitaker, Wirth; President Cromwell, Bor-

ough of Richmond; President Cassidy, Borough of Queens; President Haffen, Borough of The Bronx; President Swannstrom, Borough of Brooklyn; President Cantor, Borough of Manhattan, and the Vice-Chairman of the Board of Aldermen—57.

Negative—Aldermen Gillen and Gillies—2.

MOTIONS, ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS RESUMED.

No. 416.

By the President—

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

By the President—

E. T. Carroll, No. 22 East One Hundred and Twentieth street, Manhattan.
Lawrence V. Conover, Jr., No. 602 East One Hundred and Sixty-second street, The Bronx.

Morris A. Forgotston, No. 178 Bowery, Manhattan.
George L. Ferris, No. 317 Spruce street, Morris Park, L. I.; business address, No. 164 Montague street, Brooklyn.
John S. Gillies, No. 137 Kent street, Brooklyn.
Charles F. Grim, No. 130 Hull street, Brooklyn.
Robert F. Gillin, No. 357 Franklin avenue, Brooklyn.
Emanuel Jacobus, No. 1325 Madison avenue, Manhattan.
Charles Killilea, No. 530 West One Hundred and Thirty-first street, Manhattan.
Charles A. Le Quesne, No. 16 Court street, Brooklyn.
Thomas F. Magner, No. 147 Lee avenue, Brooklyn.
William R. Phelan, No. 111 West Eighty-second street, Manhattan.
Charles Pavey, No. 312 Nichols avenue, Brooklyn.
Fred Roffe, No. 2137 Hughes avenue, The Bronx.
Henry Wetherhorn, No. 16 West One Hundred and Seventeenth street, Manhattan.

By the Vice-Chairman—

George J. Corcoran, No. 497 Baltic street, Brooklyn.
Raymond Cousins, No. 255 Winthrop street, Brooklyn.
George W. Carmer, Jr., No. 4 East Thirty-first street, Manhattan.
Robert Holmes, Jr., No. 11 Willoughby street, Brooklyn.
Robert Maynard, No. 637 St. John's place, Brooklyn.
Edwin H. Stone, No. 1128 Bedford avenue, Brooklyn.
Louis C. Schlien, No. 346 Broadway, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Alt—

H. A. Mandeville, No. 104 Van Sicklen avenue, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Bill—

William Schaefer, No. 20 Thames street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Bridges—

James B. Murphy, No. 32 Duffield street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Dietz—

Sam Vorzimer, No. 49 East One Hundred and Fourth street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Diemer—

George W. Edwards, No. 1359 Bushwick avenue, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Doull—

Patrick B. McDonnell, No. 374 Seventh avenue, Manhattan.

By Alderman Dowling—

Albert Creelman, No. 447 West Twenty-third street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Florence—

William S. Ryan, No. 1477 Lexington avenue, Manhattan.
Charles H. Seaver, No. 214 West One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Foley—

R. Mevoglioni, No. 185 Sullivan street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Gaffney—

Frank H. Daly, No. 237 East Twenty-fifth street, Manhattan.
James P. Kelker, No. 500 East Eighteenth street, Manhattan.
John Kannengieser, No. 551 East Sixteenth street, Manhattan.
Terence F. McGowan, No. 325 First avenue, Manhattan.

By Alderman Goldwater—

William T. Hall, No. 5 Beech Terrace, Bronx.

By Alderman Goodman—

Paul Kefer, No. 2191 Seventh avenue, Manhattan.
Isaac Newman, No. 1206 Fifth avenue, Manhattan.
Gertrude A. Sanguinetti, No. 440 St. Nicholas avenue.

By Alderman Harburger—

Jacob Michel, No. 246 East Fifty-first street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Harnischfeger—

Charles O. C. Cassidy, No. 687 East One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, The Bronx.

By Alderman Holler—

H. W. Beusmann, No. 147 Heyward street, Brooklyn.
John W. Haslan, No. 175 South Eighth street, Brooklyn.
M. James McLaughlin, No. 134 Broadway, Brooklyn.
Joseph W. Stray, No. 84 Broadway, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Kennedy—

John W. Campbell, No. 608 St. Nicholas avenue, Manhattan.

By Alderman Kenney—

Robert W. Oliver, No. 104 Court street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Klett—

Richard Alexander, Marble Hill, Manhattan.
John V. Humphreys, corner Greenwich avenue and West Eleventh street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Longfellow—

George A. Reading, No. 212 West One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Marks—

William Weiss, No. 61 Park row, Manhattan.

By Alderman Mathews—

David A. Manson, No. 7 East One Hundred and Fifth street, Manhattan.
John J. Palmer, No. 590 Columbus avenue, Manhattan.
George C. Snedden, No. 169 West Sixty-ninth street, Manhattan.

By Alderman McCall—

Thomas F. Woods, No. 341 East Thirtieth street, Manhattan.

By Alderman McCaul—

M. L. Peiser, No. 124 East One Hundred and Sixteenth street, Manhattan.

By Alderman McCarthy—

Frank Mittenszwei, Corona, L. I., Post-office Box 147.

By Alderman Nehrbauer—

Amanda M. Price, No. 103 Newtown avenue, Long Island City, Queens.

By Alderman Owens—

Samuel Newwitter, No. 314 East One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Porges—

Max Lubinger, No. 92 Rivington street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Richter—

John F. Davis, No. 621 Broadway, Manhattan.

By Alderman Seebeck—

John J. Sherdin, No. 392 First street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Sullivan—

Michael Reidy, No. 924 East One Hundred and Eighty-third street, The Bronx.
John J. White, No. 211 Broadway, Manhattan.

By Alderman Stewart—

John Rainey, No. 59 Park avenue, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Tebbetts—
Alonzo Brymer, No. 583 McDougal street, Brooklyn.
Charles E. Field, No. 86 Williams avenue, Brooklyn.
Michael A. O'Brien, No. 164 Prince street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Wafer—
H. A. Faron, No. 1612 Eighth avenue, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Walkley—
Purdy A. Auser, No. 456 Franklin avenue, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Wentz—
Bertha V. Greene, No. 513 Van Buren street, Brooklyn.
Reuben L'Hommiedien, No. 72 South Portland avenue, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Willett—
H. W. Shire, Vine street, Morris Park, L. I., Queens.

The Vice-Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Alt, Baldwin, Bennett, Bridges, Chambers, Culkin, Devlin, Dietz, Donohue, Doull, Gillen, Gillies, Goldwater, Goodman, Harburger, Harnischfeger, Holler, Holmes, James, Jones, Keely, Kenney, Klett, Leitner, Thomas F. McCaul, Malone, Marks, Mathews, Metzger, Meyers, Owens, Parsons, Peck, Porges, Richter, Seebeck, Stewart, Tebbetts, Twomey, Wafer, Wentz, Willett, Wirth; President Cantor, Borough of Manhattan, and the Vice-Chairman of the Board of Aldermen—45.

SPECIAL ORDERS RESUMED.

The hour of 2 o'clock p. m. having arrived and passed, Alderman Doull called up Special Order No. 14, being ordinances as follows:

Nos. 371 and 372—(S. O. No. 14).

(Substitute.)

AN ORDINANCE fixing the office hours of all public offices in The City of New York.

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

Section 1. The office hours of all public offices in The City of New York, except as otherwise provided by law, shall be from 9 o'clock a. m. to 4 p. m., except on Saturdays, when such offices shall be closed at 12 o'clock noon, and the heads of all departments may, when public business requires it, keep the said offices open after 4 o'clock.

Sec. 2. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent or conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Sec. 3. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

That the office hours of the City Clerk and Clerk of the Board of Aldermen shall be from 10 o'clock a. m. until 4 o'clock p. m., except on Saturdays, when the office hours shall be from 10 o'clock a. m. until 12 o'clock noon.

(Original.)

AN ORDINANCE regulating office hours of The City of New York.

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

Section 1. That the office hours of the City Clerk and Clerk of the Board of Aldermen shall be from 10 o'clock a. m. until 4 o'clock p. m., except on Saturdays, when the office hours shall be from 10 o'clock a. m. until 12 o'clock noon. All other public offices in The City of New York, except as otherwise provided by law, shall be open from 9 o'clock a. m. to 4 o'clock p. m., except on Saturdays, when such offices shall be closed at 12 o'clock noon.

Sec. 2. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent or conflicting with this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Sec. 3. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Alderman Wafer moved that the papers be again laid over and made a Special Order for 2 o'clock p. m. at the next meeting.

Which was adopted.

MOTIONS, ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS AGAIN RESUMED.

No. 417.

By Alderman Bridges—

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity be and he is hereby respectfully requested to place three Welsbach lights in front of the Church of St. Michael, on High street, between Gold street and Hudson avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

Which was adopted.

Alderman Holler moved that the Board do now adjourn.

The Vice-Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

And the Vice-Chairman declared that the Board stood adjourned until Tuesday, April 15, 1902, at 1 o'clock p. m.

P. J. SCULLY,

City Clerk, and Clerk of the Board of Aldermen.

BOARD OF EXAMINERS.

MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS.

Meeting held at the office of the Board, rooms No. 516 and 517, No. 1 Madison avenue, New York City, April 8, 1902.

Meeting called to order at 3 p. m.

Present—Messrs. Francis C. Moore, William J. Fryer, Warren A. Conover, William C. Smith, Edward F. Croker, Cornelius O'Reilly, and A. F. D'Oench, Chairman.

Minutes of meeting of April 1, 1902, read, and on motion, duly made and seconded, approved.

Appeal No. 57 of 1902, New Building No. 128 of 1902, premises east side of Avenue A, between Eighty-first and Eighty-second streets; George Haiss, Esq., appellant: On presentation of report made by Chief Croker, and on motion duly made and seconded, the appeal was laid over, the appellant being notified to correct his statement as to location.

Appeal No. 60 of 1902, New Building No. 157 of 1902, premises southeast corner of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street and Eighth avenue; J. F. Kelly, appellant. Mr. Thomas Lamb appeared before the Board to explain the appeal.

On motion, duly made and seconded, the appeal was laid over, Mr. D'Oench voting no.

Appeal No. 61, of 1902, Alteration No. 120, of 1902, premises No. 165 East Broadway, Meyer Jarmulowsky, appellant; letter from appellant, dated the 4th instant, withdrawing appeal presented to the Board, and ordered on file.

Appeal No. 63, of 1902, New Building No. 62, of 1902, premises southwest corner of Broadway and Sixty-seventh street, C. H. P. Gilbert, Esq., architect and appellant: "It is desired to erect a pent house on the roof of this building, which pent house shall occupy about twenty-five per cent. of the area covered by the building, and be constructed in accordance with the character of the rest of the building. The said pent house to be inclosed by twelve-inch brick walls and to contain the roof house over the elevators and stairways and sleeping quarters for the servants of the hotel."

Mr. Townsend appeared before the Board in explanation of the appeal.

On motion duly made and seconded, denied.

Appeal No. 64, of 1902, New Building No. 120, of 1902, premises No. 476 Broadway, Robert Maynicke, Esq., architect and appellant: "To modify the Building Code so that two main staircases may be provided in the building, instead of three, as required by section 75 of the Code. A fire-escape with inclined ladders and solid cast iron treads is provided, as shown on plans, in addition to the two staircases."

Mr. Robert Maynicke appeared before the Board in explanation of the appeal.

On motion duly made and seconded, approved on condition that the elevator shafts on first story behind the grill work be inclosed with metal frames and wire glass; the doors to elevators on first story to be metal covered; the doors opening into first story

hall and on stairways on the upper floors to be metal covered doors; and the court fire-escapes to be constructed with cast iron treads forming regular staircase.

Appeal No. 65 of 1902, Alteration No. 2775 of 1901, premises Nos. 213 to 229 West Twenty-sixth street, Francis H. Kimball, Esq., architect and appellant: "To allow the fourth, or drill room, floor of the building formerly the Ninth Regiment Armory to be used for commercial purposes without subdividing same. And for the following reasons—viz.:

1. This is an existing building which was occupied as an armory. A semi-circular truss roof spans the building, so that the said fourth, or drill room, floor has a clear height from the floor of thirty-eight feet to the under side of the roof.

2. Existing floors are strengthened by new lines of iron columns and girders, two new fireproof staircases inclosed in brick walls are to be put in, and the two elevators will be inclosed in brick walls. The building will be in every respect as regards strength made entirely satisfactory to the Department of Buildings.

3. The Metropolitan Printing Company is the owner of and is to occupy the building. The fourth (or present drill room) floor is to be devoted to the production of large colored posters, requiring a spacious and unbroken floor surface such as has been here found. Comparatively little inflammable stock will be on this floor at any one time, and the enormous height of ceiling would minimize the effect of any blaze, in case such occurred.

4. It is intended that this shall be one of the safest printing establishments from the danger of fire. Fireproof vaults are to be built for the stock of paper and all precautions taken in every way. It is intended to make this a model establishment of its kind in safety and convenience.

5. The thickness of walls and the strength of the floors, even without the added strengthening and betterments, fully meet the requirements of the warehouse class, and therefore the change of occupancy from an armory to a printing establishment is a very different thing from a building of the dwelling house class being used for a warehouse.

6. The Building Code makes no reference to a change of occupancy in a building; and as "armories" and "printing houses" are in the warehouse class in respect to thickness of walls, etc., the proposed use of this armory building for a printing house is not antagonistic to either the letter or spirit of the Building Code. The same section 32 of the Code provides a limit of area for non-fireproof buildings, but that relates to new buildings, and not to existing buildings that require no structural alterations for a mere change of tenancy."

Mr. Francis H. Kimball appeared before the Board in explanation of the appeal. On motion, duly made and seconded, approved.

Appeal No. 66 of 1902, New Building No. 270 of 1902, premises east side of West avenue, about 35 feet south of Flushing street, Long Island City, Borough of Queens, Roscoe Lumber Company, appellant: "It is desired to increase the size of present shed which is used for covering lumber; thus modifying section 144, which calls for corrugated iron; shed is merely temporary on short lease property."

Mr. Chapman, of the Roscoe Lumber Company, appeared before the Board in explanation of the appeal.

On motion, duly made and seconded, referred to the Superintendent of Buildings for the Borough of Queens for his recommendation.

Appeal No. 67 of 1902, New Building No. 102 of 1902, premises Nos. 133, 135 and 137 West Forty-seventh street, Manhattan, Frederick C. Browne, Esq., architect and appellant: "To permit the erection of a deck house on the rear part of the roof of building for servants' quarters; the steel frame of main building to be carried up through said deck house to support the roof of same, deck house to be inclosed with brick walls on the sides and rear and on the front with 3-inch hard burned terra cotta blocks built in between steel tees and angles and covered on the outside with galvanized iron. Construction to be in accordance with plans on file at the Bureau of Buildings of the Borough of Manhattan."

It is also respectfully requested that the building be exempted from the requirements of section 105 of the Building Code as to fireproofing, as the total height of the building from curb level to top of deck house roof does not exceed 150 feet."

Mr. Browne appeared before the Board in explanation of the appeal.

On motion, duly made and seconded, approved on condition that the entire pent house be made absolutely fireproof, including all wood work therein.

Appeal No. 68 of 1902, New Building No. 118 of 1902, premises, whole block front between Sixty-second and Sixty-third streets, Central Park, West, J. B. McElfatrick & Son, architects and appellants: Plans show stores on first story on Central Park, West, running back 40 feet 6½ inches from the building line. These are inclosed with solid brick work, between the steel framing construction and the ceilings are of Roebling construction, and there is no connection between the stores and any other portion of the building. The seats of the first tier are above the rear end of the stores for about eleven (11) feet, as shown on the drawings. The Superintendent of Buildings states that these stores should not exceed 25 feet. * * * Objection based on section 109 of the Building Code relating to theatres. We claim this building is not a theatre, and that the clause of the code governing theatres should not apply.

Mr. Bonsfield appeared before the Board to explain the appeal.

On motion, duly made and seconded, denied.

Appeal No. 69 of 1902, New Building No. 625 of 1902, premises southwest corner of First avenue and Thirty-second street. Appeal withdrawn by the Superintendent of Buildings.

Appeal No. 70 of 1902, Alteration No. 310 of 1902, premises northwest corner of Forty-eighth street and Lexington avenue, Charles W. Romeyn, appellant:

"It is desired to extend the height of the present building to about 78 feet from curb on Forty-eighth street to highest point of roof beams, and permission of your Board is respectfully asked to allow the application of the law regarding the height of non-fireproof buildings in this case to be modified so as to permit of the additional height required. In presenting this request, I beg to call your attention to the fact that the present floor levels being established up to and including the third floor it is not practicable to change them, and that the new floor levels are fixed at the minimum height which will allow of the use of the new stories for storage of the company's wagons."

Mr. Romeyn appeared before the Board in explanation of the appeal.

On motion, duly made and seconded, approved.

Adjourned.

JAMES GAFFNEY, Clerk to Board of Examiners.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

Thursday, January 30, 1902.

Adjourned meeting at 4 p. m.

Present—Commissioners Willcox, President; Eustis, Young.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

There being no further business, the Board adjourned to meet Thursday, 6th proximo, at 4 o'clock p. m.

GEORGE S. TERRY, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

Thursday, February 6, 1902.

Adjourned meeting 4 p. m.

Present—Commissioners Willcox, President; Eustis, Young.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Commissioner Willcox presented plans, specifications and form of contract for a new tin roof and skylights for the Aquarium in Battery Park, and offered the following:

Resolved, That the plans, specifications and form of contract this day submitted for new roofing and skylights at the Aquarium be and hereby are approved and the contract ordered printed, and when printed and approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel that an advertisement be published inviting proposals for doing the work.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Willcox, Eustis and Young—3.

Commissioner Eustis offered the following:

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Parks for the boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond be and hereby is authorized to advertise for proposals for the alteration

and improvement of the frames or pits at the Conservatory, Central Park, in the Borough of Manhattan.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Willcox, Eustis and Young—3.

Commissioner Young offered the following:

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Parks for the boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens be and he hereby is authorized to prepare plans and specifications and advertise for proposals for paving with macadam pavement Ocean avenue from Fort Hamilton avenue to Flatbush avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Willcox, Eustis and Young—3.

Commissioner Young offered the following:

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Parks for the boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens be and he hereby is authorized to advertise for proposals for erecting iron fences on Prospect Park, at Flatbush, Ocean and Fort Hamilton avenues, Borough of Brooklyn.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Willcox, Eustis and Young—3.

On motion, at 4:30 p. m., the Board adjourned to meet at the call of the President.

GEORGE S. TERRY, Secretary.

Tuesday, February 18, 1902.

Special meeting, 12 m., pursuant to the following:

City of New York—Department of Parks.

Arsenal, Central Park,

February 17, 1902.

Mr. GEORGE S. TERRY, Secretary Park Board:

Sir—You will please issue notices for a meeting of the Board to be held Tuesday, 18th inst., at 12 o'clock m., for the transaction of such business as may be presented.

Respectfully, WM. R. WILLCOX, President.

Present—Commissioners Willcox (President), Eustis and Young.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Commissioner Young offered the following:

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Parks for the boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens be and he hereby is authorized to advertise for proposals for furnishing ten horses required for use on the parks in the Borough of Brooklyn.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Willcox, Eustis and Young—3.

On motion of Commissioner Eustis, the Commissioner of Parks for the boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens was authorized to dispose of, at public auction, such horses as, in his judgment, should be condemned as unfit for further use, by the following vote:

Ayes—Commissioners Willcox, Eustis and Young—3.

On motion, at 1:30 p. m., the Board adjourned, to meet Thursday, the 30th inst., at 12 o'clock m.

GEORGE S. TERRY, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

REPORTS OF TRANSACTIONS MARCH 24 TO 29, 1902.

Communications Received.

From Penitentiary, Blackwell's Island:

List of prisoners received during week ending March 22, 1902: Males, 18; females, 1. On file.

List of 27 prisoners to be discharged from March 30 to April 5, 1902. Transmitted to Prison Association.

From City Prison:

Amount of fines received during week ending March 22, 1902, \$113. On file.

From Workhouse, Blackwell's Island:

Amount of fines received during the week ending March 22, 1902, \$54. On file.

From Heads of Institutions:

Reporting meats, milk, fish, etc., received during week ending March 22, 1902, agreed with specifications. On file.

Reports of Census, Labor, Punishments, for week ending March 22, 1902. On file.

From City Prison—Requesting that a licensed Engineer be assigned to the City Prison, where there are three steam boilers in constant use. An Engineer will report for duty at City Prison on April 1, 1902.

From the Comptroller—Referring to voucher in favor of E. A. Tucker, for rubber stamps. Comptroller states that Charter requires that all stationery supplies should be obtained through the "City Record." Hereafter, rubber stamps will be ordered through the Board of City Record.

From City Cemetery—List of burials during week ending March 22, 1902. On file.

From Civil Service Commission—Quoting from provisions of Rule 34, and asking if there are "urgent reasons" for the temporary appointment of a Teacher. It is urgently necessary that a Teacher be appointed at once at Branch Workhouse, Hart's Island.

From Branch Workhouse, Hart's Island, calling attention to need of repairs to organs in both Catholic and Protestant chapels. Also reporting that there is an old piano on the Island. Warden to make requisition for repairs, giving estimate of cost, if possible.

From Kings County Penitentiary:

List of prisoners received during week ending March 22, 1902: Males, 26; Females, 2. On file.

List of 75 prisoners to be discharged from March 23 to 29, 1902. On file.

THOMAS W. HYNES, Commissioner.

BOARD OF ELECTIONS.

Meeting of the Board of Elections, April 2, 1902, at 12 o'clock m.

Present—Commissioners Voorhis, Page and Dady.

The minutes of the meeting of March 26, 1902, were read and approved.

The following communications were received, viz.:

From N. Taylor Phillips, Deputy Comptroller, Department of Finance, dated March 21, 1902, making inquiry in reference to two claims amounting respectively to \$880.60 and \$704.91, filed in that Department by the Martin B. Brown Company, for ballots furnished in 1900 for use at the general election of that year. Referred to the Chief Clerk of the Board to obtain and report the required information for transmission to the Finance Department.

From Hon. Edward M. Grout, Comptroller, dated March 31, 1902, calling attention "to the necessity of transmitting to this Department, on or before April 15, 1902, a statement of the unexpended balances of appropriations made to your Department or office for the year 1901 and all preceding years which have not been heretofore transferred to the General Fund for the reduction of taxation," etc. Referred to the Chief Clerk of the Board to answer.

From the National Voting and Counting Machine Company, of Boston, Mass., dated March 31, 1902, with pamphlet inclosed, referring to their voting machine, etc. Laid on the table and to be answered requesting additional information.

From John Boma of Rochester, N. Y., dated March 31, 1902, inclosing photograph of his new improved voting machine and giving additional particulars concerning it. Referred to the Chief Clerk of the Board to acknowledge.

From August Belmont & Co., dated April 2, 1902, proposing to lease to the Board of Elections office rooms 9 and 10 in the Solingen Building at One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and Mott avenue, for use of the branch office in the Borough of The Bronx, for \$540 per annum, etc.

The following resolutions were adopted, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Elections of The City of New York lease from Messrs. August Belmont & Co., through the proper authorities, subject to the approval of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, for the uses and purposes of a branch office in the Borough of The Bronx, as provided for and authorized by chapter 95, section 11, subdivision 2, paragraph 1, Laws of 1901, for a term of five years from May 1, 1902, at a rental of five hundred and forty dollars per annum, payable quarterly, room No. 9, situate on the second floor at the easterly end of the Solingen Building, Mott avenue and One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, said room being in size about seventeen feet wide by forty-nine feet deep and containing about eight hundred and thirty-three square feet floor space, and room No. 10, situate on the third floor front central portion of said building, being about eleven feet six inches by seventeen feet two inches in size and containing about one hundred and ninety-five square feet of floor space, the lessor agreeing to furnish all necessary light, heat, water, toilet and janitor service at his cost and expense and keep the said rooms and appurtenances at all times in a clean and tenable condition for the comfortable use and occupancy of the said described premises by the lessee and its employees.

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York be and hereby are requested to approve of the leasing of said premises for the purposes and on the terms and conditions above stated.

On motion, the following preamble and resolution were adopted, viz.:

Whereas, It is apparent that the number of existing election districts in The City of New York can, without serious detriment to the convenience to the voters, or in any way affecting the proper and correct conduct and determination of the elections, be materially reduced in number and a large amount of money thereby saved to the city, provided the same can be lawfully done; therefore be it

Resolved, That the opinion of the Counsel to the Corporation be and hereby is requested as to the right and power under existing law, of the Board of Elections of this city to redistrict the city prior to the first day of July next ensuing in such a manner as to include as near as may be, and not to exceed, six hundred and fifty voters to each election district therein.

Commissioner Dady offered the following, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Elections of The City of New York hereby adopts for use at general elections the United States Standard Voting Machine as approved by the State Board of Voting Machine Commissioners.

Resolver, Further, That for the purpose of determining how many voting machines it is practicable to procure, the President of the Board be and hereby is instructed to ascertain from the Mayor and the Board of Estimate and Apportionment what amount of money can conveniently be provided for the payment thereof.

Which was laid on the table.

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

The Buena Vista Realty Company, for rent of branch office, Borough of The Bronx, for January, February and March, 1902.....	\$75 00
Morgan & Brother, for storage of election material, March, 1902.....	255 00
A. B. Yetter, for storage of election material, March, 1902.....	125 00
Staten Island Savings Bank, for rent of branch office, Borough of Richmond, for January, February and March, 1902.....	60 00
James O'Neill, for furnishing copies of legislative bills and documents introduced in the Legislature of 1902.....	50 00
American Ice Company, for Brooklyn office, for 1901.....	19 27
Margaret McKnight, for cleaning branch office, Richmond, during January, February and March, 1902.....	6 00
Total	\$590 27

On motion, the Board adjourned.

CHARLES B. PAGE, Secretary.

CHANGES IN DEPARTMENTS.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES.

April 8, 1902.

The compensation of William H. Boyle, of No. 24 Hicks street, Brooklyn, Rigger on the Brooklyn Bridge, has been decreased from 56 1/4 cents to 50 cents per hour, to date from April 9, 1902.

John McGowan, of No. 44 Columbia place, Brooklyn, Laborer on the roadways of the Brooklyn Bridge, was dismissed from the service of this Department on the 7th inst., for insubordination, refusal to obey the orders of his Foreman, and refusal to work.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

Borough of The Bronx.

April 8, 1902.

Death of James Brady, Laborer in this Department.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

PURSUANT TO STATUTORY REQUIREMENT, notice is hereby given that an act has been passed by both branches of the Legislature, entitled:

AN ACT authorizing the commissioners of appraisal or commissioners to ascertain the compensation to be made to the owners for the property taken for the public use, specified in chapter seven hundred and eighty-nine of the laws of eighteen hundred and ninety-five, and the acts amendatory thereof, to make and submit to the supreme court from time to time reports of their proceedings and appraisals.

Further notice is hereby given that a public hearing upon such bill will be held at the office of the Mayor, in the City Hall, in The City of New York, on April 14, 1902, at eleven o'clock a. m.

Dated City Hall, New York, April 9, 1902.

at 10, 11

SETH LOW, Mayor.

CITY CLERK.

Office of the City Clerk, City Hall,

New York, April 9, 1902.

Public notice is hereby given that the Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers of the Board of Aldermen will hold a public hearing in the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, Manhattan, on Monday, April 14, 1902, at 3 p. m., on resolution authorizing Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity to

day, April 14, 1902, at 2 o'clock p. m., on a communication and ordinance to close Cayuga and Tebbetts avenues, Borough of The Bronx.

All persons interested in the above matter are respectfully requested to attend.

P. J. SCULLY,

City Clerk and Clerk of the Board of Aldermen.

Office of the City Clerk,

New York, April 7, 1902.

Public notice is hereby given that the Committee on Laws and Legislation of the Board of Aldermen will hold public hearings in the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, Manhattan, on Friday, April 11, 1902, at 3 p. m., on the following matters:

Ordinance to regulate traffic in The City of New York, otherwise known as "Rules of the Road."

Ordinance to regulate street sprinkling in The City of New York.

All persons interested in the above matters are respectfully requested to attend.

P. J. SCULLY,

City Clerk and Clerk of the Board of Aldermen.

Office of the City Clerk,

New York, April 7, 1902.

Public notice is hereby given that the Committee on Water Supply, Gas and Electricity of the Board of Aldermen will hold a public hearing in the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, Manhattan, on Friday, April 11, 1902, at 4 p. m., on the proposed ordinance to regulate the price and quality of illuminating gas.

All persons interested in the above matter are respectfully requested to attend.

P. J. SCULLY,

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Office of the City Clerk,

New York, April 7, 1902.

Public notice is hereby given that the Committee on Water Supply, Gas and Electricity of the Board of Aldermen will hold a public hearing in the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, Manhattan, on Friday, April 11, 1902, at 3 p. m., on resolution authorizing Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity to

place water meters at his discretion.

All persons interested in the above matter are respectfully requested to attend.

P. J. SCULLY,

City Clerk and Clerk of the Board of Aldermen.



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 President's Office, No. 11 Borough Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

COUNTY CLERK.

Nos. 8, 9, 10 and 11 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THOMAS L. HAMILTON, County Clerk.
HENRY BIRRELL, Deputy.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

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

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.

No. 119 Nassau street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM M. HOFES, Public Administrator.

KINGS COUNTY OFFICES.**COUNTY COURT, KINGS COUNTY.**

County Court-house, Brooklyn, Rooms 10, 19, 22 and 23. Court opens at 10 A. M. daily, and sits until business is completed. Part I., Room No. 23, Part II., Room No. 10, Court-house. Clerk's Office, Rooms 19 and 22, open daily from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M. to 4 P. M.; Sundays, 12 M. to 4 P. M.
JOSEPH ASPINALL and FREDERICK E. CRANE, County Judges.
JULIUS L. WIEMAN, Chief Clerk.

SURROGATE.

Hall of Records, Brooklyn, N. Y.
JAMES C. CHURCH, Surrogate.
WILLIAM P. PICKETT, Clerk of the Surrogate's Court.
Court opens at 10 A. M. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

SHERIFF.

County Court-house, Brooklyn.
9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M. to 4 P. M.
NORMAN S. DIKE, Sheriff; WILLIAM W. WINGATE, Under Sheriff.

COUNTY JAIL.

Raymond street, between Wolloughby street and DeKalb avenue, Brooklyn, New York.
NORMAN S. DIKE, Sheriff; JAMES F. ROACH, Warden.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

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

REGISTER.

Hall of Records. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., excepting months of July and August, then from 9 A. M. to 2 P. M., provided for by statute.
JOHN K. NEAL, Register.
WARREN C. TREDWELL, Deputy Register.
D. N. RALSTON, Assistant Deputy Register.

COUNTY CLERK.

Hall of Records, Brooklyn, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
CHARLES T. HARTZHEIM, County Clerk.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

County Court-house.
WILLIAM E. MELODY, Commissioner.
Office hours from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, from 9 A. M. to 12 M.

COMMISSIONER OF RECORDS.

Rooms 7, 9, 10 and 11, Hall of Records.
Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., excepting months of July and August, then 9 A. M. to 2 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
GEORGE E. WALDO, Commissioner.
JOSEPH H. GRENELLE, Deputy Commissioner.
THOMAS D. MOSSCROFT, Superintendent.
RICHARD S. STEVES, Chief Clerk.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.

No. 189 Montague street, Brooklyn, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M., except Saturdays in June, July and August, 9 A. M. to 1 P. M.
WM. B. DAVENPORT, Public Administrator.

QUEENS COUNTY OFFICES.**SURROGATE.**

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.
HARRISON S. MOORE, 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 H. DE BRAGA, Sheriff; JOSIAH C. BENNETT, Under Sheriff.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

Office, Queens County Court-house, Long Island City, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.
JOHN B. MERRILL, District Attorney.
DENIS O'LEARY, Chief Clerk.

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, 12 M. to 4 P. M.
County and Supreme Court held at the Queens County Court-house, Long Island City. Court opens 9:30 A. M., to adjourn 5 P. M.
JAMES INGRAM, County Clerk.
CHARLES DOWNING, 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.**COUNTY JUDGE AND SURROGATE.**

Terms of Court, Richmond County, 1899.
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.
EDWARD M. MULLER, County Clerk.
CROWELL M. CONNER, Deputy County Clerk.

SHERIFF.

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

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

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

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.
Special Term, Part II. (ex-parte business), Room No. 15.
Special Term, Part III., Room No. 19.
Special Term, Part IV., Room No. 11.
Special Term, Part V., Room No. 30.
Special Term, Part VI. (Elevated Railroad Cases), Room No. 36.
Trial Term, Part I., Room No. 25.
Trial Term, Part II., Room No. 17.
Trial Term, Part III., Room No. 18.
Trial Term, Part IV., Room No. 16.
Trial Term, Part V., Room No. 24.
Trial Term, Part VI., Room No. 23.
Trial Term, Part VII., Room No. 33.
Trial Term, Part VIII., Room No. 31.
Trial Term, Part IX., Room No. 32.
Trial Term, Part X., Room No. 22.
Trial Term, Part XI., Room No. 34.
Trial Term, Part XII., and Special Term, Part VII., Room No. 26.
Appellate Term, Room No. 31.
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 38, third floor.
Assignment Bureau, room on third floor.
Clerks in attendance from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Clerk's Office, Special Term, Part I. (motions), Room No. 13.
Clerk's Office, Special Term, Part II. (ex-parte business), room southwest corner, Mezzanine floor.
Clerk's Office, Special Term Calendar, room southeast corner second floor.
Clerk's Office, Trial Terms Calendar, room northeast corner second floor.
Clerk's Office, Appellate Term, room southwest corner third floor.
Trial Term, Part I. (Criminal business).
Criminal Court-house, Centre street.
Justices—GEORGE C. BARRETT, CHARLES H. TRUAX, CHARLES F. MACLEAN, JAMES FITZGERALD, MILES BEACH, DAVID LEVENTRITT, LEONARD A. GIEGERICH, HENRY BISCHOFF, JR., JOHN J. FREEDMAN, GEORGE P. ANDREWS, P. HENRY DUGRO, JOHN PROCTOR CLARKE, HENRY A. GILDERLEEVE, FRANCIS M. SCOTT, JAMES A. O'GORMAN, JAMES A. BLANCHARD, SAMUEL GREENBAUM, ALFRED STECKLER, THOMAS L. HAMILTON, Clerk.

SUPREME COURT—SECOND DEPARTMENT.

Kings County, Court-house, Borough of Brooklyn, N. Y.
Courts open daily from 10 o'clock A. M. to 5 o'clock P. M. Five jury trial parts. Special Term for Trials. Special Term for Motions.
GERARD M. STEVENS, General Clerk.

CRIMINAL DIVISION—SUPREME COURT.

Building for Criminal Courts, Centre, Elm, White and Franklin streets.
Court opens at 10:30 A. M.
THOMAS L. HAMILTON, Clerk; EDWARD R. CARROLL, Special Deputy to the Clerk.
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

Held in the building for Criminal Courts, Centre, Elm, White and Franklin streets.
RUFUS B. COWING, City Judge; JOHN W. GOFF, Recorder; JOSEPH E. NEWBURGER, MARTIN T. McMAHON and WARREN W. FOSTER, Judges of the Court of General Sessions. EDWARD R. CARROLL, Clerk.
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

CITY COURT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

No. 32 Chambers street, Brown-stone Building City Hall Park, from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
General Term.
Trial Term, Part I.
Part II.
Part III.
Part IV.
Special Term Chambers will be held 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Clerk's Office, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES M. FITZSIMONS, Chief Justice; JOHN H. MCCARTHY, LEWIS J. CONLAN, EDWARD F. O'DWYER, THEODORE F. HASCALL, FRANCIS B. DELEHANTY, SAMUEL SEABURY, JUSTICES. THOMAS F. SMITH, Clerk.

COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.

Building for Criminal Courts, Centre street, between Franklin and White streets, Borough of Manhattan. Court opens at 10 A. M.
Justices—First Division—ELIZUR B. HINSDALE, WILLIAM E. WYATT, JOHN B. MCKEAN, WILLIAM C. HOLBROOK, JULIUS M. MAYER, WILLIAM M. FULLER, Clerk; JOSEPH H. JONES, Deputy Clerk.
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Second Division—Trial days—Borough Hall, Brooklyn, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 10 o'clock; Town Hall, Jamaica, Borough of Queens, Tuesdays, at 10 o'clock; Town Hall, New Brighton, Borough of Richmond, Thursdays, at 10 o'clock.
Justices—JOHN COURTNEY, HOWARD J. FORKER, PATRICK KEADY, JOHN FLEMING, THOMAS W. FITZGERALD, JOSEPH L. KERRIGAN, Clerk; JOHN J. DORMAN, Deputy Clerk.
Clerk's office, Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn; open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

CITY MAGISTRATES' COURTS.

Courts open from 9 A. M. until 4 P. M.
City Magistrates—HENRY A. BRANN, ROBERT C. CORNELL, LEROY B. CRANE, JOSEPH M. DEUEL,

CHARLES A. FLAMMER, LORENZ ZELLER, CLARENCE W. MEADE, JOHN O. MOTT, JOSEPH POOL, JOHN B. MAYO, EDWARD HOGAN, WILLARD H. OLMSTED, PHILIP BLOCH, Secretary.
First District—Criminal Court Building.
Second District—Jefferson Market.
Third District—No. 69 Essex street.
Fourth District—Fifty-seventh street, near Lexington avenue.
Fifth District—One Hundred and Twenty-first street, southeastern corner of Sylvan place.
Sixth District—One Hundred and Fifty-Eighth street and Third avenue.
Seventh District—Fifty-fourth street, west of Eighth avenue.

SECOND DIVISION.**Borough of Brooklyn.**

City Magistrates—ALFRED E. STEERS, A. V. B. VOORHEES, JR., JAMES G. TIGHE, WALTER L. DURACK, J. LOTT NOSTRAND, CHARLES S. DEVOY, WILLIAM WATSON, RAYMOND B. INGERSOLL, WILLIAM KRAMER, WILLIAM BRENNAN.
First District—No. 318 Adams street.
Second District—Court and Butler streets.
Third District—Myrtle and Vanderbilt avenues.
Fourth District—Lee avenue and Clymer street.
Fifth District—Manhattan avenue and Powers street.
Sixth District—Gates and Reid avenues.
Seventh District—Grant street (Flatbush).
Eighth District—West Eighth street (Coney Island).

Borough of Queens.

City Magistrates—MATTHEW J. SMITH, LUKE J. CONNORTON, EDMUND J. HEALY.
First District—Long Island City.
Second District—Flushing.
Third District—Far Rockaway.

Borough of Richmond.

City Magistrates—JOHN CROAK, NATHANIEL MARSH.
First District—New Brighton, Staten Island.
Second District—Stapleton, Staten Island.
Secretary to the Board, THOMAS D. OSBORN, West Eighth street, Coney Island.

MUNICIPAL COURTS.**BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.**

First District—Third, Fifth and Eighth Wards, and all that part of the First Ward lying west of Broadway and Whitehall street, including Governor's Island, Bedloe's Island, Ellis Island and the Oyster Islands, New Court-house, No. 128 Prince street, corner of Wooster street.
DANIEL E. FINN, Justice. FRANK L. BACON, Clerk.
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Second District—Second, Fourth, Sixth and Fourteenth Wards, and all that portion of the First Ward lying south and east of Broadway and Whitehall street. Court-room, corner of Grand and Centre streets.
HERMAN BOLTE, Justice. FRANCIS MANGIN, Clerk.
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Court opens daily at 10 A. M., and remains open until daily business is disposed of and close of the daily business, except on Sundays and legal holidays.

Third District—Ninth and Fifteenth Wards, Court-room, southwest corner Sixth avenue and West Tenth street. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WM. F. MOORE, Justice. DANIEL WILLIAMS, Clerk.
Fourth District—Tenth and Seventeenth Wards, Court-room, No. 30 First street, corner Second avenue. Clerk's office open daily from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court opens 10 A. M. daily, and remains open to close of business.
GEORGE F. ROESCH, Justice. JULIUS HARBURGER, Clerk.

Fifth District—Seventh, Eleventh and Thirtieth Wards. Court-room, No. 154 Clinton street.
BENJAMIN HOFFMAN, Justice. THOMAS FITZPATRICK, Clerk.

Sixth District—Eighteenth and Twenty-first Wards. Court-room, northwest corner Twenty-third street and Second avenue. Court opens 9 A. M. daily and continues open to close of business.
DANIEL F. MARTIN, Justice. ABRAM BERNARD, Clerk.
Seventh District—Nineteenth Ward. Court-room, No. 151 East Fifty-seventh street. Court opens every morning at 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays), and continues open to close of business.
HERMAN JOSEPH, Justice. PATRICK McDAVITT, Clerk.

Eighth District—Sixteenth and Twentieth Wards. Court-room, northwest corner of Twenty-third street and Eighth avenue. Court opens at 10 A. M. and continues open until close of business.
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., and on Saturdays until 12 M.
Trial days and Return days, each Court day.
JOSEPH H. STINER, Justice. HENRY MERZBACH, Clerk.

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

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

Eleventh District—That portion of the Twelfth Ward which lies north of the centre line of West One Hundred and Tenth street and west of the centre line of Lenox or Sixth avenue, and of the Harlem river north of the terminus of Lenox or Sixth avenue. Court-room, corner of One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street and Columbus avenue. Clerk's office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted), from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court convenes daily at 9:45 A. M.
FRANCIS J. WORCESTER, Justice. HEMAN B. WILSON, Clerk.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

First District—All that part of the Twenty-fourth Ward which was lately annexed to the City and County of New York by chapter 1034 of the Laws of 1895, comprising all of the late Town of Westchester and part of the Towns of Eastchester and Pelham, including the Villages of Wakefield and Williamsbridge. Court-room, Town Hall, Main street, Westchester Village. Court open daily (Sunday and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Trial of causes are Tuesday and Friday of each week.
WILLIAM W. PENFIELD, Justice. JOHN N. STEWART, Clerk.

Office hours, from 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Saturdays, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Second District—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, except the territory described in chapter 934 of the Laws of 1895. Court-room, corner of Third avenue and One Hundred and

Fifty-eighth street. Office hours from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court opens at 10 A. M.
JOHN M. 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, Eighth, Ninth, Eleventh, Twentieth, Twenty-first, Twenty-second and Twenty-third Wards. Court-room located at No. 794 Broadway, Brooklyn.
GERARD B. VAN WART, Justice. WILLIAM H. ALLEN, Clerk.

Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Third District—Includes the Thirteenth, Fourteenth, Fifteenth, Sixteenth, Seventeenth, Eighteenth and Nineteenth Wards. Court-house Nos. 6 and 8 Lee avenue, Brooklyn.
WILLIAM J. LYNCH, Justice. JOHN W. CARPENTER, Clerk.
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. until 4 P. M. Court opens at 10 o'clock.
Fourth District—Twenty-fourth, Twenty-fifth, Twenty-sixth, Twenty-seventh and Twenty-eighth Wards. Court-room, No. 14 Howard avenue.
THOMAS H. WILLIAMS, Justice. HERMAN GOHLINGHORST, Clerk; JAMES P. SINNOTT, Assistant Clerk.

Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Fifth District—Eight, Twenty-second, Twenty-ninth, Thirtieth, Thirty-first and Thirty-second Wards. Court-house, Bay Twenty-second street and Bath avenue, Bath Beach. Telephone, 83 Bath.
CORNELIUS FURGUSON, Justice. JEREMIAH J. O'LEARY, Clerk.

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

Second District—Second and Third Wards, which include the territory of the late Towns of Newtown and Flushing. Court-room in Court house of late Town of Newtown, corner of Broadway and Court street, Elmhurst, New York. P. O. address, Elmhurst, New York.
WILLIAM RASQUIN, Jr., Justice. HENRY WALTE, Jr., Clerk.

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

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

First District—First and Third Wards (Towns of Castleton and Northfield). Court-room, former Village Hall, Lafayette avenue and Second street, New Brighton.
JOHN J. KENNEY, Justice. FRANCIS F. LEMAN, Clerk.

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

Court office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court held each day from 10 A. M., and continues until close of business.

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

OFFICE OF PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS, NEW YORK, April 8, 1902.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORDANCE with section 432 of the Charter of The City of New York, that a petition, signed by property owners and residents of the Newtown District for Local Improvements for the flagging and curbing of Willow street, from Main street to Hoyt avenue, in First Ward, Borough of Queens, has been filed in this office and is now ready for public inspection, and that a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Newtown District for Local Improvements will be held in the Borough Office, Hackett Building, Long Island City, on the 15th day of April, 1902, at 10:30 A. M., at which meeting said petition will be submitted to the Board.

JOSEPH CASSIDY, President.

Geo. S. Jervis, Secretary.

April 8, 1902.
Notice is hereby given that the public hearing on the above petition has been adjourned to and will be held on Tuesday, April 15, 1902, at 11 A. M., at Borough Hall, Long Island City.

JOSEPH CASSIDY, President.

Geo. S. Jervis, Secretary.

OFFICE OF PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS, NEW YORK, April 8, 1902.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORDANCE with section 432 of the Charter of The City of New York, that a petition, signed by property owners and residents of the Newtown District for Local Improvements for the curbing and paving of Clinton avenue, from Hamilton street to Astoria road, in Second Ward, Borough of Queens, has been filed in this office and is now ready for public inspection, and that a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Newtown District for Local Improvements will be held in the Borough Office, Hackett Building, Long Island City, on the 15th day of April, 1902, at 10:30 A. M., at which meeting said petition will be submitted to the Board.

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OFFICE OF PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS, NEW YORK, April 8, 1902.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORDANCE with section 432 of the Charter of The City of New York, that a petition, signed by property owners and residents of the Newtown District for Local Improvements for the legal opening of Washington avenue, from the East river to Jackson avenue, in First Ward, Borough of Queens, has been filed in this office and is now ready for public inspection, and that a

meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Newtown District for Local Improvements will be held in the Borough Office, Hackett Building, Long Island City, on the 15th day of April, 1902, at 10.30 a. m., at which meeting said petition will be submitted to the Board.

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JOSEPH CASSIDY,
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GEO. S. JERVIS,
Secretary.

OFFICE OF PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS, NEW YORK, April 8, 1902.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORD-ance with section 432 of the Charter of The City of New York, that a petition, signed by property owners and residents of the Newtown District for Local Improvements for the grading and paving of Johnson avenue, between Maiden lane and Dry Harbor road, in Second Ward, Borough of Queens, has been filed in this office and is now ready for public inspection, and that a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Newtown District for Local Improvements will be held in the Borough Office, Hackett Building, Long Island City, on the 15th day of April, 1902, at 10.30 a. m., at which meeting said petition will be submitted to the Board.

JOSEPH CASSIDY,
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JOSEPH CASSIDY,
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GEO. S. JERVIS,
Secretary.

OFFICE OF PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS, NEW YORK, April 8, 1902.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORD-ance with section 432 of the Charter of The City of New York, that a petition, signed by property owners and residents of the Newtown District for Local Improvements for the paving, flagging of sidewalks and resetting of the curb of Ninth street, from West to Vernon avenue, in First Ward, Borough of Queens, has been filed in this office and is now ready for public inspection, and that a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Newtown District for Local Improvements will be held in the Borough Office, Hackett Building, Long Island City, on the 15th day of April, 1902, at 10.30 a. m., at which meeting said petition will be submitted to the Board.

JOSEPH CASSIDY,
President.
GEO. S. JERVIS,
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GEO. S. JERVIS,
Secretary.

OFFICE OF PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS, NEW YORK, April 8, 1902.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORD-ance with section 432 of the Charter of The City of New York, that a petition, signed by property owners and residents of the Newtown District for Local Improvements for the curbing and paving of Clermont avenue, from Maspeth to Hull avenue, in Second Ward, Borough of Queens, has been filed in this office and is now ready for public inspection, and that a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Newtown District for Local Improvements will be held in the Borough Office, Hackett Building, Long Island City, on the 15th day of April, 1902, at 10.30 a. m., at which meeting said petition will be submitted to the Board.

JOSEPH CASSIDY,
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meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Newtown District for Local Improvements will be held in the Borough Office, Hackett Building, Long Island City, on the 15th day of April, 1902, at 10.30 a. m., at which meeting said petition will be submitted to the Board.

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OFFICE OF PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS, NEW YORK, April 8, 1902.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORD-ance with section 432 of the Charter of The City of New York, that a petition, signed by property owners and residents of the Newtown District for Local Improvements for the construction of a receiving basin corner of Twelfth street and Jackson avenue, in First Ward, Borough of Queens, has been filed in this office, and is now ready for public inspection, and that a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Newtown District for Local Improvements will be held in the Borough Office, Hackett Building, Long Island City, on the 15th day of April, 1902, at 10.30 a. m., at which meeting said petition will be submitted to the Board.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORD-ance with section 432 of the Charter of The City of New York, that a petition, signed by property owners and residents of the Newtown District for Local Improvements for the construction of two receiving basins to connect with sewer; one at corner of Orchard street and Jackson avenue, and one at corner of Henry street and Jackson avenue, in First Ward, Borough of Queens, has been filed in this office, and is now ready for public inspection, and that a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Newtown District for Local Improvements will be held in the Borough Office, Hackett Building, Long Island City, on the 15th day of April, 1902, at 10.30 a. m., at which meeting said petition will be submitted to the Board.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORD-ance with section 432 of the Charter of The City of New York, that a petition, signed by property owners and residents of the Newtown District for Local Improvements for the construction of a receiving basin on Third avenue between Jamaica avenue and Grand avenue on the westerly side about 335 feet north of Jamaica avenue, in First Ward, Borough of Queens, has been filed in this office, and is now ready for public inspection, and that a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Newtown District for Local Improvements will be held in the Borough Office, Hackett Building, Long Island City, on the 15th day of April, 1902, at 10.30 a. m., at which meeting said petition will be submitted to the Board.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORD-ance with section 432 of the Charter of The City of New York, that a petition, signed by

property owners and residents of the Newtown District for Local Improvements for the legal opening of Onderdonk avenue from Palmetto street to Flushing avenue, in Second Ward, Borough of Queens, has been filed in this office, and is now ready for public inspection, and that a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Newtown District for Local Improvements will be held in the Borough Office, Hackett Building, Long Island City, on the 15th day of April, 1902, at 10.30 a. m., at which meeting said petition will be submitted to the Board.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORD-ance with section 432 of the Charter of The City of New York, that a petition, signed by property owners and residents of the Newtown District for Local Improvements for the legal opening of North Washington place from Hallett street westerly to Willow street in First Ward, Borough of Queens, has been filed in this office, and is now ready for public inspection, and that a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Newtown District for Local Improvements will be held in the Borough Office, Hackett Building, Long Island City, on the 15th day of April, 1902, at 10.30 a. m., at which meeting said petition will be submitted to the Board.

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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES. BOROUGH OF RICHMOND, STATEN ISLAND.

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

FRIDAY, APRIL 18, 1902.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING MEATS, FISH, HARDWARE, COAL, WOOD, ETC.

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

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

Samples will be on exhibition at the Almshouse County Farm, Borough of Richmond, Staten Island. The bidder will state the price of each item contained in the specifications 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 for each item and awards made to the lowest bidder on each.

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein, and, if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; also, that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud, and that no member of the Board of Aldermen, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the corporation, is, shall be or become interested, directly or indirectly, as contracting party, partner, stockholder, surety or otherwise in or in the performance of the contract, or in the supplies, work or business to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof.

The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath in writing of the party or parties making the estimate.

mate that the several matters stated herein are in all respects true.

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

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

For particulars as to the nature and extent of the work, reference must be made to the specifications on file in the department.

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

HOMER FOLKS,
Commissioner.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, April 7, 1902. a8-18

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES. Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

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

THURSDAY, APRIL 10, 1902.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING HOSPITAL SUPPLIES, VIZ.: CHEMICALS, DRUGS, SURGICAL INSTRUMENTS AND MISCELLANEOUS SUPPLIES.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING LUMBER.

No. 3. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING PAINTS, OILS, GLASS, GRANITE WARE, etc.

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

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

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

The articles, supplies, goods, wares and merchandise are to be delivered, free of expense, in such quantities and at such times as may be required. The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per pound, 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 or class and awards made to the lowest bidder on each item or class.

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

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

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

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

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

The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath in writing of the party or parties making the estimate that the several matters stated herein are in all respects true.

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

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

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

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

HOMER FOLKS,
Commissioner.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, March 26.

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MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, NEW YORK LIFE BUILDING, FIFTH FLOOR, No. 346 BROADWAY, CORNER OF LEONARD STREET.

PUBLIC NOTICE WILL BE GIVEN of all examinations at least two weeks in advance of the date upon which the receipt of applications will close for any examination which is scheduled.

Persons desiring applications may obtain the same by applying to the office of the Commission either in person or in writing, and should state the position or positions for which they wish to make application.

When application is made for a position for which no examination is scheduled, the name of the applicant will be recorded and an application blank sent, when the date of the examination is fixed.

All notices of examination will immediately follow this notice. Such notices will contain the

scope of the examination, but for more general information, application should be made in person at the office of the Commission.

GEORGE MCANENY,
Secretary.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 346 BROADWAY, NEW YORK, March 27, 1902.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that open competitive examinations will be held for the following positions on the dates specified:

CHEMIST, on Thursday, April 10, at 10 o'clock a.m.

Applications will be received at the office of the Commission up to 5 o'clock p.m., April 9. The subjects of the examination will be (1) technical knowledge and (2) experience. Applicants must also hold an apothecary's license.

SUPERVISING ENGINEER on Monday, April 14, at 10 o'clock a.m.

Applications will be received at the office of the Commission up to 5 o'clock p.m., April 11.

The subjects of examination will be (1) practical knowledge and (2) experience. Applicants must have had an experience fitting them to take charge of the engineering plant of a large public building, and to supervise the work of the subordinate engineers. An appointment will be made from the list formed as the result of this examination, at Bellevue Hospital, at an annual salary of \$1,500.

ASSISTANT SECRETARY TO THE ART COMMISSION, on Tuesday, April 15, 1902, at 10 o'clock a.m. Applications will be received at the office of the Commission up to 12 o'clock m., on April 12.

The scope of the examination will be as follows:

Subjects.	Weights.
Handwriting	30
Spelling	15
Dictation	15
Arithmetic	20
Letter	20

Candidates will be required to obtain 80 per cent. in the above qualifications.

In addition to the above there will be a special paper which will relate to the candidates' knowledge of subjects within the jurisdiction of the Municipal Art Commission, as defined by section 637 of the New York Charter, due weight being given to previous experience or special training.

The special paper will bear a weight of 50 per cent., and the obligatory subjects a weight of 50 per cent.

The annual salary of the office will be \$2,500.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINER (Male) on Wednesday, April 16, 1902, at 10 o'clock a.m. (Female) on Thursday, April 17, 1902, at 10 o'clock a.m.

Applications will be received at the office of the Commission up to 5 o'clock p.m., April 14.

These examinations are for the position of examiner of lowest grade (\$1,200 annual salary) under the Civil Service Commission. The subjects and weights in each will be as follows:

Subjects.	Weights.
Spelling	2
Arithmetic	2
Handwriting	1
General paper	5

Total

The general paper will include (a) the correction of Civil Service examination papers in mathematics and spelling, (b) general questions in civil government, history and geography, and (c) letter writing.

CHARACTER EXAMINER AND INSPECTOR on Friday, April 18, 1902, at 10 o'clock a.m.

Applications will be received at the office of the Commission up to 5 o'clock p.m., April 15.

The duties of the position to be filled will include the examination of certificates of character of candidates and the investigation of complaints. Annual salary, \$1,800.

The subjects and weights of the examination will be as follows:

Duties:	Weights.
(including (a) the writing of reports, and (b) knowledge of the Civil Service Law and Rules)	5
Experience	3
Arithmetic	1
Handwriting	1

WOMAN RECEPTION AGENT WITH KNOWLEDGE OF LANGUAGES at Bellevue Hospital, on Thursday, April 10, 1902, at 10 a.m.

The time for filing applications will expire on Tuesday, April 8, at 5 p.m.

The scope of the examination will be as follows:

Subjects.	Weights.
Duties	6
Experience	4

The duties of the position will include the reception of patients and friends of patients at Bellevue Hospital and the furnishing of general information. Under the head of "Duties," candidates will be examined in the German, French and Italian languages. The annual salary of the position in which a vacancy now occurs is \$720.

Tuesday, April 8, 1902.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that open competitive examinations will be held for the following positions on the dates specified:

DEPUTY MEDICAL SUPERINTENDENT, on Wednesday, April 23, 1902, at 10 o'clock a.m. Applications will be received at the office of the Commission up to 5 o'clock p.m. Tuesday, April 22, 1902.

The scope of the examination will be as follows:

Subjects.	Weights.
Technical knowledge	60
Experience	40

Candidates will be required to obtain 75 per cent. on the paper on technical knowledge.

The salary attached to the position will be \$1,200 per annum, including house and maintenance.

Candidates must hold the degree of "M. D." and be duly authorized to practice medicine in the State of New York, and should be familiar with the laws and ordinances affecting contagious diseases and reporting special cases.

Candidates should have some general knowledge of the organization of charitable institutions, and some experience in the care and maintenance of hospitals, almshouses, etc., and the supervision of help employed in the same.

Persons securing a place upon the eligible list will be certified in the order of their ascertained percentage to the various departments and institutions requiring the service of persons having the above knowledge and experience.

The incumbent will be required to reside at the institution.

ARCHITECTURAL DRAUGHTSMAN, on Thursday, April 24, 1902, at 10 o'clock a.m. Applications will be received at the office of the Commission up to 5 o'clock p.m., on Tuesday, April 22, 1902.

The scope of the examination will be as follows:

Subjects.	Weights.
Technical knowledge	6
Experience	2
Arithmetic	1
Handwriting	1

The salary attached to this position is from \$900 to \$1,800 per annum.

Persons securing a place upon the eligible list will be certified in the order of their ascertained percentage to the various departments in the city

employing architectural draughtsmen, including the Department of Education, Department of Public Charities and Department of Parks.

TEACHER IN BOYS' REFORMATORY, on Friday, April 25, 1902, at 10 o'clock a.m. Applications will be received at the office of the Commission up to 5 o'clock p.m. Wednesday, April 23, 1902.

The scope of the examination will be as follows:

Subjects.	Weights.
Technical knowledge	6
Experience	3
Arithmetic	1

Candidates should be competent to teach the elementary subjects, and should have had experience in teaching and handling boys sixteen (16) years of age and under, and should be familiar with penology and educational methods as applied to delinquents.

Persons securing a place upon the eligible list will be certified in the order of their ascertained percentages to various departments demanding their services.

There are two vacancies at present to be filled, one in the Department of Correction on Hart's Island, where the salary will be \$800 per annum and maintenance, and the incumbent will be required to reside in the institution.

The other position is in the Brooklyn Disciplinary Training School, where the salary will be \$720 per annum and maintenance, and the incumbent will be also required to reside in the institution.

BOARD MEETINGS.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment meet in the old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, every Friday at 2 o'clock p.m.

JAMES W. STEVENSON,
Deputy Comptroller, Secretary.

The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund meet in the old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, every Wednesday at 2 o'clock p.m.

N. TAYLOR PHILLIPS,
Deputy Comptroller, Secretary.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

NOTICE TO HEADS OF DEPARTMENTS, PRESIDENTS OF BOROUGH AND OFFICERS OF THE CITY GOVERNMENT.

At a meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held April 3, 1902, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That this Board hold a public hearing on the subject of Bond Issues on Friday, April 11, 1902, at 2 o'clock p.m.

J. W. STEVENSON, Secretary.

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NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT, held March 7, 1902, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That this Board does hereby designate Thursday, April 10, 1902, at 10.30 o'clock a.m., at the Council Chamber, in the City Hall, as the time and place for a public hearing in relation to the Budget for 1902, and that notice inviting the taxpayers of the city to appear and be heard on that date in regard to appropriations to be made and included in said Budget authorized to be modified, altered and amended by section 10 of the Greater New York Charter be inserted in the "City Record."

J. W. STEVENSON,
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 alter the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the grades of the approaches to the New East River Bridge, in the Boroughs of Manhattan and Brooklyn, City of New York, and that a meeting of the said Board will be held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 18th day of April, 1902, at 2 o'clock p.m., at which such proposed changes of grades will be considered by said Board, all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions, adopted by said Board on the 4th day of April, 1902, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, namely:

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442, chapter 466, Laws of 1901, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the grade of approach to the New East River Bridge, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

1. DELANCEY STREET.

Beginning at the intersection with Suffolk street, the elevation to be 23.63 feet above mean high water datum as heretofore.

1. Thence easterly to the intersection with Clinton street, the elevation to be 23.0 feet above mean high water datum;

2. Thence easterly to the intersection with Atorney street, the elevation to be 17.3 feet above mean high water datum;

3. Thence easterly to the intersection with Ridge street, the elevation to be 17.86 feet above mean high water datum;

4. Thence easterly to a point distant 125 feet from the centre line of Ridge street, the elevation to be 18.01 feet above mean high water datum as heretofore.

2. CLINTON STREET.

Beginning at a point distant 68½ feet southerly from the centre line of bridge, the elevation to be 23.29 feet above mean high water datum as heretofore.

1. Thence northerly to a point distant 12.25 feet, the elevation to be 23.5 feet above mean high water datum;

2. Thence northerly to a point distant 26.25 feet, the elevation to be 23.95 feet above mean high water datum;

3. Thence northerly to a point distant 29.5 feet, the elevation to be 24.116 feet above mean high water datum;

4. Thence northerly to a point distant 29.5 feet the elevation to be 23.95 feet above mean high water datum;

5. Thence northerly to a point distant 26.25 feet, the elevation to be 23.36 feet above mean high water datum;

6. Thence northerly to the intersection with Delancey street, the elevation to be 23.0 feet above mean high water datum;

7. Thence northerly to a point distant 93.0½ feet from the northern curb line of Delancey street, the elevation to be 23.5 feet above mean high water datum as heretofore.

3. ATTORNEY STREET.

Beginning at the intersection with Broome street, the elevation to be 24.98 feet above mean high water datum as heretofore.

1. Thence northerly to a point distant 59 feet southerly from the centre line of bridge, the ele-

vation to be 17.8 feet above mean high water datum;

2. Thence northerly to the intersection with Delancey street, the elevation to be 17.3 feet above mean high water datum;

3. Thence northerly to a point distant 275 feet from the centre line of Delancey street, the elevation to be as heretofore.

4. RIDGE STREET.

Beginning at the intersection with Broome street, the elevation to be 22.8 feet above mean high water datum as heretofore.

1. Thence northerly to a point distant 59 feet southerly from the centre line of bridge, the elevation to be 18.46 feet above mean high water datum;

2. Thence northerly to the intersection with Delancey street, the elevation to be 17.86 feet above mean high water datum;

3. Thence northerly to a point distant 200 feet from centre line of Delancey street, the elevation to be 21.68 feet above mean high water datum as heretofore.

All elevation refer to mean high water datum as established in the Borough of Manhattan.

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor 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 of the grade of the above-named bridge approach 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 of grade of the above-named bridge approach at a meeting of this Board to be held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 18th day of April, 1902, at 2 o'clock p.m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby, that the proposed change of grade of the above-named approaches 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 18th day of April, 1902.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442, chapter 466, Laws of 1901, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to alter the map or plan of The City of New York, by changing the grade of approach to the New East River Bridge, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

1. NEW SOUTH FIFTH STREET.

Beginning at the intersection of Bedford avenue, the elevation to be 49.0 feet above mean high water datum as heretofore.

1. Thence easterly to the intersection with Driggs avenue, the elevation to be 49.0 feet above mean high water datum;

2. Thence easterly to the intersection with New street, the elevation to be 46.9 feet above mean high water datum;

3. Beginning again at the intersection of the centre line of the bridge produced with the New street, the elevation to be 48.05 feet above mean high water datum;

4. Thence easterly and along the centre line of the bridge produced to the intersection with Roebeling street, the elevation to be 44.3 feet above mean high water datum;

5. Thence easterly and along the centre line of the bridge produced to the intersection with Havemeyer street, the elevation to be 37.5 feet above mean high water datum as heretofore.

2. DRIGGS AVENUE.

Beginning at the intersection with Broadway, the elevation to be 46.24 feet above mean high water datum as heretofore.

1. Thence northerly to a point distant 58 feet southerly from the centre line of the bridge, the elevation to be 49.5 feet above mean high water datum;

2. Thence northerly to the intersection with New South Fifth street, the elevation to be 49.0 feet above mean high water datum;

3. Thence northerly to the intersection with South Fourth street, the elevation to be 47.0 feet above mean high water datum as heretofore.

3. NEW STREET.

Beginning at the intersection of Broadway, the elevation to be 42.0 feet above mean high water datum as heretofore.

1. Thence northerly to the intersection with the centre line of the bridge produced, the elevation to be 48.05 feet above mean high water datum;

2. Thence northerly to the intersection with South Fourth street, the elevation to be 44.8 feet above mean high water datum as heretofore.

4. ROEBLING STREET.

Beginning at the intersection with Broadway, the elevation to be 42.0 feet above mean high water datum as heretofore.

1. Thence northerly to the intersection with the centre line of the bridge produced, the elevation to be 44.3 feet above mean high water datum;

2. Thence northerly to the intersection with South Fourth street, the elevation to be 42.2 feet above mean high water datum as heretofore.

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor 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 of the grade of the above-named bridge approach 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 of grade of the above-named bridge approach at a meeting of this Board to be held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 18th day of April, 1902, at 2 o'clock p.m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions, and a notice to all persons affected thereby, that the proposed change of grade of the above-named approaches 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 Corporation newspapers for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 18th day of April, 1902.

J. W. STEVENSON, Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, No. 148 EAST TWENTY-SECOND STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Correction at the above office of the Department of Correction until 11 o'clock a.m., on

THURSDAY, APRIL 10, 1902.

Borough of Manhattan.

NO. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING DRUGS, MEDICINES, ETC.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is within 30 days after execution of the contract.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the Commissioner, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the said Commissioner, and any further information can be obtained at the office of the Department for the Borough of Manhattan, No. 148 East Twentieth street, Borough of Manhattan.

THOMAS W. HYNES,
Commissioner Department of Correction.
THE CITY OF NEW YORK, March 17, 1902.
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BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, CORNER THIRD AVENUE AND ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SEVENTH STREET, CROTONA PARK, NEW YORK, March 31, 1902.

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

MONDAY, THE 14TH DAY OF APRIL, 1902.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED AND NECESSARY TO BUILD AND COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING WORKS, AND FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING BROKEN TRAPROCK STONE.

No. 1. SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN JACKSON AVENUE, BETWEEN WESTCHESTER AVENUE AND EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-SIXTH STREET.

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

510 linear feet of 12-inch vitrified pipe sewer, including concrete cradle.

140 spurs for house connections, over and above the cost per linear foot of sewer.

6 manholes, complete.

1 receiving basin.

700 cubic yards of rock to be excavated and removed.

5 cubic yards of concrete in place, exclusive of concrete in sewer sections, as shown on plan.

5 cubic yards of rubble masonry in mortar, exclusive of rubble masonry in sewer sections, as shown on plan.

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540 spurs for house connections, over and above the cost per linear foot of sewer.
22 manholes, complete.
4,400 cubic yards of rock to be excavated and removed.
2 receiving basins, complete.
5 cubic yards of concrete, in place, exclusive of concrete in sewer sections, as shown on plan.
5 cubic yards of rubble masonry in mortar, exclusive of rubble masonry in sewer sections, as shown on plan.

5 cubic yards of broken stone for foundations in place.
5,000 feet (B. M.) of timber, furnished and laid.
50 linear feet of 6-inch to 18-inch vitrified drain pipe, furnished and laid.

The amount of security required is ten thousand dollars (\$10,000).
The time allowed to complete the whole work is two hundred and fifty (250) working days.

No. 3. TEMPORARY SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN SHELL STREET, FROM A POINT TWO HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SEVEN FEET WEST OF FIFTH AVENUE TO THE CENTRE OF SIXTH AVENUE.

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

1,022 linear feet 6-inch vitrified pipe sewer, including gravel foundation in rock cuts.
75 spurs for house connections, over and above the cost per linear foot of sewer.
4 manholes, complete, including galvanized iron baskets and dustpans in place.
200 cubic yards of rock to be excavated and removed.

5 cubic yards of concrete in place, exclusive of concrete in manhole foundations.
5 cubic yards of rubble masonry in mortar.
5 cubic yards of broken stone for foundations in place.

2,000 feet (B. M.) of timber, furnished and laid.
200 linear feet of 6-inch vitrified pipe in concrete for house connections.

The amount of security required is fifteen hundred (\$1,500) dollars.
The time allowed to complete the whole work is one hundred (100) working days.

No. 4. SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN MONTGOMERY ROAD, BETWEEN JEROME AVENUE AND AQUEDUCT AVENUE.

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

350 linear feet of brick sewer 3 feet diameter, including rubble masonry cradle.
1,068 linear feet of brick sewer 2 feet 9 inches diameter, including rubble masonry cradle.

5 linear feet of brick sewer 2 feet 6 inches diameter, including rubble masonry cradle.

1,270 linear feet of 18-inch vitrified pipe sewer, including concrete cradle.
154 linear feet of 15-inch vitrified pipe sewer, including concrete cradle.
404 linear feet of 12-inch vitrified pipe sewer, including concrete cradle.

750 spurs for house connections, over and above the cost per linear foot of sewer.
35 manholes, complete.

2 receiving basins, complete.
9,800 cubic yards of rock to be excavated and removed.

10 cubic yards of concrete in place, exclusive of concrete in sewer sections, as shown on plan.
25 cubic yards of rubble masonry in mortar, exclusive of rubble masonry in sewer sections, as shown on plan.

10 cubic yards of broken stone for foundations in place.
10,000 feet (B. M.) of timber, furnished and laid.
100 linear feet of 6-inch to 18-inch vitrified drain pipe, furnished and laid.

The amount of security required is twenty thousand (\$20,000) dollars.
The time allowed to complete the whole work is five hundred (500) working days.

No. 5. SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN BELMONT AVENUE, BETWEEN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-SEVENTH STREET AND WILLIAM (OR ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-SIXTH) STREET.

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

270 linear feet of 12-inch vitrified pipe sewer, including concrete cradle.
70 spurs for house connections, over and above the cost per linear foot of sewer.

3 manholes, complete.
10 cubic yards of rock to be excavated and removed.
5 cubic yards of concrete, in place, exclusive of concrete in sewer sections, as shown on plan.

5 cubic yards of rubble masonry in mortar, exclusive of rubble masonry in sewer sections, as shown on plan.
20 cubic yards of broken stone for foundations in place.

4,000 feet (B. M.) of timber, furnished and laid.
10 linear feet of 6-inch to 18-inch vitrified drain pipe, furnished and laid.

The amount of security required is five hundred (\$500) dollars.
The time allowed to complete the whole work is thirty (30) working days.

No. 6. SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-THIRD STREET AND SUBURBAN PLACE FROM BOSTON ROAD TO CROTONA PARK EAST, AND IN CROTONA PARK EAST, FROM SUMMIT WEST OF SUBURBAN PLACE TO SUMMIT EAST OF EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-THIRD STREET.

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

345 linear feet of 18-inch pipe sewer including concrete cradle.
1,370 linear feet of 12-inch pipe sewer, including concrete cradle.

320 spurs for house connections, over and above the cost per linear foot of sewer.
17 manholes, complete.

3,500 cubic yards of rock to be excavated and removed.
10 cubic yards of concrete in place, exclusive of concrete in sewer sections, as shown on plan.

150 cubic yards of rubble masonry, in mortar, exclusive of rubble masonry in sewer sections, as shown on plan.
25 cubic yards of broken stone for foundations in place.

5,000 feet (B. M.) of timber, furnished and laid.
25 linear feet of 6-inch to 18-inch drain pipe, furnished and laid.

The amount of security required is seven thousand (\$7,000) dollars.

The time allowed to complete the whole work is two hundred (200) working days.

No. 7. SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SIXTH STREET FROM THE SOUTHERN BOULEVARD TO BOSTON ROAD.

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

160 linear feet of 18-inch vitrified pipe sewer, including concrete cradle.
5 linear feet of 15-inch vitrified pipe sewer, including concrete cradle.

325 linear feet of 12-inch vitrified pipe sewer, including concrete cradle.
80 spurs for house connections, over and above the cost per linear foot of sewer.

6 manholes, complete.
150 cubic yards of rock to be excavated and removed.

5 cubic yards of concrete in place, exclusive of concrete in sewer sections, as shown on plan.
25 cubic yards of rubble masonry in mortar, exclusive of rubble masonry in sewer sections, as shown on plan.

25 cubic yards of broken stone for foundations in place.
5,000 feet (B. M.) of timber, furnished and laid.
50 linear feet of 6-inch to 18-inch vitrified drain pipe, furnished and laid.

The amount of security required is twelve hundred (\$1,200) dollars.
The time allowed to complete the whole work is fifty (50) working days.

No. 8. REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURB STONES, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSWALKS, BUILDING APPROACHES, PLACING FENCES, IN DALY AVENUE, FROM EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SIXTH STREET TO BRONX PARK.

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

5,500 cubic yards of earth excavation.
950 cubic yards of rock excavation.
18,100 cubic yards of filling.

200 cubic yards of dry rubble masonry in retaining walls, culverts and gutters.
5,175 linear feet of new curbstone furnished and set.

20,380 square feet of new flagging furnished and laid.
1,900 square feet of new bridge stones for crosswalks furnished and laid.

The amount of security required is six thousand dollars (\$6,000).
The time allowed to complete the whole work is two hundred (200) working days.

No. 9. FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FORTY THOUSAND CUBIC YARDS BROKEN TRAP ROCK STONE AND SCREENING IN THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

To be delivered at such times and at such points as shall be designated by the President, and shall be hauled and delivered as required to any designated place or places within a radius of two and one-half (2½) miles of the depot at which it is furnished.

The amount of security required is thirty thousand dollars (\$30,000).
The time within which the work herein called for must be completed shall be the period extending from the date of the execution of the contract to the 30th day of November, 1902.

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.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the President, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Contract Clerk.

The plans and specifications may be seen and other information obtained at said office.

LOUIS F. HAFEN,
President.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.
CHARLES A. BERRIAN, Auctioneer.

SALE OF FERRY FRANCHISE.
THE FRANCHISE OF THE FERRY, AS more particularly hereinafter described, will be offered for sale by the Commissioner of Docks,

at public auction, to the highest bidder, at Pier "A," Battery place, at 11 o'clock a. m., on

MONDAY, APRIL 14, 1902.
FOR A TERM OF TEN YEARS FROM DECEMBER 1, 1901.

To and from the foot of Forty-second street, East River, in the Borough of Manhattan, from and to the foot of Broadway, East river, in the Borough of Brooklyn, together with all that certain wharf property, land and land under water belonging to the city; beginning at a point where the northerly line of East Forty-second street intersects the established bulkhead line at the foot of said street; thence running southerly along said bulkhead line a distance of about 296 feet to the northerly line of East Forty-first street; thence easterly along said northerly line of East Forty-first street a distance of about 150 feet to the established pierhead line; thence northerly along said pierhead line a distance of about 296 feet to the northerly line of East Forty-second street extended; thence westerly along the northerly line of East Forty-second street a distance of about 150 feet to the point or place of beginning, in the Borough of Manhattan.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE.
The lease will be sold subject to the approval of the terms thereof by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

No bids will be received which shall be less than the upset price, viz.: Ten thousand dollars per annum.

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

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

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

The lease will contain a covenant providing for the purchase, at a fair valuation, of the boats, buildings and other property of the lessees, used in and actually necessary for the operation of said ferry, upon the termination and surrender and delivery of the premises by the lessees, if the lessees shall not become the purchasers for another term, provided that The City of New York shall not be deemed thereby to purchase said property in any event.

The rates for ferrage and charges for vehicles and freight shall not exceed the rates now charged on the ferry to and from the foot of East Twenty-third street, Borough of Manhattan, from and to the foot of Broadway, Borough of Brooklyn.

The lessee shall provide such life-boats, floats, rafts and life-preservers as may be directed by the Commissioner of Docks.

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

The right to reject all bids is reserved if deemed by the Commissioner of Docks to be for the best interests of the City.

By order of the Commissioner of Docks.
The foregoing terms and conditions of sale were approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund by resolution adopted March 19, 1902.

Dated, THE CITY OF NEW YORK, March 21, 1902.

MCDUGALL HAWKES,
Commissioner of Docks.

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POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, No. 300 MULBERRY STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Police Commissioner of the Police Department at the above office until 2 o'clock p. m. on

FRIDAY, APRIL 18, 1902.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING NOT MORE THAN SEVENTY-FIVE (75) NOR LESS THAN FIFTY (50) HORSES.

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

The amount of security required is five thousand dollars (\$5,000).

The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a sum for each horse specified and contained in the specifications.

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

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

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

The person or persons making a bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed with the title given above of the supplies

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the Commissioner, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor, at the office of the said Commissioner, and any further information can be obtained at the office of the Department, No. 300 Mulberry street, Borough of Manhattan.

JOHN N. PARTRIDGE,
Police Commissioner.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, April 5, 1902. 35-18

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK, 1899.

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

ANDREW J. LALOR,
Property Clerk.

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

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

CHARLES D. BLATCHFORD,
Deputy Property Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE, 300 MULBERRY STREET, NEW YORK, March 27, 1902.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the following named horses will be sold at public auction at the sales rooms of Messrs. Van Tassel & Kearney, No. 130 East Thirtieth street, on Tuesday, April 15, 1902, at 10 o'clock a. m.:

Dugan, No. 377, Fortieth precinct.
Victor, No. 376, Twenty-seventh precinct.
Wagon Horse, Dave, No. 270, attached to Fifty-third Precinct.

Saddle Horse, Keiser, No. 161, attached to Seventy-third Precinct.
Carriage Horse, Bird, No. 135, attached to Seventy-sixth Precinct.

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FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Fire Commissioner at the above office of the Fire Department of The City of New York, until 10 o'clock a. m., on

TUESDAY, APRIL 15, 1902.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING: 15,000 FEET OF UNDERGROUND CABLE OF THE FOLLOWING CONDUCTOR: 5,000 FEET OF (4) CONDUCTOR; 5,000 FEET OF (6) CONDUCTOR; 5,000 FEET OF (8) CONDUCTOR.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies, and the performance of the contract is within sixty days from the date of signing the contract.

The amount of security required is one thousand one hundred dollars (\$1,100).

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

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

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

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

The person or persons making a bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed with the title given above of the supplies

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

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

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

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

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

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank forms prepared by the Commissioner, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the said Commissioner, and any further information can be obtained at the office of the Department for the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, New York City.

THOMAS STURGIS,
Fire Commissioner.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, April 2, 1902. 42-15

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning at the above office of the said Department until 1 o'clock p. m., on

FRIDAY, APRIL 11, 1902.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING:

500 Pipe Collars,
6,000 Galvanized Iron Ash Cans,
300 Combination Can and Bag Carriers,
250 Canvas Truck Covers,
2,000 Canvas Cart Covers,
60 Ash Carts.

The times for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contracts are:

Pipe Collars, 30 days;
Iron Ash Cans, 60 days;
Combination Can and Bag Carriers, 60 days;
Canvas Truck Covers, 30 days;
Canvas Cart Covers, 30 days;
Ash Carts, 90 days.

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

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

The contracts must be bid for separately. Bidders will write out the amount of their bids or estimates in addition to inserting the same in figures.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the Commissioner, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to enclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, can be obtained upon application there-

for, at the office of the said Commissioner, and any further information can be obtained at the office of the Department, Nos. 13 to 21 Park Row, Borough of Manhattan.

JOHN McG. WOODBURY,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.
THE CITY OF NEW YORK March 27, 1902.
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DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING, MAIN OFFICES
NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

TO CONTRACTORS.

CONTRACT FOR THE FINAL DISPOSITION OF ALL GARBAGE AND KINDRED REFUSE IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE above work, indorsed with the title, also the name of the person or persons making the same, and the date of presentation, will be received at the main office of the Department of Street Cleaning, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row, Borough of Manhattan, until 1 o'clock p. m., of

TUESDAY, THE 15TH DAY OF APRIL, 1902.

at which time and place the bids will be publicly opened by the head of the Department and read. The amount of the security will be one hundred thousand (\$100,000) dollars.

The period of the contract will be for five (5) years, beginning September 1, 1902.

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

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

Each bid or estimate 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 for five per centum of the amount for which the work bid for is proposed in any one year to be performed.

Each bid or estimate must be accompanied by a complete description of the methods to be pursued by the contractor, said description to be accompanied by complete plans and specifications, said plans and specifications to be sufficient fully to set forth the method or methods to be used and the results to be secured, and to refer to any patent or patents intended to be used by the contractor.

From the bids or estimates received the Commissioner may select the bid or estimate, 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.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the Commissioner, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, on the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, and containing the terms and conditions approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, by its resolution of March 14, 1902, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the said Commissioner.

JOHN McG. WOODBURY,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.
THE CITY OF NEW YORK, March 19, 1902.
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ASHES, ETC., FOR FILLING IN LANDS.

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

JOHN McGAU WOODBURY,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

OFFICE OF PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, April 9, 1902.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORD-ance with section 432 of the Charter of The City of New York, that a petition signed by property owners and residents of the Riverside District for Local Improvements, requesting that One Hundred and Seventh street, between Central Park West and Manhattan avenue, be repaved with sheet asphalt, on present foundation, has been filed in this office and is now ready for public inspection, and that a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Riverside District for Local Improvements will be held in the Borough Office, City Hall, on the 22d day of April, 1902, at 10.30 a. m., at which meeting said petition will be submitted to the Board.

JACOB A. CANTOR,
President.
GEORGE W. BLAKE, Secretary.

OFFICE OF PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, April 9, 1902.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORD-ance with section 432 of the Charter of The City of New York, that a petition signed by property owners and residents of the Bowling Green District for Local Improvements, request-

ing:—That the pavement on bulkhead at Pier 29, East river, be repaved.

Second—That the streets about Gouverneur Hospital be repaved with sheet asphalt.

Third—That pavement on Henry and Jefferson streets in front of Beth Israel Hospital be resurfaced with sheet asphalt.

—have been filed in this office and are now ready for public inspection, and that a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Bowling Green District for Local Improvements will be held in the Borough Office, City Hall, on the 19th day of April, 1902, at 10.30 a. m., at which meeting said petitions will be submitted to the Board.

JACOB A. CANTOR,
President.
GEORGE W. BLAKE, Secretary.

OFFICE OF PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, April 9, 1902.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORD-ance with section 432 of the Charter of The City of New York, that a petition signed by property owners and residents of the Washington Heights District for Local Improvements, requesting that Kingsbridge avenue, from Terrace View avenue (south) to Terrace View avenue (north), be paved, has been filed in this office and is now ready for public inspection, and that a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Washington Heights District for Local Improvements will be held in the Borough Office, City Hall, on the 22d day of April, 1902, at 11.45 a. m., at which meeting said petition will be submitted to the Board.

JACOB A. CANTOR,
President.
GEORGE W. BLAKE, Secretary.

OFFICE OF PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, April 9, 1902.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORD-ance with section 432 of the Charter of The City of New York, that petitions, signed by property owners and residents of the Riverside District for Local Improvements and recommendations from the Commissioner of Public Works requesting that:

1. Eightieth street, West End avenue and Broadway, be repaved with sheet asphalt.
2. That vacant lot on the north side of Eighty-ninth street, between Broadway and Amsterdam avenue, be fenced.
3. That vacant lot in the rear at No. 19 West Eighty-ninth street be refenced.
4. That lot No. 113 West Sixty-eighth street be fenced.
5. That sidewalk at No. 113 West Sixty-eighth street be repaved.
6. That sewer basin be constructed at the southwest corner of Sixty-third street and Eighth avenue.
7. That Seventy-ninth street, between Columbus avenue and Riverside drive, be repaved with granite block.
8. That One Hundred and Third street, West End avenue to Riverside drive, be repaved with sheet asphalt.

—have been filed in this office and are now ready for public inspection, and that a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Riverside District for Local Improvements will be held in the Borough Office, City Hall, on the 22d day of April, 1902, at 10.30 a. m., at which meeting said petitions and resolutions will be submitted to the Board.

JACOB A. CANTOR,
President.
GEORGE W. BLAKE, Secretary.

OFFICE OF PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, April 9, 1902.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORD-ance with section 432 of the Charter of The City of New York, that a petition signed by property owners and residents of the Yorkville District for Local Improvements and a communication from the Commissioner of Public Works, requesting that the pavements of Fifty-eighth street, Sutton place, East River, be repaved, and that lots Nos. 413-417, East Seventieth street, be fenced, have been filed in this office and are now ready for public inspection, and that a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Yorkville District for Local Improvements will be held in the Borough Office, City Hall, on the 22d day of April, 1902, at 11.30 a. m., at which meeting said petition and communication will be submitted to the Board.

JACOB A. CANTOR,
President.
GEORGE W. BLAKE, Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY HALL, THE CITY OF NEW YORK, April 4, 1902.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Manhattan at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, Room No. 1802, No. 21 Park Row, until 11 o'clock a. m., on

TUESDAY, APRIL 15, 1902.

NO. 1. FOR GENERAL REPAIRS AND ALTERATIONS TO BUILDING ON THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH STREET, KNOWN AS NO. 66 THIRD AVENUE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, FOR THE USE OF THE BOARD OF CITY MAGISTRATES AS A CHILDREN'S COURT.

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

The amount of security required is two thousand dollars.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies, or the nature and extent of the work, reference must be made to the specifica-

tions on file in the office of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the President, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the said Commissioner. The plans and drawings may be seen and other information obtained at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, Room No. 1802, No. 21 Park Row, Borough of Manhattan.

JACOB A. CANTOR,
President of the Borough of Manhattan.
THE CITY OF NEW YORK, APRIL 4, 1902.

CHANGE OF GRADE DAMAGE COMMISSION.

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

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

LAMONT McLOUGHLIN, Clerk.

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PHILIP COWEN, Supervisor.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND RICHMOND, ARSENAL, CENTRAL PARK, N. Y., April 3, 1902.

AUCTION SALE.

The Department of Parks (boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond) will sell at public auction at the sales stables of the Fiss, Doerr & Carroll Horse Company, No. 151 East Twenty-fourth street, Manhattan, on Thursday, April 10, 1902, at 11.30 a. m.,

FOUR (4) HORSES.

TERMS OF SALE.

The purchase money to be paid in cash at the time of sale.

Purchasers will be required to remove horses purchased immediately after the sale.

WILLIAM R. WILLCOX,
Commissioner of Parks, boroughs of Manhattan, and Richmond.
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DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, ARSENAL, CENTRAL PARK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

THURSDAY, APRIL 10, 1902.

Borough of Manhattan.

NO. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 7,500 CUBIC YARDS OF GRAVEL EQUAL IN QUALITY TO THAT KNOWN AS ROAD HOOK GRAVEL AND 500 CUBIC FEET OF TRAP ROCK SCREENINGS.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before December 31, 1902. The amount of security required is Eight Thousand Dollars (\$8,000).

NO. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING EIGHT HORSES.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is within fifteen days (15 days) from the execution of the contract. The amount of security required is Eight Hundred Dollars (\$800).

Borough of The Bronx.

NO. 3. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 2,640 LINEAR FEET OF VITRIFIED STONEWARE PIPES FOR THE VAN CORT LANDT AND ST. JAMES PARK.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is within sixty days from the execution of the contract.

The amount of security required is Three Hundred Dollars (\$300).

NO. 4. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FOUR HORSES.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is within fifteen days from the execution of the contract.

The amount of security required is Five Hundred Dollars (\$500).

NO. 5. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 1,820 CUBIC YARDS OF BROKEN STONE AND 1,750 CUBIC YARDS OF SCREENINGS.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is within sixty days from the execution of the contract.

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

Borough of Manhattan.

NO. 6. FOR FURNISHING, DELIVERING AND SETTING PLATE GLASS IN CASES IN AMERICAN MUSEUM OF NATURAL HISTORY.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is thirty days from the execution of the contract.

The amount of security required is Twenty-five Hundred Dollars (\$2,500).

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.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the Department, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to enclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor, at the office of the said Board, and any further information can be obtained at the office of the Department for the Borough of Manhattan, Arsenal, Central Park, Borough of Manhattan, where plans may be seen, and also in cases of Nos. 3, 4 and 5, at the office of the Department, at Claremont Park, Borough of the Bronx.

WILLIAM R. WILLCOX,
JOHN E. EUSTIS,
RICHARD YOUNG,
Park Board.

Dated THE CITY OF NEW YORK, March 28, 1902. m31,a10

OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, ARSENAL, CENTRAL PARK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

THURSDAY, APRIL 10, 1902.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR PAVING OCEAN AVENUE BETWEEN FORT HAMILTON AND FLATBUSH AVENUES WITH MACADAM PAVEMENT.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is sixty consecutive working days.

The amount of security required is five thousand dollars.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the Department, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to enclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor, at the office of the said Department. The plans and drawings may be seen and other information obtained at the office of the Department, Arsenal, Central Park, Manhattan, and

also at the Litchfield Mansion, Prospect Park, Brooklyn.

WILLIAM R. WILLCOX,
JOHN E. EUSTIS,
RICHARD YOUNG,
Park Board.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, March 28, 1902. m29,a10

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 MANHATTAN.

List 7073, No. 1. Paving One Hundred and Sixty-third street from Amsterdam avenue to Edgecombe avenue with asphalt pavement.

List 7107, No. 2. Fencing vacant lots, west side of Amsterdam avenue from One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street to One Hundred and Fortieth street; south side of One Hundred and Fortieth street from Amsterdam avenue to Hamilton place; east side of Hamilton place from One Hundred and Fortieth street to One Hundred and Fortieth street; and north side of One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street from Amsterdam avenue to Hamilton place.

List 7109, No. 3. Paving Thirty-third street from a point distant about twenty-one feet six inches west of the west house line of First avenue to a point about three hundred and sixty feet east of the east house line of First avenue, with asphalt on present pavement.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

List 7067, No. 4. Paving Stebbins avenue from Boston road to Westchester avenue with granite block pavement, and laying crosswalks.

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

No. 1. Both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-third street from Amsterdam avenue to Edgecombe avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating avenues.

No. 2. Block 2071, bounded by One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, One Hundred and Fortieth street, Amsterdam avenue and Hamilton place, on Lot Nos. 15, 21 to 31 inclusive, 39, 40, 41 and 45.

No. 3. Both sides of Thirty-third street from a point about thirty-nine feet ten inches west of First avenue to the East river, and to the extent of half the block at the intersection of First avenue.

No. 4. Both sides of Stebbins avenue from Boston road to Westchester avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named proposed assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections, in writing, to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors, No. 320 Broadway, New York, on or before May 8, 1902, at 3 p. m., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

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

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

CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, April 7, 1902. a7-17

OFFICIAL PAPERS.

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

PHILIP COWEN, Supervisor.

January 6, 1902.

OFFICIAL BOROUGH PAPERS.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

"Bronx Borough Record," "North Side News."

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

For Long Island and Newtown Districts—"Long Island Star," "Newtown Register."

For Flushing, Jamaica and the Rockaways—"Flushing Times," "Jamaica Standard."

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

"Staten Islander," "Staten Island World."

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity at the above office of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, in Room No. 1536, until 2 o'clock p. m. on

THURSDAY, APRIL 10, 1902.

Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING HAY, STRAW, OATS, FEED, OIL MEAL AND CORN MEAL.

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

The amount of security required is two thousand dollars.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING CAST IRON PIPE SPECIALS.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is 60 days.

The amount of security required is one thousand dollars.

No. 3. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING THE AMERICAN PORTLAND CEMENT REQUIRED FOR GROUTING THE SLOPES OF THE MILLBURN RESERVOIR AND FOR GENERAL WORK OF REPAIRS ON THE CONDUIT LINE.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is 75 days.

The amount of security required is one thousand dollars.

No. 4. FOR FURNISHING AND INSTALLING ONE DIRECT CONNECTED STEAM ENGINE AND ELECTRIC GENERATOR AT THE MILLBURN PUMP STATION AND ONE AT THE RIDGEWOOD PUMP STATION, TOGETHER WITH THE PARTIAL REWIRING OF THE RIDGEWOOD PUMP STATION, INCLUDING LAMPS, FIXTURES, SWITCHBOARDS AND OTHER APPURTENANCES, COMPLETE.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is 75 days.

The amount of security required is two thousand dollars.

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

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.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the Commissioner, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to enclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor, at the office of the said Commissioner, and any further information can be obtained at the office of the Department for the Borough of Manhattan, Nos. 13 to 21 Park Row, Borough of Manhattan.

J. HAMPDEN DOUGHERTY,
Commissioner.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, March 26, 1902.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, ROOM 15, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 23, 1902.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING, BUILDING AND PLACING COMPLETE A 48-INCH WOODEN BARREL OUTLET SEWER, WITH ALL ITS APPURTENANCES, AT THE FOOT OF SACKETT STREET, EAST RIVER, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is by or before ninety days.

The amount of security required is seventeen hundred and fifty dollars (\$1,750).

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED AND NECESSARY TO REPAIR AND FLOUT THE FIVE (5) FREE FLOATING BATHS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is by or before June 5, 1902.

The amount of security required is fifteen hundred dollars (\$1,500).

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the 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 said President. The plans and drawings may be seen and other information obtained at the office of the Assistant Commissioner of Public Works, Room 15, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn.

J. EDWARD SWANSTROM, President.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, April 8, 1902. a10,23.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

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

16TH DAY OF APRIL, 1902.

No. 1. FOR DREDGING GOWANUS CANAL FROM ITS HEAD TO THIRD STREET.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantity of materials necessary to be dredged is as follows:

Fifteen thousand five hundred (15,500) cubic yards, scow measurement.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of thirty days.

The amount of security required is three thousand dollars.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the 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 said President. The plans and drawings may be seen and other information obtained at the office of the Assistant Commissioner of Public Works, Borough of Brooklyn, Room No. 15, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn.

J. EDWARD SWANSTROM, President.

Dated, THE CITY OF NEW YORK, March 31, 1902. a3-16

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

NOTICE OF ASSESSMENTS FOR OPENING STREETS AND PARKS.

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

THIRTY-SECOND WARD.

UTICA AVENUE—OPENING, that portion extending from division line of former towns of Flatbush and Flatlands to Flatbush avenue. Confirmed January 31, 1902 and March 22, 1902; entered April 8, 1902. Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz: Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the southerly line of Avenue G with the easterly line of East Forty-ninth street, as said street and avenue were laid down on the map of the Town Survey Commission, and running thence southerly along the easterly line of East Forty-ninth street to the northeasterly line of Flatbush avenue; thence southeasterly along said northeasterly line of Flatbush avenue to the northerly line of Avenue S; thence easterly along said line to the westerly line of East Fifty-first street; thence northerly along the westerly line of said East Fifty-first street to the southerly line of Avenue G and running thence westerly along the southerly line of Avenue G to the point or place of beginning.

The above-entitled assessment was entered on the date hereinabove given in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents." Unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1006 of the Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section one hundred and fifty-nine of this act."

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

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon, on or before June 7, 1902, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT,

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, April 8, 1902.

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NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

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

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD.

ROCHESTER AVENUE—SEWER, between Prospect place and Douglass street; also, **STERLING PLACE—OUTLET SEWER,** between Rochester and Ralph avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Rochester avenue from Prospect place to Douglass street; both sides of Sterling place from Ralph avenue to a point distant about one hundred and five feet west of Rochester avenue; both sides of Park place from Rochester avenue to a point distant about three hundred and thirty-one feet westerly from Rochester avenue; south side of Prospect place from Utica avenue to a point distant about three hundred and forty-one feet east of Rochester avenue.

TWENTY-NINTH WARD.

HAWTHORNE STREET—BASINS, at the northwest and southwest corners of Rogers avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Hawthorne street between Rogers and Bedford avenues.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on March 27, 1902, and entered on March 27, 1902, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter. Said section provides that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof on the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

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

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before May 26, 1902, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessments became a lien to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT,

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 29, 1902.

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NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

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

TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 6.

ONE HUNDRED AND FORTIETH STREET—PAVING, from Fifth to Lenox avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Fortieth street, between Fifth and Lenox avenues; also, Lot Nos. 16, 54½, 55½ and 56½ of Block 1737, and Lot Nos. 6½, 7½, 8½ and 9½ of Block 1738, and to the extent of one-half the blocks on the terminating avenues.

TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 7.

ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-NINTH STREET—PAVING, between Twelfth avenue and the tracks of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, between Twelfth avenue and the Hudson river; Lot No. 130 of Block 2003, and Lot No. 1 of Block 2040; also, east side of the tracks of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company, extending to a point distant about 98 feet north and south of One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street.

TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 8.

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIFTH STREET—BASIN, at the northwest corner of Eighth avenue. Area of assessment: North side of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, between Eighth avenue and the Harlem river driveway.

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-NINTH STREET—SEWER, between Edgemoor road and Avenue St. Nicholas. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street, between Edgemoor road and a point situated about 188 feet westerly therefrom.

NINETEENTH WARD, SECTION 5.

SIXTY-EIGHTH STREET—BASINS, at the northeast and northwest corners of Avenue A. Area of assessment: North side of Sixty-eighth street and south side of Sixty-ninth street, between First avenue and the East river; also, east side of First avenue and both sides of Avenue A, between Sixty-eighth and Sixty-ninth streets.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on April 3, 1902, and entered on April 4, 1902, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and

of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter. Said section provides that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof on the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section one hundred and fifty-nine of this act."

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

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, Room No. 85, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before June 3, 1902, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessments became a lien to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT,

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, April 4, 1902.

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NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

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

TWENTY-THIRD WARD, SECTION 9.

BENSONIA CEMETERY—FENCING, on block bounded by Rae street, German place, Carr street and St. Ann's avenue. Area of assessment: block bounded by Rae street, German place, Carr street and St. Ann's avenue.

EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-THIRD STREET—PAVING, from the west side of Courtlandt avenue to Brook avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-third street, between Courtlandt and Brook avenues; both sides of Courtlandt and Melrose avenues and west side of Brook avenue, to a point situated about one-half the distance north and south of One Hundred and Sixty-third street.

TIFFANY STREET—SEWER, from Longwood avenue to Spofford avenue; also, **SPOFFORD AVENUE—SEWER,** from Tiffany street to Manida street; also, **MANIDA STREET—SEWER,** from Spofford avenue to the street summit situated about a distance of 442 feet northerly from Spofford avenue. Area of assessment: East side of Tiffany street from a point distant about 145 feet south of Spofford avenue to Barry street; west side of Tiffany street from Spofford avenue to Barry street; both sides of Burnet place from Barry street to Tiffany street; both sides of Spofford avenue from Tiffany street to Manida street; both sides of Manida street from Spofford avenue to a point distant about 337 feet south of Lafayette avenue; both sides of Baretto street from Spofford avenue to a point distant about 285 feet south of Lafayette avenue.

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 11. **EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-FIFTH STREET—SEWER,** between Prospect avenue and Crotona avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street, between Prospect and Crotona avenues.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on April 3, 1902, and entered on April 4, 1902, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter. Said section provides that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof on the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien as provided by section one hundred and fifty-nine of this act."

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

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, corner of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue, Borough of The Bronx, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before June 3, 1902, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessments became a lien to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT,

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, April 4, 1902.

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NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

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

THIRTIETH WARD.

SEVENTY-FIRST STREET—SEWER, between Third avenue and New York Bay; also, **SEVENTY-SECOND STREET—SEWER,** between Second and Third avenues; also, **SEVENTY-THIRD STREET—SEWER,** between Second and Third avenues; **SEVENTY-FOURTH STREET—SEWER,** between Second and Third avenues; also, **SECOND AVENUE—SEWER,** between Seventy-first and Seventy-fourth streets. Area of assessment: Both sides of Seventy-fifth street, from Second avenue to New York Bay; both sides of Seventy-fourth street, from Third avenue to New York Bay; both sides of Seventy-third street, from a point distant about 255 feet east of Third avenue to Narrows avenue; both sides of Seventy-second street, from a point distant about 500 feet east of Third avenue to New York Bay; both sides of Seventy-first street, from Third avenue to New York Bay; both sides of Mackay place, from First avenue to New York Bay; both sides of

Silliman place, from Third avenue to Second avenue; both sides of Ovington avenue, from Fourth avenue to Third avenue; both sides of Bay Ridge avenue, from Fourth avenue to New York Bay; both sides of Sixty-eighth street, from Narrows avenue to New York Bay; both sides of Sixty-seventh street, from Narrows avenue to the Shore road; both sides of Third avenue, from Seventy-fourth street to Bay Ridge avenue; both sides of Second avenue, from Seventy-fourth street to Sixty-eighth street; both sides of First avenue, from Seventy-fifth street to Sixty-eighth street; both sides of Narrows avenue, from Seventy-fifth street to a point distant about 201 feet north of Sixty-eighth street; both sides of Shore road, from a point distant about 230 feet south of Seventy-fifth street to Sixty-seventh street; both sides of Seventieth street, from Second avenue to the Shore road.

—that the same was confirmed by the Board of Assessors on April 3, 1902, and entered on April 4, 1902, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter. Said section provides that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof on the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

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

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before June 3, 1902, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT,

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, April 4, 1902.

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NOTICE OF ASSESSMENTS FOR OPENING STREETS AND PARKS.

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

TWENTY-THIRD WARD, SECTION 10.

MOHAWK AVENUE—OPENING, from Hunt's Point road to the Bronx river. Confirmed March 21, 1902; entered April 3, 1902. Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situated, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the northerly side of Lafayette avenue, with a line drawn parallel to the northerly side of Mohawk avenue (Garrison avenue) and distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom; running thence northeasterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southwesterly side of Hunt's Point road and distant 100 feet southwesterly therefrom; thence northeasterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the southeasterly side of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad; thence northeasterly along the southeasterly side of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad, to its intersection with the northerly side of Whittier street; thence easterly along a line drawn parallel to Mohawk avenue (Garrison avenue) to the westerly side of the Bronx river; thence southerly along the westerly side of the Bronx river to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between Seneca avenue and Mohawk avenue (Garrison avenue); thence westerly by said middle line to its intersection with the middle line of the block between Faile street and Hunt's Point road; thence southerly along said middle line to the northerly side of Seneca avenue; thence westerly along the northerly side of Seneca avenue to the easterly side of Hunt's Point road; thence westerly by the easterly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to Mohawk avenue (Garrison avenue) and said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the westerly side of Hunt's Point road and distant 100 feet westerly therefrom; thence northerly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southeasterly side of Mohawk avenue (Garrison avenue) and distant 100 feet southwesterly therefrom; thence southwesterly along said parallel line to the northerly side of Lafayette avenue; thence westerly along the northerly side of Lafayette avenue to the point or place of beginning.

The above entitled assessment was entered on the date hereinabove given in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents." Unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1006 of the Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section one hundred and fifty-nine of this act."

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

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, corner of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue, Borough of The Bronx, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and all payments made thereon, on or before June 2, 1902, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date

when above assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT,

CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, April 4, 1902.

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NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

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

TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 6.

LEXINGTON AVENUE—PAVING, at the intersection of One Hundred and First street. Area of assessment: Both sides of Lexington avenue to a point about half the distance north and south of One Hundred and First street, and both sides of One Hundred and First street to a point about half the distance east and west of Lexington avenue.

TWENTY-SECOND WARD, SECTION 4.

ELEVENTH AVENUE—SEWER ALTERATION AND IMPROVEMENT, east side, between Fifty-second and Fifty-third streets. Area of assessment: Both sides of Fifty-third street, between Ninth and Eleventh avenues; east side of Eleventh avenue, between Fifty-second and Fifty-fourth streets; west side of Ninth avenue, between Fifty-third and Fifty-fourth streets, and both sides of Tenth avenue, to the street summits situated north and south of Fifty-third street.

TWELFTH AVENUE—SEWERS, east side, between Fifty-second and Fifty-fourth streets, with CURVE AT FIFTY-THIRD STREET. Area of assessment: Blocks bounded by Fifty-second and Fifty-fourth streets, Eleventh and Twelfth avenues.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on March 27, 1902, and entered on March 27, 1902, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears, of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter. Said section provides that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof on the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien as provided by section one hundred and fifty-nine of this act."

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

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, Room No. 85, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before May 26, 1902, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessments became a lien to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT,

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 29, 1902.

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NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

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

TWENTY-THIRD WARD, SECTION 9.

EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FOURTH STREET—SEWER, from Woodcrest to Ogden avenues; also **NELSON AVENUE—SEWER,** from East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street to East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street. Area of assessment: Both sides of Nelson avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-fourth and One Hundred and Sixty-fifth streets, and both sides of East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street, between Ogden and Woodcrest avenues.

TWENTY-THIRD WARD, SECTION 10.

EAST ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-THIRD STREET—SEWER, from Cypress avenue to the street summit situated easterly therefrom. Area of assessment: Both sides of East One Hundred and Thirty-third street, from Cypress avenue to the street summit situated easterly therefrom.

EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-SIXTH STREET—SEWER, from Westchester avenue to Forest avenue. Area of assessment: East side of Forest avenue, from One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street to One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street; also, both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, from Forest avenue to Westchester avenue.

JACKSON AVENUE—PAVING, from East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street to East One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street. Area of assessment: both sides of Jackson avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-fifth and One Hundred and Sixty-sixth streets, and to the extent of one-half the blocks on the terminating streets.

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 11.

EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SIXTH STREET—BASINS, at the northeast and northwest corners of Bathgate avenue; also, **ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-EIGHTH STREET—BASIN,** at the northeast corner of Burnside avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Bathgate avenue, between One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street and Tremont avenue; north side of One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street and south side of Tremont avenue, between Third and Bathgate avenues; and east side of Burnside avenue, between One Hundred and Seventy-eighth and One Hundred and Seventy-ninth streets.

EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SIXTH STREET—BASINS, at the southeast and southwest corners of Townsend avenue; northeast and southeast corners of Walton avenue and the southeast corner of Morris avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Townsend avenue, between One Hundred and Seventy-fifth and One Hundred and Seventy-sixth streets; south side of One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street, between Townsend and Walton avenues, and between Morris avenue and the Concourse; both sides of One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street, between Walton and Morris avenues; both sides of Morris avenue, between One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street and the Concourse, and Lots numbered 72 and 86 of Block No. 2826 and Lot No. 8 of Block No. 2827.

EAST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-EIGHTH STREET—SEWER, between Beaumont and Arthur avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Eighty-eighth street, between Beaumont and Arthur avenues, and east side of Cambreling avenue, between One Hundred and Eighty-eighth and One Hundred and Eighty-ninth streets.

PROSPECT AVENUE—SEWER, from One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street to One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street. Area of assessment: Both sides of Prospect avenue, between One Hundred and Seventy-seventh and One Hundred and Seventy-ninth streets; both sides of One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street, and both sides of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, between Clinton and Prospect avenues. That the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on March 27, 1902, and entered on March 27, 1902, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears, or Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter. Said section provides that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof on the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien as provided by section one hundred and fifty-nine of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides * * * "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record." The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, corner of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue, Borough of The Bronx, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before May 26, 1902, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessments became a lien to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 29, 1902.
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INTEREST ON CITY BONDS AND STOCK.

THE INTEREST DUE ON MAY 1, 1902, ON the Registered Bonds and Stocks of The City of New York will be paid on that day by the Comptroller, at his office in the Stewart Building, corner of Broadway and Chambers street (Room 27).

The Transfer Books thereof will be closed from March 31, 1902, to May 1, 1902.

The interest due on May 1, 1902, on the Coupon Bonds and Stock of the present and former City of New York will be paid on that day by the Knickerbocker Trust Company, No. 66 Broadway.

The interest due on May 1, 1902, on Coupon Bonds of other Corporations now included in The City of New York will be paid on that day at the office of the Comptroller.

EDWARD M. GROUT,
Comptroller.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 1, 1902.
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SUPREME COURT.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to FIFTY-THIRD STREET, from the old city line dividing the former town of New Utrecht from the former City of Brooklyn to West street, in the Twenty-ninth and Thirtieth Wards, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court made and entered herein on the 19th day of February, 1900, and duly filed in the office of the Clerk of Kings County, a copy of which order was filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings on the 1st day of March, 1900, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances in Section 3, Blocks 810 and 818, Section 17, Blocks 5058, 5065, 5069, 5066, 5066, 5067, 5064, 5068, 5062, 5069, 5063, 5070, 5064, 5071, 5471, 5477, 5472, 5478, 5473, 5479, 5474, 5480, 5475, 5481, 5476, 5482 and 5483, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate of the loss or damage, if any, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons entitled to or interested in the lands and premises to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, as particularly described in the petition of The City of New York, filed with said order in the office of the Clerk of Kings County, and for the purpose of making a just and equitable assessment of the benefit of said street or avenue so to be opened to the respective owners, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands and premises and not required for the purpose of opening said street or avenue, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the district benefited by said assessment, and the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts and parcels of land participating in said benefit, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by Title 4 of Chapter XVII. of the Charter of The City of New York, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the lands and premises taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department, Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owner or claimants may desire, within twenty days after date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 5th day of May, 1902, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto; and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto, and examine proofs of such claimants or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, April 5, 1902.

JOSE E. PIDGEON,
FREDERICK J. PEARSALL,
WILLIAM H. GOOD,
Commissioners.

CHAS. S. TABER, Clerk

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to

the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of RAPELLE AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Johnson avenue to Kiker avenue, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, in The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by orders of the Supreme Court, Second Department, bearing date the 21st day of June, 1900, and the 1st day of March, 1902, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, at his office in Jamaica in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, on the 6th day of January, 1902, and the 4th day of March, 1902, copies of which orders were duly filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on the 6th day of January, 1902; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening the same, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by Chapter 17, Title 4 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, ninth floor, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 5th day of May, 1902, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimants or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York City, April 9, 1902.

GEO. W. DAVISON,
JOS. FITCH,
JOHN W. WEED,
Commissioners.

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FIRST DEPARTMENT.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 29th day of April, 1902, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 2d day of May, 1902, at 11 o'clock a. m.

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

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the northwesterly prolongation of a line parallel to the southwesterly line of Clinton place and distant 100 feet southwesterly therefrom with a line parallel to the northwesterly line of Aqueduct avenue and distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom; running thence northeasterly along the last mentioned parallel line to its intersection with the northwesterly prolongation of a line parallel to the northwesterly line of Clinton place and distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom; thence southeasterly along said prolongation and parallel line and its prolongation southeasterly to its intersection with a line parallel to the southeasterly line of Jerome avenue and distant 100 feet southeasterly therefrom; thence southwesterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to the southwesterly line of Cameron place and distant 100 feet southwesterly therefrom; thence northwesterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the southeasterly line of Jerome avenue; thence northerly in a straight line to the point of intersection of the northwesterly line of Jerome avenue with a line parallel to the southwesterly line of Clinton place and distant 100 feet southwesterly therefrom; thence northwesterly along said parallel line to the point of beginning, as such streets are shown upon the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Courthouse, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 12th day of

June, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, February 13, 1902.
L. VAN ALLEN, Chairman;
WILLIAM PAKULSKI,
WILLIAM B. WELDE,
Commissioners.
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. ag-28

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 25th day of April, 1902, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 29th day of April, 1902, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 6th day of May, 1902.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the northwesterly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to the southwesterly side of East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street and distant 100 feet southwesterly therefrom with the southwesterly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to the northwesterly side of Lafontaine avenue and distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom; running thence northeasterly along said southwesterly prolongation and parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southerly side of Quarry road and distant 100 feet southerly therefrom; thence westerly along said parallel line and its prolongation westerly to the southwesterly side of East One Hundred and Eighty-eighth street; thence southwesterly to the intersection of the northwesterly side of Third avenue with a line drawn parallel to the southwesterly side of East One Hundred and Eighty-eighth street and distant 100 feet southwesterly therefrom; thence northwesterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northwesterly side of Third avenue and distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom; thence northeasterly along said parallel line and its prolongation northeasterly to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the easterly side of Third avenue and distant 100 feet easterly therefrom; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northwesterly side of Hoffman street and distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom; thence northeasterly along said parallel line and its prolongation northeasterly to its intersection with the northwesterly side of a line drawn parallel to the southeasterly side of Hughes avenue and distant 100 feet southeasterly therefrom; thence southwesterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northwesterly side of East One Hundred and Ninety-first street and distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom; thence southeasterly along said parallel line and its prolongation southeasterly to its intersection with the northwesterly side of a line drawn parallel to the southeasterly side of Hughes avenue and distant 100 feet southeasterly therefrom; thence southwesterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northwesterly side of East One Hundred and Eighty-second street and distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom; thence southeasterly along said parallel line and easterly along a line drawn parallel to the northerly side of Grote street and distant 100 feet northerly therefrom to the northerly side of Cambreling avenue; thence southwesterly along said northwesterly side of Cambreling avenue and its prolongation southwesterly to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southwesterly side of East One Hundred and Eighty-second street and distant 100 feet southwesterly therefrom; thence northwesterly along said parallel line and its prolongation northwesterly to the point of beginning, as such streets are shown upon the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Courthouse, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 24th day of June, 1902, at the opening of the court on that day.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York City, December 7, 1901.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, acting by and through the Board of Docks, relative to acquiring right and title to and possession of the uplands and lands, wharf property, wharfe rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges of and to the uplands and lands necessary to be taken for the improvement of the water front of The City of New York on the North river, between Thirtieth and Fourteenth streets and the easterly side of the marginal street wharf or place adopted by the Board of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, and the Hudson river, pursuant to the plan heretofore adopted by the Board of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A BILL of costs, charges and expenses, incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held at the County Courthouse in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, on the 16th day of April, 1902, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, and that said bill of costs, charges and expenses, has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated, New York, March 31, 1902.
a4.16. JOHN J. PRINCE, Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to all such real estate and to any right, title and interest therein, not owned by The City of New York, which shall be embraced within the lines of RIVERSIDE DRIVE AND PARKWAY (although not yet named by proper authority), from One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street to the Boulevard Lafayette, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, as laid out and established by the Board of Street Opening and Improvement, in pursuance of chapter 665 of the Laws of 1897.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 24th day of April, 1902, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 28th day of April, 1902, at 11 o'clock a. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate of damage, together with our damage maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 5th day of May, 1902.

Third—That we propose to assess for benefit, which assessment will appear in our last partial and separate abstract of estimate and assessment, and will be contained in our last partial and separate report, all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

"Beginning at a point where the easterly line of the right of way of the Hudson River Railroad Company is intersected by a line drawn through the center of the blocks between Seventy-first and Seventy-second streets; thence running easterly along the center line of the blocks between Seventy-first and Seventy-second streets to a point distant 100 feet easterly to the easterly side of Eighth avenue or Central Park West; thence northerly and parallel with Eighth avenue or Central Park West, and 100 feet easterly thereof to the Harlem River Improvement line on the westerly side of the Harlem river; thence northerly, westerly, southerly, etc., along the westerly line of the Harlem River Improvement as the same winds and turns to the easterly line of the right of way of the Hudson River Railroad Company; thence southerly along the easterly line of the said right of way of the said company to the center line of the block between Seventy-first and Seventy-second streets at the point of place of beginning."

Fourth—That our first partial and separate report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held in the County Courthouse, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 11th day of July, 1902, at the opening of the court on that day.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, December 7, 1901.

JOHN P. O'BRIEN, Chairman;
FRANK R. HOUGHTON,
JOHN J. RYAN,
Commissioners.
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. a4-22

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands situated on the southerly side of TWELFTH STREET, between Avenues A and B, in the Seventeenth Ward of the Borough of Manhattan in The City of New York, duly chosen and determined as a site for school purposes by the School Board for the Boroughs of Manhattan and the Bronx, and approved by the Board of Education, as provided by law, pursuant to the statutes in such cases made and provided.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate of the loss and damage to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands or premises affected by this proceeding, or having any interest there-

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. ag.23.

in, and have filed a true report or transcript of such estimate in the office of the Board of Education for the inspection of whomsoever it may concern.

Second.—That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by the said estimate, or who may object to the same, or any part thereof, may, within ten days after the first publication of this notice, April 2, 1902, file their objections to such estimate in writing with us, at our office, Room No. 401, at No. 258 Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan in the said city, and we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, at our said office, on the 15th day of April, 1902, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Third.—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in Part III, in the County Court-house in the City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, on the 17th day of April, 1902, at the opening of the court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that said report be confirmed.

Dated, New York, April 1, 1902.
JAMES A. DUNN,
PAUL HALPIN,
JOHN J. NEVILLE,
Commissioners.
JOSEPH M. SCHENCK, Clerk. a3-14

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands on the northwesterly side of INTERVALE AVENUE, between Home and Freeman streets, in the Twenty-third Ward of the Borough of The Bronx of The City of New York, duly selected by the Fire Commissioner of The City of New York as a site for buildings for the use of the Fire Department of said city.

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

First.—We have completed our estimate of the loss and damage to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons interested in the lands, or premises affected by this proceeding or having any interest therein, and have deposited a true report or transcript of such estimate in the office of the Fire Commissioner, the head of the Fire Department of The City of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days for the inspection of whomsoever it may concern.

Second.—That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by said estimate and who may object to the same, or any part thereof, may, within ten days after the first publication of this notice, April 3, 1902, file their objections to such estimate in writing, with us at our office, Room No. 401, on the fourth floor of the building, No. 258 Broadway, in said city, and we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting at our said office, on the 15th day of April, 1902, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Third.—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York in and for the First Judicial District, at a special term thereof, to be held in Part III, thereof, at the Court-house in the City of New York, on the 21st day of April, 1902, at the opening of the court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that said report be confirmed.

Dated, New York, April 2, 1902.
ALFRED W. COOLEY,
JOHN A. HENNEBERRY,
ADOLPH HOEHL,
Commissioners.
JOSEPH M. SCHENCK, Clerk. a3-14

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

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

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

First.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 22d day of April, 1902, and that we the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 24th day of April, 1902, at 4 o'clock p. m.

Second.—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 3d day of May, 1902.

Third.—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at the point of intersection of the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Seventy-first street and East One Hundred and Seventy-second street, with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Walton avenue; running thence northerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the westerly prolongation of the middle line of the block between Belmont street and Hawkstone street; thence easterly along said prolongation and middle line of the block and its easterly prolongation to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Seventy-first street and East One Hundred and Seventy-second street; thence westerly along said middle line of the blocks to the point or place of beginning, as such streets are shown upon the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened as such area is shown upon our benefit maps, deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth.—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 3d day of July, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated, Borough of MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, February 6, 1902.
JAMES R. TORRANCE, Chairman;
EDWARD D. FARRELL,
THOMAS W. CHURCHILL,
Commissioners.
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. a2-18

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by orders of the Supreme Court, Second Department, bearing date the 30th day of December, 1901, and the 1st day of March, 1902, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, at his office in Jamaica in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, on the 6th day of January, 1902, and the 4th day of March, 1902, copies of which orders were duly filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on the 6th day of January, 1902; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, ninth floor, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 29th day of April, 1902, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and we may appoint, we will hear such owners or claimants or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated Borough of MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY, April 2, 1902.
WALTER G. SCOTT,
WILLIAM VOPAT,
FRANK HOLUB,
Commissioners.

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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 and premises required for the opening and extending of ELM STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from De Bevoise avenue to East river, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, in The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by orders of the Supreme Court, Second Department, bearing date the 30th day of December, 1901, and the 1st day of March, 1902, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, at his office in Jamaica in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, on the 6th day of January, 1902, and the 4th day of March, 1902, copies of which orders were duly filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, on the 6th day of January, 1902; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, ninth floor, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the

said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 29th day of April, 1902, at 12 o'clock noon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and we may appoint, we will hear such owners or claimants or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated, Borough of MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY, April 2, 1902.

AUGUST REYMERT,
E. N. DODSON,
WILLIAM W. GILLEN,
Commissioners.
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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 HAWTHORNE STREET, from Nostrand avenue to Albany avenue, in the Twenty-ninth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 30th day of March, 1901, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, at his office in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 30th day of March, 1901, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, on the 30th day of March, 1901; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4, of the Greater New York Charter, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, in the office of the Law Department, Room 20, Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owner or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 21st day of April, 1902, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and we may appoint, we will hear such owners or claimants or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated, Borough of BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK, March 22, 1902.

A. C. WHEELER,
PETER MAHONY,
JOSEPH MANNE,
Commissioners.

CHARLES S. TABER, Clerk.

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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title to PITKIN AVENUE, from Stone avenue to line between Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, in the Twenty-sixth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court made and entered herein on the 22d day of June, 1901, and duly filed in the office of the Clerk of Kings County, a copy of which order was filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings on the 29th day of June, 1901, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances in sections 12 and 13, blocks 3709, 3710, 3711, 3712, 3713, 3714, 3715, 3716, 3717, 3718, 3719, 3720, 3721, 3722, 3723, 3724, 3725, 3726, 3727, 3728, 3729, 3730, 3731, 3732, 3733, 3734, 3735, 3736, 3737, 3738, 3739, 3740, 3741, 3742, 4001, 4002, 4003, 4004, 4005, 4006, 4007, 4008, 4009, 4010, 4011, 4012, 4013, 4014, 4015, 4016, 4017, 4018, 4019, 4020, 4021, 4022, 4023, 4024, 4025, 4026, 4027, 4028, 4029, 4030, 4031, 4032, 4033, 4034, 4035, 4036, 4037, 4038, 4039, 4040, 4041, 4042, 4043, 4044, 4045, 4046, 4047, 4048, 4049, 4050, 4051, 4052, 4053, 4054, 4055, 4056, 4057, 4058, 4059, 4060, 4061, 4062, 4063, 4064, 4065, 4066, 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WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 19th day of April, 1902, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 23d day of April, 1902, at 4.30 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of the City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 30th day of April, 1902.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at a point midway between Fort Washington avenue and Boulevard Lafayette on the westerly prolongation of the middle line of the blocks between West One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street and West One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street; running thence northerly to the intersection of the southerly line of West One Hundred and Seventieth street with the westerly line of Haven avenue; thence northerly along the westerly line of Haven avenue to the middle line of the blocks between West One Hundred and Seventieth street and West One Hundred and Seventy-first street; thence easterly along said middle line to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between Eleventh avenue and Audubon avenue; thence southerly along said middle line to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between West One Hundred and Seventieth street and West One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street; thence easterly along said middle line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Amsterdam avenue; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between West One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and West One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street; thence westerly along said middle line to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between Audubon avenue and Kingsbridge road; thence southerly along said middle line to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between West One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street and West One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street; thence westerly along said middle line and its westerly prolongation to the point or place of beginning, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 17th day of June, 1902, at the opening of the court on that day.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, January 23d, 1902.

ISAAC T. BROWN, Chairman;
RIGOLD H. WILLIAMS,
THOS. O'CALLAGHAN,
Commissioners.
m29, a16.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 28th day of April, 1902, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 30th day of April, 1902, at 4 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of the City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 8th day of May, 1902.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at the point of intersection of the northerly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street with the middle line of the blocks between Walton avenue and Morris avenue, running thence northerly along said middle line of the blocks to the southerly line of Fordham road; thence northwesterly, on a straight line to the point of intersection of the northerly line of Fordham road with the middle line of the blocks between Jerome avenue and Morris avenue; thence northerly along said middle line of the blocks between Jerome avenue and Morris avenue and the middle line of the block between Park View Terrace and Morris avenue to the southerly line of that portion of Morris avenue which is parallel with East One Hundred and Ninety-eighth street; thence northerly on a straight line to the point of intersection of the northerly line of East One Hundred and Ninety-eighth street with the middle line of the block between Jerome avenue and Creston avenue; thence northerly along said middle line of the block to the westerly line of Minerva place; thence, still northeast-

erly, to the point of intersection of the easterly line of Minerva place with the southerly line of Jerome avenue; thence easterly along the southerly line of Jerome avenue to its intersection with the middle line of the block between East One Hundred and Ninety-ninth street and Minerva place; thence southerly and southeasterly along said middle line of the block to the westerly line of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse; thence southerly along the westerly line of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse to the northerly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street; thence westerly along said northerly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street to the point or place of beginning, as such streets are shown upon the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 5th day of June, 1902, at the opening of the court on that day.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, February 10, 1902.

JOHN DE WITT WARNER, Chairman;
PETER A. WALSH,
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.
Commissioners.
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FIRST DEPARTMENT.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 18th day of April, 1902, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 22d day of April, 1902, at 3 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of the City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 29th day of April, 1902.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southwesterly from the southwesterly line of East One Hundred and Seventieth street and the center line of the block between Macomb's road and Inwood avenue; running thence northerly along said center line of the block to its intersection with the southwesterly line of Macomb's road; thence easterly in a straight line to a point of intersection of the northerly line of Macomb's road with the center line of the block between Jerome avenue and Inwood avenue; thence northerly along said center line of block to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet northerly from the northerly side of East One Hundred and Seventy-second street; thence easterly and southeasterly along said parallel line and its prolongation easterly to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Teller avenue; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the northerly line of East One Hundred and Seventieth street; thence southeasterly in a straight line to a point of intersection of the southerly line of East One Hundred and Seventieth street with a line drawn parallel to and 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Teller avenue; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet southwesterly from the southwesterly line of East One Hundred and Seventieth street; thence southerly along said parallel line to the point or place of beginning, as such streets are shown upon the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 24th day of June, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, February 7, 1902.

GEO. C. SCHNEIDER, Chairman;
JOHN O'CONNELL,
WILLIAM TAIT,
Commissioners.
m29, a16.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, acting by and through the Board of Docks, relative to acquiring right and title to and possession of the uplands, lands, wharf property, wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges of and to the uplands and lands necessary to be taken for the improvement of the water front of The City of New York on the North river, between Little West Twelfth and Thirteenth streets, and the easterly side of the marginal street wharf or place adopted by the Board of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund and the Hudson river, pursuant to the plan heretofore adopted by the Board of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A BILL of costs, charges and expenses, incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above entitled

matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held at the County Court-house in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, on the 16th day of April, 1902, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, and that said bill of costs, charges and expenses, has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 406 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated, New York, March 31, 1902.
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JOHN J. PRINCE, Clerk.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education, by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands situated on FINGERBOARD ROAD, GRANT AVENUE and SHERMAN AVENUE, in the Fourth Ward of the Borough of Richmond, in The City of New York, duly chosen and determined as a site for school purposes by the School Board for the Borough of Richmond, and approved by the Board of Education, as provided by law.

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

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

Second—That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by the said estimate, or who may object to the same, or any part thereof, may, within ten days after the first publication of this notice, April 10, 1902, file their objections to such estimate in writing with us, at our office, Room No. 401, at No. 28 Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan in the said city, and we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, at our said office on the 22d day of April, 1902, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Third—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a special term thereof for the hearing of motions, in the County of Kings, at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, on the 25th day of April, 1902, at the opening of the court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, April 8, 1902.
ALBERT REYNOLD,
HORACE K. DOHERTY,
WILLIAM C. HUGHES,
Commissioners.
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FIRST DEPARTMENT.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 22d day of April, 1902, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 24th day of April, 1902, at 11 o'clock a. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of the City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 3d day of May, 1902.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at the point of intersection of a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of East Two Hundred and Thirty-sixth street with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northwesterly from the northwesterly line of Verio avenue; running thence northerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the middle line of the block between East Two Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and East Two Hundred and Thirty-ninth street; thence westerly along said middle line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Martha avenue; thence northerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the northern boundary line of The City of New York; thence southeasterly along said boundary line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Webster avenue; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of East Two Hundred and Thirty-sixth street; thence westerly along said parallel line to the point or place of beginning, as such streets are shown upon the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 24th day of June, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, March 1, 1902.

JAMES FOSTER MILLIKEN,
Chairman;
JOHN F. MAHER,
CHARLES E. BENDEL, Jr.,
Commissioners.
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FIRST DEPARTMENT.

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

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

First—That we have completed our supplemental and amended estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 1st day of April, 1902, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 23d day of April, 1902, at 4 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said supplemental and amended estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 1st day of May, 1902.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the westerly prolongation of the middle line of the block between Mount Hope place and East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and a line parallel to the northwesterly line of Jerome avenue, and distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom; running thence northerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the northwesterly prolongation of the middle line of the block between East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Tremont avenue; thence southeasterly along said prolongation, middle line and its southeasterly prolongation to its intersection with the southwesterly line of Tremont avenue; thence southeasterly along said southwesterly line of Tremont avenue to its intersection with the northwesterly line of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse; thence southwesterly along said northwesterly line to its intersection with the middle line of the block between Mount Hope place and East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street; thence westerly along said middle line and its westerly prolongation to the point or place of beginning, as such streets are shown upon the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York; excepting from such area all streets, avenues and roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 29th day of May, 1902, at the opening of the court on that day.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, February 10, 1902.

PATRICK A. McMANUS, Chairman;
ARTHUR TERRY,
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.
Commissioners.
m31,a17

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-SEVENTH STREET, including the triangular space between Brook avenue and German place, lying northeasterly thereof, and East One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street (although not yet named by proper authority), from German place to St. Ann's avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 17th day of April, 1902, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 21st day of April, 1902, at 3 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of the City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 28th day of April, 1902.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at the point of intersection of a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Brook avenue; thence northerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the westerly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to and

distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of that portion of East One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street lying between St. Ann's avenue and Brook avenue; thence easterly along said prolongation and parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of St. Ann's avenue; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street; thence westerly along said parallel line to the point or place of beginning, as such streets are shown upon the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York; excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 24th day of June, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, March 4, 1902.
PHINEAS LEWINSON, Chairman,
PETER J. STUMPE,
W. H. BICKELHAUPT,
Commissioners.
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. m27,a15

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-EIGHTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from German place to St. Ann's avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 17th day of April, 1902, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 21st day of April, 1902, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said City, there to remain until the 28th day of April, 1902.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of a line drawn parallel to but 100 feet north of East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street with a line drawn one-half the distance between Third avenue and Brook avenue; thence northerly along said line drawn one-half the distance between Third avenue and Brook avenue to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to but 100 feet north of East One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street; thence easterly along said last-mentioned line to a point one-half the distance between St. Ann's and Eagle avenues; thence southerly along a line drawn one-half the distance between St. Ann's and Eagle avenues to a point 100 feet north of East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, and thence westerly along a line drawn parallel to but 100 feet north of East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street to the point or place of beginning, as such streets are shown upon the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York; excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 24th day of June, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, March 6, 1902.
LOUIS COHEN, Chairman;
WALTER MULLER,
PHINEAS LEWINSON,
Commissioners.
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. m27,a15

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 17th day of April, 1902, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 21st day of April, 1902, at 4.30 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings, in the Law Department of The

City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said City, there to remain until the 28th day of April, 1902.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at the point of intersection of the northerly line of Boston road with a line drawn at right angles to Franklin avenue from the point of intersection of the southeasterly line of Franklin avenue with the southeasterly prolongation of the middle of the blocks between East One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street and East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, lying between Third avenue and Park avenue, running thence northwesterly long said line drawn at right angles and said prolongation and middle line of the blocks to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between Washington avenue and Park avenue; thence southerly along said last-mentioned middle line of the blocks to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of McClellan street; thence westerly along said parallel line to the easterly line of Jerome avenue; thence northerly and northeasterly along the easterly and southeasterly line of Jerome avenue to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of East One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street; thence westerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between Morris avenue and Grant avenue; thence northerly along said middle line of the blocks to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of McClellan street; thence westerly along said parallel line to the easterly line of Jerome avenue; thence northerly and northeasterly along the easterly and southeasterly line of Jerome avenue to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of East One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street; thence westerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between Findlay avenue and Teller avenue; thence southerly along said middle line of the blocks to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street; thence easterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between Park avenue and Washington avenue; thence southerly along said middle line of the blocks to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street and East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street; thence easterly along said middle line of the blocks and its easterly prolongation to the southeasterly line of Franklin avenue; thence still southeasterly and at right angles to the southeasterly line of Franklin avenue to the northeasterly line of Boston road; thence northwesterly along the northwesterly line of Boston road to the point or place of beginning, as such streets are shown upon the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third Ward and Twenty-fourth Ward of The City of New York, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof heretofore legally opened as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 29th day of May, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, February 14, 1902.
OED H. SANDERSON, Chairman,
DANIEL O'CONNELL,
Commissioners.
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. m27,a15

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 17th day of April, 1902, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 21st day of April, 1902, at 4 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings, in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said City, there to remain until the 28th day of April, 1902.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at the intersection of a line drawn parallel to but 100 feet southeasterly from the southeasterly side of Vyse street with a line drawn through the centre of the blocks between East One Hundred and Seventy-third and East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth streets; running thence northeasterly along said centre line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 450 feet northeasterly from the northeasterly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-third street, as laid out between the Southern Boulevard and Crotona Park, East; thence northwesterly along said parallel line to a point 100 feet northerly from the northerly side of Crotona Park, East; thence westerly along a line parallel to but 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Crotona Park, East, to the intersection of a line drawn parallel to but 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Suburban place; thence southerly along said last-mentioned line to the northerly line of Boston road; thence southeasterly to a point in the southerly line of said Boston road midway between East One Hundred and Seventy-second street and East One Hundred and Seventy-third street; thence southerly along a line drawn at right angles from said last-mentioned point to its intersection with a line drawn through a point in the easterly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-third street midway between East One Hundred and Seventy-second street and Boston road,

and also through a point in the easterly line of Vyse street, midway between East One Hundred and Seventy-second street and East One Hundred and Seventy-third street; thence easterly along said line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to but 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Vyse street; thence northeasterly along a line parallel to but 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Vyse street to the point or place of beginning, as such streets are shown upon the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 24th day of June, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, March 3, 1902.
JAMES R. TORRANCE, Chairman,
WAUCHOPE LYNN,
PATRICK F. FERRIGAN,
Commissioners.
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. m27,a15

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby and having objections thereto do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 1st day of May, 1902, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 5th day of May, 1902, at 3 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said City, there to remain until the 12th day of May, 1902.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Pelham avenue with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Cambreling avenue; running thence southerly along said last-mentioned parallel line to its intersection with the northwesterly prolongation of the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Eighty-second street and Garden street; thence southeasterly along said prolongation and middle line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Crotona avenue; thence northerly along said last-mentioned parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Pelham avenue; thence westerly along said last-mentioned parallel line to the point or place of beginning, as such streets are shown upon the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps, deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 24th day of June, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, February 26, 1902.
WILBER MCBRIDE, Chairman;
WILLIAM A. ANDREWS,
JOHN E. FITZGERALD,
Commissioners.
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. a10,28

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby and having objections thereto do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 1st day of May, 1902, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 5th day of May, 1902, at 3.30 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, esti-

mates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said City, there to remain until the 12th day of May, 1902.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the northeasterly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street with the southwesterly prolongation of the middle line of the blocks between Morris avenue and Walton avenue, as the same are between East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street and East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street; running thence northeasterly along said southwesterly prolongation and middle line to its intersection with a line parallel to the southwesterly line of Tremont avenue and distant 100 feet southwesterly therefrom; thence northwesterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the middle line of the block between Jerome avenue and Walton avenue; thence northeasterly along said middle line to its intersection with a line parallel to the southwesterly line of Fordham road and distant 100 feet southwesterly therefrom; thence northwesterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the southeasterly line of Jerome avenue; thence northeasterly along said line of Jerome avenue to its intersection with a line parallel to the northeasterly line of East One Hundred and Ninety-eighth street and distant 100 feet northeasterly therefrom; thence southeasterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the northwesterly line of Creston avenue; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to the northeasterly line of Tremont avenue and distant 100 feet northeasterly therefrom; thence southeasterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the northwesterly line of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse; thence southwesterly along said northwesterly line to its intersection with the northwesterly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street; thence northwesterly along said line of East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street to its intersection with a line parallel to the southwesterly line of Tremont avenue and distant 100 feet southwesterly therefrom; thence northwesterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to the southeasterly line of Morris avenue and distant 135 feet southeasterly therefrom; thence southwesterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the northwesterly line of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse; thence southwesterly along said northwesterly line to its intersection with the northwesterly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street; thence northwesterly along said line of East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street to the point or place of beginning as such streets are shown upon the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York; excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 24th day of June, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, February 17, 1902.
JOHN MURPHY,
BENJAMIN T. RHOADS, Jr.,
Commissioners.
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. a10,28

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 NINETEENTH STREET, from Vanderbilt street to the former city line, in the Twenty-ninth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT F. B. Van Vleck was appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, dated the 26th day of March, 1902, Commissioner of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding, in place of John J. Slater, resigned.

Notice is also given that the 19th day of April, 1902, at 10.30 a. m., is appointed as the day when parties may be heard at a Special Term of the Supreme Court for the hearing of motions in the Kings County Court House, and that at such time and place the person named as Commissioner may be examined, under oath, as to his qualifications to act as such Commissioner.

Dated, New York, Borough of Brooklyn, March 31, 1902.
GEORGE L. RIVES,
Corporation Counsel.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 28th day of April, 1902, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 30th day of April, 1902, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said City, there to remain until the 8th day of May, 1902.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at the intersection of a line drawn parallel to but 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Pelham avenue with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Cambreling avenue; running thence southerly along said last-mentioned parallel line to its intersection with the northwesterly prolongation of the middle line of the blocks between East One Hundred and Eighty-second street and Garden street; thence southeasterly along said prolongation and middle line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Crotona avenue; thence northerly along said last-mentioned parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Pelham avenue; thence westerly along said last-mentioned parallel line to the point or place of beginning, as such streets are shown upon the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps, deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 24th day of June, 1902, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, February 26, 1902.
WILBER MCBRIDE, Chairman;
WILLIAM A. ANDREWS,
JOHN E. FITZGERALD,
Commissioners.
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. a10,28

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

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

of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of a line drawn parallel to the southerly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-third street and distant 100 feet southerly therefrom, with a line drawn parallel to the northwesterly line of Webster avenue and distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom; running thence northeasterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the northwesterly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northeasterly from the northeasterly line of that part of East One Hundred and Eighty-fifth street extending from Washington avenue to Park avenue (formerly Vanderbilt avenue, East); thence southeasterly along said northwesterly prolongation and parallel line to the northwesterly line of Washington avenue; thence southerly to the intersection of the southeasterly line of Washington avenue with a line drawn at an equal distance from East One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street, and from East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street; thence southeasterly along said equally distant line and its prolongation southeasterly to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southeasterly line of Arthur avenue and distant 100 feet southeasterly therefrom; thence southeasterly along said parallel line and its prolongation southeasterly to its intersection with the southeasterly prolongation of the middle line of the block between East One Hundred and Eighty-second street and East One Hundred and Eighty-third street; thence northwesterly along said southeasterly prolongation and middle line of the block to the southeasterly line of Washington avenue; thence northerly to the intersection of the northwesterly line of Washington avenue with that part of the middle line of the block between East One Hundred and Eighty-second street and East One Hundred and Eighty-third street lying between Washington avenue and Park avenue (formerly Vanderbilt avenue, East); thence northwesterly along said middle line of the block and its prolongation northwesterly to the southeasterly line of Webster avenue; thence northerly to the intersection of the northwesterly line of Webster avenue with a line drawn parallel to the southerly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-third street and distant 100 feet southerly therefrom; thence northwesterly along said parallel line to the point or place of beginning, as such streets are shown upon the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps, deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 26th day of June, 1902, at the opening of the court on that day.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, February 9, 1902.

CHARLES A. SKIDMORE,

Chairman;

JOHN H. VAN WYCK,

HERMAN ALSBERG,

Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. a7-44

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, acting by and through the Board of Docks, relative to acquiring right and title to and possession of the lands, lands under water, filled-in wharfrage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges appurtenant to the bulkheads between Eighteenth and Nineteenth streets, and between Nineteenth and Twentieth streets, East river, and appurtenant to the bulkhead and pier at the foot of Nineteenth street, East river, necessary to be taken for the improvement of the water front of The City of New York on the East river, pursuant to the plan heretofore adopted by the Board of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A BILL of costs, charges and expenses, incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held at the County Court-house in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, on the 16th day of April, 1902, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, and that said bill of costs, charges and expenses, has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated, New York, March 31, 1902.

JOHN J. PRINCE, Clerk. a4-16.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, acting by and through the Board of Docks, relative to acquiring right and title to and possession of the uplands and lands, rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges of and to the uplands and lands necessary to be taken for the improvement of the water front of The City of New York on the North river, between Bloomfield and Little West Twelfth streets, and between Tenth and Thirteenth avenues, pursuant to the plan heretofore adopted by the Board of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A BILL of costs, charges and expenses, incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held at the County Court-house in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, on the 16th day of April, 1902, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, and that said bill of costs, charges and expenses, has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated, New York, March 31, 1902.

JOHN J. PRINCE, Clerk. a4-16.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening EAST ONE HUNDRED AND NINETY-SECOND STREET (formerly Primrose street), from Jerome avenue to Kingsbridge road, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward

of The City of New York, except so far as the same has been appropriated for St. James place by chapter 626 of the Laws of 1897.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 15th day of April, 1902, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 17th day of April, 1902, at 11 o'clock a. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 25th day of April, 1902.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the northerly line of East One Hundred and Ninetieth street with a line drawn parallel to the northwesterly line of Jerome avenue, and distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom; running thence northeasterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the southerly line of Kingsbridge road; thence easterly and southeasterly along said southerly line and the southerly line of East One Hundred and Ninetieth street to its intersection with the easterly line of Kingsbridge road, and distant 100 feet easterly therefrom; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the northeasterly prolongation of the northwesterly line of Fordham road; thence southerly and northwesterly along said prolongation and line of Fordham road to its intersection with the southeasterly line of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse; thence northwesterly in a straight line to the point of intersection of the southeasterly line of Creston avenue with the southeasterly prolongation of the northerly line of East One Hundred and Ninetieth street; thence northwesterly along said prolongation and line of East One Hundred and Ninetieth street to the point or place of beginning, as such streets are shown upon the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 24th day of June, 1902, at the opening of the court on that day.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, March 21, 1902.

H. L. NELSON, Chairman,

WM. J. BROWNE,

Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. m25, a12

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments, required for the purpose of opening KELLY STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Prospect avenue to Intervale avenue, between East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street and East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-third Ward of The City of New York.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 15th day of April, 1902, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 17th day of April, 1902, at 11 o'clock a. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings, in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 25th day of April, 1902.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the easterly line of Robbins avenue and the center line of the blocks between Kelly street and Beck street, running thence northerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the southeasterly line of Westchester avenue; thence northwesterly along said southeasterly line of Westchester avenue to its intersection with the center line of the blocks between Kelly street and Dawson street; thence easterly along said center line to its intersection with the center line of the blocks between Union avenue and Prospect avenue; thence northerly along said center line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Dawson street; thence easterly and northwesterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and 100 feet northwesterly from the northwesterly line of Intervale avenue; thence northerly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street; thence westerly along said parallel line and its prolongation, to its intersection with the southerly prolongation of the easterly line of Prospect avenue; thence northerly along

said prolongation and easterly line of Prospect avenue to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet northwesterly from the northwesterly line of Stebbins avenue; thence northeasterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the northerly prolongation of the center line of the block between East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and Chisholm street; thence southeasterly along said prolongation and center line of the block to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet northwesterly from the northwesterly line of Intervale avenue; thence northeasterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the southerly line of Freeman street; thence easterly along said southerly line of Freeman street to its intersection with the westerly line of Fox street; thence southerly along said southerly line of Fox street to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet southeasterly from the southeasterly line of Intervale avenue; thence southwesterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Tiffany street; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the northwesterly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to and 100 feet southeasterly from the southeasterly line of Beck street; thence southwesterly and westerly along said prolongation and parallel line to its intersection with the center line of the block between Union avenue and Prospect avenue; thence northerly along said center line of the block to its intersection with the center line of the block between Kelly street and Beck street; thence westerly along said center line of the block to the point or place of beginning, as such streets are shown upon the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 27th day of May, 1902, at the opening of the court on that day.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, January 27, 1902.

FRANK E. HIPPLE, Chairman,

WM. T. McGRATH,

E. F. WOKAL,

Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. m25, a12

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 12th day of April, 1902, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 15th day of April, 1902, at 11 o'clock a. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings, in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 22nd day of April, 1902.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at the point of intersection of a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street and a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Washington avenue; running thence northerly along said line parallel to Washington avenue to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street; thence easterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the westerly line of Third avenue; thence northerly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street; thence easterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between Monterey and Lafontaine avenues; thence northerly along said middle line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street; thence easterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between Crotona and Clinton avenues; thence southerly along said middle line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street; thence westerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the southerly prolongation of the middle line of the block between Monterey and Lafontaine avenues; thence northerly along said prolongation and middle line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street; thence westerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the westerly line of Third avenue; thence northerly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street; thence westerly along said parallel line to the point or place of beginning, as such streets are shown upon the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps, deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the City of New York, on the 8th day of May, 1902, at the opening of the court on that day.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, January 23, 1902.

L. L. VAN ALLEN, Chairman;

WM. PAKULSKI,

Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. m22,a10.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by orders of the Supreme Court, Second Department, bearing date the 30th day of December, 1901, and the 1st day of March, 1902, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, in the City of New York, on the 6th day of January, 1902, and the 4th day of March, 1902, copies of which orders were duly filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on the 6th day of January, 1902; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, ninth floor, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 29th day of April, 1902, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York City, April 2, 1902.

CLARENCE EDWARDS,

THOMAS STUART,

JAMES DOLLARD,

Commissioners.

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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title to AVENUE K, from Ocean avenue to Flatbush avenue, in the Thirty-second Ward in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court made and entered herein on the 30th day of March, 1901, and duly filed in the office of the Clerk of Kings County, a copy of which order was filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings on the 8th day of April, 1901, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances in section 23, blocks 7602, 7603, 7604, 7605, 7606, 7607, 7608, 7609, 7610, 7611, 7612, 7613, 7614, 7615, 7616, 7617, 7618, 7620, 7621, 7622, 7623, 7624, 7625, 7626, 7627, 7628, 7629, 7630, 7631, 7632, 7633, 7634, 7635, 7636, 7637. Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate of the loss or damage, if any, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons entitled to or interested in the lands and premises to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, as particularly described in the petition of The City of New York, filed with said order in the office of the Clerk of Kings County, and for the purpose of making a just and equitable assessment of the benefit of said street or avenue so to be opened to the respective owners, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands and premises and not required for the purpose of opening said street or avenue, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the district benefited by said assessment, and the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts and parcels of land participating in said benefit, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by title 4 of chapter 17 of the Charter of The City of New York and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the lands and premises taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department, Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owner or claimants may desire, within twenty days after date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 15th day of April, 1902, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto; and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto, and examine proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, March 20, 1902.

HARRY HOWARD DALE,

HARRIS WILSON,

HENRY JOSEPH,

Chas. S. Taber, Clerk. m2, a1c