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BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

Report for Quarter Ending June 30, 1903.

Office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn,
Brooklyn, August 5, 1903.

Hon. SETH LOW, Mayor, New York City:

Dear Sir—I am directed by the President of the Borough to transmit to you, herewith enclosed, the report of the Department under his jurisdiction for the second quarter of the year, ending June 30, 1903.

Yours very truly, JUSTIN MCCARTHY, Jr., Secretary.

Number of Local Board Meetings Held During the Second Quarter of the Year 1903.	
Bay Ridge District.....	10
Bedford District.....	7
Flatbush District.....	6
Williamsburg District.....	6
Prospects Heights District.....	4
Red Hook District.....	3
Heights District.....	3
Bushwick District.....	3

Total meetings..... 42

Number of resolutions adopted by the Local Boards during the quarter, four hundred and twelve (412).

City of New York, Borough of Brooklyn,
Office of Borough President, Bureau of Complaints,
Borough Hall, Brooklyn, July 1, 1903.

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

My Dear Sir—I have the honor to submit the following report of the work of the Bureau of Complaints for the quarter ended June 30, 1903:

Complaints Received.

Miscellaneous.....	227
Fencing, flagging and grading.....	128
	355
Carried forward from previous quarter.....	20

Total complaints received during quarter..... 375

Complaints Disposed Of.

Miscellaneous.....	99
Fencing, flagging and grading.....	107
	206

Complaints Pending.

Miscellaneous.....	148
Fencing, flagging and grading.....	21
	169

Total complaints received, disposed of and pending..... 375

Character of Complaints.

The total number of complaints received by this Bureau, from April 1 to June 30, 1903, inclusive, was 375, of which 206 were disposed of and 169 are pending. The following table shows the character and number of the complaints received:	
Complaints regarding the flagging of sidewalks.....	42
Complaints regarding fencing of vacant lots.....	73
Complaints regarding grading of lots.....	13
Complaints regarding non-removal of garbage, etc.....	13
Complaints regarding street cleaning.....	10
Complaints regarding dumping of garbage in vacant lots.....	17
Complaints regarding street and sidewalk obstructions.....	24
Complaints regarding defective sewers.....	4
Complaints regarding dangerous trees.....	3
Complaints regarding sidewalk repairs.....	25
Complaints regarding street repairs.....	8
Complaints regarding Sanitary Code violations.....	24
Complaints regarding Building Law violations.....	3
Complaints regarding Tenement House Law violations.....	5
Complaints carried forward from previous quarter.....	20
Complaints (miscellaneous).....	91

Total..... 375

Departments Referred To.

Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.....	10
Department of Street Cleaning.....	21

Department of Health.....	15
Department of Parks.....	3
Department of Police.....	29
Department of Education.....	1
Department of Bridges.....	1
Department of Public Works.....	59
Bureau of Sewers.....	4
Bureau of Licenses.....	1
Bureau of Buildings.....	4
Bureau of Complaints.....	139
Board for the Atlantic Avenue Improvement.....	3
Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners.....	1
Tenement House Department.....	5
The Corporation Counsel.....	2
The Secretary of the Borough.....	8
The District Local Boards.....	69
Total.....	375

Flagging Fencing and Grading Complaints.

The total number of complaints regarding the flagging of sidewalks and the fencing and grading of vacant lots, from April 1 to June 30, 1903, inclusive, was 128, of which 107 were disposed of and 21 are pending. The following table shows the disposition of these complaints:

Complaints settled by the Bureau of Complaints.....	28
Complaints referred to the Local Boards.....	68
Complaints referred to the Borough Secretary.....	7
Complaints referred to the Public Works Department.....	4
Complaints pending.....	21

Total..... 128

Sidewalk Repairs.

Complaints settled by the Bureau of Complaints.....	6
Complaints in which work was done by owners.....	3
Complaints in which work was done by Department.....	1
Complaints referred to Local Boards.....	2
Complaints pending.....	13

Total..... 25

Original Improvements Investigation.

This Bureau, at the request of the Commissioner of Public Works, also made investigations which resulted in furnishing him with the history of the original improvement of the following streets:

Bainbridge street, between Ralph and Howard avenues.
Hull street, between Fulton street and Stone avenue.
Douglass street, between Smith and Hoyt streets.
Verandah place, between Clinton and Henry streets.
Bergen street, between Kingston and Albany avenues.
Dean street, between Kingston and Albany avenues.
Park place, between Washington and Classon avenues.
High street, from Bridge street to Hudson avenue.
Dixon's place, from York to Sands streets.
Evergreen avenue, from Gates avenue to Palmetto street.
Evergreen avenue, from Madison street to Putnam avenue.
Evergreen avenue, from Putnam avenue to Cornelia street.
Guernsey street, between Oak and Calyer streets.
Hall street, between Park place and Myrtle avenue.
Hall street, between Willoughby and De Kalb avenues.
St. James' place, between Lafayette and De Kalb avenues.
Moore street, between Tompkins and Throop avenues.
Sackett street, between Hoyt and Smith streets.
Sackett street, between Columbia street and Ferry place.
South Tenth street, between Bedford avenue and the East river.
Sumner avenue, between Fulton street and Jefferson avenue.
Taylor street, between Kent and Wythe avenues.
Waverly avenue, between Myrtle and Lafayette avenues.
Hanover place, between Livingston and Fulton streets.
Fourth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues.
Madison street, between Broadway and Bushwick avenue.
Grove street, between Broadway and Bushwick avenue.
Quincy street, between Tompkins and Throop avenues.
Pulaski street, between Marcy and Sumner avenues.
Pulaski street, between Broadway and Stuyvesant avenue.
Ditmars street, between Broadway and Myrtle avenue.
Webster place, between Sixteenth street and Prospect place.
Rutledge street, between Kent avenue and Broadway.
President street, between Clinton and Henry streets.
Hopkins street, between Throop avenue and Broadway.
All of which is respectfully submitted.

JAS. A. ROONEY,

Supervisor of Complaints, Borough of Brooklyn.

Report of the Commissioner of Public Works to the Borough President for the quarter ending June 30, 1903:

Brooklyn, N. Y., June 30, 1903.

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

Sir—I beg to present herewith my report for the quarter ending this day, attached to which are the following reports:

Assistant Commissioner of Public Works.
Bureau of Highways.
Bureau of Sewers.
Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices.
Bureau of Incumbrances and Permits.
Chief Bookkeeper.

In summarizing the work of the quarter now closing my first thought is of the unavoidable delays from which we have suffered from its beginning to its close. Quite five weeks out of the quarter, two in April and three in June, have been useless for outdoor work because of rain. During the larger part of the remaining seven weeks our work was hindered and at times nearly stopped by strikes. Nevertheless, the record presented shows, 9.7 miles of completed pavement laid since January 1, as compared with 1.4 miles laid in the corresponding half of 1902, and in addition the concrete foundation has been laid upon several miles of streets ready for the pavement, and a sufficient amount of this and of other preparatory work has been done to equal in its total the work involved in laying double the amount actually completed; so that the coming quarter, if good weather prevails, should show a very large increase in work finished.

Proposals for contracts were received in the office of the Assistant Commissioner of Public Works five times in April, three times in May and five times in June. Forty-four contracts have been made during the quarter, involving an estimated total outlay of \$731,240.25, and in addition a much larger number of contracts, aggregating over \$1,750,000, have been prepared, the sureties approved and sent to the Comptroller for registration, where they await at his hand that action. An interesting comparison may now be made between the first six months of this year and the first six months of 1902, reckoning in each case only the contracts registered and in full force.

Total contracts made, six months ending June 30, 1902.....	57
Estimated cost of same.....	\$589,025 65
Total contracts made, six months ending June 30, 1903.....	138
Estimated cost of same.....	\$2,240,882 79

There were, therefore, in the six months ending to-day, eighty-six more contracts made than in the first six months in 1902, and an increase in the estimated value of the work of \$1,651,757.14, or to state it differently, more than two and one-half times the number of contracts, aggregating nearly four times as much.

During the past six months bids were opened in the office of the Assistant Commissioner for 230 contracts, of which number 138 contracts have been completed and are in force, and 127 are pending in various stages. If it is recalled that in the six months there were 151 working days, during which 230 contracts were prepared, advertised and bids received and 138 of which were actually completed and put into force, while the balance were completed so far as the clerical work of this Department was concerned, it will be noticed that one and one-half contracts daily is the record of the office of the Assistant Commissioner for the entire six months, while the sum represented by these contracts—if those pending in the Finance Department are included—is for the six months somewhat in excess of \$4,000,000. This represents new work and does not take into account contracts existing and in process of execution, but made last year in the various bureaus to an aggregate value in excess of \$5,000,000 more.

During the last quarter there has been finished:

5.71 miles of asphalt pavement.
1.48 miles of granite pavement.
.10 miles of trap block pavement.
.33 miles of macadam pavement.

—total for the quarter of 7.62 miles; this aggregates for the half year 9.73 miles of new pavement as against 1.43 miles for the first six months of 1902, as stated, and includes work on 153 different streets. Work is now progressing on 67 streets simultaneously, not counting repair work. The following table shows the mileage of streets of the borough on the three dates named. It is interesting to note that since you assumed office the asphalt pavement has increased from 95.14 to 124.97, and the granite from 119.87 to 127.21, while the cobble has fallen from 216.80 to 187.68. It is my hope, and indeed my expectation, unless bad weather prevents, to see before the close of the year the asphalt pavement the largest item of all and the cobble reduced to second, if not third place.

	Jan. 1, 1902.	Jan. 1, 1903.	July 1, 1903.
Asphalt	95.14	117.41	124.97
Granite	119.87	125.47	127.21
Cobble	216.80	193.83	187.68
Belgian	46.61	46.49	46.49
Macadam	82.15	87.06	87.39
Brick	5.31	4.93	4.93
Trap block.....	.78	1.08	1.18
Medina .....	.....	.18	.18
Wood .....	.....	.08	.08
Totals.....	566.66	576.53	580.11

Throughout the quarter four asphalt repair gangs have been at work whenever the weather permitted, repairing the asphalt streets upon which the contractors' guarantee had expired. I had hoped to submit in this report a statement that all the asphalt streets of the borough were in good condition of repair. This has been prevented by the loss of five weeks' work from rain, but I hope that before the summer closes this point, toward which for six months we have aimed, will be reached. I do not hesitate to say that the asphalt streets of the borough have never been in as good condition as they now are, and this statement should be judged with the fact in mind that we are maintaining 25 miles more of them than ever before, as that mileage has recently come out of guarantee.

When the season of outdoor work opened in the spring of 1902 there were over 700 plumbers' openings in the stone pavements that had passed the proper time for settlement and on which, so to speak, repairs were overdue; there are none such known to the Bureau of Highways to-day. The Chief Engineer assures me that every plumber's opening made under a permit from the Department in the stone pavements has been repaired, which has stood a sufficient time for the necessary settlement. During the quarter 1,767 of these connection openings have been made good, and whereas 826 complaints have been received 1,704 defects have been repaired, of which 928 were dangerous holes. In addition 84,158 square yards of pavement have been repaired and 14,924 linear feet of curb reset. Macadam roadways have been cleaned to the extent of 85,475 linear feet, and dirt roadways have been repaired and cleaned to the amount of 89,920 linear feet, while gutters in various parts of the borough have been cleaned to the extent of 332,075 linear feet. A special feature of the work of repair done in the Bureau of Highways during the last quarter has been the building up of the old Shell road, connecting Gravesend avenue with Coney Island, with 3,032 cubic yards of ashes furnished by the Street Cleaning Department.

Plans are completed for repaving work which will exhaust the entire appropriation of \$3,200,000 made for this borough, and more than two-thirds of this amount is covered by contracts already advertised and now in preparation or execution.

The contract for the erection of illuminated signs on unused capped lampposts throughout the borough has been almost completed by the erection of 350 of these signs and arrangements are now pending with the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity to have the same lighted under a contract which that Department hopes to have closed with the gas companies during the next few days. A contract for the erection of 250 illuminated electric street signs is now in process of execution. A full supply of signs has also been ordered for the Welsbach gas lamps and the ordinary gas lamps throughout the borough; including with the above enameled signs placed under contract recently completed, there will have been placed 8,600 new street signs in Brooklyn during your administration by or before October 1st next.

An unsuccessful attempt was made during the month of June to enjoin the use of asphalt block pavement. A temporary injunction was so granted as to permit our receiving, opening and recording the bids received for work of this character, but we were forbidden to proceed further. The matter was ably argued by Mr. James McKeen, Assistant Corporation Counsel in Charge for Brooklyn, and on June 30 the injunction was vacated by an opinion stating that "asphalt blocks are not patented articles, nor would pavement thereof, when laid, be a patented pavement."

The work of the Bureau of Sewers has progressed steadily throughout the quarter. The most interesting contract was for the sewer which may be called for brevity, the Flatlands Main Sewer; it extends in Brooklyn avenue from Avenue H to Avenue J, with outlets in Avenue J, East Fortieth street and in Flatlands avenue, discharging into Paerdegat basin. This is in its greater part a flat concrete and steel sewer, equivalent in sectional area to a 120-inch circular sewer. The contract price is \$236,000. This is the first of what I trust will be a series of great improvements for the Flatlands section, long sadly neglected, for this great sewer is a portion of the main sewer for the Flatlands District. It is interesting to note that work is now actively progressing on every portion of the great trunk sewer, extending from the Eastern parkway and Bedford avenue to an outlet through the Bay Ridge tunnel into the bay at the foot of Sixty-fourth street. Work progresses simultaneously at twenty different places along this line, and in many of these places goes on without interruption day and night. In the tunnel section work is progressing from five different shafts, with eight different headings. It is expected that the Bedford avenue section will be completed by the middle of August.

Two shafts have been sunk on the Ninety-second street tunnel sewer, and work progresses from each shaft in two headings, making four places in all. A third shaft will soon be sunk.

The Paerdegat Inlet Sewer, extending in Avenue G from Coney Island avenue, via Avenue F to the outlet in Paerdegat basin, has been completed throughout the portion in Avenue F, and that part in Avenue G, from Coney Island avenue to Flatbush avenue. It will be finished during the coming year if weather conditions are at all favorable.

The most important matters for the immediate future in the work of the Bureau of Sewers are as follows:

1. The East Fifth Street Sewer, which will provide drainage for the Windsor Terrace District. I know of no contract which in the interest of public health and regard for the comfort and safety of citizens should be expedited more rapidly than this. At every heavy storm many houses in Windsor terrace have their cellars flooded,

and a public school has been obliged to suspend its sessions because the cellar was filled with sewage. The authorization of the sewer awaits the filing of the oaths of the Commissioners for the opening of Seeley street, between Nineteenth street and Gravesend avenue. This matter is now pending before the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, where it should be approved as soon as possible and title vested by the same Board as quickly as may be after the appointment of the Commission. The only remaining obstacle to the construction of the sewer will then be the opening proceedings on East Fifth street, which will by that time so far have progressed that title can be vested in that street. There were on East Fifth street certain structures within the street line which obliged the delaying of vesting title until six months from the date the Commissioners filed their oaths. I should have been glad had it been possible to get these legal proceedings so far completed this summer as to have the sewer authorized and constructed before the winter, by which time the necessary trunk outlet on Foster avenue will be ready for use. I very much regret, however, that the technical procedure will require such a length of time that the citizens of Windsor terrace will have to suffer another winter before proper drainage can be furnished them.

2. Of almost equal importance is the extension of the Ninety-second Street Tunnel Sewer, through the northern portion of Dyker Beach Park, from Eleventh avenue to Fourteenth avenue, and the extension of this same sewer from Fourteenth avenue and Dyker Beach Park to and through Bath avenue to Twenty-first avenue. This should be undertaken promptly in order that it may be completed when the tunnel outlet is ready, and also in order that the paving of Bath avenue may take place, this latter being an improvement greatly needed and for which the property owners of the locality are willing and ready to pay. The third part of this important sewer improvement is the construction of the laterals in the streets of the district known as Dyker Heights.

3. Of urgent importance also is the construction at the earliest possible day of the relief sewers, most of which have now been pending before the Board of Estimate and Apportionment since August last. The need of these sewers is emphasized by the storm of June 29th, which caused the overflow of the great Greene Avenue Relief Sewer and of many others, flooding numerous streets in the borough several feet deep and filling the cellars of many buildings to the damage of the structures and of their contents. It was necessary to use five fire engines on the 29th, and three upon the 30th in order to drain cellars of flooded water. The Greene Avenue Relief Sewer is smaller at its outlet than throughout its main trunk, being reduced in its diameter from 180 inches to 124 inches, equal to a reduction of more than one-half in its sectional area. This "choking" of this great sewer will be relieved by one of the relief sewers pending before the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and I doubt if it is exaggeration to say that the total cost of the new relief sewer would have been saved to The City of New York, had it been completed six months ago, by saving the necessity of reconstruction of the Ashland Place Sewer under the Rapid Transit station at Flatbush and Atlantic avenues, and by saving the damage to buildings and property in the storm of June 29th.

The limit of reduction in cost for the work of cleaning sewer basins seems difficult to reach. From a price of \$4.75 per basin in 1898, and \$4.60 per basin in 1901, it fell in 1902 to \$1.96 per basin, and this, during the first quarter of 1903, was brought down to \$1.79 per basin. The Superintendent of Maintenance of Sewers now reports that the average cost of cleaning sewer basins on the 20th of June was \$1.67 per basin. It should be noted that this is done by day's work by the regular force in the Bureau, under the able direction of Mr. Kennedy, the Superintendent of Maintenance. The result shows what can be done by the careful application of business methods to the public work.

In the Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices work is steadily progressing on the additions and alterations to the Hall of Records, the alterations to the Borough Hall to fit the same for use of the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court; upon three public bath buildings and six public comfort stations. The third public bath is that upon Montrose avenue, near Union, in the Eastern District, where the contractors have, during the month of June, begun the work of demolition preparatory to constructing a public bath fifty by one hundred feet on the same plans as that nearly finished on Pitkin avenue, near Watkins street, though with a different facade. It is expected that the Pitkin Avenue Bath and the Hicks Street Bath will both be ready for use during the month of August, and that several of the public comfort stations will also be put into service during the summer. The bursting of a large water main on Hamilton avenue damaged a portion of the structure of the public comfort station being built at the corner of Hamilton avenue and Richards street, but this has now been repaired and work is steadily proceeding.

Contracts have been advertised for altering and improving the plumbing and drainage system in the Kings County Court House. This work was shown by expert examination to be urgently needed, and it is expected to have the work completed and the building in a perfect sanitary condition when the courts reconvene in the fall.

Invitations have been issued to architects to present competitive plans for a projected new municipal building, to occupy Murphy Park and the site of the present Municipal Building. Mr. Despradelles, Professor of Architecture in the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, has been selected as supervising architect for this structure. Under his direction a programme has been prepared, which is now in the hands of thirteen architects, and in accordance with which competitive plans for the new structure are to be presented by these architects.

The report of the Acting Superintendent of Incumbrances and Permits submitted herewith shows the operations of that Bureau to have gone on with regularity throughout the quarter. The report of the General Bookkeeper attached thereto gives in detail the financial operations of the Department.

In the above brief summary of the work of the last quarter I have given but the barest outline of the activities of the Department. It would be impossible within a reasonable limit to give any detailed statement; it suffices to say that on every clear day work is steadily proceeding at more than one hundred and ten different points in Brooklyn. The contracts advertised, prepared and in execution call for an expenditure of ten millions of dollars, and new bids will be opened to an aggregate sum of not less than one million dollars more during the month of July. It will undoubtedly be true that by the middle of August there will be progressing in Brooklyn, in one form or another, work to the extent of eleven millions of dollars in value. This is, I believe, unprecedented, and it is only possible through your skill in obtaining generous appropriations and through the co-operation of the heads of all our bureaus in pushing forward this vast amount of work with persistent energy.

I should do wrong in omitting publicly to express my appreciation of the assistance of Mr. Otto Kempner, Assistant Commissioner of Public Works; Mr. George W. Tillson, Chief Engineer of Highways; Mr. John Thatcher, Superintendent of Sewers, and Mr. Henry R. Asserson, his Chief Engineer, and Mr. Frank J. Helmle, Superintendent of Public Buildings and Offices. These gentlemen, with their entire working force, have so persistently labored in the public interest that I can truly say if you wish to see the result of their efforts, look about you.

No one can go about this borough to-day with an observant eye without seeing that in the respects in which its public work comes under your care it is being transformed.

Very truly yours,

WILLIAM C. REDFIELD, Commissioner of Public Works.

Office of Commissioner of Public Works,
Bureau of Highways, Chief Engineer's Office,
Municipal Building, July 1, 1903.

WILLIAM C. REDFIELD, Esq., Commissioner of Public Works, Borough of Brooklyn:

Dear Sir—I herewith submit a report of the operations of this Bureau for the quarter ending June 30, 1903:

During the quarter there have been laid:

5.71 miles of asphalt pavement.
1.48 miles of granite pavement.
.33 miles of macadam pavement.
.10 miles of trap block pavement.

—making a total of 7.62 miles of pavement laid during the past quarter.

While this amount is very much in excess of what was laid during the same quarter last year, when only 1.48 miles were laid, still it is much less than what was expected to be done, owing to bad weather and the strikes which existed during the greater part of May.

The present mileage of pavement as compared with that of January 1 is as follows:

	March 31, 1903.	June 30, 1903.
Asphalt pavement.....	119.26	125.35
Granite pavement.....	125.80	127.20
Cobblestone pavement.....	191.66	187.31

Belgian pavement.....	46.49	46.49
Macadam pavement.....	87.06	87.39
Brick pavement.....	4.93	4.93
Trap block pavement.....	1.08	1.18
Medina pavement.....	.18	.18
Wood pavement.....	.08	.08
Totals.....	576.54	580.11

Table Showing Work Completed and in Progress for the Quarter Ending June 30, 1903.

Location and Kind of Improvement.	Total Amount of Pavement. Sq. Yds.	Amount Laid Since Last Report. Sq. Yds.	Total Amount Laid. Sq. Yds.	Total Length. Lin. Ft.	Length Completed. Lin. Ft.	Grading Completed. Cu. Yds.	Remarks.
Adams street, Tillary street to Concord street; Concord street, Adams street to Pearl street; asphalt.....	2,960	.....	.....	928	.....	.....	In progress
Albany avenue, Lincoln road to Clarkson street; macadam.....	9,960	.....	.....	2,184	.....	1,600	In progress
Albany road, Flatbush avenue to lands Brighton Beach Railroad; asphalt.....	6,260	4,000	4,000	1,500	955	2,500	In progress
Ashford street, Jamaica avenue to Arlington avenue; asphalt.....	2,930	2,930	2,930	851	851	766	Completed
Avenue K, Flatbush avenue to Albany avenue; curb and gutter.....	.....	.....	.....	992	.....	.....	In progress
Baltic street, Clinton street to Fifth avenue; asphalt.....	16,757	16,757	16,757	4,635	4,635	.....	Completed
Barbey street, Jamaica avenue to Belmont avenue; asphalt.....	9,790	.....	.....	3,330	.....	3,000	In progress
Bergen street, Bedford avenue to Kingston avenue; asphalt.....	6,292	6,292	6,292	2,971	2,971	.....	Completed
Boerum street, Leonard street to Manhattan avenue; asphalt.....	1,390	.....	.....	416	.....	.....	In progress
Bradford street, Liberty avenue to Pitkin avenue; trap block.....	2,750	1,650	1,650	869	522	.....	In progress
Butler place, Plaza street to Sterling place; curb and gutter.....	.....	.....	.....	426	.....	18,000	In progress
Christopher street, East New York avenue to Livonia avenue; asphalt.....	13,198	.....	2,500	4,108	.....	7,000	In progress
Clarkson street, New York avenue to Troy avenue; macadam.....	10,440	5,000	5,000	2,866	1,400	5,000	In progress
Cleveland street, Arlington avenue to Atlantic avenue; grade and curb.....	3,127	3,127	3,127	930	930	1,694	Completed
Cleveland street, Arlington avenue to Atlantic avenue; asphalt.....	3,700	3,700	3,700	936	936	.....	Completed
Clinton avenue, Park avenue to Flushing avenue; Gallatin place, Fulton street to Livingston street; Hanover place, Fulton street to Livingston street; Java street, Franklin street to East river; Monroe street, Nostrand avenue to Marcy avenue; wood block.....	10,040	.....	.....	2,524	.....	.....	In progress
Cook street, Manhattan avenue to Bogart street; Rock street, Bogart street to Morgan avenue; Waterbury street, Grand street to Ten Eyck street; Medina sandstone.....	12,820	.....	.....	3,970	.....	.....	In progress
Covert street, Broadway to Evergreen avenue; asphalt.....	4,110	.....	.....	1,268	.....	.....	In progress
Crown street, New York avenue to Nostrand avenue; grading.....	.....	.....	.....	736	736	2,342	Completed
Dean street, Sackman street to Rockaway avenue; asphalt.....	4,305	.....	.....	1,127	.....	.....	In progress
Decatur street, Bushwick avenue to Hamburg avenue; asphalt.....	6,640	.....	.....	2,001	.....	.....	In progress
Driggs avenue, South Fourth street to North Twelfth street and Lorimer street to Graham avenue; Lorimer street, Driggs avenue to Nassau avenue; asphalt.....	12,390	.....	.....	5,130	.....	.....	In progress
East Eighteenth street, Beverly road to Avenue C; curb and gutter.....	.....	.....	.....	743	743	.....	Completed
East Nineteenth street, Tennis court to Beverly road; asphalt.....	5,194	.....	5,104	1,307	1,307	1,318	Completed
Fifty-third street, Seventh avenue to Eighth avenue; grade and curb.....	.....	.....	.....	726	.....	.....	In progress
Flatbush avenue, Malbone street to Church avenue; granite.....	4,436	1,436	4,436	4,436	4,436	.....	Completed
Flatbush avenue, line of Twenty-ninth and Thirty-second Wards to Avenue N; grade and curb.....	15,500	.....	.....	8,887	.....	.....	In progress
Flushing avenue, Malbone street to Paerdegat avenue; asphalt.....	9,920	2,380	6,000	6,180	.....	.....	In progress
Folsom place, Linwood street to Essex street; grade and curb.....	.....	.....	.....	3,500	2,100	.....	In progress
Fourth avenue, Atlantic avenue to Fortieth street; asphalt.....	85,850	.....	.....	2,333	.....	1,056	Completed
Fortieth street, New Utrecht avenue to Fort Hamilton avenue; grade and curb.....	.....	.....	.....	14,386	.....	.....	In progress
Frost street, Union avenue to Kingsland avenue; North Eighth street, Havemeyer street to Union avenue; asphalt.....	12,180	.....	.....	1,055	.....	.....	In progress
Fulton street, Crescent street to Queens County line; granite.....	6,190	3,000	3,000	3,599	.....	.....	In progress
Gates avenue, Bedford avenue to Lewis avenue; asphalt.....	10,530	.....	.....	1,608	800	1,500	In progress
Glen street, Railroad avenue to Euclid avenue; curb and gutter.....	.....	.....	.....	5,021	.....	.....	In progress
Greene avenue, Bushwick avenue to County line; asphalt.....	15,850	8,700	8,700	1,038	1,038	691	Completed
Halsey street, 300 feet east of Nostrand avenue to Sumner avenue; asphalt.....	6,194	6,194	6,194	4,923	2,700	.....	In progress
Hamburg avenue, Cornelia street to Moffatt street; granite.....	5,900	3,500	3,500	2,888	2,888	.....	Completed
Hendrix street, Pitkin avenue to Dumont avenue; grade and curb.....	.....	.....	.....	2,501	1,460	5,000	In progress
Herkimer street, Albany avenue to Jardine place; Radde place, Herkimer street to end of pavement Atlantic avenue; asphalt.....	36,130	.....	.....	2,045	.....	1,500	In progress
Hicks street, Orange street to Middagh street; asphalt.....	1,141	1,141	1,141	9,642	.....	.....	In progress
Hill street, Railroad avenue to Euclid avenue; grade and curb.....	.....	.....	.....	429	429	.....	Completed
Hinsdale street, Atlantic avenue to Sutter avenue; grade and curb.....	.....	.....	.....	1,020	1,020	1,861	Completed
Hinsdale street, Atlantic avenue to Sutter avenue; asphalt.....	7,825	5,000	5,000	2,328	.....	2,000	In progress
Kingsland avenue, Meeker avenue to Meserole avenue; Meeker avenue, Manhattan avenue to Kingsland avenue; Medina sandstone.....	15,430	.....	.....	2,328	1,490	.....	In progress
Jerome street, Jamaica avenue to Glenmore avenue; asphalt.....	6,870	6,800	6,800	4,680	.....	.....	In progress
Logan street, Jamaica avenue to Atlantic avenue; curb and gutter.....	.....	.....	.....	2,569	2,569	5,000	In progress
Lorimer street, Nassau avenue to Noble street; Meserole street, Guernsey street to Manhattan avenue; asphalt.....	7,721	.....	7,721	2,390	.....	800	In progress
Magenta street, Euclid avenue to Crescent street; asphalt.....	1,450	.....	.....	2,473	2,473	.....	In progress
Marcy avenue, Macon street to Fulton street; asphalt.....	1,380	.....	.....	540	.....	.....	In progress
Maujer street, Morgan avenue to Florence street; asphalt block.....	4,960	3,000	3,000	400	.....	.....	In progress
Mermaid avenue, West Fifteenth street to West Nineteenth street; macadam.....	3,370	2,200	2,200	1,460	876	.....	In progress
New York avenue, Avenue C to Newkirk avenue; curb and gutter.....	.....	.....	.....	560	360	5,500	In progress
Ninety-ninth street, Third avenue to Fort Hamilton avenue; asphalt.....	2,540	.....	.....	781	.....	2,400	In progress
Nostrand avenue, Flushing avenue to Willoughby avenue; asphalt.....	4,425	3,300	3,300	1,105	.....	.....	In progress
Nostrand avenue, Macon street to Prospect place; asphalt.....	4,470	.....	.....	2,125	.....	.....	In progress
Osborne street, Sutter avenue to Blake avenue; asphalt.....	1,945	.....	.....	2,117	1,590	.....	In progress
Park place, Washington avenue to Vanderbilt avenue; asphalt.....	5,915	3,015	5,915	616	616	1,676	Completed
Park place, Classon avenue to Franklin avenue; asphalt.....	3,270	.....	.....	1,566	1,566	.....	Completed
Palmetto street, Evergreen avenue to Central avenue; asphalt.....	2,640	.....	.....	760	.....	.....	In progress
Pitkin avenue, Stone avenue to County line; asphalt.....	3,310	3,000	3,000	712	650	2,500	In progress
Pitkin avenue, Linwood street to County line; grade and curb.....	.....	.....	.....	5,779	.....	.....	In progress
Prospect avenue, Fort Hamilton avenue to near Eleventh avenue; granite.....	4,800	.....	.....	2,200	.....	.....	In progress
Prospect place, Franklin avenue to Nostrand avenue; asphalt.....	6,391	6,391	6,391	1,720	1,720	.....	Completed
Putnam avenue, Fulton street to Nostrand avenue and Marcy avenue to Tompkins avenue; asphalt.....	8,290	2,000	2,000	4,027	1,000	.....	In progress
Ralph avenue, Macon street to St. Mark's avenue; granite.....	8,600	.....	.....	3,587	.....	.....	In progress
Reeve place, Coney Island avenue to Prospect avenue; asphalt.....	3,260	.....	.....	907	.....	.....	In progress
Rogers avenue, Malbone street to Flatbush avenue; granite.....	32,567	2,700	2,700	10,063	840	4,500	In progress
Rutland road, Kingston avenue to Albany street; Kingston avenue, Rutland road to Hawthorne street; curb and gutter.....	.....	.....	.....	2,626	.....	.....	In progress
Sixty-first street, Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue; grading.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13,000	In progress
Seventh street, Second avenue to Third avenue; asphalt.....	2,400	.....	.....	724	.....	.....	In progress
Seventh avenue, Forty-first street to Forty-third street; asphalt.....	2,290	.....	2,290	493	493	951	Completed
Seventy-first street, Third avenue to Shore road; macadam.....	8,375	.....	.....	2,355	.....	15,000	In progress
Seventy-third street, Sixth avenue to Fort Hamilton avenue; curb and gutter.....	.....	.....	.....	1,555	.....	.....	In progress
Seventy-third street, Third avenue to Fourth avenue; curb and gutter.....	.....	.....	.....	718	.....	.....	In progress
Sterling place, Albany avenue to Kingston avenue; curb and gutter.....	.....	.....	.....	736	.....	.....	In progress
Tenth avenue, Thirty-ninth street to New Utrecht avenue; curb and gutter.....	2,240	.....	.....	529	.....	.....	In progress
Ten Eyck street, Bushwick avenue to Waterbury street; asphalt.....	5,662	5,662	5,662	283	.....	.....	In progress
Third avenue, Union street to Atlantic avenue; granite.....	497	497	497	2,610	2,610	.....	Completed
Third avenue, Union street to Atlantic avenue; asphalt.....	41,495	9,000	30,000	.....	.....	.....	Completed
Third avenue, Sixth street to Shore road; asphalt.....	2,372	2,372	2,372	12,400	9,000	30,000	In progress
Twelfth street, Eighth avenue to Prospect Park West; asphalt.....	.....	.....	.....	718	.....	.....	Completed
Thames street, Morgan avenue to Knickerbocker avenue; Vandervoort place, Thames street to Flushing avenue; asphalt.....	2,300	.....	.....	800	.....	.....	In progress
Van Sien avenue, Pitkin avenue to Dumont avenue; curb and gutter.....	12,600	7,000	7,000	2,030	2,030	6,592	Completed
Varick avenue, Metropolitan avenue to Flushing avenue; granite.....	1,680	.....	.....	3,236	1,900	7,000	In progress
Wilson street, Lee avenue to Division avenue; asphalt.....	3,129	.....	.....	535	.....	.....	In progress
Wolcott street, Conover street to Richards street; asphalt.....	.....	.....	3,129	947	947	.....	Completed

I attach also a table showing the different streets upon which work has been in progress during the quarter, as well as those that were completed.

Contracts have been registered during the quarter as follows:

Street or Avenue.	Street Improvement Fund.	Repaving Bond Fund.	Labor, Maintenance and Supply Fund.
Regulating, Grading and Paving With Asphalt.			
Prospect avenue, from Fort Hamilton avenue to Vanderbilt street.....	\$14,962 50	.....	.....
Regulating, Grading and Laying Sidewalks.			
First avenue, from Driveway at Sixty-sixth street to Ninety-second street.....	36,060 70	.....	.....
Flagging sidewalks, 1 contract.....	759 00	.....	.....
Asphalt.			
Patchen avenue, from Lafayette avenue to Hancock street.....	.....	\$24,700 80	.....
Frost street, from Union avenue to Kingsland avenue, etc.....	.....	31,948 90	.....
Reid avenue, from Madison street to Fulton street.....	.....	18,034 50	.....
Cleveland street, from Arlington avenue to Jamaica avenue.....	.....	8,251 10	.....
Greene avenue, from Bushwick avenue to County line.....	.....	39,898 50	.....
Adams street, from Tillary street to Concord street, etc.....	.....	10,275 50	.....
Driggs avenue, from South Fourth street to North Twelfth street, etc.....	.....	36,469 00	.....

Granite.			
Ralph avenue, from Macon street to St. Mark's avenue.....	42,045 75	.....	.....
Rockaway avenue, from McDougal street to Atlantic avenue.....	13,437 40	.....	.....
Medina.			
Degraw street, from Van Brunt street to East river, etc.....	36,483 00	.....	.....
Kingsland avenue, from Meeker avenue to Meserole avenue, etc.....	64,058 80	.....	.....
Yellow pine lumber.....	\$1,148 72	.....	.....
Granite paving blocks.....	14,491 80	.....	.....
Portland cement.....	16,077 60	.....	.....
Granite bridge stone.....	4,824 60	.....	.....
Broken trap rock and screenings.....	17,082 14	.....	.....
Sand.....	5,926 20	.....	.....
Concrete mixer.....	1,196 00	.....	.....
Coal.....	1,067 40	.....	.....
Paving pitch.....	11,248 38	.....	.....
Bluestone curbstone.....	2,772 00	.....	.....
Total.....	\$51,782 20	\$325,603 25	\$75,834 84

Summary.			
Street Improvement Fund.....	\$51,782 20	.....	.....
Repaving Bond Fund.....	325,603 25	.....	.....
Labor, Maintenance and Supply Fund.....	75,834 84	.....	.....
Total.....	\$453,220 29	.....	.....

A great many contracts, however, are now in the hands of the Comptroller for registration, and it is supposed that they will be registered early in July.

Plans have been prepared for all of the repaving proposed for the present year, and bids have been asked for on nearly all the streets. The amount involved in this work is \$3,250,000.

Preliminary estimates of work petitioned for have been made, and reports sent to the Borough President's Office, as follows:

	Estimates.	Amount.
Regulating and grading	19	\$193,500 00
Grading and paving with asphalt	25	580,000 00
Paving with asphalt	1	6,400 00
Grading and paving with granite	9	139,200 00
Paving with granite	1	9,400 00
Grading and macadamizing	4	52,600 00
Macadamizing	1	27,300 00
Curbing	6	76,400 00
Laying sidewalks	4	41,100 00
Curbing and laying sidewalks	2	22,600 00
	72	\$1,148,500 00

Repair Division.

The payrolls for this quarter amount to \$82,961.47, and the payrolls during the corresponding quarter in 1902 amounted to \$51,484.55. There has been, therefore, spent for wages \$31,476.92 more than was spent in the same time during last year. The force now is as large as it was at any time during the last season, but then it was not recruited to its full strength until late in the third quarter of the year. As you are aware, our men started work very early in the season, and nearly the whole force was set at work promptly. The figures in the report, I think you will agree, show evidence of this early start. Nearly all of our repair gangs are now employed in repairing granite pavements, whereas last year they were employed in repairing cobblestone pavements. This work of repairing granite pavements is much slower than that of repairing cobblestone pavements, so that the amount of work done by the same number of pavers is much smaller. You will notice, however, that during this quarter we have relaid 84,398 square yards of pavement, whereas last year we only relaid 68,666 square yards. The quantity of some other kinds of work has been correspondingly increased over that done last year, viz., the amount of macadam roadway and the mileage of dirt roads that have been repaired. The increase in the amount of work done in the suburbs has been almost entirely due to the use of the new machinery which the Department purchased early in the season. I quote from the report of Assistant Engineer Mr. E. J. Fort, in charge of this Division:

"I think we have gone far enough to be certain that with the two steam rollers purchased we shall be able to do more work during the season than we did last year working four machines. The rest of the machinery that we purchased has paid for itself already several times over. In considering the great expense of our work this year, it must be remembered that we are now running a stone crusher and concrete mixer in the work of relaying granite pavements on a concrete foundation, and that quite a number of men are employed whose work does not appear evident in the number of square yards of pavement relaid. The great difficulty to be anticipated, I think, in the work of laying granite pavement on concrete foundation by this Bureau, is the question of obtaining a suitable force of laborers from the Civil Service list to do this work. Crushing stones, mixing concrete, laying it, etc., etc., is entirely new work to the laborers that we employ, and is much more severe than any work we have ever done before. Our old force has been carefully looked over to find men who are competent to do this work. This process of sorting out took some time, and we only succeeded a few weeks ago in obtaining a gang of men with which we could do really effective work. I am aware that this work up to that time progressed very slowly, but I believe now it is progressing in a satisfactory manner, and I have no doubt it will continue to do so throughout the season. The men that we have collected for it are without any doubt at all the best that have ever been brought together in this Bureau, and though they are paid somewhat higher wages than the men who do similar work for contractors, they are now doing really effective work. The work on Fifty-second street is well advanced, the grading and curbing setting being completed. The old cobblestones have been removed, crushed and returned to the street for use in the concrete foundation. Three blocks of concrete have been laid and the fourth is under way. Granite blocks for about four-fifths of this work have been delivered on the street; one block of the pavement is finished. We have commenced work on Forty-first street, between Second and Fourth avenues. If we are allowed to continue at our present rate throughout the season, we shall far exceed our last year's record in all classes of work, and if nothing unforeseen happens, I have the best of reasons for supposing that we shall complete the work of repaving that has been assigned to us before the winter sets in. Although I believe the pavements are in much better repair than they were last year at this season, I do not notice any diminution in the number of complaints of their condition that reach this office.

"Missionaries tell us that in the work of civilizing people, one of the first signs of improvement in their condition is that they want things. When the savage wants a hat, shoes, clothes, etc., the missionary considers that he has started on his way to civilization. So, in the work of bettering our pavements so that they will be in perfect repair, the better condition in which we can keep them the more perfect the citizen expects the pavement on each particular street to be. Matters that are now considered worthy of complaint would not have been noticed a few years ago. In the suburbs it seems to me that it is almost impossible to avoid increasing our work as they become more thickly populated. Conditions that would have been tolerated a few years ago are matters of constant complaint now. If people notice that one street is being repaired they are almost certain to complain that their own has not been repaired at all. They would not have noticed that had not work been done in their immediate neighborhood on a nearby street. In the matter of sprinkling macadam we are woefully deficient. Our macadam pavements are increasing, yet our force of sprinkling wagons is no larger than it has been for several years. We are spreading our work out more than we have ever done before, but if we are to maintain our macadam pavements in the proper condition we must certainly have more sprinkling wagons."

The average force employed on repairs to street pavements is as follows:

	Foremen.	Mechanics.	Laborers.	Teams.	Horses and Carts.	Horses and Wagons.
April, 1903	16	42	107	17	26	14
April, 1902	35	..	51	4	13	8
May, 1902	17	55	118	25	24	17
May, 1903	57	..	82	3	24	10
June, 1902	17	42	107	17	26	14
June, 1903	61	..	88	4	23	12

The work done by this force consisted in taking up, repairing and relaying the following number of square yards of pavement:

	1903.	1902.
Cobblestone pavement	47,277	51,749
Granite pavement	29,569	13,779
Belgian pavement	7,069	3,077
Brick pavement	480	55
Total number of square yards	84,395	68,660
	1903.	1902.
Linear feet of curbing reset	14,924	7,941
Linear feet of gutter stone reset	1,401	6,486

Square feet of bridge stone laid and relaid	8,082	3,037
Square feet of flagging relaid	7,924	4,241
Linear feet of curb cut and dressed	6,034	..
Loads of sand hauled and used	3,132	2,078
Granite blocks hauled and used	40,194	5,187
Belgian blocks hauled and used	1,755	..
Loads of cobblestones hauled and used	1,409	766
Vitrified bricks hauled and used	13,271	1,327
Cubic yards of dirt and ashes hauled and used	5,412	3,912
Cubic yards of refuse, sand and rubbish hauled to dump	4,937	3,317
Cubic yards of stone crushed	2,391	..
Dangerous holes, etc.	928	1,042
Cost of tools and of repairing same	\$488 75	\$266 09

Number of Openings for Connections Received.

	Water and Sewer.		Gas.		Electric.	
	1903.	1902.	1903.	1902.	1903.	1902.
April	796	809	503	656	125	121
May	802	780	577	630	115	90
June	753	706	575	564	100	86
Totals	2,351	2,295	1,655	1,850	340	297

Number of Connections Repaired.

	Water and Sewer.		Gas.	
	1903.	1902.	1903.	1902.
April	492	800	81	175
May	727	685	141	191
June	417	872	55	172
Totals	1,636	2,357	277	538

The number of connections received includes openings in every kind of pavement; the number repaired includes only water and sewer openings in cobble, brick, granite and Belgian block pavements and gas openings in granite, Belgian block and brick pavements.

	Complaints Received.		Defects Remedied.	
	1903.	1902.	1903.	1902.
Departments of Police and Fire	511	812	493	608
Department of Street Cleaning	239	308	216	168
Citizens, etc.	76	201	67	130

Work Done on Macadam and Unimproved Streets.

The force employed averages as follows:

	Foremen.	Mechanics.	Laborers.	Teams.	Sprinklers.	Horses and Wagons.	Horses and Carts.	Steam Rollers.
April	8	1	39	9	..	4	12	1
May	8	2	56	6	12	6	18	2
June	8	2	54	8	5	5	15	2

	1903.	1902.
Square yards macadam roadway repaired	20,080	12,997
Miles of macadam roadway cleaned	19.2	13.5
Miles of dirt roadway repaired	18.9	5.1
Gutters made and cleaned, miles	70.7	39.7
Wooden culverts repaired	3	4
Cesspools cleaned	5	79
Loads of broken stone hauled and used	1,090	903
Loads of screenings hauled and used	1,718	589
Cubic yards dirt hauled and used for filling	3,816	2,150
Cubic yards rubbish removed from gutters and roadways	3,433	3,427
Square feet of sidewalks graded	10,680	..
Ashes unloaded from scows and spread upon Shell road, cubic yards	2,432	..
Square yards of repairs made upon water, sewer and gas connections in macadam pavements	613	316
Sprinkling, hours	3,976	3,308
Miles of macadam pavement sprinkled daily by 12 sprinkling carts	30	25

All material used for filling has been secured without cost to this Bureau.

Repairs were made to the following macadam roadways:

Eighty-sixth street, between Fifth avenue and Shore road.
Rutland road, between Flatbush and Rogers avenues.
Seventy-ninth street, between Thirteenth avenue and Shore road.
Eighteenth avenue, between Ocean parkway and Forty-sixth street.
West Twelfth street, between Neptune and Surf avenues.
Avenue C, between Flatbush and Coney Island avenues.
Voorhies avenue, between East Twenty-fourth and East Twenty-seventh streets.
The following streets are sprinkled daily:

Ocean avenue, between Fort Hamilton avenue and Avenue G.
Ocean avenue, between Bay and Emmons avenues.
Clarkson street, between Flatbush and New York avenues.
Winthrop street, between Flatbush and Rogers avenues.
Beverly road, between Flatbush avenue and Ocean parkway.
Avenues C and D, between Flatbush avenue and Ocean parkway.
Emmons avenue, between Hog Point creek and Ocean parkway.
Voorhies avenue, between Ocean avenue and East Twenty-seventh street.
Shore road, between Emmons avenue and Voorhies lane.
East Twenty-third street, between Voorhies and Emmons avenues.
Kings Highway, between Bay parkway and Ocean avenue.
Crosby and Harway avenues, between Fourteenth avenue and Coney Island creek.

Eighteenth avenue, between Ocean parkway and Crosby avenue.
Fourth avenue, between Sixtieth and Ninety-fifth streets.
Second avenue, between Sixty-fifth and Ninety-fifth streets.
Seventy-third street, between Third and Narrows avenues.
Sixtieth street, between Fourth and Twenty-second avenues.
Seventy-ninth street, between Fourth avenue and Shore road.
Rutland road, between Flatbush and Rogers avenues.

Corporation Work.

Total Number of Openings Made to Repair all Mains, Except Water Mains and Sewers, and to Insert Service Connections.

In asphalt pavements	112	In brick pavements	6
In granite pavements	658	In sidewalks	198
In Belgian pavements	410	No pavement	510
In cobble pavements	7,422		
In macadam pavements	12		9,328

Work Done by the Brooklyn Heights Railroad Company Under Permit from This Department.

Linear feet new single track railroad laid with 94 pound girder rail	12,441	Linear feet single track railroad relaid with 94 pound girder rail	12,457
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Number of connecting curves and crossings renewed	1	Square yards of Medina sand-stone laid on concrete.....	691
Square yards of granite pavement laid on concrete.....	17,028	Square yards of cobble relaid..	1,576
Square yards of granite pavement relaid on sand foundation	4,884	Total number of square yards of pavement laid and relaid....	24,179

Work Done by the Brooklyn Heights Railroad Company (Electrical Department) Under Permit from This Department.

Total number of feet of subway laid	4,175	Square yards of Belgian pavement relaid	24
Total number of feet of single duct laid	16,700	Square yards of cobble pavement relaid	70
Square yards of granite pavement relaid	148	Total number of square yards of pavement laid and relaid.....	706
Square yards of asphalt pavement relaid	464		

Work Done by the Coney Island and Brooklyn Railroad Company Under Permit from This Department.

Linear feet of new single track laid with 94 pound girder rail.	1,240	Square yards of granite pavement relaid on sand.....	372
Linear feet of single track relaid with 94 pound girder rail....	1,950	Square yards of cobble pavement relaid.....	124
Square yards of granite pavement laid on concrete.....	4,444	Total number of square yards of pavement laid and relaid.....	6,284
Square yards of granite pavement relaid on concrete.....	1,344	Number of new connecting curves	1

Work Done by the Coney Island and Brooklyn Railroad (Electrical Department) Under Permit from This Department.

Total number of feet of subway laid	4,507	Square yards of granite pavement relaid	1,502
Total number of feet of single duct laid	58,591		

Work Done by the New York and New Jersey Telephone Company Under Permit from This Department.

Total number of feet of subway laid	42,240	Square yards of granite pavement relaid on sand.....	5,428
Total number of feet of single duct laid	227,040	Square yards of cobble pavement relaid	1,397
Square yards of asphalt pavement relaid	6,720	Total number of square yards of pavement relaid	14,080
Square yards of granite pavement relaid on concrete.....	535		

Work Done by the Edison Electric Illuminating Company Under Permit from This Department.

Total number of feet of subway laid	4,492	Total number of square yards of asphalt pavement relaid.....	390
Total number of feet of single duct laid	54,152	Total number of square yards of Belgian relaid	120
Total number of feet of iron pipe subway laid.....	34,173	Total number of square yards of cobble relaid	420
Total number of square yards of granite pavement relaid.....	1,767	Total number of square yards of pavement relaid	2,697

Work Done by the Brooklyn Union Gas Company Under Permit from This Department.

Total number of feet of gas main laid	15,765	Total number of square yards of cobble pavement relaid.....	5,148
Total number of feet of gas main removed	298	Total number of square yards of pavement relaid	5,354
Total number of square yards of granite pavement relaid.....	206		

Work Done by the Flatbush Gas Company Under Permit from This Department.

Total number of feet of gas main laid	12,299	Total number of square yards of macadam pavement relaid....	120
Total number of feet of gas main removed	3,215		

Work Done by the Flatbush Gas Company (Electrical Department) Under Permit from This Department.

Total number of feet of subway laid	4,010	Total number of square yards of asphalt pavement relaid.....	464
Total number of feet of single duct laid	18,560		

Work Done by the Brooklyn Borough Gas Company Under Permit from This Department.

Total number of feet of gas main laid	6,792	Total number of square yards of macadam pavement relaid....	70
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Work Done by the Kings County Gas and Illuminating Company Under Permit from This Department.

Total number of feet of gas main laid	1,944	Square yards of macadam pavement relaid	38
Square yards of Belgian pavement relaid	20		

Work Performed in Map Room.

Assessment Maps and Lists in Duplicate for Board of Assessors.

Grading and paving	1
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Plans and Profiles for New Work.

Paving	5
Repaving	72

Miscellaneous Plans, Diagrams, Etc.

Proposed changes of grade.....	3
Profiles in duplicate for Assessors.....	2
Diagrams for Inspectors	120
Miscellaneous	15

Total..... 218

The above is in addition to the regular routine work.

Sidewalks.

During this quarter a great deal of attention has been paid to sidewalks, and notices served upon many property owners. That these owners have attended promptly to these notices can be seen from the fact that 2,629 permits have been taken out for relaying flagging during the last quarter. The work in detail is as follows:

Flagging.

Number of square feet of flagging laid under private contract.....	46,121
Number of square feet of flagging laid under public contract.....	8,430
Number of permits issued for driveways.....	65
Number of permits issued for relaying flagging.....	2,629
Number of linear feet of fencing erected under public contract.....	3,978
Number of flagging complaints and petitions received.....	130
Number of fencing complaints and petitions received.....	40
Number of grading complaints and petitions received.....	5
Number of notices served upon owners and agents to repair flagging.....	1,908
Number of reports submitted, recommending flagging or cement walks.....	43

Number of recommendations for flagging or cement walks contained in said reports	128
Number of reports submitted recommending fences.....	37
Number of reports submitted recommending the grading of vacant lots....	2

The following streets were inspected, and notices served to repair walks wherever necessary.

The figures represent the number of notices given in each case:

Amity street	30	Oakland street	25
Calver street	14	Orange street.....	3
Chauncey street	28	Pacific street	93
Clark street	2	Pierrepont street	9
Clinton street	22	Pineapple street	4
Columbia Heights	10	Poplar street	2
Columbia street	70	Putnam avenue	22
Commercial street	8	Seigel street	56
Cranberry street	6	Seventh avenue	4
Dean street	257	Sidney place	2
Degraw street	46	Sixth avenue	8
Eagle street	20	State street	18
Eckford street	82	Twenty-third street	9
Franklin street	48	Union street	116
Gordon place	1	Varet street	71
Kent avenue	72	Warren street	39
Lafayette avenue	5	West street	27
Middagh street	8	Williams avenue	15
Monroe street	3	Willow place	3
Montague street	6	Willow street	4
Moore street	67	Wyckoff street	19
Ninth street	85		

Cement Sidewalks.

Number of permits to lay cement sidewalks, etc., issued during quarter.....	430
Number of permits issued previous to April 1 on which work was not completed	66

Total..... 496

Disposition.

Number of permits on which work was completed.....	373
Number of permits on which work is now in progress.....	69
Number of permits on which work is not started.....	47
Canceled	5
Duplicated	2

Total..... 496

Total number of square feet laid by public contract..... 57,519

Total number of square feet of work laid by owners by private contract..... 208,311

This does not include any of the sidewalks laid under grading and paving contracts.

TOPOGRAPHICAL BUREAU.

In the course of the three months ending June 30, 1903, work was accomplished as follows.

Reports.

1. Reports on condition of streets in relation to opening proceedings or improvements	61
2. Reports accompanying street opening maps.....	41
3. Reports on change of lines, laying out, closing, etc., and change of grades.....	41
4. Miscellaneous reports	103

Total..... 246

The work of the Topographical Bureau includes the following general divisions:

1. The retaining, determining and fixing on the ground the lines of the existing street system, and to fix the new street lines as they are adopted.
2. Changes in the established street system of the City, and miscellaneous maps.
3. Surveys, searches, technical descriptions and maps for the Commissioners, in the matter of acquiring title to the streets.

Total of work accomplished in connection with the reports and in the general routine of the office.

I.

The Retaining, Determining and Fixing on the Ground the Lines of the Existing Street System, and to Fix the New Street Lines as They are Adopted.

A—Field Work.

Accurate traverses were carefully run as follows:

A—For the Determination of Street Lines.

1. Irving avenue, St. Nicholas avenue and Troutman street.
2. Fourth avenue, Marine avenue, Second avenue and Eighty-sixth street.

B—For the Determination of Street Lines and Property Lines.

1. Gatling place, from Eighty-sixth street to Ninety-second street.
2. Wythe avenue, from Norman avenue to North Thirteenth street.

Precise survey lines have been run for the determination of the following streets:

1. Sixtieth street, from Second avenue to Twenty-second avenue.
2. Sixty-fifth street, from First avenue to Twenty-second avenue.
3. Twenty-second avenue, from Fifty-seventh street to Sixty-sixth street.
4. Caton avenue, from Coney Island avenue to Flatbush avenue.

Six monuments were lowered and nine monument covers were set.

B—Office Work.

The office work was prosecuted as far as it was needed for street openings, and for changes in the established street system.

As far as possible the more general work was advanced.

II.

Changes in the Established Street System of the City, and Miscellaneous Maps.

This includes all work affecting changes in lines of existing streets, closing and laying out streets, and changes in the established elevations of streets. It consists in the preparation of maps for adoption and for filing, and includes field and office work.

A—Field Work.

This comprises the following:

A—Surveys for Changes in Lines of Streets.

1. Newkirk avenue, from Ocean avenue to Flatbush avenue.
2. Jerome avenue, from Sheepshead Bay road to East Twenty-fourth street.
3. Sheepshead Bay road, from Emmons avenue to Gravesend Neck road.
4. Silliman place, from Second avenue to Third avenue.
5. Additional locations in Catonville.

B—Surveys for Changes in Elevations of Streets.

1. Chestnut street, from Glenmore avenue to Belmont avenue.
2. Pitkin avenue, from Crystal street to Euclid avenue.

B—Office Work.

I.—Maps Forwarded for Adoption.

(a) Maps affecting changes in lines of streets, closing and laying out streets and public parks.

1. Thirty-sixth street, from Fifth avenue to Seventh avenue, and Seventh avenue, from Thirty-sixth street to Thirty-seventh street.
2. Addition to the Willink entrance, Prospect Park.
3. Fifty-seventh street, from First avenue to the high-water line.
4. Jerome avenue (Voorhies lane), from the land of the Manhattan Beach Railroad to East Twenty-fourth street.
5. East Tenth street, from Church avenue to Albemarle road.
6. Territory bounded by Fort Hamilton avenue, Coney Island avenue, Church avenue and Ocean avenue.
7. East Forty-first street, from Overbaugh place to Avenue K.
8. Eighty-fourth street, from Sixteenth avenue to Eighteenth avenue.

9. Battery avenue, from Warehouse avenue to One Hundred and Seventh street; One Hundred and Seventh street, from Battery avenue to Seventh avenue, and One Hundred and Sixth street, from Warehouse avenue to Seventh avenue.
10. Eighty-ninth street, from Narrows avenue to the Shore road.
11. Roebing street, from the Bridge Plaza to Lee avenue.
12. Fulton place, from Fulton street to Livingston street.
13. Public park, bounded by Cedar lane (street), Third avenue, Seventy-first street and Second avenue.
14. Newkirk avenue, from Flatbush avenue to Ocean parkway.
- (b) Maps affecting changes of the established elevation of streets.
 1. Logan street, from Fulton street to Dinsmore place.
 2. Chestnut street, from Glenmore avenue to Belmont avenue.

II.—Maps Forwarded for Filing.

- (a) Maps affecting changes in lines of streets, closing and laying out of streets.
 1. Shell road, from Avenue X to Canal avenue, and the extension of West Sixth street, from Neptune avenue to Sheepshead Bay road.
 2. Public park, bounded by Seventy-third street, Fort Hamilton avenue and Seventh avenue.
- (b) Maps affecting the established elevation of streets.

No new maps requested.

III.—Miscellaneous Maps.

1. Proposed system of streets for Catonville.
2. Public park, bounded by Bridge street, Tillary street, Jay street and the northern line of a new street in the Fourth Ward.
3. Ninety-second street, from Third avenue to Seventh avenue.

III.

Surveys, Searches, Technical Descriptions and Maps for Commissioners, in the Matter of Acquiring Title to the Streets.

A—Field Work.

All surveys required for the maps completed were made.

The following additional surveys were also made:

1. Freeman street, from Provost street to Whale creek.
2. Bay Thirty-fourth street, from Eighty-sixth street to Cropsey avenue.
3. Cleveland street, from Pitkin avenue to New Lots road.
4. Crescent street, from Belmont avenue to a line about 190 feet 9 inches south of Blake avenue.
5. Christopher street, from East New York avenue to New Lots avenue.
6. Fortieth street, from Fort Hamilton avenue to the former City line of Brooklyn.

Surveys for profiles in connection with street openings.

1. Eighth street, from Eighth avenue to Prospect Park West.

B—Office Work.

This comprises:

- (a) Rule maps in triplicate, and technical descriptions of land to be taken in street opening proceedings.
- (b) Draft damage maps, which give dimensions of every plot of land to be taken, encroachments on the streets, property owners, and any information of service to the Commissioners.
- (c) Draft benefit maps, showing every lot included within the limits of the assessments for the opening, and giving dimensions and block and lot numbers.
- (d) Final damage maps in duplicate, and final benefit maps in triplicate.
- (e) Rule maps and technical descriptions for closing avenues and streets.
- (f) Profiles made in connection with street openings.

a—Rule Maps.

These maps are made in triplicate and have technical descriptions showing the land taken in street opening proceedings. They are used by the Corporation Counsel in his application to the Supreme Court for the appointment of Commissioners for Estimate and Assessment in the matter of acquiring title to streets.

	Feet.
1. Hemlock street, between Glenmore and Sutter avenues.....	1,340
2. Beverley road, from Bedford avenue to East Thirty-first street.....	1,863
3. Glenmore avenue, between Eldert's lane (Enfield street) and the County line.....	698
4. Sutter avenue, between Barrett street and East Ninety-eighth street.....	1,588
5. Vandam street, between Meeker avenue and Bridgewater street.....	1,043
6. Avenue L, from the easterly side of Nostrand avenue to the westerly side of Flatbush avenue.....	2,355
7. Fifty-sixth street, from the old City line to a point 520 feet southeast of Eighth avenue.....	1,195
8. Sixtieth street, from bulkhead line to Third avenue.....	2,777
9. Avenue D, from Rogers avenue to East Thirty-fourth street.....	1,870
10. Eighty-second street, from Twelfth avenue to Seventeenth avenue.....	3,990
11. Bay Ridge parkway, between Sixty-sixth and Sixty-seventh streets, and extending from a few feet east of Ninth avenue, for a distance of 434 feet, to a point about midway between Eighth and Ninth avenues.....	437
12. East Thirty-third street, from Flatbush avenue to Avenue J.....	960
13. East Thirty-fifth street, from Flatbush avenue to King's Highway.....	2,619
14. East Thirty-seventh street, from Canarsie lane to Paerdegat avenue.....	2,190
15. Public place, bounded by Myrtle avenue, Bleecker street and Knickerbocker avenue.....	49

Total: 15 streets, comprising 60 maps, or 4,729 miles..... 24,974

b—Draft Damage Maps.

These maps are used by the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment to determine the amount of award for land and buildings taken in the opening of the street. The maps give every plot taken in street opening proceedings, together with its dimensions, encroachments on the street, property owners, etc.

	No. of Plots.	Area in Square Feet.
1. Sixty-eighth street, from Fort Hamilton avenue to the Shore road.....	98	455,746.20
2. Lincoln avenue, from Atlantic avenue to Conduit avenue.....	115	119,252.26
3. A new street, bounded by Bridge street, Jay street and a new park in the Fourth Ward.....	4	14,797.00
4. Sterling place, from Schenectady avenue to Utica avenue.....	17	49,000.00
5. Gatling place, from Eighty-sixth street to Ninety-second street.....	46	70,220.75
6. East Nineteenth street, from Avenue M to Foster avenue.....	48	447,085.45
7. Paerdegat basin, from Flatlands avenue to Jamaica Bay.....	25	1,330,556.00
8. Hemlock street, from Jamaica avenue to Atlantic avenue.....	128	171,566.40
9. Wythe avenue, from Norman avenue to North Thirteenth street.....	23	37,811.00
10. New York avenue, between Canarsie avenue or road and Newkirk avenue.....	95	131,491.60
Totals, 10 streets, comprising 30 maps.....	599	2,827,526.66

Covering a total length of 5,419 miles, and comprising in all 1,131,010 lots.

c—Draft Benefit Maps.

These maps show the limits of assessment for opening a street. They give within these limits every lot with its number, dimensions, owner, etc. They are used by the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment to determine the amount of assessment to be paid on every lot within the assessment area. These maps are compiled in a large measure from the maps of the Department of Taxes and Assessment.

	Plots.
1. East Fifteenth street, from King's Highway to the land of the water works.....	68
2. East Seventh street, from Church lane to Caton avenue.....	51
3. East Thirteenth street, from Avenue T to Gravesend Neck road.....	75

4. East Sixteenth street, from Avenue T to Avenue V.....	54
5. East Seventeenth street, from Avenue S to Gravesend Neck road.....	87
6. Williams avenue, from Sutter avenue to Livonia avenue.....	120
7. Narrows avenue, from Seventy-first street to Shore road.....	534
8. Park place, from Utica avenue to East New York avenue.....	149
9. Homecrest avenue, from Avenue T to Gravesend Neck road.....	87
10. Ninety-fourth street, from Fourth avenue to Fort Hamilton avenue.....	50
11. Ninety-seventh street, from Fourth avenue to Fort Hamilton avenue.....	60
12. Gubner street, from Eighty-sixth street to Seventh avenue.....	28
13. Eleventh avenue, from Eighty-sixth street to Dyker Beach Park.....	316
14. Twelfth avenue, from Seventy-third street to King's Highway and from Eighty-sixth street to Dyker Beach Park.....	515
15. Eighty-first street, from Fourth avenue to Fourteenth avenue.....	165
16. Nostrand avenue, from Flatbush avenue to Avenue U.....	123
17. Bay Eighth street, from Benson avenue to Cropsey avenue.....	111
18. Rutland road, from Canarsie avenue or road to Remsen avenue.....	226
19. Alabama avenue, from Pitkin avenue to Livonia avenue.....	101
20. Avenue M, from Ocean avenue to Flatlands avenue.....	114
21. Eighty-fifth street, from Narrows avenue to Fifth avenue, from Fort Hamilton avenue to Tenth avenue, from Twelfth avenue to Waters avenue, from Fifteenth avenue to Sixteenth avenue and from Eighteenth avenue to Stillwell avenue.....	741
22. Forty-fifth street, from old City line to West street.....	186
23. Eighty-ninth street, from Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue.....	26

Total, 23 streets, comprising 23 maps..... 3,987

d—Final Damage and Benefit Maps.

These are the last maps made for a street opening proceeding, and embody the information of the draft damage maps, and the draft benefit maps, brought up to date. The maps are made in sheets to be bound in book form with the Commissioner's report that is placed on file at the confirmation of a street opening proceeding.

The final damage maps are made in duplicate, and the final benefit maps are made in triplicate.

	Sheets.
1. East Fifteenth street, from King's Highway to the land of the water works.....	21
2. East Eighteenth street, from Avenue S to Gravesend Neck road.....	18
3. East Seventh street, from Church lane to Caton avenue.....	7
4. East Thirteenth street, from Avenue T to Gravesend Neck road.....	12
5. East Sixteenth street, from Avenue T to Avenue V.....	8
6. East Seventeenth street, from Avenue S to Gravesend Neck road.....	18
7. Williams avenue, from Sutter avenue to Livonia avenue.....	10
8. Narrows avenue, from Seventy-first street to Shore road.....	39
9. Park place, from Utica avenue to East New York avenue.....	28
10. Homecrest avenue, from Avenue T to Gravesend Neck road.....	16
11. Ninety-fourth street, from Fourth avenue to Fort Hamilton avenue.....	7
12. Ninety-seventh street, from Fourth avenue to Fort Hamilton avenue.....	7
13. Gubner street, from Eighty-sixth street to Seventh avenue.....	7
14. Eleventh avenue, from Eighty-sixth street to Dyker Beach Park.....	28
15. Twelfth avenue, from Seventy-third street to King's Highway and from Eighty-sixth street to Dyker Beach Park.....	22
16. Eighty-first street, from Fourth avenue to Fourteenth avenue.....	30
17. Nostrand avenue, from Flatbush avenue to Avenue U.....	53
18. Bay Eighth street, from Benson avenue to Cropsey avenue.....	12
19. Rutland road, from Canarsie avenue or road to Remsen avenue.....	33
20. Alabama avenue, from Pitkin avenue to Livonia avenue.....	12
21. Avenue M, from Ocean avenue to Flatlands avenue.....	34
22. Eighty-fifth street, from Narrows avenue to Fifth avenue, from Fort Hamilton avenue to Tenth avenue, from Twelfth avenue to Waters avenue, from Fifteenth avenue to Sixteenth avenue and from Eighteenth avenue to Stillwell avenue.....	55
23. Eighty-ninth street, from Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue.....	5
24. Final damage maps of approach to Manhattan Avenue Bridge over Newtown creek.....	10

Total, 24 streets, comprising..... 492

(E)

Rule maps and technical descriptions for closing streets and avenues. Note—No rule maps of this nature were requested.

(F)

Profiles made in connection with street openings.

Profile maps were made from surveys; they were used as an aid in the determination of awards to be paid property owners affected by the opening of streets.

1. Eighth street, from Eighth avenue to Prospect Park West.

Amendments and Additions to Street Opening Maps.

As circumstances required it, amendments and additions were made to street opening maps that have been previously forwarded; the work usually consisted in adding new subdivisions to draft maps and to final maps, or in adding large sketches or other new information to the maps. This work was given the preference over all other work in the office.

The work covered the following streets:

1—Draft Damage Maps.

1. Terrace place, from Gravesend avenue to Prospect avenue.
2. Rutland road, from Canarsie avenue or road to Remsen avenue.
3. Rutland road, from Canarsie avenue or road to Remsen avenue.
4. New York avenue, from Malbone street to Church avenue.
5. Ninety-seventh street, from Fourth avenue to Fort Hamilton avenue.
6. Willink Entrance, Prospect Park.
7. Sutter avenue, between Rockaway avenue and Barrett street.
8. Grant avenue, from Liberty avenue to Conduit avenue.
9. Narrows avenue, from Seventy-first street to the Shore road.
10. Rutland road, from Canarsie avenue or road to Remsen avenue.
11. East Eighteenth street, from Avenue S to Gravesend Neck road.
12. East Nineteenth street, from Voorhies lane (Jerome avenue) to Emmons avenue.
13. East Fourteenth street, from King's Highway to the land of the water works.

The above thirteen streets comprised the addition of seventy-six new plots including the two office copies, they necessitated changes on thirty-nine maps.

2—Final Damage and Benefit Maps.

1. Rochester avenue, from East New York avenue to the former City line.
2. Terrace place, from Gravesend avenue to Prospect avenue.
3. Sixty-seventh street, from Kouwenhoven lane to Fort Hamilton avenue.
4. Eleventh avenue, from Fifteenth street to Terrace place.
5. Narrows avenue, from Seventy-first street to the Shore road.
6. East Eighteenth street, from Avenue S to Gravesend Neck road.

The above six streets comprised the addition of sixty-three new plots and changes on a total of eighteen maps.

Total of Street Opening Work.

	Items.	Maps.	Sheets in Addition.
1. New work, including rule maps, draft damage maps, draft benefit maps, final maps and profile maps.....	48	113	492
2. Additions to draft maps and final maps previously forwarded.....	19	57	....
Grand totals.....	67	170	492

Summary of Street Opening Work.

Street opening proceedings pending April 1, 1903.....	157
Initiated to June 30, 1903.....	3
Streets discontinued.....	..
Total.....	160
Confirmed.....	3
Total pending June 30, 1903.....	157
Rule maps requested to April 1, 1903.....	..
Requested to June 30, 1903.....	19
Total.....	19
Furnished to June 30, 1903.....	15
Total of maps on which work is still pending.....	4
Draft damage maps requested to April 1, 1903.....	12
Requested to June 30, 1903.....	20
Total.....	32
Furnished to June 30, 1903.....	10
Total of maps on which work is still pending.....	22
Draft benefit maps requested to April 1, 1903.....	17
Requested to June 30, 1903.....	17
Total.....	34
Furnished to June 30, 1903.....	23
Total of maps on which work is still pending.....	11
Final damage and benefit maps requested to April 1, 1903.....	18
Requested to June 30, 1903.....	18
Total.....	36
Furnished to June 30, 1903.....	24
Total of maps on which work is still pending.....	12

There are now but four rule maps pending.

The requests for draft damage maps were not received until the month of June, 1903; the bulk of these requests came after the middle of June. Of all the requests for draft damage maps received previous to June 4, 1903, there are now but two that are still pending.

The requests for final damage and benefit maps, as already stated, have received special attention, with the result that for this quarter an unprecedented amount of work was furnished in this line.

All requests for amendments and additions of street opening maps were complied with and the maps returned.

The usual records of the topographical work have been kept as heretofore.

Respectfully submitted,

GEO. W. TILLSON, Chief Engineer.

City of New York, Borough of Brooklyn,
Office of Superintendent, Bureau of Sewers,
Municipal Building, Room 46.
July 16, 1903.

OTTO KEMPNER, Esq., Acting Commissioner of Public Works:

Dear Sir—I have the honor to submit a report of the conduct of business transacted in the Bureau of Sewers during the second quarter of the year 1903.

The financial transactions of the Bureau will be found to be as set forth in the tabulated statements hereinafter contained.

I append reports of the Chief Engineer of Sewers and the Superintendent of Maintenance, giving information in detail in regard to the construction of sewers and to the maintaining of the sewerage system, respectively, in this borough during the period of this report.

During the quarter forty-two (42) contracts were advertised for bids. Of this number only seven (7) were concluded in consummation by the registration of same by the Comptroller.

There are forty-eight (48) contracts ready, you may say, for immediate prosecution during the next, or third quarter of the year, which have not been ordered ahead in construction, as the following status will show:

Thirty-five contracts in Comptroller's office awaiting registration.

Three contracts registered and recently concluded in consummation, not ordered begun in construction.

Four contracts ordered begun on July 3.

One contract now being advertised.

Five contracts forwarded from this office on June 26 for advertisement.

In addition to the above there are eighteen (18) contracts for which plans and specifications are being prepared for works authorized by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, all of which will, no doubt, be ready for advertisement during the next quarter of this year.

Your attention is called to the report of the Chief Engineer of Sewers, which embodies a brief description of the work performed in construction, as well as setting forth many important works which should be authorized to extend the sewerage system in this borough.

The improvements recommended by him, which have really been petitioned for by citizens, and proceedings instituted and progressed in the direction of authorization, should be speedily authorized.

I know that these matters will meet with your care, as will many other minor improvements, which, for brevity, cannot be mentioned in this report.

The forces of the entire Bureau, due to the amount of work at hand, are working at top pressure, and such will continue during the quarter of the year now at hand. It is therefore my pleasure to be able at this time to extend to them my sincere appreciation of their services.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN THATCHER, Superintendent of Sewers.

BUREAU OF SEWERS.

Expenditures During the Quarter Ending June 30, 1903.

Appropriations.	Balance Jan. 1, 1903.	Vouchers Sent Comptroller.	Outstanding Liabilities.	Balance Available.
1901.				
Sewers, Repairing and Cleaning, Payrolls and Supplies.....	\$37 50	\$37 50	.....	Closed
1902.				
Sewers, Repairing and Cleaning, Payrolls and Supplies.....	\$3,012 01	\$1,226 94	.....	\$1,785 07
Contracts at Public Letting.....	1,333 59	306 47	\$945 45	81 67
Thirty-first Ward Sewerage Districts 1 and 3....	676 52	155 98	.....	520 54
Twenty-sixth Ward Disposal Works.....	1,818 74	1,707 50	.....	111 24
Supplies and Contingencies.....	103 33	2 64	.....	100 69
Totals.....	\$6,944 19	\$3,399 53	\$945 45	\$2,599 21
1903.	Balance April 1.			
Salaries.....	\$61,015 21	\$20,388 48	.....	\$40,626 73
Sewers, Repairing and Cleaning, Payrolls and Supplies.....	53,213 24	12,995 06	\$1,744 32	38,473 86
Contracts at Public Letting.....	20,000 00	.....	.....	20,000 00
Thirty-first Ward Sewerage Districts 1 and 3....	27,861 61	6,923 08	1,687 70	19,250 83
Thirty-first Ward, Bath Beach District.....	3,554 64	1,044 21	.....	2,510 43
Twenty-sixth Ward Disposal Works.....	25,401 46	4,833 35	3,682 00	16,886 11
Dredging Sewer Outlets.....	10,400 00	.....	.....	10,400 00
Horses, Horsekeep and Supplies.....	1,800 00	198 50	59 00	1,551 50
Supplies and Contingencies.....	1,709 84	426 55	232 00	1,051 29
Totals.....	\$204,965 00	\$46,809 23	\$7,405 02	\$150,750 75

Special Accounts.

	Expenditures.
Street Improvement Fund.....	\$238,993 80
Atlantic Avenue Improvement Fund.....	23,305 15
Private sewers.....	606 27
	\$262,905 22
Cash Received During the Quarter.	
Sewer permits.....	\$9,721 57
Subway manholes.....	380 00
Third avenue assessment.....	1,128 09
Knickerbocker avenue assessment.....	352 16
	11,581 82

City of New York, Borough of Brooklyn,
Office of Chief Engineer, Bureau of Sewers,
Municipal Building, Room 44,
July 16, 1903.

Mr. JOHN THATCHER, Superintendent of Sewers:

Dear Sir—In submitting the second quarterly report for the year 1903, for the transaction of affairs in the Engineering Division of the Bureau of Sewers, I have the honor to state that during this period 6.113 miles of sewers were constructed, divided into the class of sewers as now tabulated:

	Linear Feet.	Miles.
Vitrified stoneware pipe sewers.....	17314.6	9.279
Cast-iron pipe sewer.....	72.0	0.014
Brick sewers.....	14891.1	2.820
	32277.7	6.113

This now places the mileage of sewers in the Borough at a grand total of 690,792 miles.

The mileage on March 31, 1903, was 684,679 miles.

The number of receiving basins constructed during the quarter was seventeen (17), increasing the total number of basins existing on March 31, 1903, viz., 8,233, to a total of 8,250.

The most interesting contract for which bids were received during the quarter, in fact on June 24, which we hope will be speedily consummated in contract by the registration of same, is that sewer, so-called for brevity, the Flatlands main sewer. It will extend in Brooklyn avenue from Avenue H to Avenue J, with outlet sewers in Avenue J, from Brooklyn avenue to East Fortieth street; in East Fortieth street, from Avenue J to Flatlands avenue, and in Flatlands avenue, from East Fortieth street to Paerdegat basin. This main is, as noted, for the Flatlands section of the borough, the contract being for the outlet portion of said main. The greater length of this contract is for a concrete and steel sewer, whose cross section will be equivalent to a 120-inch circle. Owing to the low elevation of the territory, a specially flat-covered sewer was designed of the very latest engineering practice. The contractors' bid for this sewer was some \$236,000 in round numbers. There is no question that the completion of this sewer will be appreciated by that fast growing section of the borough just south of the bounds of Flatbush, an improvement they have desired for some time.

Among the other interesting contracts ordered begun in construction during the quarter, bids having been received for same prior to said period but the contracts having been consummated during this quarter, are the two sections of the so-called Foster avenue sewer, the first of which extends in Nineteenth avenue, from Fifty-seventh street to Bergen lane, to Foster avenue, to East Ninth street; the second of which extends from Foster avenue and East Ninth street to Flatbush avenue, and in East Fifteenth street, from Foster avenue to Caton avenue, etc.

In the first of these contracts ground has been broken at two places, one at Fifty-seventh street and Nineteenth avenue, the other on Foster avenue, near Gravesend avenue, and in each case the laying of masonry is about to begin.

In the second contract, ground has been broken in two places also, one at Foster avenue and East Ninth street, the other at East Fifteenth street and Foster avenue, brick work having been begun at the first named location. Orders have been given to progress both of these works at another point along their line, thus having six places of actual work to be carried on in the two contracts.

In the contract extending in Sixtieth street, from Fourteenth avenue to Nineteenth avenue, to Fifty-seventh street, let last year, and work begun also at that time, the large main sewer, some 156 inches in diameter and some 40 feet deep, has been completed as far easterly as Fifteenth avenue. Orders have also been given to open ground at another point along the line of this work, in order that said contract may be completed speedily.

Speaking now of the Bedford avenue sewer, extending from Flatbush avenue to Montgomery street, the upper or inland division of the so-called Foster avenue sewer, work has progressed to such an extent that I anticipate, should favorable weather permit, said sewer will be completed in about five weeks' time. I mean when I say this, that the sewer itself will be completed. There are many sewer basins to be constructed along the entire line, however, which, although begun in construction, will take some little time to complete. I anticipate that this branch of the main trunk sewer, ultimately discharging at the foot of Sixty-fourth street and New York bay, will be completed during the coming quarter.

Going now to the other extreme, or the outlet of this grand trunk sewer, extending from foot of Sixty-fourth street, at New York bay, to Sixth avenue, to Sixty-second street, to Fort Hamilton avenue, the so-called Bay Ridge tunnel sewer, I can report progress to the extent that this sewer has been completed from First avenue practically to Seventh avenue, excepting in length of about 120 feet between Fifth and Sixth avenues, and about 100 feet between Sixth and Seventh avenues, while at least 500 linear feet of sewer have been completed between Seventh and Ninth avenues.

During the past week the headings between shafts 3 and 4 met with the accustomed accuracy which has prevailed upon this construction. This was especially gratifying, as two surves were driven in tunnel from Sixty-fourth street and Sixth avenue, the location of Shaft No. 3, to Seventh avenue and Sixty-second street, the location of Shaft No. 4.

The outfall portion of this main sewer, extending to the bulkhead line, or beyond the present shore line about 1,000 feet, has progressed in the driving of bearing piles to such extent that at least 85 per cent. of same are in place. Sheet piling is now being driven in order that the masonry may be constructed within the lines of same. Altogether work has been performed from five shafts, working two headings from three of same, and one heading each from the other two, making in all eight places where work has been continually performed day and night on the tunnel portion of this important construction, with nine places, counting the work which is being performed at the outfall above spoken of. I anticipate that this tunnel will be advanced to such stage of completion by November or December next that it can be used for drainage.

As will be seen from what I have written, very active work is being performed along this grand trunk line of sewers, which, when completed, will drain a part of New Utrecht, Blythebourne, Borough Park, Parkville and Flatbush, said main extending from New York bay easterly in Sixty-fourth street, Sixty-second street, Sixtieth street, Nineteenth avenue, Foster avenue and Bedford avenue, terminating, you may say, at the Eastern parkway and Bedford avenue. In fact, during the month to come work will be performed at twenty different places along this line above described.

I now turn to the so-called Paerdegat avenue sewer, which extends in Avenue G from Coney Island avenue to Flatbush avenue, to Nostrand avenue, to Avenue F, to Paerdegat avenue, to Flatlands avenue, and can inform you that the entire length in Avenue F has been completed; the entire length in Avenue G, from Coney Island avenue to Flatbush avenue, and a greater portion of that sewer described in Nostrand avenue. I anticipate that this sewer will be completed during the coming year, considering favorable weather conditions.

In the Ninety-second street tunnel sewer two shafts have been sunk and work is progressing from each shaft in two headings, making four places at this time.

Another shaft will be sunk within a short time. This sewer extends through Ninety-second street, from New York bay to Eleventh avenue. Altogether 176 feet of this tunnel has been completed, while the headings in the drifts extend beyond the completed work, aggregating a length of more than 400 feet. The fact is that the contractors have now completed the erection of their extensive plant, such plant being required in this kind of work, and are now what may be described as just beginning to swing along in their work.

For brevity I refrain from mentioning about twenty (20) other contracts, although of importance, which are being progressed elsewhere in the borough.

In all of my prior quarterly reports, and in my last annual report, I called to your attention the necessity of the advancement of the proceedings for the construction of many important main sewers in this Borough, but for brevity also will not mention all of these again, but I feel that I must again speak of at least one or two of these projected improvements.

The first is the extension of the Ninety-second street main sewer through the northern portion of Dyker Beach Park, with its lateral sewers, and alluded to as the Dyker Heights sewer. An extension of this main, that is, in Bath avenue, from Fourteenth avenue to Twenty-first avenue, should also be hastened in the proceedings until authorization of the work is accomplished.

The so-called East Fifth street sewer, which will care for the drainage of Windsor terrace by draining said territory to the Foster avenue sewer, is another important work which should be speedily considered.

All of the relief sewers recommended from the office in January, 1902, should be authorized as speedily as possible. You are aware that most of these have recently been authorized in construction by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and perhaps I should refrain from mentioning same until the next quarterly report, to be strictly technical, but the matter is of such importance that I deem it not out of place to call attention to this action at this time.

The acquirement of the old Vandervoort avenue sewer, either by easement or by condemnation proceedings, should be actively pushed, in order that it may be used as a relief sewer, as heretofore recommended, with the alteration suggested in the Knickerbocker avenue and Johnson avenue sewers. That sewer, which is to extend in Malbone street, from Brooklyn avenue to Nostrand avenue; thence to Hawthorne street, to New York avenue, to Martense street, to Bedford avenue, now before the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, but being held, I am informed, for the necessary opening of streets, should be given every attention in these latter matters, in order that this important main can be constructed.

I stated in my last quarterly report that at that time \$4,000,000 worth of work was in our care at the beginning of the season. I now find that the value of the work in all stages which necessitates the action of this division of the Bureau of Sewers aggregates \$4,971,800.

In the sequel you will find tabulated statements showing the status of all contracts, giving details such as showing the amount of work which has been performed on said contracts, the locations where sewers have been constructed, and the lengths that have been built.

I refrain from writing about the maintaining of the sewerage system during the period of this report, as the report of the Superintendent of Maintenance made to you will, no doubt, give all necessary details.

Yours respectfully,

HENRY R. ASSERSON, Chief Engineer of Sewers.

Statement of Contracts Entered Into During the Quarter Ending June 30, 1903.

Nature of Work.	Location.	Contractor.	Estimated Cost.
Sewers.	Nineteenth avenue, from Fifty-seventh street to West street, crossing West street to Bergen lane, etc.	James H. Holmes & Co.	\$296,500 00
Lime.	Furnishing, etc., 4,350 barrels of quicklime at several Disposal Works	Otto E. Reimer & Co.	4,384 80
Basins.	Northwest corner Albemarle road and East Fifteenth street; northeast corner Albemarle road and East Fifteenth street; northwest corner Albemarle road and East Sixteenth street.	Timothy J. O'Connor	480 00
Sewers.	East Twelfth street, between Beverley road and Avenue C; Avenue C, north side, between East Twelfth street and East Fourteenth street.	James Riley	5,600 00
Basins.	Southeast and southwest corners of Clarkson street and Rogers avenue.	Henry Hesterberg	350 00
Basin.	Northwest corner Dorchester road and East Eighteenth street	Henry Hesterberg	140 00
Basin.	Northeast corner Avenue K and Flatbush avenue.	Henry Hesterberg	150 00
Forage.	For use of Bureau of Sewers, Caisson No. 2, and Portland Avenue Yard.	Gastiger & Schaefer	1,496 77
Sewer.	St. Paul's place, from Caton avenue to Church avenue	James Riley	3,000 00
Sewer.	East Eighteenth street, from Albemarle road to a point about 250 feet south.	James Riley	780 00
Sewers.	Olive street, from Devoe street to Metropolitan avenue, and between Grand street and Powers street	Matthias T. Meagher	1,500 00
Basins.	Northeast and southeast corners of Fourth avenue and Twenty-ninth street	James Jennings	330 00
Basins.	Northerly and westerly corners of Sixth avenue and Fourth street	James Jennings	300 00
Basins.	Sutter avenue, all four corners of Saratoga avenue, etc. (in all 14 basins)	James Jennings	2,000 00
Coal.	1,350 gross tons white ash anthracite coal.	Harry Blinn	7,014 60
Sewer.	Third avenue, from Seventy-third street to Seventy-fourth street	James Riley	1,000 00
Basin.	Northeast corner of Ocean avenue and Voorhies avenue	Timothy J. O'Connor	153 00
Sewer.	Lexington avenue, south side, from Reid avenue to existing sewer west of Reid avenue.	Albert N. Fragner	1,450 00
Sewers.	Fiftieth street, between Sixth avenue and Eighth avenue, and in Eighth avenue, between Fiftieth street and Fifty-third street, etc.	P. J. Murray	29,765 00
Sewers.	Third avenue, between Eighty-fifth street and Eighty-sixth street	James Riley	1,200 00
Sewer.	Bay Eighth street, between Bath avenue and Cropsey avenue, with temporary connection at Cropsey avenue	Albert M. Fragner	2,345 00
Total			\$339,941 17

Statement of Contracts Completed During the Quarter Ending June 30, 1903—Account Closed in Borough.

Nature of Work.	Location.	Amount.
Forage.	For use of Bureau of Sewers, 1902	\$1,164 24
Sewers.	Ninety-ninth street, between Third avenue and Fort Hamilton avenue; Third avenue, from Ninety-ninth street to Bay Ridge parkway, etc.	31,604 06
Sewers.	Ninety-third street, between Marine avenue and Fourth avenue; Ninety-fourth street, between Marine avenue and Fourth avenue; Ninety-fifth street, between Marine avenue and Fourth avenue, etc., etc.	31,951 99
Sewer.	Bedford avenue, between Union and Montgomery streets.	2,725 63
Sewer.	Seventy-second street, between Sixth avenue and Fort Hamilton avenue; Seventy-third street, between Sixth avenue and Fort Hamilton avenue; Sixth avenue, between Seventy-first street and Sixty-fourth street, etc.	19,148 97
Basin.	Northwest corner Winthrop street and Rogers avenue.	149 00
Sewer.	Belmont avenue, between Cleveland street and Ashford street.	482 10
Sewers.	Waterbury street, between Scholes and Meserole streets; Meserole street, between Waterbury street and Morgan avenue, etc.	3,862 18
Lime.	6,400 barrels lime at Disposal Works	6,529 70
Sewer.	48-inch wooden barrel sewer, foot of Sackett street.	6,369 80
Sewer.	30-inch cast-iron pipe sewer, etc., Caisson No. 2, Coney Island.	3,064 71
Sewer.	North Eighth street, between Union avenue and Havemeyer street	1,440 13
Sewer.	Forty-ninth street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues.	1,161 90
Sewer.	Varick avenue, between Thames street and Johnson avenue.	2,619 98

Basins.	Southwest corner Beverley road and East Eleventh street; southwest corner Beverley road and East Thirteenth street, etc.	285 00
Basin.	Easterly corner of Nineteenth avenue and Bath avenue.	100 00
Basin.	East corner of Seventeenth avenue and Benson avenue.	93 00
Sewer.	North Tenth street, between Roebling street and Union avenue.	715 04
Basin.	Northerly corner Bay Twenty-sixth street and Bath avenue.	100 00
Basin.	West corner of Eighty-fourth street and Twenty-first avenue.	91 00
Basin.	South corner of Eighty-sixth street and Seventeenth avenue.	91 00
Sewer.	Eightieth street, between Fourth and Fifth avenues.	1,586 72
Sewer.	Eighty-ninth street, between Fourth avenue and Fifth avenue.	933 72
Total		\$116,269 87

Statement Showing the Amount of Work Done on Uncompleted Contracts for Quarter Ending June 30, 1903.

Date of Contract.	Nature and Location of Work, Sewers, Etc.	Estimated Cost.	Estimated Amount of Work Done.	Remarks.
Oct. 10, 1900	Sewer—Belmont avenue, between Sackman street and Vesta avenue.	\$1,918 00		
July 8, 1901	Sewers—Wyckoff avenue, between Myrtle avenue and Flushing avenue; Johnson avenue, between Gardner avenue and Knickerbocker avenue, etc.	59,382 50	65,610 81	Six months' repairs.
July 5, 1901	Sewers—Fiftieth street, Sixteenth street, Windsor place, Prospect avenue, Seventeenth street, Eighteenth street, etc., between Prospect Park West and former line of City of Brooklyn and Town of Flatbush, etc.	38,695 25	37,026 21	Six months' repairs.
Aug. 13, 1901	Sewers—Tenth avenue, from Seventy-seventh street to Sixty-second street; Sixty-second street, from Tenth avenue to Sixth avenue; Sixth avenue from Sixty-second street to Sixty-fourth street; Sixty-fourth street, from Sixth avenue to New York Bay.	773,227 50	461,997 60	
Nov. 27, 1901	Sewer—Park avenue, between Emerson place and Classon avenue.	784 90	859 47	Six months' repairs.
Dec. 13, 1901	Sewers—Eighty-eighth street, between First avenue and Fifth avenue; Eighty-ninth street, between Third and Fourth avenues; First avenue, between Ninety-second and Eighty-sixth streets; Third avenue, between Eighty-ninth and Eighty-eighth streets; Fourth avenue, both sides, between Ninety-second and Eighty-sixth streets; Fifth avenue, between Ninetieth and Eighty-sixth streets.	24,999 85	23,094 69	Six months' repairs.
April 24, 1902	Sixty-five horse-power boiler, at Caisson No. 4, Coney Island.	1,575 00	1,417 50	Six months' repairs.
June 13, 1902	Sewer—Nineteenth street, between highwater mark and bulkhead line.	7,912 00	8,177 55	Six months' repairs.
June 17, 1902	Sewer—Fulton street, between Williams place and Alabama avenue.	1,091 97	1,408 82	Six months' repairs.
June 26, 1902	Sewer—Fifty-eighth street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues.	1,169 20	1,163 09	Six months' repairs.
Aug. 27, 1902	Sewer—Fourth avenue, both sides, between Ninety-ninth street and One Hundred and First street, with temporary connection crossing One Hundredth street	4,449 40	4,025 17	Six months' repairs.
Sept. 6, 1902	Sewers—Avenue G, from Coney Island avenue to Flatbush avenue; Flatbush avenue, west side, from its northerly intersection with Avenue G to its southerly intersection with Avenue G; Avenue G, from Flatbush avenue to Nostrand avenue, etc.	313,549 75	97,742 13	
Sept. 13, 1902	Sewer—Denton place, between First street and Carroll street.	774 00	794 81	Six months' repairs.
Sept. 20, 1902	Sewer—Bedford avenue, between Montgomery street and Flatbush avenue	116,865 75	103,521 89	
Sept. 27, 1902	Two centrifugal pumping plants at Caisson Nos. 2 and 3, Coney Island	2,350 00	2,350 00	Six months' repairs.
Sept. 5, 1902	Basin—Easterly corner Irving avenue and Stanhope street.	95 00	95 00	Six months' repairs.
Sept. 5, 1902	Basin—Southeast corner Devoe and Judge streets.	117 00	117 00	Six months' repairs.
Sept. 6, 1902	Sewer—Sixth avenue, between Forty-ninth and Fiftieth streets.	511 75	501 85	Six months' repairs.
Sept. 12, 1902	Sewer—Mermaid avenue, between West Fifteenth street and Stillwell avenue	1,399 86	1,398 44	Six months' repairs.
July 10, 1902	Sewer—Albany avenue, between Degraw street and Eastern parkway.	576 30	665 19	Six months' repairs.
June 26, 1902	Sewer—Coles street, between Henry street and Hamilton avenue.	1,500 00	1,665 74	Six months' repairs.
Oct. 1, 1902	Sewer—Crossing under Atlantic avenue Subway at Howard avenue, Saratoga avenue, Rockaway avenue, Eastern parkway extension and Hopkinson avenue.	35,715 00	21,756 42	
Oct. 2, 1902	Sewer—Seventy-sixth street, between Third avenue and Fourth avenue.	1,631 65	1,603 63	Six months' repairs.
Oct. 15, 1902	Sewers—Sixtieth street, from Fourteenth avenue to Nineteenth avenue; Nineteenth avenue, from Sixtieth street to Fifty-seventh street.	297,993 00	38,561 93	
Oct. 2, 1902	Sewer—Third avenue, between Seventy-ninth street and Eightieth street	593 75	719 00	Six months' repairs.
Oct. 2, 1902	Sewers—Fort Hamilton avenue, between Sixty-fifth street and Sixty-sixth street, etc.	2,242 00	2,558 23	Six months' repairs.
Nov. 20, 1902	Sewers—Proposed street through northern portion of Dyker Beach Park, between Eleventh avenue and Seventh avenue, and in Ninety-second street, between Seventh avenue and New York bay.	633,256 25	11,465 98	
Oct. 10, 1902	Sewer—Ridgewood avenue, between Euclid avenue and Norwood avenue	2,919 50		
Nov. 21, 1902	Sewer—Third avenue, between Gowanus canal and Third street.	761 60	919 13	Six months' repairs.
Dec. 1, 1902	Sewers—Alterations to sewers in Franklin avenue, between Atlantic avenue and Brevoort place; Brevoort place, between Franklin avenue and Bedford avenue, etc.	34,613 00	28,925 64	
Dec. 8, 1902	Sewer—Ovington avenue, between Third avenue and Fourth avenue, and outlet sewers in Silliman place, between Third and Second avenues, and in Second avenue, between Silliman place and Seventy-first street.	5,121 20		
Nov. 29, 1902	Sewer—Seventy-third street, between Third avenue and Fourth avenue, and outlet sewer in Fourth avenue, westerly side, between Seventy-third and Seventy-fourth streets.	2,610 00		
Jan. 27, 1903	Sewer—Narrows avenue, between Seventy-first street and Shore road, etc.	22,790 10	16,637 96	
Jan. 14, 1903	Sewer—East Twenty-first street, between Regent's place and Albemarle road	989 00	970 75	Six months' repairs.
Jan. 16, 1903	Sewer—Seventy-eighth street, between Third avenue and Fourth avenue, etc.	3,885 60	3,990 78	Six months' repairs.
Jan. 2, 1903	Sewer—Ovington avenue, between Fourth avenue and Fifth avenue, etc.	6,067 90	5,701 96	Six months' repairs.
Jan. 14, 1903	Sewer—New York avenue, between Avenue C and Avenue D, etc.	13,024 10	11,576 54	
Mar. 6, 1903	Sewer—Third avenue, between Bay Ridge avenue and Silliman place.	642 05	840 67	Six months' repairs.

Date of Contract.	Nature and Location of Work, Sewers, Etc.	Estimated Cost.	Estimated Amount of Work Done.	Remarks.
Mar. 21, 1903	Sewer—Windsor place, between Eighth avenue and Ninth avenue.....	1,977 00		
Mar. 12, 1903	Sewer—Sixty-first street, between Fourth avenue and Fifth avenue, etc.....	7,802 10	4,574 83	
April 11, 1903	Sewers—Fiftieth street, between Sixth avenue and Eighth avenue, etc.....	24,749 00		
June 23, 1903	Sewer—Lexington avenue, south side, from Reid avenue to existing sewer west of Reid avenue.....	967 50		
June 22, 1903	Basin—Northeast corner Ocean avenue and Voorhies avenue.....	140 00		
June 8, 1903	Sewer—Third avenue, from Seventy-third street to Seventy-fourth street.....	1,175 00		
June 2, 1903	Sewer—Fifty-third street, between Seventh avenue and Eighth avenue, etc.....	2,696 45		
June 16, 1903	Coal—1,350 gross tons White Ash anthracite coal.....	7,014 60		
Mar. —, 1903	Sewer—Willoughby avenue, between Irving avenue and Wyckoff avenue.....	1,713 17		
April 2, 1903	Basins—Sutter avenue, all four corners of Saratoga avenue, etc. (14 basins).....	1,610 00		
April 2, 1903	Basins—Northerly and westerly corners of Sixth avenue and Fourth street.....	314 00		
April 2, 1903	Basins—Northeast and southeast corners of Fourth avenue and Twenty-ninth street.....	242 00		
Jan. 14, 1903	Sewer—Nostrand avenue, between Avenue C and Newkirk avenue.....	3,346 10		
June 15, 1903	Sewers—Olive street, from Devoe street to Metropolitan avenue, etc.....	1,486 00		
June 8, 1903	Sewer—East Eighteenth street, from Albemarle road to a point about 250 feet south, connecting with present sewer.....	489 70		
June 8, 1903	Sewer—St. Paul's place, from Caton avenue to Church avenue.....	1,760 00		
Nov. 29, 1902	Forage for use of Bureau of Sewers.....	1,496 77		
	Sewers—Seventy-third street, between Third avenue and Fourth avenue; Fourth avenue, west side, between Seventy-third and Seventy-fourth streets.....	2,610 00		
May 15, 1903	Basin—Northeast corner Avenue K and Flatbush avenue.....	180 00		
Jan. 14, 1903	Basin—Southwest corner Cortelyou road and East Eighteenth street.....	130 00		
May 15, 1903	Basin—Northwest corner Dorchester road and East Eighteenth street.....	180 00		
May 15, 1903	Basin—Southeast and southwest corners Clarkson street and Rogers avenue.....	330 00		
April 2, 1903	Sewers—East Twelfth street, between Beverley road and Avenue C; Avenue C, between East Twelfth street and East Fourteenth street.....	5,995 38		
May 6, 1903	Basins—Northwest corner Albemarle road and East Fifteenth street; northeast corner Albemarle road and East Fifteenth street, etc.....	420 00		
April 24, 1903	Line—Furnishing, etc., 4,350 barrels quick lime.....	4,384 80		
Jan. 16, 1903	Sewer—Eightieth street, between Third avenue and Fourth avenue.....	1,925 16		
Mar. 16, 1903	Sewer—Nelson street, between Henry street and Columbia street.....	1,809 80		
Private Sewer.	Sewer—Forty-fourth street, from First avenue, about 600 feet easterly.....			
Private Sewer.	Sewers—East Seventeenth street, between Avenue G and Foster avenue, etc.....			
April 7, 1903	Sewer—Third avenue, Eighty-fifth street and Eighty-sixth street.....	1,235 50		
April 13, 1903	Sewer—Bay Eighth street, between Bath avenue and Cropsey avenue, with temporary connection at Cropsey avenue.....	1,976 00		
Estimated cost of contracts now in course of construction.....		\$2,497,956 51		
Estimated amount of work done on contracts now in course of construction.....		\$964,416 41		

Statement Showing Contracts in Status of Bids Advertised in Course of Execution or in Corporation Counsel's Hands for Approval of Specifications as to Form.		
Nature of Work.	Location.	Engineer's Estimate.
Sewer.	Wooden trunk outlet sewer foot of Atlantic avenue.....	\$1,600 00
Sewers.	Foster avenue, from East Ninth street to Flatbush avenue; Flatbush avenue, from Foster avenue to Bedford avenue; East Fifteenth street, from Eaton avenue to Foster avenue, etc.....	285,200 00
Basins.	Southwest corner Clarkson street and East Thirty-fourth street; southwest corner Clarkson street and East Thirty-fifth street; northwest and southwest corners Clarkson street and Brooklyn avenue, etc., etc., (21 basins).....	3,000 00
Basin.	Northeast corner of King street and Conover street.....	150 00
Sewer.	Powell street, between Pitkin avenue and Sutter avenue.....	3,170 00
Sewer.	East Thirty-second street, between Avenue C and Newkirk avenue.....	4,060 00
Basin.	Northwest and southwest corners of Lincoln avenue and Fulton street, etc.....	1,000 00
Sewer.	Ninetieth street, from Fourth avenue westerly to the crown of Ninetieth street, between Third avenue and Fourth avenue.....	1,025 00
Basin.	Surf avenue, all four corners of West Fifth street; Surf avenue, north and south sides, about 350 feet west of Fifth street, etc., etc. (62 basins).....	9,000 00
Basin.	Northwest corner of Humboldt street and Norman avenue.....	140 00
Sewer.	Degraw street, between Classon avenue and Washington avenue.....	1,500 00
Sewer.	Seventy-seventh street, between Fourth avenue and Fifth avenue.....	2,400 00
Basin.	North side of Bath avenue, and Bay Twenty-fourth street (Twenty-fifth avenue).....	150 00
Sewer.	Ninety-first street, between Fourth and Fifth avenues.....	1,270 00
Sewer.	Seventieth street, between Fort Hamilton avenue and Tenth avenue.....	1,800 00
Sewer.	Columbia street, between Sigourney street and Bay street, etc.....	6,300 00
Basin.	Northwest corner of Linden avenue and Nostrand avenue.....	160 00
Basin.	Southwest corner of Delmonico place and Hopkins street.....	150 00
Sewer.	Blake avenue, between Logan street and Fountain avenue, and Blake avenue, southeast corner of Hendrix street, etc., etc.....	2,200 00
Basins.	Furman avenue, between Bushwick avenue and Evergreen Cemetery.....	1,350 00
Sewer.	Lombardy street, between Morgan avenue and Kingsland avenue.....	1,850 00
Sewers.	Hamilton avenue, west side, between Mill street and Court street, etc.....	3,160 00
Sewer.	Van Dyke street, from Richards street to a point 230 feet west of Richards street.....	700 00
Basin.	Northeast corner of Albemarle road and East Nineteenth street.....	160 00
Basin.	Northwest corner of East Eighteenth street and Cortelyou road.....	140 00
Sewer.	Amity street, from Columbia street to the bulkhead.....	1,000 00

Contracts Authorized—Plans and Specifications in Preparation.		
Nature of Work.	Location.	Engineer's Estimate.
Basin.	Northwest and southwest corners of Webster avenue and Coney Island avenue.....	\$300 00
Sewer.	New York avenue, between Avenue G and Avenue H.....	3,200 00
Sewer.	East Fourteenth street, between Beverley road and Avenue C, etc.....	4,110 00
Sewer.	Franklin avenue, from Montgomery street southerly about 100 feet to existing sewer, etc.....	25,500 00
Sewer.	Starr street, from Irving avenue to Knickerbocker avenue.....	3,150 00
Basins.	Northeast corner of Lenox road and Rogers avenue, and northwest corner of Lenox road and Nostrand avenue.....	300 00
Sewer.	Putnam avenue, from Knickerbocker avenue to Borough line of Queens, etc.....	12,910 00
Sewer.	Freeman street, from end of existing sewer east of Oakland street to Provost street.....	1,600 00
Sewer.	Ninetieth street, between Fourth and Fifth avenues.....	1,340 00
Sewers.	Fifty-ninth street, from a point 400 feet easterly from Fifth avenue to Sixth avenue, etc.....	4,000 00
Sewer.	Seventy-fifth street, between First avenue and Narrows avenue.....	3,800 00
Sewers.	Quay street, from East river to West street; West street, from Quay street to North Fifteenth street; North Fifteenth street, from West street to Engert avenue, etc.....	75,000 00
Sewers.	First avenue, between Sixty-fourth street and Sixty-fifth street; Second avenue, between Sixty-fourth street and Sixty-fifth street; Third avenue, between Sixty-fourth street and Sixty-fifth street.....	12,400 00
Sewer.	Fort Hamilton avenue (Parkside avenue), between Flatbush avenue and Ocean avenue.....	5,200 00
Sewer.	Seventy-ninth street, westwardly from the present terminus to the bulkhead line.....	38,000 00
Sewer.	Nostrand avenue, between Flatbush avenue and Avenue G (Glenwood road).....	1,850 00
Basin.	Intersections of Albany avenue and Fenimore street and Kingston avenue and Rutland street.....	800 00
Total.....		\$193,460 00

Summary for Quarter Ending June 30, 1903.		
Total amount of contracts entered into during quarter ending June 30, 1903.....		\$359,941 17
Total amount of contracts completed during quarter ending June 30, 1903, accounts closed.....		116,269 87
Total estimated cost of contracts uncompleted June 30, 1903.....		2,497,956 51
Total estimated amount of work done on uncompleted contracts June 30, 1903.....		964,416 41
Total estimated amount of contracts in course of execution, in Corporation Counsel's hands, awaiting approval as to form, etc., June 30, 1903.....		839,760 00
Total estimated amount of contracts authorized, plans and specifications in preparation, June 30, 1903.....		193,460 00
Total.....		\$4,971,803 96

City of New York, Borough of Brooklyn, Bureau of Sewers, Office of Superintendent.	
July 10, 1903.	
Mr. JOHN THATCHER, Superintendent of Sewers:	
Dear Sir—I hereby submit my quarterly report of work done and material used from April 1 to June 30, 1903, inclusive, for maintaining the sewerage system in the Borough of Brooklyn:	
New sewer connection.....	727
Repairs to sewer connections.....	325
Basins examined.....	8,674
Basins cleaned.....	3,244
Basins relieved.....	93
Basin connections cleaned and repaired.....	28
Basin pans reset.....	75
Basins repaired.....	35
Basin pans set (new).....	13
Basins altered.....	15
Deposit removed from basins (yards).....	4,655
Manhole covers set.....	97

Manhole heads set
Manhole heads reset
Manholes raised
Manholes lowered
Manholes cleaned
Manholes repaired
Drains cleaned
Cellars pumped out
Market pans and frames set
Sewers examined, feet
Sewers cleaned:
Pipe, feet
Brick, feet
Amount of deposit removed with buckets from brick sewer, cubic yards
Sewers repaired, feet

Materials Used.

Hard brick 10,000

31 Cement, barrels 13
8 Spruce plank, 2 inches by 9 inches by 13 feet 12
16 Cement pipe, feet 21
10 Vitrified pipe, feet 201
16 Manhole covers 97
9 Manhole heads 31
1 Basin pans 12
131 Basin hoods 4
Granite basin heads 3
848,538 Granite mudsils 2
Granite back stones 1
161,250 Granite cheek stones 2
6,780 Average cost per basin, from April 7 to June 30, inclusive. \$1 68
561 Average cost per cubic yard 1 17
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Respectfully submitted,

M. J. KENNEDY, Superintendent of Maintenance.

Linear Feet of Sewers, Number of Receiving Basins, Manholes, etc., Built from March 31 to June 30, 1903.

Location.	Vitrified Pipe Sewer.					Cast Iron Pipe Sewer. 18-Inch.	Brick Sewers.										Manholes.	Receiving Basins.	
	10-Inch.	12-Inch.	15-Inch.	18-Inch.	24-Inch.		30-Inch.	36-Inch.	42-Inch.	48-Inch.	54-Inch.	60-Inch.	66-Inch.	78-Inch.	84-Inch.	156-Inch.			168-Inch.	180-Inch.
Receiving Basins—Southeast and southwest corners Clarkson street and Rogers avenue.....	2
Receiving Basin—Southwest corner Cortelyou road and East Eighteenth street.....	1
Receiving Basin—Northwest corner Dorchester road and East Eighteenth street.....	1
Receiving Basins—Northeast and northwest corners Albemarle road and East Fifteenth street; northwest corner Albemarle road and East Sixteenth street.....	3
Receiving Basin—Northeast corner Flatbush avenue and Avenue K.....	1
Map J, District 22—Nelson street, between Henry street and Columbia street.....	..	842	107	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	10	..
Map N, District 29—Windsor place, between Eighth avenue and Ninth avenue.....	..	800	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7	1
Map S, District 39—Ridgewood avenue, between Euclid and Norwood avenues.....	..	950	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	..
Map T, District 40—Tenth avenue, between Seventy-seventh street and Sixty-second street; Sixty-second street, between Tenth avenue and Sixth avenue; Sixth avenue, between Sixty-second street and East Sixty-fourth street; Sixty-fourth street, between Sixth avenue and New York Bay.....	..	1,350	42	42	42	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,020	365	15	..
Map T, District 40—Sixtieth street, between Fourteenth avenue and Nineteenth avenue; Nineteenth avenue, between Sixtieth street and Fifty-seventh street.....	460	..	..	..	..
Map T, District 40—Bedford avenue, between Montgomery street and Flatbush avenue.....	3,517	..	1,987	..	..	..	..	..	37	..
Map T, District 40—Fort Hamilton avenue, between Sixty-fifth street and Sixty-sixth street; Sixty-fifth street, south side, between Fort Hamilton avenue and Tenth avenue.....	..	304	7.4	8.5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8	..
Map T, District 40—Ovington avenue, between Fourth avenue and Fifth avenue; Fifth avenue, between Ovington avenue and Bay Ridge avenue; Bay Ridge avenue, between Fifth avenue and Sixth avenue.....	..	720.5	42	321	789.8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	18	..
Map T, District 40—Sixty-first street, between Fourth avenue and Fifth avenue; Fourth avenue, east side, between Sixty-first street and Sixty-fourth street.....	257	261.2	216.2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7	..
Map T, District 40—East Twelfth street, between Beverly road and Avenue C; Avenue C, north side, between East Twelfth street and East Fourteenth street.....	300	30	275	..	240	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	..
Map T, District 40—East Eighteenth street, between Albemarle road and a point about 250 feet south to existing sewer.....	..	100	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Map U, District 41—Ovington avenue, between Third avenue and Fourth avenue; Silliman place, between Second and Third avenue; Second avenue, between Silliman place and Seventy-first street.....	967.5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	10	4
Map U, District 41—Third avenue, between Bay Ridge avenue and Silliman place.....	..	173	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..
Map U, District 41; Map V, District 42—Seventy-third street, between Third avenue and Fourth avenue; Fourth avenue, west side, between Seventy-third street and Seventy-fourth street.....	256.5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..
Map U, District 41; Map V, District 42; Map W, District 43—Narrows avenue, between Seventy-first street and Shore road; Shore road, between Eighty-sixth street and Eighty-eighth street; Eighty-third street, between Narrows avenue and Shore road; Eighty-eighth street, between Narrows avenue and Shore road.....	..	1,989.4	542.8	905.9	269.9	..	186.1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	40	..
Map V, District 42—Eighty-eighth street, between Third avenue and Fourth avenue.....	..	762	37	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7	2
Map V, District 42—Seventy-eighth street, between Second avenue and Fourth avenue.....	..	691	419	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	13	2
Map Y, District 45—Avenue G, from Coney Island avenue to Flatbush avenue; Flatbush avenue, from northerly intersection of Avenue G to southerly intersection of Avenue G; Avenue G, from Flatbush avenue to Nostrand avenue; Nostrand avenue, from Avenue G to Avenue F; Avenue F, from East Twenty-sixth street to Paerdegat avenue, south side; Paerdegat avenue, south side, from Avenue F to East Forty-fifth street; East Forty-fifth street, from Paerdegat avenue, south side, to Avenue G; Avenue G, from East Forty-fifth street to Paerdegat avenue, south side; Paerdegat avenue, south side, from Avenue G to Flatlands avenue.....	330	822	..	..	650	..	1,019	..	..	..	33	..
Map Y, District 45—New York avenue, between Avenue C and Newkirk avenue; Newkirk avenue, between New York avenue and Nostrand avenue; Nostrand avenue, between Newkirk avenue and Avenue F.....	..	800	285	35	..	..	..	750	..	1,300	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	29	..
Alteration of Sewers Necessitated by Atlantic Avenue Improvement Subway—Franklin avenue, between Atlantic avenue and Brevoort place; Brevoort place, between Franklin avenue and Bedford avenue; Bedford avenue, between Brevoort place and a point about 40 feet north of Fulton street; Grand avenue, between Atlantic avenue and a point about 165 feet north of Putnam avenue.....	1,297	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	13	..
Sewer Crossings Under Atlantic Avenue Improvement Subway—Howard avenue, at Atlantic avenue; Saratoga avenue, between Atlantic avenue and Hull street; Rockaway avenue, between Atlantic avenue and Bergen street; Eastern parkway Extension, between Atlantic avenue and Dean street; Hopkinson avenue, at Atlantic avenue.....	..	64	32	29	..	72	948	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	13	..
Private Sewers.																			
Map O, District 37—Suydam street, between Wyckoff avenue and St. Nicholas avenue.....	492	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	..
Map O, District 37—Willoughby avenue, between Wyckoff avenue and St. Nicholas avenue.....	..	443	42	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	..
Coney Island—Thompson's Walk, between Bowery and point 300 feet south.....	266	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..
Total.....	266	9,988.9	2,861.7	2,605.1	1,592.9	72	1,374.1	1,080	822	1,300	1,297	3,517	650	1,987	1,019	460	1,020	365	286

City of New York, Borough of Brooklyn,
Office of Commissioner of Public Works,
Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, Office of Superintendent,
Municipal Building, June 30, 1903.

Mr. WILLIAM C. REDFIELD, Commissioner of Public Works, Borough Hall,
Brooklyn, N. Y.:

Dear Sir—I beg to submit herewith eight copies of the report of the Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, Borough of Brooklyn, for the quarter ending June 30, 1903, showing chiefly the indebtedness incurred during the second quarter of this year for the different classes of supplies and repairs to the public buildings and in the interests of the various offices within the jurisdiction of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn; a brief statement of the principal repairs made to the different buildings within that time; a memorandum of the contracts entered into on behalf of the Bureau during those three months, and a summary of the progress of the work on the several public buildings in course of erection and under alterations.

Very respectfully,

FRANK J. HELMLE, Superintendent of Public Buildings and Offices.

Orders.

There have been 425 supply and 183 repair orders, total 608, issued during the quarter, divided as follows:

	Estimated Cost.
47. Bureau of Highways.....	\$2,854 87
151. Bureau of Sewers.....	4,240 86
397. Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices.....	14,459 96
9. Topographical Bureau.....	421 80
4. Bureau of Incumbrances and Permits.....	112 00
Total.....	\$22,089 49

Contracts Entered Into and Registered.

Contract No.	Contractor.	Nature of.	Date of Registration.	Amount.
No. 22....	Neptune B. Smyth....	Fitting out five floating baths...	May 1...	\$4,900 00
No. 23....	Samuel Lewis.....	Janitors' supplies.....	April 27...	1,952 30
No. 24....	Thomas Dwyer.....	Changing plans Public Comfort station, Fulton and Joralemon streets.....	April 29...	891 00
No. 25....	T. G. Carlin.....	Changing site Public Comfort Station to Pulaski street and Reid avenue.....	April 8...	1,555 00
No. 26....	Thomas Mohan.....	Furnishing and delivering bath supplies.....	May 25...	1,182 50
No. 27....	John Byrne.....	Alteration for Chemical Laboratory, Room No. 51, Municipal Building.....	May 27...	2,745 00

Supplies and Repairs.

Automobile, maintenance of...	\$70 92	Locksmithing	\$101 15
Awnings, repairing and hanging	693 59	Mason and plastering work..	455 83
Bicycle	67 70	Office supplies	124 10
Board of horses	180 00	Paints, oils, etc.	59 31
Boiler inspection	20 00	Painting, kalsomining, etc....	564 15
Carpenter work	2,030 92	Photographs	14 00
Carpets, linoleum, etc.	447 29	Plumbing and gasfitting	754 00
Carpet cleaning	48 10	Printed books	15 00
Clocks, winding and repairing.	73 85	Removing frame building....	80 00
Coal on contract	2,566 35	Removing safe	15 00
Decorating buildings for celebration	825 00	Repairing coal scale	80 00
Draughting materials	116 23	Repairing street cleaning machine	176 30
Electric work and supplies	305 95	Roofing	10 00
Elevator repairs	281 00	Sand	16 00
Enginemens' supplies	40 45	Shades	63 95
Furniture	443 00	Special stenographic services.	151 52
Furniture repairs	260 68	Stamps and stamped envelopes.	83 30
Glazing	57 90	Steamfitting	108 30
Grate bars for boilers	110 00	Telephone coupons.....	24 00
Hardware	24 94	Telephone service	1,263 29
Harness and repairs	10 00	Towing	125 00
Heater	109 00	Transportation	200 00
Horseshoeing	30 00	Typewriter repairs	295 50
Hose	27 50	Veterinary services	25 00
Ice	136 49	Water coolers	18 45
Iron work	31 25	Wharfage of baths	152 50
Janitor's supplies	206 50	Wood	31 00
		Total	\$14,222 26

Supplies and Contingencies.

Personal expenses	\$41 00	Stenographic and professional services	107 95
Postal cards	20 00		
Postage stamps	61 00		
Repairing automobile.....	7 75	Total	\$237 70

The expenditures were divided among the different offices and buildings as follows:

	Supplies.	Repairs.	Total.
Borough President.....	\$471 95	.....	\$471 95
Commissioner of Public Works.....	177 25	.....	177 25
Assistant Commissioner of Public Works.....	100 80	.....	100 80
Topographical Bureau.....	114 77	.....	114 77
Bureau of Highways.....	233 90	.....	233 90
Bureau of Sewers.....	390 14	.....	390 14
Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices.....	506 80	.....	506 80
Borough Hall.....	1,116 94	\$682 50	1,799 44
Municipal Building	1,581 13	2,229 84	3,810 97
County Courthouse.....	564 62	178 04	742 66
Hall of Records.....	42 15	255 50	297 65
Kings County Jail.....	984 00	326 80	1,310 80
Disciplinary Training School.....	921 43	483 60	1,405 03
First District City Magistrates' Court.....	7 25	9 00	16 25
Second District City Magistrates' Court.....	.....	2 75	2 75
Third District City Magistrates' Court.....	124 50	14 97	139 47
Fourth District City Magistrates' Court.....	5 00	10 90	15 90
Fifth District City Magistrates' Court.....	14 31	8 55	22 86
Sixth District City Magistrates' Court.....	2 00	.....	2 00
Seventh District City Magistrates' Court.....	.....	28 25	28 25
Eighth District City Magistrates' Court.....	24 75	.....	24 75
First District Municipal Court.....	15 80	.....	15 80
Third District Municipal Court.....	96 50	7 60	104 10
Fourth District Municipal Court.....	9 00	.....	9 00
Administration Building, Wallabout Market...	14 15	302 60	316 75
Wallabout Market, street cleaning.....	437 36	.....	437 36
Public Baths.....	153 70	426 50	580 20
Transportation	200 00	.....	200 00
Atheneum Building.....	75 00	15 00	90 00
Bureau of Buildings.....	774 74	.....	774 74
Paint Shop.....	52 98	.....	52 98
Bureau of Incumbrances.....	26 94	.....	26 94
Totals.....	\$9,239 86	\$4,982 40	\$14,222 26

BOROUGH HALL.

The work of general alterations and repairs to the interior of Borough Hall, Axel S. Hedman, architect, W. & T. Lamb, contractors, has been somewhat delayed owing to the labor strikes and trouble in obtaining materials. A brief extension of time has been asked for in connection therewith, and the architect is authority for the statement that the work will be finished within a month.

Repairs and alterations to certain rooms for use of the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court, Axel S. Hedman, architect, Daniel J. Ryan, contractor, is now well under way and progressing favorably. There seems to be no doubt that these operations will be completed within the contract time. Minor emergency repairs of the ordinary kind have been made to the building as required, and have been comparatively inexpensive.

MUNICIPAL BUILDING.

A new floor has been laid in the Registrar of Water Rates offices, which have also been painted and generally renovated. New floors have been placed in the Tax Office, and other minor repairs made throughout the building.

A month ago it was discovered that the beam carrying the elevators was badly cracked and deflected. This beam was removed, and a new truss to strengthen the construction placed below the roof, thereby making the surroundings absolutely safe.

In Room 51, assigned to the Chemist of the Department of Public Works, conditions have been improved at a contract cost of less than \$3,000 that provides the Borough of Brooklyn with one of the most complete, modern and up-to-date municipal testing laboratories in the country. The temporary shelving, desk work, etc., placed in this room during the early part of the year to give the Department of Public Works the immediate benefit of the newly inaugurated work of testing materials, have been removed and replaced with modern cabinets, slate top work desks, glass hoods and other fixtures of a permanent character. A complete system of plumbing has been installed, supplying water, gas and waste-pipe connections to every work desk. The plumbing includes a series of soapstone immersion tanks with running water, soapstone moist closets, etc., for cement testing. A special feature of the new installation is the apparatus for artificial ventilation, consisting of an exhaust fan operated by a one horse-power electric motor. A series of hidden flues connects each hood and work desk with the exhauster. In this way, all

fumes, gases and odors generated in the chemical laboratory are quickly removed as soon as generated, and currents of pure air supplied to all hoods.

KINGS COUNTY COURTHOUSE.

Contracts for alterations and improvements to the plumbing and drainage system of this building, which meditate a thorough overhauling of the heating and ventilating conditions—improvements which have been long asked for by the various court officials quartered therein—are now being advertised. Bids in connection therewith will be opened on July 1. The contract will be awarded promptly and the work carried on during the summer vacation season. September 15, 1903, is the contract time for the completion of the undertaking, so that the building should be in a perfect sanitary condition when the courts reconvene in the fall.

The customary emergency repairs, in the main to the plumbing system, have been made to this building.

HALL OF RECORDS.

The work of alterations and repairs to this building, R. L. Daus, architect; Thomas Dwyer, contractor, is progressing satisfactorily. The second tier of beams has been placed on the addition and the walls of the new structure are now being carried to the third story. The Court square front of the old building has been removed and the stone work is being placed in position. The interior repairs are advancing at a good rate, and the indications are that Mr. Dwyer's contract will be completed nearly on time.

KINGS COUNTY JAIL.

Ordinary repairs, in connection with the plumbing and steam heating plant, have been made to this building as required.

DISCIPLINARY TRAINING SCHOOL.

A new fence has been placed across the rear of this building, to prevent the escape of the young inmates while a sewer is being constructed through the property. Minor repairs have also been made as required.

FREE FLOATING BATHS.

Under a contract with Neptune B. Smyth, the five public river baths have been thoroughly renovated and made ready for the summer bathers. Nos. 2, 3, 4 and 5 are already in commission, receiving both male and female patrons. No. 1 is ready to float and will be towed to its berth at the foot of Thirty-ninth street on or about July 1.

MAGISTRATE'S AND MUNICIPAL COURT BUILDINGS.

The eight City Magistrates' and five Municipal Courts have been furnished with their usual quota of janitor's supplies, and each building has been kept in proper order at a comparatively insignificant expense during the quarter.

WALLABOUT MARKET ADMINISTRATION BUILDING.

Twice this quarter it has been found necessary to repair the self-winding clock in the tower of this building at a combined expense of less than \$50. Other than this, repairs to the structure have been of no material moment.

GATES AVENUE COURT HOUSE.

While plans for this meditated court building have been prepared and approved by the Municipal Art Commission, the project is still waiting for the necessary money appropriation.

FIREMAN'S HALL.

This building has caused the Bureau no expense whatever since the last quarterly report was presented.

INTERIOR PUBLIC BATHS.

Hicks Street—The work on this building, for which Axel S. Hedman is architect and W. & T. Lamb contractors, is being pushed as rapidly as practicable. Some delay has been caused by labor conditions, but just now the indications are that the structure will be ready for the public by the 1st of August. The plastering is about completed, the steam fitting and plumbing well advanced and the soapstone surroundings are being set.

Pitkin Avenue Bath—This building, for which Louis H. Voss is the architect, and Messrs. Fuller & O'Connor the contractors, has been slightly delayed by reason of the failure of one of the subcontractors to keep his agreement. Notably in this connection, the construction of the roof is backward, but notice to the direct contractors that they will be held strictly to the time limit of their contract, it is felt, will operate to have the building ready for use by the middle of August. The main portion of the structure is now enclosed and the roofs graded and concreted nearly to the point where they are ready for the finish. The hanging ceilings are well advanced, the boilers are set and enclosed, and the steamfitting and plumbing work well under way.

PUBLIC COMFORT STATIONS.

Fulton and Joralemon Streets—Thomas Dwyer, contractor. Within a few weeks this building will be ready for use. It is now rapidly nearing completion. During June the roof beams and arches were placed in position and the roof damp proofing has just been completed.

Manhattan and Greenpoint Avenues—Lustbader & Glantz, contractors. Barring unforeseen conditions this building should be completed before the close of July. The enameled interior brick work is finished, the stone steps completed and the iron beams and concrete arches in position.

East New York and Liberty Avenues—Thomas G. Carlin, contractor. This station is in about the same condition as the Manhattan and Greenpoint avenue station, with the exception of the concrete arches, which will be placed within a week.

Hamilton Avenue and Richards Street—The Snare & Triest Company, contractors. The walls of this station were about completed when the joints in a 20-inch water main adjoining the work blew out and carried one of the station walls entirely off its foundation. An examination was made by the Building Bureau, and necessary immediate repairs prescribed by Superintendent Calder have been made by the contractors. The work is now progressing favorably and within a week the iron roof beams will be placed. With no further mishaps, this station should be completed within six weeks.

Reid Avenue, Broadway and Pulaski Street—Thomas G. Carlin, contractor. Excavation is now being proceeded with.

Broadway and Lorimer Street—Thomas Dwyer, contractor. This work was started this week.

New Municipal Building—Invitations have been issued to the architects to present drawings for the projected one million dollar building on the site adjoining the present Municipal Building, and the interest with which the proposition has been received by the competing architects warrants the belief that the plans submitted will comprehend some of the most perfect buildings for municipal purposes that have ever been designed.

NEW CHILDREN'S COURT.

Under the supervision of this Bureau the owner of the premises on Court street, near State, which were recently leased for quarters for the new Children's Court, has thoroughly renovated the floor on which the court will be located and as soon as the appropriation necessary to fit out the new court has been secured, I shall lose no time in making the premises suitable for Justice Wilkin's purposes.

Report of the Assistant Commissioner of Public Works for the Quarter Ending June 30, 1903.

The following is a list of sealed bids or estimates opened by the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, from April 1 to June 30, 1903:

On April 1st, 1903.

1. For constructing cement concrete sidewalks in various places and on various streets. Four bids were received; \$100 deposited as security on bids.
2. For constructing cement concrete sidewalks in various places and on various streets. Four bids were received; \$300 deposited as security on bids.
3. For constructing cement concrete sidewalks in various places and on various streets. Four bids were received; \$240 deposited as security on bids.
4. For flagging sidewalks in various places and on various streets. Three bids were received; \$90 deposited as security on bids.
5. For constructing cement concrete sidewalks in various places and on various streets. Three bids were received; \$180 deposited as security on bids.
6. For fencing vacant lots in various places and on various streets. One bid was received; \$10 deposited as security on bid.
7. For furnishing, delivering and erecting (without maintaining) street sign boxes. Four bids were received; \$400 deposited as security on bids.
8. For flagging sidewalks in various places and on various streets. Three bids were received; \$150 deposited as security on bids.

9. For flagging sidewalks in various places and on various streets. Three bids were received; \$300 deposited as security on bids.
10. For constructing cement concrete sidewalks in various places and on various streets. Two bids were received; \$50 deposited as security on bids.
11. For fencing vacant lots in various places and on various streets. One bid was received; \$5 deposited as security on bid.
12. For furnishing and delivering 4,150 cubic yards clean sharp sand. Four bids were received; \$200 deposited as security on bids.
13. For furnishing and delivering yellow pine lumber. Three bids were received; \$85 deposited as security on bids.
14. For furnishing 145,500 granite paving blocks. Three bids were received; \$450 deposited as security on bids.
15. For furnishing one (1) portable concrete mixer. Three bids were received; \$105 deposited as security on bids.
16. For furnishing and delivering 6,600 barrels Portland cement. Four bids were received; \$800 deposited as security on bids.
17. For furnishing and delivering 7,310 square feet granite bridge stones. Two bids were received; \$200 deposited as security on bids.
18. For furnishing and delivering 6,740 cubic yards broken trap rock and 2,564 cubic yards trap rock screenings. Four bids were received; \$800 deposited as security on bids.
19. For repaving with granite on concrete Meserole street, from Union avenue to Waterbury street. Five bids were received; \$2,750 deposited as security on bids.
20. For repaving with granite on concrete Rockaway avenue, from McDougal street to Atlantic avenue. Five bids were received; \$1,000 deposited as security on bids.
21. For repaving with granite on concrete Prospect avenue, from Seventh avenue to a point 240 feet east of Eleventh avenue. Four bids were received; \$3,600 deposited as security on bids.
22. Repaving with granite on concrete Ralph avenue, from Macon street to St. Mark's avenue. Four bids were received; \$2,400 deposited as security on bids.
23. Repaving with granite on concrete Greene street, from West street to end of pavement between Oakland and Provost streets. Six bids were received; \$3,300 deposited as security on bids.
24. Repaving with Medina sandstone on concrete Kingsland avenue, from Mecker avenue to Meserole avenue. Five bids were received; \$5,000 deposited as security on bids.
25. Repaving with Medina sandstone on concrete Cook street, from Manhattan avenue to Bogart street, etc. Four bids were received; \$3,600 deposited as security on bids.
26. Repaving with Medina sandstone on concrete Degraw street, from Van Brunt street to East river. Two bids were received; \$1,100 deposited as security on bids.
27. Repaving with asphalt blocks on concrete Twenty-sixth street, from Third avenue to Fifth avenue. Two bids were received; \$400 deposited as security on bids.
28. Repaving with asphalt blocks on concrete Bushwick avenue, from Montrose avenue to McKibben street. Two bids were received; \$600 deposited as security on bids.
29. For furnishing and delivering Janitor's supplies to the Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices. Four bids were received; \$203.25 deposited as security on bids.

April 8, 1903.

1. For furnishing and delivering 4,350 barrels of quicklime at the several sewage disposal works in the Twenty-sixth and Thirty-first Wards. Two bids were received; \$375 deposited as security on bids.

April 15, 1903.

1. Repairing and fitting out five free floating baths in the Borough of Brooklyn. Five bids were received; \$375 deposited as security on bids.
2. Sewer in Ninetieth street, from Fourth avenue westerly to crown of said Ninetieth street, etc. Five bids were received; \$125 deposited as security on bids.
3. Sewer in Degraw street, from Classon avenue to Washington avenue. Seven bids were received; \$245 deposited as security on bids.
4. Sewer in Seventy-seventh street, from Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue. Six bids were received; \$300 deposited as security on bids.
5. Sewer basin at the northwest corner of Humboldt street and Norman avenue. Two bids were received; \$7 deposited as security on bids.
6. Sewer basins at the northwest corner of Albemarle road and East Fifteenth street, etc. Four bids were received; \$60 deposited as security on bids.
7. Sewer basin at the northeast corner of Ocean avenue and Voorhies avenue. Four bids were received; \$16 deposited as security on bids.

April 22, 1903.

1. For making changes and additions, alterations, extensions and improvements to Room No. 51, Municipal Building. Six bids were received; \$300 deposited as security on bids.

April 29, 1903.

1. For sewer basins at Surf avenue, all four corners of West Fifth street, etc., etc. Five bids were received; \$1,250 deposited as security on bids.
2. For supplies for the five free floating baths. One bid was received; \$25 deposited as security on bid.
3. For constructing cement concrete sidewalks in various places and on various streets. Three bids were received; \$120 deposited as security on bids.
4. For constructing cement concrete sidewalks in various places and on various streets. Two bids were received; \$80 deposited as security on bids.
5. For constructing cement concrete sidewalks in various places and on various streets. Three bids were received; \$105 deposited as security on bids.
6. For constructing cement concrete sidewalks in various places and on various streets. Three bids were received; \$90 deposited as security on bids.
7. For constructing cement concrete sidewalks in various places and on various streets. Four bids were received; \$60 deposited as security on bids.
8. For paving with wood block pavement on concrete foundation, Clinton avenue, from Park avenue to Flushing avenue, etc. Two bids were received; \$1,200 deposited as security on bids.
9. For furnishing and delivering 1,254,000 pounds paving pitch. Four bids were received; \$800 deposited as security on bids.
10. For furnishing and delivering 1,966 cubic yards paving gravel. Two bids were received; \$200 deposited as security on bids.
11. For furnishing and erecting and maintaining for one year street sign boxes and attaching same to lamp-posts. One bid was received; \$100 deposited as security on bid.
12. For paving with asphalt on concrete Seventy-third street from Third avenue to Fourth avenue. Three bids were received; \$300 deposited as security on bids.
13. For paving with asphalt on concrete Prospect avenue from Fort Hamilton avenue to Vanderbilt street. Three bids were received; \$900 deposited as security on bids.
14. For paving with asphalt on concrete Euclid avenue from Atlantic avenue to Liberty avenue. Three bids were received; \$675 deposited as security on bids.
15. For paving with asphalt on concrete Somers street from Eastern parkway extension to Broadway, etc. Three bids were received; \$300 deposited as security on bids.
16. For paving with asphalt on concrete Irving avenue from Myrtle avenue to Palmetto street. Three bids were received; \$375 deposited as security on bids.
17. For paving with asphalt on concrete Bleeker street from Wyckoff avenue to St. Nicholas avenue. Three bids were received; \$375 deposited as security on bids.
18. For paving with granite on sand Stewart street from Bushwick avenue to Evergreen Cemetery. Five bids were received; \$250 deposited as security on bids.
19. For paving with granite on sand Seigel street from Bushwick avenue to White street. Five bids were received; \$1,100 deposited as security on bids.
20. Paving with granite on sand Mermaid avenue from Fifteenth street to Stillwell avenue. Four bids were received; \$240 deposited as security on bids.
21. Paving with granite on sand Greene street from Provost street to end of cobblestone, 200 feet west. Five bids were received; \$150 deposited as security on bids.
22. For grading, curbing and laying sidewalks on Nichols avenue from Jamaica

avenue to Atlantic avenue. Four bids were received; \$1,100 deposited as security on bids.

23. For paving with asphalt on concrete Weldon street from Railroad avenue to Euclid avenue. Three bids were received; \$375 deposited as security on bids.
24. For paving with asphalt on concrete Linden avenue from Flatbush avenue to Rogers avenue. Three bids were received; \$1,350 deposited as security on bids.

May 6, 1903.

1. For erecting an interior public bath building on the south side of Montrose avenue, 125 feet east of Union avenue. Seven bids were received; \$7,000 deposited as security on bids.

May 20, 1903.

1. For making changes, repairs and alterations to certain rooms in Borough Hall, for use of the Appellate Division, Supreme Court, Second Division, and President of the Borough of Brooklyn. Four bids were received; \$4,000 deposited as security on bids.
2. For furnishing 150 gross tons white ash anthracite coal. Highways. Three bids were received; \$45 deposited as security on bids.
3. For furnishing forage to the Bureau of Sewers. Two bids were received; \$50 deposited as security on bids.

May 27, 1903.

1. For furnishing and delivering 3,000 linear feet bluestone curbstone at the Wallabout yard. One bid was received; \$40 deposited as security on bid.
2. For sewer in Third avenue between Seventy-third street and Seventy-fourth street. One bid was received; \$25 deposited as security on bid.
3. For sewer in East Eighteenth street, from Albemarle road to a point 250 feet south connecting with present sewer. Five bids were received; \$100 deposited as security on bids.
4. Sewer in St. Paul's place, from Caton avenue to Church avenue. Five bids were received; \$375 deposited as security on bids.
5. Sewer in Olive street, from Devoe street to Metropolitan avenue. One bid was received; \$40 deposited as security on bid.
6. Sewer in Lexington avenue, south side, from Reid avenue to existing sewer west of Reid avenue. Two bids were received; \$70 deposited as security on bids.
7. Sewer basins at Surf avenue, all four corners of West Fifth street, etc., etc., etc. Five bids were received; \$1,250 deposited as security on bids.

On July 3, 1903.

1. For furnishing 1,350 gross tons of white ash anthracite coal to the several sewage disposal works in the Twenty-sixth and Thirty-first Wards. Three bids were received; \$525 deposited as security on bids.

On June 10, 1903.

1. Sewer in Ninety-sixth street, from Third avenue to Marine avenue. Four bids were received; \$120 deposited as security on bids.
2. Sewer in Seventieth street, from Fort Hamilton avenue to Tenth avenue. Three bids were received; \$135 deposited as security on bids.
3. Sewer in Fifty-second street, from Sixth avenue to Seventh avenue. Three bids were received; \$150 deposited as security on bids.
4. Sewer in Hamilton avenue, west side, from Mill street to Court street. Three bids were received; \$240 deposited as security on bids.
5. Sewer in Ninety-first street, from Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue. Four bids were received; \$120 deposited as security on bids.
6. Sewer in Amity street, from Columbia street to the bulkhead. Five bids were received; \$125 deposited as security on bids.
7. Sewer in Columbia street, from Sigourney street to Bay street. Four bids were received; \$600 deposited as security on bids.
8. Sewer in De Kalb avenue, from Wyckoff avenue westerly about 275 feet to existing sewer. Four bids were received; \$100 deposited as security on bids.
9. Sewer basin at the northwest corner of Linden and Nostrand avenues. Four bids were received; \$16 deposited as security on bids.
10. Sewer basin on the north side of Bay Twenty-fourth street and Bath avenue. Three bids were received; \$11.25 deposited as security on bids.
11. Sewer basin on the southwest corner of Delmonico place and Hopkins street. Two bids were received; \$8 deposited as security on bids.

On June 13, 1903.

1. Repaving with asphalt Adelphi street, from Atlantic avenue to Flushing avenue. Three bids were received; \$2,700 deposited as security on bids.
2. Repaving with asphalt on Bushwick avenue, from Maier street to Metropolitan avenue. Three bids were received; \$8,100 deposited as security on bids.
3. Repaving with asphalt Division avenue, from Lee avenue to Broadway. One bid was received; \$500 deposited as security on bid.
4. Repaving with asphalt Douglass street, from Nevins street to Fifth avenue, etc. Three bids were received; \$1,950 deposited as security on bids.
5. Repaving with asphalt Emerson place, from Lafayette avenue to Flushing avenue. Two bids were received; \$1,200 deposited as security on bids.
6. Repaving with asphalt Garfield place, from Fourth avenue to Seventh avenue. Three bids were received; \$1,200 deposited as security on bids.
7. Repaving with asphalt Havemeyer street, from North Ninth street to Division avenue, etc. Three bids were received; \$2,250 deposited as security on bids.
8. Repaving with asphalt Huron street, from West street to Oakland street. Two bids were received; \$600 deposited as security on bids.
9. Repaving with asphalt Jefferson avenue, from Patchen avenue to Central avenue. One bid was received; \$700 deposited as security on bid.
10. Repaving with asphalt Penn street, from Kent avenue to Bedford avenue, etc. Three bids were received; \$1,050 deposited as security on bids.
11. Repaving with asphalt Palmetto street, from Myrtle avenue to Central avenue. Three bids were received; \$1,200 deposited as security on bids.
12. Repaving with asphalt Rutledge street, from Kent avenue to Broadway. Four bids were received; \$2,400 deposited as security on bids.
13. Repaving with asphalt Remsen street, from Clinton street to westerly end, except where now paved with asphalt. Three bids were received; \$375 deposited as security on bids.
14. Repaving with asphalt South Fourth street, from Kent avenue to Union avenue. One bid was received; \$500 deposited as security on bid.
15. Repaving with asphalt block pavement on Forty-fifth street, from Second avenue to Sixth avenue. Two bids were received; \$2,000 deposited as security on bids.
16. Repaving with asphalt Fifty-fifth street, from Third avenue to Fifth avenue. Two bids were received; \$400 deposited as security on bids.
17. Repaving with asphalt South First street, from Wythe avenue to Union avenue. Three bids were received; \$1,650 deposited as security on bids.
18. Repaving with asphalt Arion place, from Broadway to Bushwick avenue. Two bids were received; \$1,700 deposited as security on bids.
19. Repaving with asphalt Monitor street from Nassau avenue to Norman avenue, etc. Two bids were received; \$1,800 deposited as security on bids.
20. Repaving with asphalt Ainslee street, from Marcy avenue to Bushwick avenue. Two bids were received; \$1,000 deposited as security on bids.
21. Repaving with asphalt Rochester avenue, from Fulton street to St. Mark's avenue. One bid was received; \$300 deposited as security on bid.
22. Repaving with asphalt St. Edwards street, from Willoughby street to Flushing avenue. Three bids were received; \$1,350 deposited as security on bids.
23. Repaving with asphalt Tompkins avenue, from Madison to Fulton streets. One bid was received; \$150 deposited as security on bid.
24. Repaving with asphalt Pilling street, from Broadway to Evergreen avenue, etc. One bid was received; \$750 deposited as security on bid.
25. Repaving with asphalt Baltic street, from Hicks to Columbia street. Three bids were received; \$300 deposited as security on bids.
26. Repaving with Medina sandstone pavement Adams street, from Johnson street to Tillary street, etc. Two bids were received; \$600 deposited as security on bids.
27. Repaving with Medina sandstone pavement Division avenue, from Kent avenue to Berry street. Three bids were received; \$450 deposited as security on bids.
28. Paving with asphalt Warwick street, from Jamaica avenue to Belmont avenue. Two bids were received; \$1,200 deposited as security on bids.

29. Paving with asphalt Buffalo avenue, from St. Mark's avenue to Eastern parkway. One bid was received; \$200 deposited as security on bid.
30. Paving with asphalt Chestnut street, from Jamaica avenue to Atlantic avenue. One bid was received; \$425 deposited as security on bids.
31. Paving with asphalt Herkimer street, from Jardine place to end of pavement east to Williams place. One bid was received; \$150 deposited as security on bids.
32. Paving with granite New Jersey avenue, from Atlantic avenue to 80 feet south of Belmont avenue. Five bids were received; \$1,375 deposited as security on bids.
33. Paving with granite Mill street, from Hicks street to Henry street. Five bids were received; \$400 deposited as security on bids.
34. Paving with granite Vermont street, from Jamaica avenue to Sunnyside avenue. Five bids were received; \$450 deposited as security on bids.
35. Grading, curbing and laying sidewalks on Seventy-seventh street, from Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue. Five bids were received; \$500 deposited as security on bids.
36. Grading, curbing, guttering and laying sidewalks on Fifty-fifth street, from New Utrecht avenue to Fifteenth avenue. Six bids were received; \$450 deposited as security on bids.
37. Repaving with asphalt Carroll street, from Court street to Smith street, etc. Three bids were received; \$2,250 deposited as security on bids.
38. Repaving with granite on concrete Wyckoff avenue, from Hart street to Queens County line. Four bids were received; \$3,200 deposited as security on bids.
39. Repaving with asphalt Fourteenth street, from Third avenue to Hamilton avenue. Three bids were received; \$1,950 deposited as security on bids.
40. Repaving with asphalt Johnson avenue, from Leonard street to Manhattan avenue, etc. Two bids were received; \$1,100 deposited as security on bids.
41. Paving with asphalt Knickerbocker avenue, from Putnam avenue to Moffat street, etc. Two bids were received; \$1,400 deposited as security on bids.
42. For constructing a foot bridge on Barren Island. Two bids were received; \$35 deposited as security on bids.

On June 17, 1903.

1. For furnishing and delivering Engineer's and Draughtsman's supplies to Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices. One bid was received; \$50 deposited as security on bid.
2. For furnishing and delivering Enginemen's supplies (sewers). Three bids were received; \$75 deposited as security on bids.
3. For sewer in New York avenue, from Avenue F to Avenue G. Seven bids were received; \$465 deposited as security on bids.
4. For sewer in East Thirty-second street, from Avenue F to Avenue G. Seven bids were received; \$455 deposited as security on bids.
5. For sewer in East Thirty-first street, from Avenue F to Avenue G. Seven bids were received; \$455 deposited as security on bids.
6. For sewer in East Thirty-fourth street, from Avenue F to Glenwood road. Seven bids were received; \$1,400 deposited as security on bids.
7. For sewer in East Thirty-second street, from Avenue C to Newkirk avenue. Seven bids were received; \$700 deposited as security on bids.
8. For constructing sewer basin at Bay Twenty-fourth street and Bath avenue. One bid was received; \$3.50 deposited as security on bid.
9. For constructing sewer basin at Gold street and Tillary street. Two bids were received; \$7.50 deposited as security on bids.

On June 24, 1903.

1. Sewer in Brooklyn avenue, from Avenue H to Avenue J, etc. Four bids were received; \$34,000 deposited as security on bids.
2. Sewer in Powell street, from Pitkin avenue to Sutter avenue. Five bids were received; \$375 deposited as security on bids.
3. Sewer basins at the southwest corner of Clarkson street and East Thirty-fourth street, etc. Six bids were received; \$453.75 deposited as security on bids.
4. Sewer basins at the northwest and southwest corners of Lincoln road and Fulton street. Six bids were received; \$150 deposited as security on bids.
5. For repairs to wooden trunk outlet sewer at foot of Atlantic avenue. Two bids were received; \$80 deposited as security on bids.
6. For constructing sewer basins at northeast corner of King street and Conover street. Three bids were received; \$11.25 deposited as security on bids.
7. Sewer basin at the northeast corner of East Eighteenth street and Cortelyou road, etc. Three bids were received; \$13 deposited as security on bids.
8. Sewer basins at northwest and southwest corners of Essex street and Belmont avenue. Two bids were received; \$15 deposited as security on bids.

The following is a list of bids or estimates opened in this office from April 1 to June 30, 1903, and afterward rejected:

On April 1, 1903.

1. For grading Montauk avenue, from Pitkin avenue to New Lots road. Four bids were received; \$500 deposited as security on bids. Rejected April 29, 1903.
2. For grading Milford street, from Pitkin avenue to New Lots road. Five bids were received; \$500 deposited as security on bids. Rejected April 29, 1903.
3. For erecting, maintaining and illuminating, for a term of one year, street sign boxes. One bid was received; \$100 deposited as security on bid. Rejected.
4. For furnishing and delivering 1,250,000 pounds paving pitch. Two bids were received; \$400 deposited as security on bids. Rejected April 11, 1903.
5. For repaving with wood block pavement Butler street, from Smith street to Bond street, etc. Two bids were received; \$1,700 deposited as security on bids. Rejected April 13, 1903.
6. For repairs and alterations, etc., to Room No. 51, Municipal Building. One bid was received; \$50 deposited as security on bid. Rejected April 3, 1903.

On April 29, 1903.

1. For sewer basin at Surf avenue, all four corners of West Fifth street, etc. Five bids were received; \$1,250 deposited as security on bids. Rejected May 5, 1903.

On June 10, 1903.

1. For sewer in Furman avenue, from Bushwick avenue to Evergreen Cemetery. Four bids were received; \$140 deposited as security on bids. Rejected June 23, 1903.
2. For sewer in Lombardy street, from Morgan avenue to Kingsland avenue. Four bids were received; \$180 deposited as security on bids. Rejected June 23, 1903.
3. For sewer in Blake avenue, from Logan street to Fountain avenue, etc. Three bids were received; \$165 deposited as security on bids. Rejected June 23, 1903.
4. For sewer basin at southeast corner of Morgan avenue and Stagg street. Four bids were received; \$14 deposited as security on bids. Rejected June 23, 1903.
5. For sewer basin at the southeast corner of Sheffield avenue and Pitkin avenue. Four bids were received; \$14 deposited as security on bids. Rejected June 23, 1903.
6. For sewer basin at southwest corner of Warwick street and Fulton street. Four bids were received; \$16 deposited as security on bids. Rejected June 23, 1903.

The following is a list of contracts entered into in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, from April 1 to June 30, 1903, together with the estimated cost of each:

BUREAU OF HIGHWAYS.

Repaving with Asphalt on Concrete.

1. Adams street, from Tillary street to Concord street..... \$10,275 50
2. Driggs avenue, from South Fourth to North Twelfth street, etc.... 36,469 00

Paving with Asphalt on Concrete.

1. Prospect avenue, from Fort Hamilton avenue to Vanderbilt street.. 14,962 50

Repaving with Granite Blocks on Concrete.

1. Ralph avenue, from Macon street to St. Mark's avenue..... 42,045 70
2. Rockaway avenue, from McDougal street to Atlantic avenue..... 13,437 40

Repaving with Medina Sandstone on Concrete.

1. Degraw street, from Van Brunt street to East river, etc..... 36,483 00
2. Kingsland avenue, from Meeker avenue to Meserole avenue, etc..... 64,058 80

Grading, Curbing and Laying Sidewalks.

1. First avenue, from Driveway at Sixty-sixth street to Ninety-second street 36,060 70

Flagging.

1. West side Emerson place, between Park avenue and Myrtle avenue, etc. 759 00

Supplies.

1. 6,600 barrels Portland cement..... 16,077 60
2. 145,500 granite paving blocks..... 14,491 80
3. 7,310 square feet granite bridgestone..... 4,824 60
4. 37,540 feet yellow pine lumber..... 1,148 72
5. 6,740 cubic yards broken trap rock and 2,564 cubic yards trap rock screenings 17,082 40
6. One (1) portable concrete mixer..... 1,196 00
7. 250 street sign boxes (without maintaining, etc.)..... 4,107 50
8. 4,150 cubic yards clean sharp sand..... 5,926 20
9. 250 street signs and boxes (maintaining and illuminating)..... 3,125 00
10. 150 gross tons white ash anthracite coal..... 1,067 40
11. 1,254,000 pounds paving pitch..... 11,248 38

BUREAU OF SEWERS.

Constructing Sewers.

1. In Nineteenth avenue, from Fifty-seventh street to West street, etc.. \$361,043 00
2. In East Twelfth street, from Beverley road to Avenue C, etc..... 5,995 38
3. In Third avenue, from Eighty-fifth street to Eighty-sixth street.... 1,235 50
4. In Third avenue, from Seventy-third to Seventy-fourth street..... 1,175 00
5. In East Eighteenth street, from Albemarle road to a point 250 feet south, connecting with present sewer..... 489 70
6. In St. Paul's place, from Caton avenue to Church avenue..... 1,760 00
7. In Olive street, from Devoe street to Metropolitan avenue, etc..... 1,486 00

Constructing Sewer Basins.

1. Northeast and southeast corners of Fourth avenue and Twenty-ninth street 242 00
2. Sutter avenue, all four corners of Saratoga avenue, etc..... 1,610 00
3. Northerly and westerly corners of Sixth avenue and Fourth street.. 314 00
4. Northwest corner Albemarle road and East Fifteenth street, etc.... 420 00
5. Southwest and southeast corners Clarkson street and Rogers avenue. 330 00
6. Northwest corner Dorchester road and East Eighteenth street..... 180 00
7. Northeast corner of Avenue K and Flatbush avenue..... 180 00

Supplies.

1. 4,350 barrels quick lime..... 4,384 80
2. Forage 1,496 77

BUREAU OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS AND OFFICES.

Comfort Stations.

1. Modified contract for changing location of Comfort Station from Division avenue and Broadway to junction of Broadway, Throop avenue and Lorimer street..... (No extra charge.)
2. Modified contract for changing plans and specifications for Comfort Station at junction of Fulton street and Joralemon street. \$891 00
3. Modified contract for changing location of Comfort Station from Fulton street and Flatbush avenue to Pulaski street and Reid avenue 1,555 00

Interior Public Bath.

1. Modified contract for extending the foundation work on Interior Public Bath Building on west side of Hicks street 214 feet 5 inches north of Degraw street..... 825 00

Miscellaneous.

1. Repairing and fitting out five (5) Free Floating Baths..... 4,900 00
2. Furnishing and delivering Janitors' supplies..... 1,952 30
3. Supplies for use in five Free Floating Baths..... 1,182 50
4. Repairs and alterations to Room 51, Municipal Building..... 2,745 00

RECAPITULATION.

BUREAU OF HIGHWAYS.

	No. of Contracts.	Estimated Cost.
Repaving with asphalt on concrete.....	2	\$46,744 50
Paving with asphalt on concrete.....	1	14,962 50
Repaving with granite on concrete.....	2	55,483 15
Repaving with Medina sandstone on concrete.....	2	100,541 80
Grading, curbing and laying sidewalks.....	1	36,060 70
Flagging.....	1	759 00
Supplies.....	11	80,295 60
Totals.....	20	\$334,847 30

BUREAU OF SEWERS.

	No. of Contracts.	Estimated Cost.
Constructing sewers.....	7	\$373,184 58
Constructing sewer basins.....	7	3,276 00
Supplies.....	2	5,881 57
Totals.....	16	\$382,342 15

BUREAU OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS AND OFFICES.

	No. of Contracts.	Estimated Cost.
Constructing Comfort Stations—		
Modified contract changing locations, plans and specifications, etc.....	3	\$2,446 00
Interior Public Bath—		
Modified contract changing foundation work.....	1	825 00
Miscellaneous.....	4	10,779 80
Totals.....	8	\$14,050 80

SUMMARY.

	No. of Contracts.	Estimated Cost.
Bureau of Highways.....	20	\$334,847 30
Bureau of Sewers.....	16	382,342 15
Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices.....	8	14,050 80
Totals.....	44	\$731,240 25

Statement showing total number of contracts entered into by the President of the Borough of Brooklyn from January 1, 1903, to and including June 30, 1903, together with the total estimated costs of the improvements and supplies:

	Number of Contracts.	Estimated Cost.
Made during quarter ending March 31, 1903—		
Bureau of Highways.....	65	\$1,100,604 31
Bureau of Sewers.....	14	68,798 53
Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices.....	15	250,239 70
Totals.....	94	\$1,509,642 54

Made during quarter ending June 30, 1903.....	44	731,240 25
Total for six months ending June 30, 1903.....	138	\$2,240,882 79
Made during six months ending June 30, 1903—		
Bureau of Highways.....	33	\$522,954 47
Bureau of Sewers.....	17	55,785 88
Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices.....	2	10,285 30
Totals.....	52	\$589,025 65

From the above statements it will be seen that during the past half year ending June 30, 1903, 138 contracts were entered into by the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, at an estimated cost of \$2,240,882.79, as against 52 contracts, at an estimated cost of \$589,025.65, during the same period in the year 1902. In other words, there were 86 more contracts entered into during the first six months of 1903 than during the same period in the year 1902, at an estimated cost of \$1,651,757.14.

During the past six months bids were opened in the office of the Assistant Commissioner of Public Works for 230 contracts, out of which number 138 contracts were entered into and 127 contracts are still pending. Thirty-five of the contracts entered into during the past six months are for architects' services, modified contracts and contracts for which bids were opened in the year 1902.

OTTO KEMPNER, Assistant Commissioner of Public Works.

Report of the Bureau of Incumbrances and Permits—Municipal Building.
Mr. WILLIAM C. REDFIELD, Commissioner of Public Works, Borough Hall,
Borough of Brooklyn, New York City:

Dear Sir—Herewith I have the honor to submit the report of the Bureau of Incumbrances and Permits for the quarter ending June 30, 1903, the months of April, May and June inclusive:

Complaints received from Department of Street Cleaning.....	16
Complaints received from Bureau of Complaints.....	2
Complaints received from Police Department.....	73
Complaints received from Inspectors.....	409
Complaints received by mail.....	60
Complaints received at office.....	116

Total 736

Classification and Disposal.

Sidewalk signs found removed upon re-inspection.....	79
Slot machines found removed upon re-inspection.....	7
Showcases found removed upon re-inspection.....	10
Push carts and wagons found removed upon re-inspection.....	32
Trees and limbs removed by Bureau of Incumbrances.....	134
Boulders removed by Bureau of Incumbrances.....	36
Coal boxes removed by Bureau of Incumbrances.....	7
Posts and stumps of posts removed by Bureau of Incumbrances.....	75
Miscellaneous, removed by Bureau of Incumbrances.....	248

Total 628

Street washer notices served.....	988
Street washers found removed.....	724

Receipts.

From the redemption of incumbrances.....	\$4 00
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Summary of Inspectors' Work.

Name.	Complaints Made.	Complaints Settled.	Slips Settled.
Cloke.....	79	138	338
Haggerty.....	42	114	216
McDermott.....	250	188	335
Murray.....	105	153	187
Total.....	476	593	1,076

Permit Department.

Permits Issued—	Permits Passed—
Building material..... 327	To tap water pipes..... 780
Vaults..... 85	To repair water connections..... 1,673
Crosswalk..... 265	To repair sewer connections..... 311
Specials..... 5,422	New sewer connections..... 749
Total..... 6,099	Total..... 3,513

Cashier's Report.

Statement of money received from all sources during the three months ending June 30, 1903.

Repaving over water connection.....	\$7,995 00	Special paving.....	\$16 00
Repaving over sewer connection.....	1,763 00	Inspection of work done by corporations.....	192 00
Repaving over gas connection.....	876 72	Redemption of incumbrances seized.....	4 00
Extra paving.....	195 41	Total.....	\$11,619 23
Vault permits.....	667 10		

Credited to the following accounts:

Special Fund account.....	\$10,756 13	General Fund account.....	\$196 00
Sinking Fund account.....	667 10	Total.....	\$11,619 23

Special Security Deposits.

Balance to credit of this account April 1, 1903.....	\$19,525 00
Receipts for quarter ending June 30, 1903.....	\$5,300 00
Refunded during quarter ending June 30, 1903.....	3,400 00

Receipts over Refunds..... \$1,900 00 1,900 00

\$21,425 00

Respectfully submitted,

OTTO KEMPNER,

Assistant Commissioner of Public Works and Acting Superintendent, Incumbrances and permits,

July 1, 1903.

Report of the financial transactions of the several bureaus comprising the Public Works of the Borough of Brooklyn for the quarter ending June 30, 1903.

General Administration.

Appropriation, 1903.	Balance April 1.	Vouchers Sent to Comptroller for Payment.	Outstanding Liabilities.	Balance Available.
Salaries.....	\$35,149 95	\$12,386 61		\$22,763 34
Supplies and Contingencies.....	1,756 96	178 57		1,578 39
Totals.....	\$26,906 91	\$12,565 18		\$24,341 73

Supplies ordered by General Administration during the quarter:

Transportation.....	\$5 00
Special stenographic services.....	158 93
Total.....	\$163 95

TOPOGRAPHICAL BUREAU.

Appropriation, 1903.	Balance April 1.	Vouchers Sent to Comptroller for Payment.	Outstanding Liabilities.	Balance Available.
Salaries and Supplies.....	\$42,504 53	\$12,577 05	\$699 49	\$29,227 99

Supplies ordered by Topographical Bureau during the quarter:

Blue prints.....	\$25 00
Car-fare tickets.....	300 00
Maps.....	90 00
Stencils.....	6 80

Total..... \$421 80

BUREAU OF HIGHWAYS.

Appropriation, 1903.	Balance April 1.	Vouchers Sent to Comptroller for Payment.	Outstanding Liabilities.	Balance Available.
Salaries.....	\$37,462 52	\$13,552 53		\$23,909 99
Labor, Maintenance and Supplies.....	288,481 07	123,160 08	\$106,553 88	\$58,769 11
Supplies and Contingencies.....	1,378 00	1,364 80	5 00	8 20
Maintenance of Bridges.....	2,000 00			2,000 00
Totals.....	\$329,323 59	\$138,077 41	\$106,558 88	\$84,687 30

Special Accounts.

	Expenditures.
Street Improvement Fund	\$176,186 40
Repaving Streets, sections 48 and 160, chapter 378, Laws of 1897.....	146,840 62
Restoring and Repaving (Special Fund).....	2,215 60
Revenue Bond Fund, Construction, Erection and Maintenance of Street Signs	3,887 08
Total.....	\$329,129 70

Supplies Ordered by the Bureau of Highways During the Quarter.

Analysis of samples.....	\$80 00	Repairing wagons.....	\$118 55
Board of horses.....	160 00	Repaving openings.....	30 52
Change combination of safe.....	2 00	Reset curb and flagging.....	465 67
Coal.....	56 00	Road machine supplies.....	169 17
Corks.....	16 00	Satchels.....	40 00
Curb bevels.....	4 80	Screen.....	20 00
Drawing materials.....	84 89	Sewer pipe.....	35 00
Forage.....	130 57	Stable supplies.....	14 55
Glazing.....	5 00	Stamps and stamped envelopes.....	129 80
Harness and repairs.....	73 45	Tarpaulin.....	36 98
Horse.....	250 00	Telephone coupons.....	300 00
Horseshoeing.....	233 25	Test boilers.....	4 00
Hose.....	101 40	Thermometers.....	24 00
Laboratory supplies.....	281 16	Tin cans.....	48 00
Lumber.....	120 00	Tools.....	282 07
Paints, oils, etc.....	18 81	Transportation.....	410 00
Quartz.....	30 00	Veterinary services.....	60 00
Rent.....	662 50	Total.....	\$4,498 14

Contracts entered into chargeable to the following accounts:

Labor, Maintenance and Supplies.....	\$73,062 84
Street Improvement Fund.....	51,782 20
Repaving streets, sections 48 and 160, chapter 378, Laws of 1897.....	325,603 25
Revenue Bond Fund for construction, erection and maintenance of street signs.....	7,232 50
Total.....	\$457,680 79

BUREAU OF SEWERS.

Appropriation, 1903.	Balance April 1, 1903.	Vouchers Sent to Comptroller for Payment.	Outstanding Liabilities.	Balance Available.
Salaries.....	\$61,015 21	\$20,388 48		\$40,626 73
Sewers, repairing and cleaning, payrolls and supplies.....	53,213 24	12,995 06	\$1,744 32	38,473 86
Contracts at public letting.....	20,000 00			20,000 00
Thirty-first Ward sewerage, Districts Nos. 1 and 3.....	27,861 61	6,923 08	1,687 70	19,250 83
Thirtieth Ward, Bath Beach District.....	3,554 64	1,044 21		2,510 43
Twenty-sixth Ward Disposal Works.....	25,401 46	4,833 35	3,682 00	16,886 11
Dredging sewer outlets.....	10,400 00			10,400 00
Horses, horse-keep and supplies.....	1,809 00	198 50	59 00	1,551 50
Supplies and contingencies.....	1,709 84	426 55	232 00	1,051 29
Totals.....	\$204,965 00	\$46,809 23	\$7,405 02	\$150,750 75

Special Accounts.

	Expenditures.
Street Improvement Fund.....	\$238,993 80
Atlantic Avenue Improvement Fund.....	23,305 15
Private sewers	606 27
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	\$262,905 22

Cash Received During the Quarter.

Permits.....	\$9,721 57
Subway manholes.....	380 00
Third Avenue Assessment.....	1,128 09
Knickerbocker avenue.....	352 16

Supplies Ordered by the Bureau of Sewers During the Quarter.

Basin heads.....	\$18 00	Horseshoeing.....	\$147 60
Basin hoods and plates.....	18 00	Horse keep.....	132 00
Basin pans.....	45 00	Hose.....	37 00
Bower trap.....	2 75	Iron pipe.....	14 60
Boiler iron.....	5 82	Lumber.....	55 50
Binding books.....	18 00	Leveling rod.....	296 00
Brick, cement, etc.....	109 60	Manhole heads and covers.....	212 50
Broken slate.....	2 25	New counter.....	4 50
Carfare tickets.....	200 00	Paints, oils, etc.....	59 79
Chemicals.....	160 77	Paving around basin.....	9 00
Clipping horse.....	2 50	Plumb bobs.....	7 20
Coal.....	233 50	Removing manure.....	30 00
Cotton waste.....	13 72	Repairing level.....	35 00
Concrete between tracks of Brooklyn Rapid Transit, Third avenue.....	15 00	Repairing sewer basin.....	140 00
Disinfectant.....	125 00	Rubber boots.....	142 30
Dump tickets.....	40 00	Salt.....	23 75
Erecting scaffold.....	100 00	Sewer pipe.....	105 75
Grass seed.....	8 94	Stable supplies.....	26 75
Gutter, leader, etc.....	75 20	Stamps and stamped envelopes.....	65 00
Grate bars.....	100 00	Stationery.....	40 00
Harness, and repairs to same.....	97 75	Tapes.....	37 00
Hardware.....	109 65	Use of boat in making soundings at outlets.....	2 00
Hay, feed, etc.....	228 17	Wagons, and repairs to same.....	888 00
Total.....		Total.....	\$4,240 86

Contracts entered into chargeable to the following accounts:

Sewers, Repairing and Cleaning—	
Payrolls and supplies	\$1,027 07
Thirty-first Ward Sewerage, Districts 1 and 3	1,326 50
Twenty-sixth Ward Disposal Works	3,528 00
Street Improvement Fund	376,460 58
Total	\$382,342 15

BUREAU OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS AND OFFICES.

Appropriation, 1903.	Balance April 1.	Vouchers Sent to Comptroller for Payment.	Outstanding Liabilities.	Balance Available.
Salaries and Wages	\$105,278 52	\$34,594 86	.....	\$70,683 66
Supplies and Repairs	96,013 73	22,476 73	\$30,880 94	42,656 06
Supplies and Contingencies	898 50	301 00	.....	597 50

Special Accounts.

Expenditures.	
Public Bath Fund	\$37,721 86
Construction and equipment of public comfort stations	24,986 43
Repairs to Borough Hall (Revenue Bond Fund)	5,403 66
Extension, alteration, improvement, etc., of Kings County Hall of Records	76,063 95
Total	\$144,175 90

Contracts entered into chargeable to the following accounts:

Supplies and repairs	\$10,779 80
Two modified contracts for the construction and equipment of public comfort stations	\$2,446 00

Supplies and repairs, \$14,222.26; supplies and contingencies, \$237.70; of which an itemized statement is made above.

An itemized statement of expenditures also appears above.

BUREAU OF INCUMBRANCES AND PERMITS.

Appropriation, 1903.	Balance April 1.	Vouchers Sent to Comptroller for Payment.	Outstanding Liabilities.	Balance Available.
Salaries	\$14,804 52	\$3,150 00	.....	\$11,654 52
Removal of Incumbrances	7,904 63	112 00	.....	7,792 63
Totals	\$22,709 15	\$3,262 00	.....	\$19,447 15

The supplies ordered by the Bureau of Incumbrances and Permits during the quarter were as follows:

Carfare tickets	\$100 00
Postage stamps	4 00
Repairing bicycle	8 00

Total

The amount received by this Bureau for permits during the quarter was \$11,619.23, details of which appear in the Report of the Bureau of Incumbrances and Permits.

Bureau of Buildings, Borough of Brooklyn,
July 15, 1903.

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

Dear Sir—I herewith submit the report of the Bureau of Buildings for three months ending June 30, 1903, with a comparative statement of the building operations in this borough for the first six months of the years 1902 and 1903:

Year 1902, permits issued for 1,594 buildings	\$10,002,873 00
Year 1902, permits issued for 2,569 alterations	1,556,658 00

Total

Year 1903, permits issued for 1,867 buildings	\$11,556,460 00
Year 1903, permits issued for 3,723 alterations	2,010,277 00

Total

It will be observed that the number of buildings for which permits were granted in the first six months of 1903 exceeds that of a like period in 1902 by nearly 300, and that the cost of the building operations for the first half of 1903 is greater than 1902 by over \$2,000,000. This is a very satisfactory state of affairs, and it is my judgment that had it not been for the unsettled labor conditions, permits for not less than \$5,000,000 worth more of new buildings would have been taken out.

I desire to call your attention to the following table showing the number of tenement houses for which permits have been granted under the present law during the first six months of this year, and a comparative statement with the year 1902:

Year 1902, from January 1 to December 31, Inclusive.	
Number of permits issued	113
Aggregate number of buildings	224
Total cost	\$2,101,200 00

Year 1903, from January 1 to June 30, Inclusive.

Number of permits issued	131
Aggregate number of buildings	239
Total cost	\$2,125,300 00

Subdivided as follows:

Two-story frame buildings	13
Three-story frame buildings	47
Three-story brick buildings	116
Four-story brick buildings	53
Five-story brick buildings	7
Six-story brick buildings	3
Total	239

You will note that both in point of number and value more tenement houses were built during the first six months of 1903 than in all of 1902. This is due to the amended Tenement House Law which went into effect April 14 of this year, and with which amendments your office had so much to do. My annual report of last January is therefore born out by the result, when I predicted that the modification of the Tenement House Law would bring about a revival of tenement building in this borough.

Section 89 of the Building Code required that the Bureau of Buildings should adopt rules to govern the installation of gas piping and fixtures. While this has been the law since 1898, not until this year has it been put into effect. Rules governing this work have been prepared by the Bureau of Buildings and approved by you, and are now being advertised in the "City Record," as required by law. They will be in force August 15. The inspection of this important work will be by the plumbing branch of this Bureau at very little extra cost to the City. Much benefit will accrue to the citizens of Brooklyn by the adoption of these rules and regulations.

First—They will be guaranteed a sufficient supply of gas through proper size gas pipes.

Second—The tests required by this Bureau will stop further leakage in gas pipes and fixtures, thereby preventing many gas explosions, with consequent loss by fire, and injury to the health of the people by the inhalation of gas.

The amount allowed this Bureau for salaries for 1903 was \$130,250. Of this amount \$61,035.61 has been expended for the first six months of the year, leaving a balance of \$69,214.39.

Of \$6,000 allowed for emergencies for the year 1903, but \$1,991.28 has been expended, leaving a balance of \$4,008.72.

Yours respectfully,

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

Statement of the Bureau of Buildings, Borough of Brooklyn, New York City.

Plans and specifications for new buildings filed and acted upon during the quarter ending June 30, 1903.

Classification.	Number of Applications.	Number of Buildings.	Estimated Cost.
1. Dwelling houses, estimated cost over \$50,000 .....	.....	.....	.....
2. Dwelling houses, estimated cost between \$20,000 and \$50,000	2	3	\$95,000 00
3. Dwelling houses, estimated cost less than \$20,000	55	257	1,201,200 00
4. Tenements, estimated cost between \$20,000 and \$50,000	15	19	563,000 00
5. Tenement houses, estimated cost less than \$20,000	61	120	864,900 00
6. Stores, estimated cost over \$30,000	1	1	160,000 00
7. Stores, estimated cost between \$15,000 and \$30,000 .....	.....	.....	.....
8. Stores, estimated cost less than \$15,000	21	21	73,100 00
9. Stores and two families	25	72	393,500 00
10. Office buildings	2	2	145,800 00
11. Manufactories and workshops—brick	21	21	254,200 00
12. Manufactories and workshops—frame	11	12	19,150 00
13. School houses	1	1	20,800 00
14. Churches	1	1	4,000 00
15. Public buildings, municipal	4	4	216,000 00
16. Public buildings, places of amusement, etc.	3	3	600,000 00
17. Stables	19	20	90,750 00
18. Brick sundries	10	10	31,250 00
19. Frame dwellings	215	307	1,134,350 00
20. Frame tenements	20	49	171,100 00
21. Frame stores, two families	14	21	78,200 00
22. Other frame structures	141	151	122,425 00
Totals	642	1,095	\$6,238,725 00

Plans and specifications for alterations to buildings filed and acted upon during the quarter ending June 30, 1903.

Classification.	Number of Applications.	Number of Buildings.	Estimated Cost.
1. Dwellings	95	98	\$102,826 00
2. Flats .....	.....	.....	.....
3. Tenements	43	58	34,715 00
4. Hotels and boarding houses	7	8	12,940 00
5. Stores	26	28	288,221 00
6. Offices	2	3	10,500 00
7. Manufactories and workshops	44	45	148,895 00
8. Schools	5	5	70,800 00
9. Churches	1	1	10,000 00
10. Public buildings	18	19	244,975 00
11. Stables	9	9	16,900 00
12. Frame buildings	387	409	181,665 00
Totals	637	683	\$1,122,437 00

Violations of Law and Unsafe Buildings During the Quarter Ending June 30, 1903.
Notices Issued During the Quarter Ending June 30, 1903.

Nature.	Pending.	Received Since.	Total.	Remedied Before Action of Court.	Total Action of Court.	Forwarded to Counsel.
1. Defective light and ventilation	2	..	2	..	2	..
2. Defective plumbing and drainage	337	211	548	210	338	131
3. Defective elevators	25	25	50	16	34	16
4. Defective construction and materials	1,351	423	1,774	524	1,250	310
5. Erecting and altering with permit	406	291	697	261	436	151
6. Insufficient means of escape, fire escapes out of repair, etc.	236	8	244	36	208	26
7. Unsafe buildings	271	236	507	173	334	198
Totals	2,628	1,194	3,822	1,220	2,602	826

Notices Issued During the Quarter Ending June 30, 1903.

To place fire escapes on buildings	8
To remove violations of law	925
To remove unsafe buildings	230
To repair passenger elevators	25

Totals

Complaints Received and Investigated During the Quarter Ending June 30, 1903.

Nature.	Pending April 1.	Received Since.	Total.	Unfounded.	Remedied on Verbal Notice.	Total.	Pending June 30.
1. Defective flues	1	12	13	6	1	12	1
2. Defective construction, materials, etc. ....	..	12	12	9	..	12	..
3. Defective leaders .....	..	12	12	3	2	9	3
4. Erecting and altering without permit .....	..	37	37	26	1	35	2
5. Insufficient means of escape, etc. ....	..	3	3	3	..	3	..
6. Wood too near flue .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
7. Unsafe buildings .....	..	88	88	35	3	82	6
8. Defective plumbing and drainage	3	33	36	18	1	33	3
9. Erecting frame structures without permit .....	..	37	37	11	..	26	1
10. Fences over 10 feet high .....	..	15	15	10	..	14	1
Totals	4	249	253	126	8	236	17

Inspection of Passenger Elevators During the Quarter Ending June 30, 1903.

Number inspected	1,569
Found to be in good order and fit for use	1,544
Found not in compliance with the law	25

Disposition of Cases Found Not in Compliance with the Law.

Nature.	Pending April 1, 1903.	Received Since.	Total.	Law Complied With.	Pending June 30, 1903.	Counsel.
1. Defective safety appliances	1	..	1	..	1	..
2. No grating under overhead machinery	24	25	49	16	33	10
Total	25	25	50	16	34	10

Iron and Steel Inspections Made During the Quarter Ending June 30, 1903.

Beams	2,122	Shoe plates	300
Columns	491	Trusses	33
Lintels	485	Ties, caps, separators	315
Channels	423	Bases	120
Girders	210	T-bars	4
Angles	411		

Totals

4,914

Total number of iron and steel inspections during the quarter.....

4,914

Total number of construction inspections during the quarter.....

62,222

Applications for ordinary repairs made on construction slip blanks—

plumbing, 497; building, 699; bay, 222

1,418

Estimated cost of repairs on construction slip blanks—plumbing, \$68,049;

building, \$53,092; bay, \$66,072.....

\$187,213 00

Location of New Buildings Commenced and Completed During the Quarter Ending

June 30, 1903.

Wards.	Com- menced.	Com- pleted.	Wards.	Com- menced.	Com- pleted.
First	3	6	Eighteenth	11	14
Second	2	..	Nineteenth	9	..
Third	1	3	Twentieth	2	2
Fourth	3	2	Twenty-first	7	3
Fifth	3	8	Twenty-second	21	17
Sixth	4	5	Twenty-third	3	16
Seventh .....	..	1	Twenty-fourth	46	111
Eighth	58	58	Twenty-fifth	38	10
Ninth	8	13	Twenty-sixth	270	62
Tenth .....	..	2	Twenty-seventh	27	12
Eleventh	2	..	Twenty-eighth	50	85
Twelfth	4	2	Twenty-ninth	97	109
Thirteenth	2	..	Thirtieth	111	138
Fourteenth .....	..	..	Thirty-first	206	143
Fifteenth	1	1	Thirty-second	39	30
Sixteenth	10	..			
Seventeenth	31	20	Totals	1,068	873

Location of Alterations to Buildings Commenced and Completed During the Quar-
ter Ending June 30, 1903.

Wards.	Com- menced.	Com- pleted.	Wards.	Com- menced.	Com- pleted.
First	18	19	Eighteenth	16	6
Second	3	9	Nineteenth	23	15
Third	12	8	Twentieth	7	8
Fourth	5	8	Twenty-first	30	6
Fifth	6	8	Twenty-second	29	18
Sixth	11	19	Twenty-third	18	8
Seventh	11	19	Twenty-fourth	17	15
Eighth	34	16	Twenty-fifth	11	26
Ninth	9	13	Twenty-sixth	114	25
Tenth	18	10	Twenty-seventh	30	31
Eleventh	9	10	Twenty-eighth	35	31
Twelfth	16	12	Twenty-ninth	33	54
Thirteenth	9	6	Thirtieth	50	39
Fourteenth	12	5	Thirty-first	142	86
Fifteenth	4	7	Thirty-second	7	4
Sixteenth	33	24			
Seventeenth	36	21	Totals	808	596

New buildings in progress.....

5,587

Alterations in progress.....

2,062

New buildings commenced.....

1,068

Alterations commenced.....

873

Alterations completed.....

696

Number of buildings inspected and total number of inspections made during the

quarter ending June 30, 1903, in relation to plumbing and drainage:

Nature.	Tenements. As to Plumb- ing and Drainage.	Miscellaneous. As to Plumb- ing and Drainage.	Totals.
Number of buildings under inspection.....	284	1420	1704
Number of buildings commenced during the quarter...	63	514	577
Number of buildings completed during the quarter....	52	472	524
Number of buildings under inspection.....	295	1462	1757
Total number of inspections during the quarter			15,021

Comparative Statement for the Quarter Ending June 30, 1903.

	1902.	1903.	Increase.
Number of new buildings and alterations for which permits were issued.....	2,520	3,096	676
Number of new buildings completed.....	649	873	224
Number of alterations completed.....	523	596	73
Violations reported by the Inspectors.....	713	950	237
Notices issued during the quarter.....	1,032	1,207	175
Complaints lodged with the Department...	173	249	76
Unsafe buildings made safe or taken down..	192	131	..
Violations forwarded for prosecution.....	366	602	236
Unsafe building cases forwarded for prosecu- tion	130	198	68
Fire escape cases forwarded for prosecution	112	26	..
Number of fire escape violations.....	82	8	..
Number of passenger elevators examined..	1,409	1,569	160
Violations removed	594	1,011	417
Estimated cost of new buildings and alterations	\$7,398,070 00	\$7,361,162 00	..

BUREAU OF BUILDINGS, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

Number of employees on June, 1903, payroll.....

89

List of Appointments, Dismissals and Deaths.

Appointments—	
5 Inspectors of Carpentry and Masonry, each.....	\$1,200 00
1 Inspector of Iron and Steel.....	1,200 00
2 Inspectors of Plumbing and Drainage, each.....	1,200 00
2 Clerks, each	1,050 00

Dismissals—

2 Inspectors of Carpentry and Masonry, each.....

1,200 00

Deaths—

John Keenan, Inspector of Plumbing, died May 12.

Statement of Finances.

Amount of Salary Appropriation.....

\$130,250 00

Payrolls for January, February, March, April, May and June.....

61,035 61

Balance.....

\$69,214 39

Contingencies and Emergencies Appropriation.....

6,000 00

Vouchers certified to Comptroller for six months ending June 30.....

1,991 28

Balance.....

\$4,008 72

Unsafe Building Fund.

Balance on hand March 31.....

\$601 31

Deposited with Comptroller for quarter ending June 30.....

252 50

Balance on hand June 30, 1903.....

\$853 81

Bay Window Account.

Cash received and deposited with the Chamberlain for bay window per-
mits issued for six months ending June 30.....

\$1,186 93

WILLIAM M. CALDER,

Superintendent of Buildings, Borough of Brooklyn.

JAMES J. BYRNE, Chief Clerk.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Statement and return of moneys received by Arthur F. Cosby, Assistant Cor-
poration Counsel, Bureau for the Recovery of Penalties, for the month of August,
1903, rendered to the Comptroller, in pursuance of the provisions of section 117,
article 2, chapter 4 of the Revised Ordinances of 1897, and of sections 259 and
1550 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, as amended by chapter 466, Laws of 1901.

Date.	What For.	Judgments.	Collections and Penalties.	Costs.	Total Amount.
Aug. 3	In the matter of the Commissioner of Public Charities vs. William F. Anthony, Julius Meyers and Annie L. Spiegel.....	..	\$5 00	..	\$5 00
Aug. 4	In the matter of the Commissioner of Public Charities vs. Alphonse Cahn..	..	10 00	..	10 00
Aug. 5	Violation of Corporation Ordinances..	\$110 50	10 00	\$2 50	123 00
Aug. 5	In the matter of the Commissioner of Public Charities vs. Isaac Cahn.....	..	20 00	..	20 00
Aug. 5	In the matter of the Commissioner of Public Charities vs. Morris Brill and Max Silver.....	..	9 50	..	9 50
Aug. 5	In the matter of the Commissioner of Public Charities vs. Thomas Brady and August Obrock.....	..	4 00	2 00	6 00
Aug. 8	In the matter of the Commissioner of Public Charities vs. Thomas F. Len- non, Louis Schaefer and Charles Eiseman .....	..	18 00	..	18 00
Aug. 8	In the matter of the Commissioner of Public Charities vs. Edgar N. Stercks, Peter Shortell and Alphonse Stercks .....	..	25 00	..	25 00
Aug. 12	In the matter of the Commissioner of Public Charities vs. Hugo Press- fuend and Adolph G. Kruetz.....	..	25 00	..	25 00
Aug. 13	In the matter of the Commissioner of Public Charities vs. Robert J. Curry, Arno Vahlbruch and Samuel J. Curry.	..	50 00	..	50 00
Aug. 14	In the matter of the Commissioner of Public Charities vs. Isaac Cahn.....	..	40 00	..	40 00
Aug. 14	Violation of Sanitary Code.....	..	..	12 00	12 00
Aug. 15	In the matter of the Commissioner of Public Charities vs. Andrew Golden.	..	5 00	..	5 00
Aug. 17	In the matter of the Commissioner of Public Charities vs. Samuel Boyd, Charles Glatt and Matilda Boyd....	..	6 00	..	6 00
Aug. 17	In the matter of the Commissioner of Public Charities vs. Louis Wechsler and Leon Wechsler.....	..	64 00	5 00	69 00
Aug. 17	In the matter of the Commissioner of Public Charities vs. Nicholas To- ranto, Andrew Barbieri and Peter C. Campbell .....	..	5 00	..	5 00
Aug. 18	In the matter of the Commissioner of Public Charities vs. Charles C. Schildwachter, Jr.; John Shea and Daniel Sylvester .....	..	12 00	..	12 00
Aug. 19	In the matter of the Commissioner of Public Charities vs. Hank Philip....	..	175 00	..	175 00
Aug. 19	In the matter of the Commissioner of Public Charities vs. Patrick Fitzgib- bons .....	..	15 00	..	15 00
Aug. 19	In the matter of the Commissioner of Public Charities vs. Nathan Mayer..	..	6 00	..	6 00
Aug. 19	In the matter of the Commissioner of Public Charities vs. Hugo Press- fuend and Adolph G. Kruetz.....	..	..	2 00	2 00
Aug. 19	In the matter of the Commissioner of Public Charities vs. Frederick Kilian, Henry G. Wohlers and Andrew Ryan .....	..	20 00	..	20 00
Aug. 20	In the matter of the Commissioner of Public Charities vs. Joseph E. Koch- man .....	..	125 00	..	125 00
Aug. 20	In the matter of the Commissioner of Public Charities vs. Louis Levine....	..	250 00	..	250 00
Aug. 21	Violation of Corporation ordinances....	..	..	125 29	125 29
Aug. 21	In the matter of the Commissioner of Public Charities vs. Henry Meinecke and Louisa Meinecke.....	..	10 00	..	10 00
Aug. 24	In the matter of the Commissioner of Public Charities vs. Abraham Brown and Henry Kerling.....	..	15 00	..	15 00
Aug. 25	In the matter of the Commissioner of Public Charities vs. Isaac Cahn.....	..	20 00	..	20 00
Aug. 26	In the matter of the Commissioner of Public Charities vs. William F. Anthony, Julius Meyers and Annie L. Spiegel .....	..	5 00	..	5 00
Aug. 26	In the matter of the Commissioner of Public Charities vs. Henry Wichern and John Wichern.....	..	10 00	..	10 00
Aug. 26	In the matter of the Commissioner of Public Charities vs. Nicolo Ivone and Michael Palarino.....	..	6 00	..	6 00
Aug. 26	In the matter of the Commissioner of Public Charities vs. Morris Wolf and Fannie Cohen .....	..	1 00	..	1 00

Total amount collected.....

\$1,225 79

Amount paid over to Commissioner of Public Charities in aban-
donment and bastardy cases.....

\$956 50

Amount paid over to Board of Health, costs collected for viola-
tion of Sanitary Code

12 00

968 50

Balance due The City of New York.....

\$257 29

ARTHUR F. COSBY, Assistant Corporation Counsel.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

Abstract of Transactions of the Department of Finance for the Week Ending July 11, 1903.

Deposited in the City Treasury.

To the credit of the City Treasury.....	\$7,265,912 84
To the credit of the Sinking Funds.....	294,545 01
Total.....	\$7,560,457 85

Stock and Bonds Issued.

Three per cent. stock.....	\$108,442 80
Three per cent. bonds.....	141,000 00
Three and three-quarters per cent. bonds.....	6,550,000 00
Total.....	\$6,799,442 80

Warrants Registered for Payment.

Appropriation accounts, "A" Warrants.....	\$645,124 76
Special and Trust accounts, "B" Warrants.....	2,835,172 29
Additional Water Fund, "C" Warrants.....	4,849 20
Total.....	\$3,485,146 31

SUITS, ORDERS OF COURT, JUDGMENTS, ETC.

Court.	Name of Plaintiff.	Amount.	Nature of Suit.	Attorney.
Supreme.	In re application of The Mayor, etc., relative to acquiring title to lands for opening Walton avenue.....	\$7,055 91 10,652 54	Certified copy order entered at a Special Term, Part I, Supreme Court, July 3, 1903, directing payment to the United Real Estate and Trust Company of the awards for Parcels Nos. 4, \$7,055.91, and 5, \$10,652.54, in this proceeding.....	Truman H. Baldwin
"	Horgan & Slattery vs. The City of New York (Action No. 12).....	17,701 33	Notice of judgment.....	Augustus Van Wyck
"	Horgan & Slattery vs. The City of New York (Action No. 13).....	222 48	Notice of judgment.....	"
"	In re acquiring title to Arthur avenue.....		Certified copy order, entered at a Special Term, Part I, Supreme Court, July 6, 1903, directing the Comptroller to pay to the petitioner, Harry Mayer, the sum of money awarded as damages for Parcel No. 151, to "Unknown Owners," in this proceeding.....	B. Lewinson
U.S. Dist. Court, Southern District, N. Y.....	Michael Moran and John G. Crane vs. John G. Crane and others.....	425 00	Copy order, entered at a Special Term of the United States District Court, Southern District of New York, July 2, 1903, granting motion of libellant that the Comptroller be directed to pay into the Registry of this Court the sum of \$425, to abide the event of this suit, and further directing that upon payment of said sum into Registry of this Court, the Comptroller is entirely absolved from all liability whatsoever by reason of such attachment, and also on account of the pendency of said suit.....	Peter S. Carter.
Supreme.	The City of New York vs. George M. Clark.....	66 55	Copy notice of judgment for \$66.55, in favor of defendant.....	Straley, Hasbrouck & Schroeder
Supreme, Kings....	Mary C. O'Hearn vs. The City of New York.....		Copy summons and complaint.....	Eugene V. Brewster
Supreme, Queens....	East River Gas Company, Long Island City vs. The City of New York.....	1,896 85	Transcript of judgment.....	H. T. Weeks
"	East River Gas Company, Long Island City vs. The City of New York.....	1,919 84	Transcript of judgment.....	"
General Sessions..	The People, etc., vs. Thomas F. Dorgan.....	500 00	Copy affidavit and order allowing Christopher F. Kinsley, Counselor-at-law the sum of \$500, counsel fees in this action.....	C. F. Kinsley
Surrogate's..	In re application of John E. Heartt and Josephine Ramsay, executors, etc., for a sale of the real property of Margaret Heartt, deceased.....		Copy petition order for citation and citation, and the Comptroller and others to appear at the Surrogate's Court July 21, 1903, to show cause why the prayer of the petitioners should not be granted and why authority should not be given to the executors to dispose of decedent's real property, etc.....	James O. Farrell
Supreme, Kings....	Edward Drummond vs. The City of New York.....		Copy summons and complaint.....	James C. Cropsey.
Supreme..	In re application of John Halpin for a peremptory writ of mandamus, directed to Edward M. Grout, Comptroller, to pay the sum of \$120, unlawfully withheld.....	120 00	Copy affidavit and notice of motion returnable at a Special Term, Part I, Supreme Court, July 13, 1903, for a peremptory writ of mandamus, commanding the Comptroller to repay to the relator the sum of \$120, being amount of money deposited with the Collector of City Revenue, on account of claim for rent, etc.....	Joseph A. Flannery.
"	In re application of Peter King, for a peremptory writ of mandamus, directed to Edward M. Grout, Comptroller, to pay an award of damages.....	2,951 91	Copy affidavits and notice of motions returnable at a Special Term, Part I, Supreme Court, July 13, 1903, for a peremptory writ of mandamus commanding the Comptroller to pay to the relator the sum of \$2,951.91, award for lands taken in re Broadway proceedings.....	"
"	In re application of Isabella Knudsen for payment of award for parcel No. 19, in proceedings to acquire title to Morris avenue.....		Copy petition and notice of motion returnable at a Special Term, Part I, Supreme Court, July 17, 1903, for an order directing the Comptroller to apply the sum of \$700 and interest, being damages for Parcel No. 19, on account of certain taxes and assessments, in the manner mentioned and referred to in petition, etc.....	Reeves, Todd & Swan
"	Louis Ritter, Jr., an infant, by Louis Ritter, Sr., his guardian, at litem, vs. The City of New York.....		Copy summons and complaint.....	Abraham Oberstein
U. S. Circuit Court, Southern Dist., N. Y.....	Walter Stanton vs. William Edward Coffin.....		Notice of appointment of Thomas P. Wickes as Receiver.....	"
Notice..	Ritter vs. The City....		Withdrawal of summons and complaint, filed July 9, 1903.....	Abraham Oberstein.
Supreme..	Thomas McCann vs. The City of New York.....	2,230 78	Transcript of judgment.....	Conrad S. Keyes.
"	In re application of The Mayor, etc., relative to opening, etc., Broadway; John C. Rodgers, petitioner.....	2,394 72	Copy affidavit and notice of motion returnable at a Special Term, Part I, Supreme Court, July 14, 1903, for an order directing the Comptroller to pay to the petitioner the sum of \$2,394.72, award for Parcel No. 1A, in this proceeding.....	Joseph A. Flannery.
"	The People, etc., ex rel. Taber Prang Art Company vs. Thomas L. Feitner and others, Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments.....		Certified copy order entered at a Special Term, Part III, Supreme Court, July 7, 1903, reducing assessment on property of the relator for the year 1901. Also for 1902.....	Theodore Sutro.

"	The People, etc., ex rel. John R. Williams Company vs. Thomas L. Feitner and others, Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments.....		Certified copy order entered at a Special Term, Part III, Supreme Court, July 7, 1903, reducing assessment on property of the relator for the year 1901.....	"
Supreme, Queens....	Magnus Larson vs. The City of New York.....	2,312 17	Transcript of judgment.....	Foster & Foster.
Supreme, Richmond	William Moore Smith vs. The City of New York.....	395 00	Transcript of judgment.....	"
Supreme, Kings....	J. Stewart Ross, executor, vs. The City of New York.....	45,279 92	Transcript of judgment.....	J. Stewart Ross.
"	J. Stewart Ross, executor, vs. The City of New York.....	106 47	Transcript of judgment.....	"
Supreme, Queens....	Owen McElearney vs. The City of New York.....		Copy summons and complaint.....	Joseph Fitch.
Supreme, Kings....	Joseph Moloney, Mary Ann Moloney, John William Moloney, Peter Moloney and Elizabeth Moloney vs. Mary Ann Shaw and Patrick Purcell, Mary Moloney, wife of Joseph Moloney, and Mary Moloney, wife of John William Moloney.....		Copy affidavit, Referee's report, interlocutory judgment and notice of motion returnable at a Special Term, Supreme Court, Brooklyn, July 15, 1903, for an order directing the Comptroller to pay and turn over to the Referee, Michael E. Finnigan, the award for land taken in proceedings to open Blake avenue, Brooklyn, etc.....	John J. Connelly.
"	In re application of Wesley S. Block and John W. Block, for payment of award for Parcel No. 61 in proceedings to open Montgomery street, Brooklyn.....		Copy order entered at a Special Term, Supreme Court, Brooklyn, Kings County, July 10, 1903, confirming report of Referee and directing payment of the sum of \$622.33, award for Parcel No. 61, to the petitioners in this proceeding.....	Robert H. Haskell.
Supreme..	In re application of Elizabeth Solomon, executrix, for payment of award for Parcel No. 14, in proceedings to open Watt street.....		Certified copy order entered at a Special Term, Supreme Court, Part I, July 9, 1903, directing payment to the petitioner of the sum of \$275, award for Parcel No. 14, in this proceeding.....	Ryan & Innes.
U.S. Dist. Court, Southern District, N. Y.....	Alfred W. Booth and others, vs. The City of New York.....		Copy final decree directing that the libellants recover the sum of \$473.12, entered July 6, 1903.....	Alexander & Ash
Supreme, Kings....	Thomas G. Carlin vs. Edward M. Grout, as Comptroller, Homer Folks, Commissioner of Charities, The City of New York and James Curran Manufacturing Company.....		Copy order to show cause at a Special Term, Supreme Court, Brooklyn, Kings County, July 16, 1903, why order directing that the Comptroller should refrain from paying the defendant, J. Curran Manufacturing Company, the sum of \$16,950, on account of alleged contract for furnishing heating and power plant for Kings County Building, Clarkson street, Brooklyn, should not be enforced until further order of this Court. Also undertaking on injunction, bond, affidavit and summons and complaint.....	Luke D. Stapleton

CLAIMS FILED.

Date.	Name of Claimant.	Amount.	Nature of Claim.	Attorney.
July 6..	H. Siegel & Co.....	\$15 25	For repairing leak in water pipe in front of premises Nos. 164 and 166 East One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street.....	"
" 6..	Newtown and Flushing Gas Company.....	447 58	For gaslight furnished to The City of New York and to various Departments thereof in Queens, during April and May, 1903.....	Harmon & Mathewson.
" 6..	New York and Queens Electric Light and Power Company.....	40,511 85	For electric light furnished to The City of New York and to the various Departments thereof in the Borough of Queens for the months of May and June, 1903 (exclusive of public lamps in Woodhaven Lighting District).....	"
" 6..	Matthew O'Farrell.....		Salary as member of the Fire Department.....	"
" 6..	Olin G. Walbridge.....	1,246 47	Damages for the taking of vault at premises fronting on Prince and Marion streets in proceedings to widen Elm street.....	George I. Woollev.
" 6..	John Dwyer.....	5,000 00	Damages for personal injuries received by being thrown from a cart owing to the defective condition of the bridge over Harlem river at Third avenue, June 13, 1903.....	Daniel F. Cohalan
" 6..	Hazel Clark.....	2,000 00	Damages for personal injuries received by reason of defective condition of sidewalk in front of premises No. 75 West Ninety-eighth street, May 12, 1903.....	Abraham A. Joseph.
" 6..	Sarah Maxwell.....	5,000 00	Damages for personal injuries received by tripping upon a defective curbing, west side of Columbia street, First Ward, Borough of Richmond, April 29, 1903.....	James Burke, Jr.
" 6..	Edmund Beardsley.....	64 75	Damages for overflow of sewer into premises on the east side of Snediker avenue, about 130 feet south of Hegeman avenue, Brooklyn.....	"
" 6..	Frank E. Chase.....	200 00	Damages for overflow of sewer into premises No. 464 Nostrand avenue, Brooklyn, June 29, 1903.....	Logan & Holme
" 7..	Olin G. Walbridge.....	1,191 47	Refund of amount paid for vault permit at premises in Prince and Marion streets.....	George I. Woollev.
" 7..	Benjamin Seliger.....	2,000 00	Damages for personal injuries received by being knocked down and run over by a horse and cart belonging to the City at or near the corner of Sheriff and Rivington streets, June 6, 1903.....	George H. Epstein.
" 7..	Frank Regan, by Bernard Regan.....	5,000 00	Damages for personal injuries received by reason of the falling of a wooden awning in front of premises on the north side of Ninth street, Brooklyn, February 27, 1903.....	Richard A. Rendich.
" 7..	Martin Egan, by Julia Egan.....	5,000 00	Damages for personal injuries received by falling into an opening in the sidewalk at the southeast corner of Fifty-ninth street and Fourth avenue, May 26, 1903.....	"
" 7..	Charles Kroder.....	35 00	Damage to property at premises No. 138 Knickerbocker avenue, Brooklyn, by overflow of sewer, June 29, 1903.....	"
" 7..	General Theological Seminary of the Protestant Episcopal Church.....	3,511 75	For cash disbursements incurred and made by claimant in a certain proceeding in the Supreme Court, entitled "In re application of The City of New York relative to acquiring right and title to wharf property, etc., necessary to be taken for the improvement of the water front of the North river, between Twentieth and Twenty-first streets, and the westerly side of Eleventh avenue and the Hudson river.".....	William H. Harris.
" 7..	John J. Kaltenmeier.....		For rent of yard at Rosebank, Stater Island, used by the Borough of Richmond as a storage place.....	"
" 8..	Celia Weis.....	2,500 00	Damage to property corner of Manhattan avenue and Frost street by the overflow of sewer.....	Joseph A. Flannery.
" 8..	Harry L. Horton, executor.....	9,246 00	Award for Parcels Nos. 1A and 2, in re Timpson place.....	"
" 8..	Mary M. Frazer.....	100 00	Damage to property at No. 289 Halsey street, Brooklyn, by overflow of sewer, June 29, 1903.....	"
" 8..	Lincoln Safe Deposit Company.....	21,925 25	For damages sustained by reason of the destruction and demolition of vaults, boiler and engine plant on Forty-second street, by construction of Rapid Transit Subway.....	Samuel Hoff.

8.	John Henry	2,219 50	For board of claimant and his family while acting as Keeper at Branch Workhouse on Hart's Island during period of alleged illegal removal from January 31, 1902, to April 7, 1903.	Warren Leslie.	10.	William C. Fisher	442 62	Damages for overflow of sewer into premises No. 493 Bainbridge street, Brooklyn, June 29, 1903.	Leland N. Wood.
9.	George Gehringer	5,000 00	Damages for personal injuries received by defective condition of the street at St. Nicholas avenue and Grove street, Brooklyn, May 17, 1903.		10.	William Hess	250 90	For damages for personal property by overflow of water from sewer into premises No. 411 Tompkins avenue, Brooklyn, June 29, 1903.	Ephraim Byk.
9.	Charles Paul	2,000 00	Damages for personal injuries received by slipping on the ice at the Manhattan end of the Brooklyn Bridge, January 11, 1903.	Morris & Whitehouse.	10.	Jennie Wood	40 60	For loss and damages to property at No. 1234 Freeman street by the action of contractor for grading of said Freeman street in leaving Croton water pipe exposed to the frost and cold.	Clocke & Clocke.
9.	Minnie Nick, by Louis Nick	500 00	Damages for personal injuries received by being knocked down by a horse and wagon belonging to the City in Forsyth street, between Broome and Delancey streets, June 29, 1903.		10.	Ellen T. Coughlin, executrix	924 74	Awards for lands taken in re various street openings:	Clarence C. Ferris.
9.	Crystal Water Company of Edgewater.	622 23	For sprinkling the streets in Second and Fourth Wards in Richmond for 1902.	Hugh A. McTernan.		George W. Moore	260 00		
9.	Mary T. Hughes		For surplus money arising from tax sale on property known as Lots Nos. 1, 2 and 3, Block 90, Twenty-second Ward, Brooklyn.			William M. Barum	2,773 90		
9.	S. Dybinski		Damage to property at No. 79 St. Mark's place, Brooklyn, by overflow from sewer, June 29, 1903.			Benjamin G. Berrian	1,649 26		
9.	William McMurray	152 00	For damages to property in premises No. 638 Decatur street, Brooklyn, by overflowing sewer, June 29, 1903.	Leland N. Wood.		Elizabeth M. Tierney, executrix	1,304 70		
9.	Samuel H. Liddle	40 75	For damages to premises No. 66 Atlantic avenue, Brooklyn, by Tender No. 105, Brooklyn Fire Department, colliding with store front, May 11, 1903.	Haviland & Sons.		Alice Murray and another	963 42		
9.	Staten Island Water Supply Company	53 35	For repairs to hydrant, Richmond terrace, at west end of Snug Harbor grounds, made necessary by the act of an employee of Department of Street Cleaning, June 17, 1903.			Eugene Manley and others	1,920 00		
9.	Giovanni Cueterrelli	11 50	Salary as Laborer, Bureau of Highways from March 16 to 21, 1903.			William J. Riley and another	5,752 00		
10.			Damages for overflowing sewers into property of the following claimants in Brooklyn:			Joanna M. Ronan	14 00		
	Charles Christensen	500 00		Henry Weissmann, Dailey & Bell.		Alice B. Dudek	3,421 48		
	Anna Lopp	579 00				Hannah E. Perkins	1,442 65		
	Peter and Elsa Jappe	128 00				Calvin W. Withey, assignee			
	William Hoffmann	398 51				Eugene Stratton	907 00		
	Henry Koster	508 32				I. Windholtz		Damage to awning at No. 181 Greenwich street by Engine No. 29, Fire Department, July 4, 1903.	
	Jacob Nurnberg	224 92						Awards for lands taken in re opening Valentine avenue:	John J. Brady
	George Obach	730 15				Alice Burke	968 74		
	John Herlich	822 39				Mary A. Donnelly	237 00		
	Nicholas Hoffmann	140 10				Ida C. Sheridan	237 00		
	Jacob Huber	347 60				Thomas J. Donnelly and another	200 00		
10.	David L. Weil	75 00	Services as Commissioner to inquire into mental condition of one Martin Anderson, an alleged lunatic.			Mary H. Hayes, administratrix	195 50		
10.	David L. Weil	130 00	Services as Commissioner to inquire into the mental condition of one Engelbert Klugkis, an alleged lunatic.			Ida C. Sheridan	200 00		
10.	William Tait	130 00	Services as Commissioner to inquire into the mental condition of one Engelbert Klugkis, an alleged lunatic.			Mary E. Cumming	2,100 00		
10.	William Tait	75 00	Services as Commissioner to inquire into the mental condition of one Engelbert Klugkis, an alleged lunatic.			John P. Holloway	211 85		
10.	J. Monroe Liebermann	130 00	Services as Commissioner to inquire into the mental condition of one Engelbert Klugkis, an alleged lunatic.			Theobald Mayer	1,618 00		
10.	J. Monroe Liebermann	75 00	Services as Commissioner to inquire into the mental condition of one Engelbert Klugkis, an alleged lunatic.			Theobald Mayer	368 00		
10.	Anna M. Wrigley	10,000 00	Damages for personal injuries received by falling into an unprotected manhole in Greene avenue at the intersection of Bushwick avenue, Brooklyn, May 29, 1903.	James S. Lawson.		William A. Cameron	195 00		
10.	Fred. H. Wrigley	5,000 00	Damages for loss of services of his wife, Anna M. Wrigley, and for medicinal expenses. (See above claim.)			William A. Cameron	205 00		
10.	Lena Fite	15,000 00	Damages for personal injuries received by reason of defective condition of the sidewalk at premises No. 292 Stanton street, February 22, 1903.	Emanuel Klein.		John Cusack and another	187 00		
10.	Abraham Fite	15,000 00	Damages for loss of services of his wife, Lena Fite, and for medicinal expenses. (See above claim.)			Ellen B. K. Sargent	770 00		
						John J. Brady	4,023 78		
						John J. Brady	225 00		
						John J. Brady	185 00		
						John J. Brady	170 00		
						Andrew Lennon	400 00		
						Marion Wash	1,123 25		
						Mary A. McDonald	875 00		
						Mary A. McDonald	1,844 00		
						Edward Handy	820 80		
						Bridget Geoghegan and others	605 00		
						John Reid	63 00	Damages to property at No. 503 Bainbridge street, Brooklyn, by overflow of sewer, June 29, 1903.	Leland N. Wood.
						Edward Cook	33 00	Damage to property at No. 499 Bainbridge street, Brooklyn, by overflow of sewer, June 29, 1903.	
						Jacques A. Isner	500 00	Damage to property No. 611 Evergreen avenue, Brooklyn, by overflow of sewer, June 29, 1903.	Hippolyte A. Geney.
						Charles B. Isner	100 00	Damage to property No. 611 Evergreen avenue, Brooklyn, by overflow of sewer, June 29, 1903.	

CONTRACTS REGISTERED FOR THE WEEK ENDING JULY 11, 1903.

No.	Date of Contract.	Department.	Borough.	Names of Contractors.	Names of Sureties.	Amount of Bond.	Description of Work.	Cost.
7771	1903 April 13	President of the Borough of Brooklyn.	Brooklyn	Albert M. Fragner	The Aetna Indemnity Company	1,200 00	For a sewer in Bay Eighth street, between Bath avenue and Cropsey avenue, with temporary connection at Cropsey avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, together with all work incidental thereto.	1,976 00
7772	" 11	President of the Borough of Brooklyn.	Brooklyn	P. J. Murray	The Empire State Surety Company; the Aetna Indemnity Company	15,000 00	For a sewer in Fiftieth street, between Sixth avenue and Eighth avenue, also outlet sewers in Eighth avenue, between Fiftieth and Fifty-third streets, and in Seventh avenue, between Fifty-second and Sixty-second streets, in the Borough of Brooklyn.	24,749 00
7773	" 13	President of the Borough of Brooklyn.	Brooklyn	James Jennings	The Empire State Surety Company	100 00	For fencing vacant lots on the south side of Centre street, between Smith and Court streets, etc., etc., Borough of Brooklyn.	283 14
7774	" 13	President of the Borough of Brooklyn.	Brooklyn	D. G. Pecora	National Surety Company	500 00	For constructing sidewalks in front of certain lots on the northwest side of Schaeffer street, between Central and Hamburg avenues, etc., etc., Borough of Brooklyn.	1,405 05
7775	" 13	President of the Borough of Brooklyn.	Brooklyn	James Jennings	The Empire State Surety Company	200 00	For fencing vacant lots on the south side of Lincoln place, between Fifth avenue and Sixth avenue, etc., etc., Borough of Brooklyn.	312 78
7776	" 9	President of the Borough of Brooklyn.	Brooklyn	Vulcanite Paving Company	National Surety Company	1,200 00	For constructing sidewalks on the north side of Park place, between Nostrand avenue and Rogers avenue, etc., etc., Borough of Brooklyn.	3,646 50
7777	" 14	President of the Borough of Brooklyn.	Brooklyn	N. Schneider's Sons	The Aetna Indemnity Company	1,200 00	For constructing sidewalks on the north side of Twenty-sixth street, between Fourth avenue and Fifth avenue, etc., etc., Borough of Brooklyn.	3,421 44
7778	" 9	President of the Borough of Brooklyn.	Brooklyn	Vulcanite Paving Company	National Surety Company	1,500 00	For constructing sidewalks on the north side of Seventy-fourth street, between Fort Hamilton avenue and Tenth avenue, etc., etc., Borough of Brooklyn.	4,508 46
7779	" 14	President of the Borough of Brooklyn.	Brooklyn	N. Schneider's Sons	The Aetna Indemnity Company	500 00	For constructing sidewalks on the west side of Fifth avenue, between Fifty-second street and Fifty-third street, etc., etc., Borough of Brooklyn.	1,465 92
7780	" 21	President of the Borough of The Bronx.	The Bronx	Continental Asphalt Paving Company	The Empire State Surety Company; the United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company	16,000 00	For paving with asphalt blocks on a concrete foundation the roadway of Brook avenue, from Webster avenue to Wendover avenue, together with all work incidental thereto, in the Borough of The Bronx.	44,746 25
7781	June 29	Education	Queens	Louis Gluck	The Union Surety and Guaranty Company	500 00	For the supplying of furniture, item 2, addition to Public School 51, Johnson avenue, between Stuart and Jamaica avenues, Richmond Hill, Borough of Queens.	697 00
7782	May 28	Education	Queens	George Hildebrand	Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland; the Empire State Surety Company.	90,000 00	For the general construction of New Public School 84, northerly side of Albert street, between Ditmars and Potter avenues, Steinway, Long Island City, Borough of Queens.	198,390 00
7783	June 11	Education	Brooklyn	Richard E. Henningham	National Surety Company; the Empire State Surety Company	90,000 00	For the erection of New Public School 47, southwest side of Pacific street, between Third avenue and Nevins street, Borough of Brooklyn.	160,900 00
7784	May 21	President of the Borough of Manhattan.	Manhattan	Continental Asphalt Paving Company	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company; the Empire State Surety Company	4,000 00	For regulating and repaving with asphalt pavement on present pavement relaid as foundation the roadway of Twenty-ninth street, from Eighth avenue to Tenth avenue, together with all work incidental thereto, Borough of Manhattan.	13,632 00
7785	" 21	President of the Borough of Manhattan.	Manhattan	Continental Asphalt Paving Company	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company; the Empire State Surety Company	8,000 00	For regulating and repaving with asphalt pavement on present pavement relaid as foundation, the roadway of Forty-second street, from Seventh avenue to Tenth avenue, together with all work incidental thereto, Borough of Manhattan.	24,356 00
7786	" 21	President of the Borough of Manhattan.	Manhattan	Continental Asphalt Paving Company	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company; the Empire State Surety Company	2,000 00	For regulating and repaving with asphalt pavement on present pavement relaid as foundation the roadway of Seventeenth street, from Seventh avenue to Eighth avenue, together with all work incidental thereto, Borough of Manhattan.	6,017 00

7787	" 21	President of the Borough of Manhattan.	Manhattan	Continental Asphalt Paving Company.....	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company; the Empire State Surety Company.	3,500 00	For regulating and repaving with asphalt pavement on present pavement relaid as foundation the roadway of Twenty-ninth street, from First avenue to Third avenue, together with all work incidental thereto, Borough of Manhattan... Estimate	10,799 50
7788	" 21	President of the Borough of Manhattan.	Manhattan	Continental Asphalt Paving Company.....	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company; the Empire State Surety Company.	5,000 00	For regulating and repaving with asphalt pavement on present pavement relaid as foundation the roadway of Fourteenth street, from Seventh avenue to Ninth avenue, together with all work incidental thereto, Borough of Manhattan... Estimate	16,903 50
7789	April 13	President of the Borough of Manhattan.	Manhattan	The Asphalt Construction Company	The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia; the Empire State Surety Company.....	2,500 00	For regulating and repaving with asphalt pavement on present pavement relaid as foundation the roadway of Seventy-ninth street, from East End avenue to Avenue A, together with all work incidental thereto, Borough of Manhattan... Estimate	6,462 00
7790	May 22	President of the Borough of Manhattan.	Manhattan	The Asphalt Construction Company	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company; the City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia	4,000 00	For regulating and repaving with asphalt pavement on present pavement relaid as foundation the roadway of One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, from Second avenue to Park avenue, together with all work incidental thereto, Borough of Manhattan	10,809 50
7791	" 22	President of the Borough of Manhattan.	Manhattan	The Asphalt Construction Company	The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia; the Empire State Surety Company.....	2,000 00	For regulating and repaving with asphalt pavement on present pavement relaid as foundation, the roadway of One Hundred and Thirty-second street, from Park avenue to Fifth avenue, together with all work incidental thereto, Borough of Manhattan	6,177 00
7792	" 22	President of the Borough of Manhattan.	Manhattan	The Asphalt Construction Company	The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia; the Empire State Surety Company.....	9,000 00	For regulating and repaving with asphalt pavement on present pavement relaid as foundation the roadway of One Hundred and Thirty-first street, from Park avenue to Eighth avenue, together with all work incidental thereto, Borough of Manhattan	24,925 50
7793	" 22	President of the Borough of Manhattan.	Manhattan	The Asphalt Construction Company	The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia; the Empire State Surety Company.....	3,500 00	For regulating and repaving with asphalt pavement on present pavement relaid as foundation the roadway of One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street, from Second avenue to Park avenue, together with all work incidental thereto, Borough of Manhattan	9,876 00
7794	" 22	President of the Borough of Manhattan.	Manhattan	The Asphalt Construction Company	The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia; the United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company	1,200 00	For regulating and repaving with asphalt pavement on present pavement relaid as foundation, the roadway of One Hundred and Thirty-third street, from Madison avenue to Fifth avenue, together with all work incidental thereto, Borough of Manhattan	2,861 00
7795	June 12	President of the Borough of Manhattan.	Manhattan	Building and Sanitary Inspection Company..	.....	.....	For preparing the necessary drawings and specifications for the renovation and repair of the heating, ventilating, lighting and plumbing of the New York County Court House, and supervising the execution of said work, Borough of Manhattan. Estimated cost as per Comptroller's certificate, \$4,000.	
7796	" 12	President of the Borough of Manhattan.	Manhattan	James Lawrence Aspinwall and Fitz Henry F. Tucker, composing the firm of Renwick, Aspinwall & Owen...	.....	.....	For services of architects for the construction and erection of seven (7) public comfort stations, to be located in the Borough of Manhattan. Estimated cost as per Comptroller's certificate, \$10,500.	
7797	May 27	President of the Borough of Manhattan.	Manhattan	The Barber Asphalt Paving Company.....	The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia; the National Surety Company.....	1,200 00	For regulating and repaving with asphalt pavement on present pavement relaid as foundation the roadway of One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, from Madison avenue to Fifth avenue, together with all work incidental thereto, Borough of Manhattan	3,513 40
7798	" 27	President of the Borough of Manhattan.	Manhattan	The Barber Asphalt Paving Company.....	The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia; National Surety Company.....	1,000 00	For regulating and repaving with asphalt pavement on present pavement relaid as foundation the roadway of One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, from St. Nicholas avenue to Convent avenue, together with all work incidental thereto, Borough of Manhattan	2,572 80
7799	" 27	President of the Borough of Manhattan.	Manhattan	The Barber Asphalt Paving Company.....	The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia; National Surety Company.....	1,500 00	For regulating and repaving with asphalt pavement on present pavement relaid as foundation the roadway of St. Mark's place (Eighth street), from Second avenue to Third avenue, together with all work incidental thereto, Borough of Manhattan	5,196 30
7800	" 21	President of the Borough of Manhattan.	Manhattan	The Sicilian Asphalt Paving Company.....	Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland; the Empire State Surety Company.....	2,000 00	For regulating and repaving with asphalt pavement on present pavement relaid as foundation the roadway of Sixty-third street, from Columbus avenue to Amsterdam avenue, together with all work incidental thereto, Borough of Manhattan. Estimate	6,017 50
7801	" 21	President of the Borough of Manhattan.	Manhattan	The Sicilian Asphalt Paving Company.....	Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland; the Empire State Surety Company.....	1,000 00	For regulating and repaving with asphalt pavement on present pavement relaid as foundation the roadway of One Hundredth street, from Broadway to West End avenue, together with all work incidental thereto, Borough of Manhattan.... Estimate	2,522 00
7802	" 21	President of the Borough of Manhattan.	Manhattan	The Sicilian Asphalt Paving Company.....	Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland; the Empire State Surety Company.....	2,000 00	For regulating and repaving with asphalt pavement on present pavement relaid as foundation the roadway of Ninetieth street, from Central Park West to Columbus avenue, together with all work incidental thereto, Borough of Manhattan... Estimate	4,981 00
7803	" 21	President of the Borough of Manhattan.	Manhattan	The Sicilian Asphalt Paving Company.....	Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland; the Empire State Surety Company.....	1,000 00	For regulating and repaving with asphalt pavement on present pavement relaid as foundation the roadway of Ninety-third street, from Broadway to West End avenue, together with all work incidental thereto, Borough of Manhattan..... Estimate	2,367 50
7804	" 21	President of the Borough of Manhattan.	Manhattan	The Sicilian Asphalt Paving Company.....	Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland; the Empire State Surety Company.....	2,000 00	For regulating and repaving with asphalt pavement on present pavement relaid as foundation the roadway of Ninety-first street, from Central Park West to Columbus avenue, together with all work incidental thereto, Borough of Manhattan. Estimate	5,098 50
7805	" 21	President of the Borough of Manhattan.	Manhattan	The Sicilian Asphalt Paving Company.....	Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland; the Empire State Surety Company.....	6,000 00	For regulating and repaving with asphalt pavement on present pavement relaid as foundation the roadway of Forty-ninth street, from First avenue to Park avenue, together with all work incidental thereto, Borough of Manhattan.... Estimate	15,851 50
7806	" 21	President of the Borough of Manhattan.	Manhattan	The Sicilian Asphalt Paving Company.....	Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland; the Empire State Surety Company.....	2,000 00	For regulating and repaving with asphalt pavement on present pavement relaid as foundation the roadway of Fifty-fifth street, from Tenth avenue to Eleventh avenue, together with all work incidental thereto, Borough of Manhattan... Estimate	6,123 00
7807	" 28	President of the Borough of Manhattan.	Manhattan	The Sicilian Asphalt Paving Company.....	The Empire State Surety Company; Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland.....	4,000 00	For regulating and repaving with asphalt pavement on present pavement relaid as foundation the roadway of Sixty-fourth street, from Central Park West to Amsterdam avenue, together with all work incidental thereto, Borough of Manhattan. Estimate	10,374 50
7808	" 21	President of the Borough of Manhattan.	Manhattan	The Sicilian Asphalt Paving Company.....	The Empire State Surety Company; Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland.....	5,000 00	For regulating and repaving with asphalt pavement on present pavement relaid as foundation the roadway of Fifty-sixth street, from Avenue A to Third avenue, together with all work incidental thereto, Borough of Manhattan..... Estimate	14,051 00
7809	" 21	President of the Borough of Manhattan.	Manhattan	The Sicilian Asphalt Paving Company.....	The Empire State Surety Company; Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland.....	1,000 00	For regulating and repaving with asphalt pavement on present pavement relaid as foundation the roadway of Fifty-sixth street, from Broadway to Eighth avenue, together with all work incidental thereto, Borough of Manhattan..... Estimate	2,487 00
7810	" 21	President of the Borough of Manhattan.	Manhattan	The Sicilian Asphalt Paving Company.....	The Empire State Surety Company; Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland.....	2,000 00	For regulating and repaving with asphalt pavement on present pavement relaid as foundation the roadway of Fifty-sixth street, from Tenth avenue to Eleventh avenue, together with all work incidental thereto, Borough of Manhattan... Estimate	6,152 00
7811	" 21	President of the Borough of Manhattan.	Manhattan	The Sicilian Asphalt Paving Company.....	The Empire State Surety Company; Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland.....	2,000 00	For regulating and repaving with asphalt pavement on present pavement relaid as foundation the roadway of Eighty-ninth street, from Central Park West to Columbus avenue, together with all work incidental thereto, Borough of Manhattan. Estimate	4,738 50
7812	" 21	President of the Borough of Manhattan.	Manhattan	The Sicilian Asphalt Paving Company.....	The Empire State Surety Company; Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland.....	1,500 00	For regulating and repaving with asphalt pavement on present pavement relaid as foundation the roadway of Fifty-seventh street, from Broadway to Seventh avenue, together with all work incidental thereto, Borough of Manhattan..... Estimate	3,863 50
7813	" 21	President of the Borough of Manhattan.	Manhattan	The Sicilian Asphalt Paving Company.....	Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland; the Empire State Surety Company.....	3,500 00	For regulating and repaving with asphalt pavement on present pavement relaid as foundation the roadway of Sixtieth street, from Broadway to Amsterdam avenue, together with all work incidental thereto, Borough of Manhattan..... Estimate	10,405 00
7814	" 21	President of the Borough of Manhattan.	Manhattan	The Sicilian Asphalt Paving Company.....	Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland; the Empire State Surety Company.....	2,000 00	For regulating and repaving with asphalt pavement on present pavement relaid as foundation the roadway of Sixty-second street, from Central Park West to Columbus avenue, together with all work incidental thereto, Borough of Manhattan. Estimate	4,907 00
7815	" 21	President of the Borough of Manhattan.	Manhattan	The Sicilian Asphalt Paving Company.....	Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland; the Empire State Surety Company.....	4,000 00	For regulating and repaving with asphalt pavement on present pavement relaid as foundation the roadway of Sixty-first street, from Central Park West to Amsterdam avenue, together with all work incidental thereto, Borough of Manhattan. Estimate	10,571 00
7816	June 4	President of the Borough of Manhattan.	Manhattan	Uvalde Asphalt Paving Company	The Empire State Surety Company; the City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia.....	6,000 00	For regulating and repaving with asphalt pavement on present pavement relaid as foundation the roadway of Sixteenth street, from Seventh avenue to Tenth avenue, together with all work incidental thereto, Borough of Manhattan..... Estimate	18,453 50

7817	" 4	President of the Borough of Manhattan.	Manhattan	Uvalde Asphalt Paving Company	The Empire State Surety Company; the City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia.....	2,000 00	For regulating and repaving with asphalt pavement on present pavement relaid as foundation the roadway of Thirty-fifth street, from Ninth avenue to Tenth avenue, together with all work incidental thereto, Borough of Manhattan.....	Estimate	6,067 00
7818	April 13	President of the Borough of The Bronx.	The Bronx.....	The King Bridge Company	National Surety Company.....	8,000 00	For constructing a bridge and abutments in East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street, over the New York and Harlem railroad, together with all work incidental thereto, Borough of The Bronx.....	Estimate	21,154 90
7819	Mar. 31	President of the Borough of The Bronx.	The Bronx.....	Michael J. Garvin.....			For services of Architect for the preparation of plans for and the supervision of the erection and construction of a court house at Third avenue, Brook avenue and One Hundred and Sixty-first street, Borough of The Bronx. Estimated cost as per Comptroller's certificate, \$12,500.		
7820	June 3	President of the Borough of Brooklyn..	Brooklyn	Daniel J. Ryan.....	National Surety Company; the Empire State Surety Company	20,000 00	For repairs and alterations to certain rooms in Borough Hall, Brooklyn, for use of the Appellate Division, Supreme Court, Second Department, and President of the Borough of Brooklyn	Total	52,365 00
7821	May 25	President of the Borough of Brooklyn..	Brooklyn	Fuller & O'Connor.....	The Empire State Surety Company	20,000 00	For materials and work required for the erection and completion of a new building to be used for a public bath, to be erected on the south side of Montrose avenue, 125 feet east of Union avenue, Borough of Brooklyn.....	Total	87,426 00
7822	" 23	President of the Borough of Brooklyn..	Brooklyn	The Hastings Pavement Company	Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland; the United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company	4,000 00	For regulating and repaving with asphalt block pavement on a concrete foundation the roadway of Twenty-sixth street, from Third avenue to Fifth avenue, together with all work incidental thereto, Borough of Brooklyn.....	Estimate	15,069 60
7823	April 7	President of the Borough of Brooklyn..	Brooklyn	Brooklyn Alcatraz Asphalt Company.....	The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia; the United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company	80,000 00	For regulating and repaving with asphalt pavement on a concrete foundation the roadway of Fourth avenue, from Atlantic avenue to Fortieth street, together with all work incidental thereto, Borough of Brooklyn.....	Estimate	229,662 80
7824	" 20	President of the Borough of Brooklyn..	Brooklyn	Cranford Company.....	The Empire State Surety Company; American Surety Company of New York.....	30,000 00	For regulating and repaving with asphalt pavement on a concrete foundation the roadway of Herkimer street, from Albany avenue to Jardine place, and Radde place, from Herkimer street to end of pavement near Atlantic avenue, together with all work incidental thereto, Borough of Brooklyn.....	Estimate	86,309 70
7825	May 26	President of the Borough of Brooklyn..	Brooklyn	United States Wood Preserving Company.....	The Empire State Surety Company; National Surety Company	12,000 00	For regulating and repaving with wood block pavement on a concrete foundation the roadway of Clinton avenue, from Park avenue to Flushing avenue; Gallatin place, from Fulton street to Livingston street; Java street, from Franklin street to East river; Monroe street, from Nostrand avenue to Marcy avenue, together with all work incidental thereto, Borough of Brooklyn.....	Estimate	37,077 85
7826	June 1	President of the Borough of Brooklyn..	Brooklyn	John O'Grady.....	The Empire State Surety Company; American Surety Company of New York.....	18,000 00	For regulating and repaving with Medina sandstone pavement on a concrete foundation the roadway of Cook street, from Manhattan avenue to Bogart street; Rock street, from Bogart street to Morgan avenue; Waterbury street, from Grand street to Ten Eyck street, together with all work incidental thereto, Borough of Brooklyn	Estimate	56,935 50
7827	May 22	President of the Borough of Brooklyn..	Brooklyn	Continental Asphalt Paving Company.....	The Empire State Surety Company; the United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company	6,000 00	For regulating and repaving with asphalt block pavement on a concrete foundation the roadway of Bushwick avenue, from Montrose avenue to McKibbin street; Flushing avenue to Arion place, together with all work incidental thereto, Borough of Brooklyn	Estimate	18,664 60
7828	June 20	President of the Borough of Richmond.	Richmond	John E. Donovan.....	The Empire State Surety Company	12,000 00	For regulating, grading and repaving with granite block pavement on a concrete foundation the roadway of Richmond terrace, from east side of John street to West side of Van street, and from the west side of Bodine street to east side of Jewett avenue, together with all work incidental thereto, Borough of Richmond	Estimate	32,938 00
7829	May 27	Docks and Ferries...	Brooklyn	Wm. H. Jenks.....	The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia	15,000 00	For preparing for and building a new pier, with appurtenances, between Fifty-first and Fifty-second streets, in the Borough of Brooklyn	Total	34,394 00
7830	June 5	Docks and Ferries...	Manhattan	Wm. H. Jenks.....	The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia	16,000 00	For preparing for and building a new pier, with appurtenances, near the foot of Jefferson street, East river, in the Borough of Manhattan, to be known as Pier No. 36, East river, or Jefferson street Pier East.....	Estimate	40,036 00
7831	" 15	Docks and Ferries...	Manhattan	Henry Dubois' Sons Company	Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland; the United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company	36,000 00	For dredging on the North river, between the Battery and West One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan	Estimate	82,500 00
7832	" 5	Docks and Ferries...	Brooklyn	Geo. B. Spearin.....	The Aetna Indemnity Company; American Bonding Company of Baltimore.....	27,700 00	For preparing for and building a new pier, with appurtenances, at the foot of Bay Ridge avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn. Total		63,932 00
7833	April 1	Docks and Ferries...	Manhattan	Augustin Walsh.....	Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland.....	9,500 00	For preparing for and building a new pier, with appurtenances, at the foot of East Forty-ninth street, East river, in the Borough of Manhattan, to be known as Pier No. 99, East river. Estimate		23,082 50
7834	June 17	Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.....	Manhattan, The Bronx.....	John Fox and Nicholas Engel, composing the firm of John Fox & Co.	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company.....	10,000 00	For furnishing and delivering cast iron water pipes, branch pipes and special castings, Borough of Manhattan.....	Estimate	33,324 50
7835	" 16	Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.....	Manhattan, The Bronx.....	The Kennedy Valve Manufacturing Company	American Surety Company of New York.....	3,000 00	For furnishing and delivering double and single nozzle "New York" case hydrants, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx. Estimate		14,353 63
7836	" 17	Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.....	Richmond	Frank McSwegan, Jr. and F. McSwegan, composing the firm of Frank McSwegan & Son	The Fidelity and Casualty Company of New York.....	500 00	For furnishing materials, building and installing a new boiler and appurtenances at the pumping station of the Tottenville water works, Borough of Richmond.....	Total	2,800 00
7837	" 17	Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.....	Queens	Frank McSwegan, Jr. and F. McSwegan, composing the firm of Frank McSwegan & Son	The Fidelity and Casualty Company of New York.....	2,000 00	For furnishing materials, building and installing new boilers and appurtenances at pumping stations Nos. 1 and 3, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens	Total	11,200 00
7838	May 21	Parks	The Bronx.....	Friedrick Koopmann.....	American Surety Company of New York.....	10,000 00	For furnishing all the labor and materials necessary to completely erect and finish a concrete, steel and stone bridge over the Bronx river, near Newell avenue, in the New York Botanical Garden, in Bronx Park.....	Estimate	28,700 00
7839	April 4	Parks	Manhattan, Richmond.....	A. G. Spakling & Bros. (Incorporated)	Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland.....	500 00	For furnishing, delivering and putting in place gymnastic apparatus for gymnasium and playground plots, William H. Seward Park, Borough of Manhattan.....	Estimate	3,701 25
7840	June 12	Parks	The Bronx.....	Julian Scholl & Co.....	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company.....	900 00	For furnishing and delivering a steam road roller for the New York Zoological Park, in Bronx Park, in the Borough of The Bronx	Total	1,890 00
7841	Mar. 31	Parks	Manhattan	William H. Wright and Wilbur T. Wright, composing the firm of William H. Wright & Son	The Empire State Surety Company	3,000 00	For work and materials for the erection and completion of a comfort station located near Arsenal, Central Park, Borough of Manhattan	Total	8,370 00
7842	April 6	Parks	Manhattan, Richmond.....	Charles A. Brown.....	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company.....	5,000 00	For furnishing and delivering gravel, equal to the quality known as "Roa Hook" gravel, where required, on Central Park and Riverside Park and Drive, Borough of Manhattan.....	Total	21,937 50
7843	Mar. 2	Parks	Manhattan, Richmond.....	Charles Volz.....			For services of Architect for the erection of a power house and installation of a heating and lighting plant for the American Museum of Natural History, Borough of Manhattan. Estimated cost as per Comptroller's certificate, \$9,225.		
7844	May 22	Police	The Bronx.....	Arthur A. Stoughton.....			For services of Architect for furnishing all the plans, elevations, detail drawings and specifications required for the erection of station house, prison and stable for the Forty-first Precinct, Moshulu parkway, Borough of The Bronx. Estimated cost as per Comptroller's certificate, \$1,000.		
7845	May 22	Police	Manhattan	Francis L. V. Hoppin.....			For services of Architect for furnishing all the plans, elevations, detail drawings and specifications required for the erection of buildings for police headquarters (Centre Market site), Borough of Manhattan. Estimated cost as per Comptroller's certificate, \$5,000.		
7846	" 13	Police	Manhattan	R. Thomas Short.....			For services of Architect for furnishing all the plans, elevations, detail drawings and specifications required for the erection of station house, prison and stable for the Nineteenth Precinct, Nos. 135-137 West Thirtieth street, Borough of Manhattan. Estimated cost as per Comptroller's certificate, \$1,700.		
7847	April 20	Aqueduct Commissioners	Manhattan	William J. Flanagan.....	American Surety Company of New York; the Fidelity and Casualty Company of New York	90,000 00	For constructing highways or roads and their appurtenances, including bridge piers and abutments, culverts, fences, also stone wall boundary fencing, etc., in the towns of Yorktown, New Castle, Somers, Bedford, Lewisboro and North Salem, Westchester County, N. Y.....	Estimate	564,104 00

7848	June 24	President of the Borough of Queens....	Queens	The Barber Asphalt Paving Company.....	National Surety Company; the City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia	11,000 00	For regulating, grading, curbing, flagging and paving with asphalt pavement on a concrete foundation the roadway of Nott avenue, from Jackson avenue to Van Alst avenue, First Ward, together with all work incidental thereto, Borough of Queens. Estimate	26,105 50
7849	" 24	President of the Borough of Queens....	Queens	The Barber Asphalt Paving Company.....	National Surety Company; the City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia	6,000 00	For regulating, grading, curbing and paving with asphalt pavement on a concrete foundation the roadway of Ninth street, from Public School building to Vernon avenue, First Ward, together with all work incidental thereto, Borough of Queens. Estimate	11,515 75
7850	" 29	President of the Borough of The Bronx....	The Bronx.....	D. W. Moran.....	The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia	2,500 00	For regulating, grading, setting curbstones, flagging the sidewalks, laying crosswalks, building approaches and placing fences in Hull avenue, from East Two Hundred and Seventh street to Gun Hill road, together with all work incidental thereto, Borough of The Bronx.....Estimate	6,653 40
7851	" 29	President of the Borough of The Bronx....	The Bronx.....	F. V. Smith Contracting Company	The Union Surety and Guaranty Company.....	12,000 00	For regulating and grading, setting curbstones, flagging the sidewalks, laying crosswalks, building approaches and placing fences in East One Hundred and Eighty-second street, from Arthur avenue to Boston road, together with all work incidental thereto, Borough of The Bronx.....Estimate	41,406 00
7852	" 27	President of the Borough of The Bronx....	The Bronx.....	P. J. Duffy.....	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company....	3,000 00	For regulating and grading, setting curbstones, flagging the sidewalks, laying crosswalks, building approaches and erecting fences, where necessary, in Bassford place, from One Hundred and Eighty-second street to Third avenue, together with all work incidental thereto, Borough of The Bronx.....Estimate	7,594 45
7853	" 29	President of the Borough of The Bronx....	The Bronx.....	F. V. Smith Contracting Company	The Union Surety and Guaranty Company.....	2,500 00	For regulating and grading, setting curbstones, flagging the sidewalks, laying crosswalks, building approaches and placing fences in Garden street, from Crotona avenue to Southern Boulevard, together with the work incidental thereto, Borough of The Bronx	7,078 25
7854	June 12	Public Charities.....	Manhattan	Alfred Beinhauer.....	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company....	4,500 00	For the erection and completion of a dining pavilion for the Tuberculosis Infirmary of the Metropolitan Hospital, Blackwell's Island, Borough of Manhattan.....Total	13,309 10
7855	May 26	Public Charities.....	Brooklyn	Louis H. Voss.....	.....	.....	For services of Architect for the preparation of specifications, the drawing of plans and the supervision of work of construction of a dining-room and kitchen building for the Kings County Hospital, Borough of Brooklyn. Estimated cost as per Comptroller's certificate, \$3,750.	.....
7856	June 12	Public Charities.....	Manhattan	Edmund D. Broderick...	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company....	6,000 00	For the erection and completion of a gymnasium at the New York City Children's Hospitals and Schools, Randall's Island, Borough of Manhattan.....Total	17,900 00
7857	May 28	Public Charities.....	Manhattan	Renwick, Aspinwall & Owen .....	.....	.....	For services of Architects for the preparation of specifications, the drawing of plans and the supervision of work of construction of: First—A new male servants' dormitory at the City Hospital, Blackwell's Island. Second—A new Reception Hospital, Randall's Island. Third—A solarium at the Metropolitan Hospital, Blackwell's Island. Fourth—A gymnasium at the New York City Children's Hospitals and Schools, Randall's Island. Fifth—A dining pavilion for the Tuberculosis Infirmary of the Metropolitan Hospital, Blackwell's Island. Estimated cost as per Comptroller's certificate, \$6,100.	.....
7858	June 18	Public Charities.....	Brooklyn	Daniel J. Ryan.....	The Empire State Surety Company; National Surety Company	30,000 00	For the erection and completion of a dining-room and kitchen building for the Kings County Hospital, Borough of Brooklyn. Total	77,086 00
7859	" 22	Health	Brooklyn	Kelly & Kelley.....	The Empire State Surety Company	19,050 00	For furnishing all the labor and furnishing and erecting all the materials necessary or required to complete a boiler house and disinfecting plant at the Kingston Avenue Hospital, Kingston avenue and Fenimore street, Borough of Brooklyn.....Total	38,100 00
7860	" 30	Health	The Bronx.....	William E. Elderd.....	American Surety Company of New York.....	3,200 00	For furnishing all the labor and furnishing and erecting all the materials necessary or required to complete a storehouse at the Riverside Hospital, North Brother Island, Borough of The Bronx	6,395 00
7861	May 8	Fire .....	.....	Tams, Lemoine & Crane .....	.....	.....	For services of Architects for the design, specifications and superintendence of construction of a fire boat for the Fire Department, City of New York. Estimated cost as per Comptroller's certificate, \$4,171.43.	.....
7862	June 15	Fire	Queens	Frederick Pearce.....	American Bonding Company of Baltimore; the Empire State Surety Company.....	12,500 00	For the building, construction, extending and repairing of a fire alarm telegraph system in the Second, Third, Fourth and Fifth Wards, Borough of Queens.....Total	28,282 00
7863	" 2	Fire	Queens	George M. Stevens Co...	American Surety Company of New York.....	4,500 00	For furnishing the labor and materials for, and erecting and completing bell towers and furnishing striking apparatus for the fire alarm telegraph system in the Second, Third, Fourth and Fifth Wards of the Borough of Queens.....Total	7,997 00
7864	Feb. 20	Fire	Manhattan	Percy Griffin.....	.....	.....	For services of Architect for the preparation of plans and specifications for a new building to be located on the south side of East One Hundred and Fourteenth street, 25 feet east from the southeast corner of Madison avenue and One Hundred and Fourteenth street, Borough of Manhattan. Estimated cost as per Comptroller's certificate, \$3,095.24.	.....
7865	June 9	Fire	Manhattan	Murdo Tolmie and James Kerr, composing the firm of Tolmie & Kerr.	National Surety Company; the Empire State Surety Company	30,000 00	For the erection and completion of a building for Hook and Ladder Company No. 26, to be located on the southerly side of One Hundred and Fourteenth street, 25 feet east of Madison avenue, Borough of Manhattan.....Total	53,289 00
7866	" 9	Fire	Brooklyn	Murdo Tolmie and James Kerr, composing the firm of Tolmie & Kerr.	National Surety Company....	15,000 00	For the erection and completion of a building for Engine Company No. 124, to be located on the westerly side of Hicks street, 111 feet south of Joralemon street, Borough of Brooklyn	31,287 00
7867	" 9	Fire	Queens	Murdo Tolmie and James Kerr, composing the firm of Tolmie & Kerr.	National Surety Company....	13,000 00	For the erection and completion of a new building for Hook and Ladder Company No. 66, to be located on the north side of Jackson avenue, 112 feet 9 5-8 inches east of Kouwenhoven street, Borough of Queens.....Total	26,687 00
7868	Feb. 17	Fire	Queens	Bradford L. Gilbert.....	.....	.....	For services of Architect for the preparation of plans and specifications for a new building to be located on the easterly side of East Eighth street, 175 feet south from the southeast corner of East Eighth street and East avenue, Long Island City, Borough of Queens. Estimated cost as per Comptroller's certificate, \$2,476.19.	.....
7869	" 21	Fire	Brooklyn	N. C. Mellen.....	.....	.....	For services of Architect for the preparation of plans and specifications for a new building to be located on the easterly side of East Twenty-third street, 270 feet 5-10 inches south from the southeast corner of Voorhees avenue and East Twenty-third street, Sheepshead Bay, Borough of Brooklyn. Estimated cost as per Comptroller's certificate, \$1,904.76.	.....
7870	" 21	Fire	Brooklyn	N. C. Mellen.....	.....	.....	For services of Architect for the preparation of plans and specifications for a new building to be located on the easterly side of West Eighth street, 826 feet 3-4 inches south of southeast corner of Sheepshead Bay road and West Eighth street, Coney Island, Borough of Brooklyn. Estimated cost as per Comptroller's certificate, \$1,428.57.	.....
7871	" 13	Fire	Brooklyn	William Adams and Charles P. Warren, composing the firm of Adams & Warren.....	.....	.....	For services of Architects for the preparation of plans and specifications for a new building to be located on the north side of Hicks street, 111 feet west of the northwest corner of Hicks street and Joralemon street, Borough of Brooklyn. Estimated cost as per Comptroller's certificate, \$1,428.57.	.....
7872	" 11	Fire	Queens	Wainwright Parish and J. Langdon Schroder, comprising the firm of Parish & Schroder....	.....	.....	For services of Architects for the preparation of plans and specifications for a new building to be located on the north side of Jackson avenue, 112 feet 9 5-8 inches east of the northeast corner of Kouwenhoven street and Jackson avenue, Long Island City, Borough of Queens. Estimated cost as per Comptroller's certificate, \$1,095.24.	.....
7873	June 8	Bridges	Manhattan, Brooklyn	United States Wood Preserving Company.....	National Surety Company; the Empire State Surety Company	30,000 00	For the construction of the Creo-Resinate wood block pavement for the roadways of the Williamsburg (new East river) bridge over the East river, between the Boroughs of Manhattan and Brooklyn.....Total	31,989 00
7874	" 8	Bridges	Manhattan, Brooklyn	R. H. Hood Company...	Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland; National Surety Company.....	100,000 00	For the construction of the steel underflooring for the roadways of the Williamsburg (new East river) bridge over the East river, between the Boroughs of Manhattan and Brooklyn.....Total	168,746 00
7875	July 7	Public Charities.....	All Boroughs.....	Edwin W. Hiscox.....	W. L. Mitchell; Charles F. Neathing.....	6,250 00	For furnishing and delivering flour.....Estimate	14,973 60
7876	" 1	Public Charities.....	All Boroughs.....	The Manhattan Supply Company	The Aetna Indemnity Company	600 00	For furnishing and delivering window screens and flour..Estimate	1,469 28

7877	June 13	Education	Richmond	Herbert S. Brower	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company	2,500 00	For installing heating and ventilating apparatus in new Public School 34, on the north side of Fingerboard road, between Grant and Sherman avenues, Fort Wadsworth, Borough of Richmond	5,683 00
7878	" 29	Education	Brooklyn	Myron C. Rush	The Empire State Surety Company	25,000 00	For the erection of, addition to and alterations in Public School 7, north side of York, near Bridge street, Borough of Brooklyn	60,999 00
7879	May 28	Education	Brooklyn	Abraham & Straus	The Fidelity and Casualty Company of New York	600 00	For supplying of furniture, item 1, for new Public School 142, on southwesterly corner of Henry and Rapelyea streets, Borough of Brooklyn	1,058 19
7880	" 28	Education	Brooklyn	Abraham & Straus	The Fidelity and Casualty Company of New York	400 00	For supplying furniture, item 1, for addition to Public School 123, on the east side of Irving avenue, between Willoughby avenue and Suydam street, Borough of Brooklyn	777 00
7881	June 13	Education	Brooklyn	Abraham & Straus	The Fidelity and Casualty Company of New York	300 00	For supplying of furniture, item 2, new Public School 138, on Prospect place, near Nostrand avenue, Borough of Brooklyn	695 14
7882	" 13	Education	Brooklyn	Slatington Slate Company	American Surety Company of New York	1,800 00	For supplying of furniture, item 3, new Public School 138, on Prospect place, near Nostrand avenue, Borough of Brooklyn	2,868 00
7883	" 13	Education	Brooklyn	Narragansett Machine Company	American Surety Company of New York	700 00	For supplying of furniture, item 4, new Public School 138, on Prospect place, near Nostrand avenue, Borough of Brooklyn	1,635 00
7884	" 13	Education	Brooklyn	The Manhattan Supply Company	James S. Barron and William H. Barron	1,500 00	For supplying of furniture, item 1, new Public School 138, on Prospect place, near Nostrand avenue, Borough of Brooklyn	2,823 00
7885	" 13	Education	Manhattan	Jere J. Deady	Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland; the Aetna Indemnity Company	2,000 00	For the sanitary work at new Public School 183, on the north side of Sixty-sixth street, 163 feet east of First avenue, Borough of Manhattan	8,793 00
7886	" 13	Education	Manhattan	Jere J. Deady	Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland; the Aetna Indemnity Company	7,000 00	For the sanitary work at new Public School 190, on the northerly side of Eighty-second street, between First and Second avenues, Borough of Manhattan	8,997 00
7887	" 13	Education	Manhattan	William N. Tobin	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company; Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland	10,000 00	For installing heating and ventilating apparatus in new Public School 183, on the north side of Sixty-sixth street, 163 feet east of First avenue, Borough of Manhattan	20,217 00
7888	" 13	Education	The Bronx	O. K. Electrical Construction Company	American Surety Company of New York	2,000 00	For installing electric light wiring, fixtures and electric bell system in new Public School 34 (176), on Amethyst avenue, 175 feet north of Morris Park avenue, Borough of The Bronx	3,140 00
7889	" 13	Education	Brooklyn	Richmond School Furniture Company	National Surety Company	2,000 00	For the supplying of furniture, items 5 and 6, new Public School 138, on Prospect place, near Nostrand avenue, Borough of Brooklyn	4,908 00
7890	" 13	Education	Manhattan	Andrews School Furnishing Company	American Surety Company of New York	600 00	For the supplying of furniture, item 2, for addition to Public School 92, corner of Broome and Ridge streets, Borough of Manhattan	1,138 75
7891	" 4	Education	Brooklyn	Hartman & Horgan	The Empire State Surety Company; National Surety Company	14,000 00	For improving the sanitary condition and alterations to Public School 27, Nelson, corner Hicks street, and Public School 43, Boerum street, near Manhattan avenue, Borough of Brooklyn	25,270 00
7892	" 13	Education	Queens	James Harley	Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland; the Empire State Surety Company	15,000 00	For the sanitary work at Long Island City High School, on northerly side of Wilbur avenue, between Academy and Radde streets, Long Island City, Borough of Queens	18,438 00
7893	" 13	Education	Manhattan	C. H. Browne	National Surety Company	300 00	For the supplying of furniture, item 1, for addition to Public School 92, corner of Broome and Ridge streets, Borough of Manhattan	486 00
7894	May 28	Education	Manhattan	M. B. Foster Electric Company	The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia	3,000 00	For installing electric light wiring, fixtures and electric bell system in new Public School 190, on northerly side of Eighty-second street, between First and Second avenues, Borough of Manhattan	4,262 00
7895	June 13	Education	Manhattan	Neptune B. Smyth	American Bonding Company of Baltimore	3,100 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., to Public School 1, Henry, Catherine and Oliver streets; Public School 48, 124 West Twenty-eighth street; Public School 72, Lexington avenue, One Hundred and Fifth and One Hundred and Sixth streets, Borough of Manhattan	5,000 00
7896	" 13	Education	Manhattan	Rubin Solomon & Son	National Surety Company	1,100 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., at Public School 27, No. 206 East Forty-second street, Borough of Manhattan	1,215 00
7897	" 29	Education	The Bronx	August Braeunig	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company	1,100 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., to Public School 3, One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street, near Courtlandt avenue; Public School 9, No. 735 East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, Borough of The Bronx	1,477 00
7898	" 11	Education	Manhattan	Peter Corley	Josephine Thoesen; Herman J. Schiff	400 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., at Annex DeWitt Clinton High School, No. 60 East Thirteenth street, Borough of Manhattan	857 00
7899	" 4	Education	Manhattan	Julius Haas	National Surety Company	500 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., at Public School 113, No. 7 Downing street, Borough of Manhattan	991 00
7900	" 13	Education	Manhattan	William Horne Company	National Surety Company	1,700 00	For the erection of partitions forming class rooms, etc., on second story at Public School 58, No. 317 West Fifty-second street, and on the second and fourth stories at Public School 68, No. 116 West One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street, Borough of Manhattan	3,188 00
7901	" 13	Education	Manhattan	Neptune B. Smyth	American Bonding Company of Baltimore	500 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., to Public School 9, West End avenue and Eighty-second street, Borough of Manhattan	995 00
7902	" 13	Education	Manhattan	Neptune B. Smyth	American Bonding Company of Baltimore	1,400 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., to Public School 20, Rivington, Forsyth and Eldridge streets, Borough of Manhattan	2,991 00
7903	" 13	Education	The Bronx	William H. Wright & Son	The Empire State Surety Company	1,800 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., to Public School 18, No. 501 Courtlandt avenue; Public School 20, Fox, Simpson and One Hundred and Sixty-seventh streets; Public School 27, St. Ann's avenue, One Hundred and Forty-seventh and One Hundred and Forty-eighth streets, Borough of The Bronx	3,251 00
7904	" 13	Education	The Bronx	William Horne Company	National Surety Company	4,100 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., to Public School 2, Third avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-ninth and One Hundred and Seventieth streets; Public School 31, Mott and Walton avenues, One Hundred and Forty-fourth and One Hundred and Forty-sixth streets, Borough of The Bronx	7,473 00
7905	" 13	Education	The Bronx	Charles Schultz	National Surety Company	800 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., at Public School 4, Fulton avenue and One Hundred and Seventy-third street, Borough of The Bronx	1,225 00
7906	" 13	Education	The Bronx	Tolmie & Kerr	National Surety Company	900 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., at Public School 10, Eagle avenue and One Hundred and Sixty-third street, Borough of The Bronx	1,523 00
7907	" 13	Education	The Bronx	W. M. Fleischman	National Surety Company	400 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., to Public School 30, One Hundred and Forty-first street, near Brook avenue, Borough of The Bronx	733 00
7908	July 2	Education	Manhattan, The Bronx	Louis Gluck	The Union Surety and Guaranty Company	600 00	For repairing and refinishing old furniture in the following school buildings: 7, 27, 49, 117, Borough of Manhattan; also in Public School 3, Borough of The Bronx	1,200 00
7909	June 4	Education	Queens	American Patent Portable House Manufacturing Company	American Surety Company of New York	2,000 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., to Public School 12, Prospect street, near Fisk avenue, Winfield, Borough of Queens	3,675 00
7910	" 13	Education	Richmond	Herbert S. Brower	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company	1,800 00	For improving the sanitary conditions of Public School 14, Broad street, Stapleton; Public School 17, Prospect avenue, New Brighton, Borough of Richmond	3,287 00
7911	" 29	Education	Manhattan	Zaffe & Kreisberg	John F. Moser; George Kern	400 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., at Public School 75, No. 25 Norfolk street, Borough of Manhattan	995 00
7912	" 4	Education	Queens	Nikolaus Muller	Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland	1,700 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., to Public School 1, Ninth street and Van Alst avenue, Long Island City; Public School 4, Prospect street and Beebe avenue, Long Island City, Borough of Queens	3,675 00
7913	" 13	Education	Manhattan	August Braeunig	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company	400 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., to Public School 93, Amsterdam avenue and Ninety-third street, Borough of Manhattan	745 00
7914	" 11	Education	Manhattan	Benjes & Stiefel	George Mundorff; H. H. Kipp	2,200 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., to Public School 15, No. 728 Fifth street; Public School 25, No. 330 Fifth street, Borough of Manhattan	3,359 00

7915	"	29	Education	Manhattan	William J. Olvany	The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia; the United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company	7,300 00	For repairs to heating apparatus of Public School 1, Henry, Oliver and Catherine streets; Public School 3, No. 488 Hudson street; Public School 20, Rivington, Forsyth and Eldridge streets; Public School 30, No. 224 East Eighty-eighth street; Public School 32, No. 357 West Thirty-fifth street; Public School 42, Hester, Orchard and Ludlow streets; Public School 82, Seventieth street and First avenue; Public School 119, One Hundred and Thirty-third and One Hundred and Thirty-fourth streets, near Eighth avenue; Public School 122, Ninth street and First avenue; Public School 144, No. 30 Allen street; Annex DeWitt Clinton High School, No. 225 East Twenty-third street; Wadleigh High School, One Hundred and Fourteenth street, west of Seventh avenue, Borough of Manhattan.	Total	10,989 00
7916	July	2	Education	Manhattan	James Hamilton	National Surety Company	900 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., to Public School 41, No. 36 Greenwich avenue; Public School 122, Ninth street and First avenue, Borough of Manhattan	Total	2,540 00
7917	June	13	Education	Manhattan	William Horne Company	National Surety Company	3,900 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., to Public School 55, No. 140 West Twentieth street; Public School 59, No. 226 East Fifty-seventh street; Public School 114, No. 73 Oliver street; Public School 131, No. 273 East Second street, Borough of Manhattan	Total	7,867 00
7918	July	2	Education	Manhattan	Thomas McKeown	National Surety Company	500 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., to Public School 38, No. 8 Clarke street, Borough of Manhattan	Total	989 00
7919	June	17	Education	Manhattan, Brooklyn, Queens	E. I. Horsman Company	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company	900 00	For furnishing and delivering school supplies for vacation schools, play grounds, baths and evening recreation centres of The City of New York, Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn and Queens. Estimated cost as per Comptroller's certificate, \$1,800.		
7920	"	17	Education	Manhattan, Brooklyn, Queens	Heywood Brothers and Wakefield Company	Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland	550 00	For furnishing and delivering school supplies for vacation schools, play grounds, baths and evening recreation centres of The City of New York, Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn and Queens. Estimated cost as per Comptroller's certificate, \$1,085.		
7921	"	17	Education	Manhattan, Brooklyn, Queens	E. Steiger & Co.	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company	500 00	For furnishing and delivering school supplies for vacation schools, play grounds, baths and evening recreation centres of The City of New York, Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn and Queens. Estimated cost as per Comptroller's certificate, \$1,000.		
7922	"	18	Education	Manhattan, Brooklyn, Queens	H. E. & C. D. Williams	The Aetna Indemnity Company	500 00	For furnishing and delivering school supplies for vacation schools, play grounds, baths and evening recreation centres of The City of New York, Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn and Queens. Estimated cost as per Comptroller's certificate, \$1,000.		
7923	"	17	Education	Manhattan, Brooklyn, Queens	Robert C. Ogden	American Surety Company of New York	560 00	For furnishing and delivering school supplies for vacation schools, play grounds, baths and evening recreation centres of The City of New York, Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn and Queens. Estimated cost as per Comptroller's certificate, \$1,115.		
7924	"	17	Education	Manhattan, Brooklyn, Queens	Joseph Salomon	The Aetna Indemnity Company	500 00	For furnishing and delivering school supplies for vacation schools, play grounds, baths and evening recreation centres of The City of New York, Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn and Queens. Estimated cost as per Comptroller's certificate, \$1,000.		
7925	"	13	Education	Queens	Charles Wille	National Surety Company	7,800 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., to Public School 7, Van Alst, near Flushing avenue, Long Island City; Public School 15, Junction and Park avenues, Corona; Public School 39, State street and Roanoke avenue, Far Rockaway; Public School 44, Boulevard and Academy avenue, Rockaway Beach; Public School 58, Walker and Grafton avenues, Broadway; Public School 59, University place and Rockaway road, Woodhaven; Public School 71, Forest avenue, near Prospect place, East Williamsburg; Public School 74, Starr street and Woodward avenue, Metropolitan, Borough of Queens	Total	16,532 00
7926	"	13	Education	Queens	J. E. Anderson	American Surety Company of New York	500 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., to Public School 56, Orchard avenue and Elm street, Richmond Hill, Borough of Queens	Total	870 00
7927	July	2	Education	Brooklyn	Edgar B. Stidd	The Empire State Surety Company	500 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., to Public School 73, McDougal street and Rockaway avenue, Borough of Brooklyn	Total	750 00
7928	June	13	Education	Brooklyn	T. Frederick Jackson	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company	600 00	For installing electric light wiring, fixtures and electric bell system in Erasmus Hall High School Cottages, on Flatbush avenue, near Church avenue, Borough of Brooklyn	Total	800 00
7929	"	13	Education	Brooklyn	T. Frederick Jackson	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company	2,000 00	For installing electric light wiring and fixtures for Public School 19, South Second, corner of Keap street, Borough of Brooklyn	Total	3,666 00
7930	"	13	Education	The Bronx	J. W. Harman	American Bonding Company of Baltimore	600 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., to Public School 1, College avenue and One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, Borough of The Bronx	Total	1,567 00
7931	"	29	Education	Manhattan	William Klein	Georg Weis; Edward Michel	3,300 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., to Public School 2, No. 116 Henry street; Public School 4, No. 203 Rivington street; Public School 36, No. 710 East Ninth street; Public School 88, No. 300 Rivington street; Public School 105, No. 269 East Fourth street; Public School 144, No. 30 Allen street, Borough of Manhattan	Total	5,811 00
7932	July	2	Education	Manhattan	Rubin Solomon & Son	National Surety Company	400 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., to Public School 8, No. 29 King street, Borough of Manhattan	Total	927 00
7933	"	2	Education	The Bronx	W. M. Fleischman	National Surety Company	2,100 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., to Public School 13, Second street and Park avenue, Williamsbridge; Public School 15, Westchester avenue, near Classon avenue, Westchester; Public School 16, Matilda street, Wakefield; Public School 24, Kap-pock street, Spuyten Duyvil; Public School 26, Andrews and Burnside avenues, Morris Heights; Public School 33, Jerome avenue, north of One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street, Borough of The Bronx	Total	3,305 00
7934	June	29	Education	The Bronx	Frank Dobson	National Surety Company	300 00	For repairs, alterations and additions to the heating and ventilating apparatus in Public School 31, Mott and Walton avenues and One Hundred and Forty-fourth and One Hundred and Forty-sixth streets, Borough of The Bronx	Total	464 00
7935	July	2	Education	Manhattan	Julius Hass	National Surety Company	1,800 00	For alterations, repairs, etc., to Public School 18, No. 121 East Fifty-first street; Public School 35, No. 160 Chrystie street, Borough of Manhattan	Total	3,859 00
7936	June	23	Police	Manhattan	Thomas E. Quinn	The Aetna Indemnity Company	821 00	For furnishing all the labor and materials required for making and completing the repairs and alterations to the Seventh Precinct Station House, Borough of Manhattan	Total	1,642 00
7937	"	30	Police	The Bronx	Charles Volz			For services of Architect for furnishing all the plans, elevations, detail drawings and specifications required for the erection of Station House, Prison and Stable, for the Thirty-sixth Police Precinct, Third avenue and One Hundred and Sixtieth street, Borough of The Bronx. Estimated cost as per Comptroller's certificate, \$900.		
7938	"	30	Police	Brooklyn	Walter E. Parfitt			For services of Architect for furnishing of all the plans, elevations, detail drawings and specifications required for the erection of Station House, Prison and Stable for the Seventy-first Police Precinct, upon premises known as the Old Town Hall of For Hamilton, in the Borough of Brooklyn. Estimated cost as per Comptroller's certificate, \$900.		
7939	"	15	Police	All Boroughs	The Peter Barrett Manufacturing Company	E. R. Merrill; Ruben Beck	1,500 00	For furnishing and delivering four patrol wagons	Total	1,456 00
7940	July	1	Water Supply, Gas and Electricity	Brooklyn	John J. Cashman	The Empire State Surety Company	5,000 00	For furnishing, delivering and laying a 36-inch cast-iron main, including all the necessary appurtenances and connections on Atlantic avenue, between Carlton and Flatbush avenues, Borough of Brooklyn	Estimate	24,938 50
7941	June	11	Water Supply, Gas and Electricity	Manhattan, The Bronx	S. Wood McClave and John McClave, individually and as executors under the will of John McClave, deceased	National Surety Company	500 00	For furnishing, delivering and storing lumber at Twenty-third street and Avenue A; Twelfth avenue, between Fifty-sixth and Fifty-seventh streets; Twenty-fourth street at East river, and at Harlem river, between One Hundred and Seventh and One Hundred and Ninth streets, Borough of Manhattan	Estimate	2,394 25
7942	"	27	Water Supply, Gas and Electricity	Brooklyn	New York Continental Jewell Filtration Company	Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland; the United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company	100,000 00	For furnishing, delivering and laying a 48-inch trunk water main, at the Ridgewood Reservoir, in Cypress Hills, Myrtle avenue and Broadway, Borough of Brooklyn	Estimate	236,750 00
7943	July	6	Water Supply, Gas and Electricity	Brooklyn	John J. Cashman	The Empire State Surety Company; Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland	200,000 00	For furnishing, delivering and laying a 48-inch cast-iron force main, together with all appurtenances complete, from the Ridgewood Pumping Station along Atlantic avenue, East New York avenue and Eastern parkway to the Mount Prospect High Service Tower, Borough of Brooklyn	Estimate	422,247 50

7944	June 23	Water Supply, Gas and Electricity....	Brooklyn	Rudolph Reimer.....	The Aetna Indemnity Com- pany	30,000 00	For furnishing and delivering anthracite coal, Borough of Brook- lyn	Estimate	277,506 00
7945	" 26	Water Supply, Gas and Electricity....	Brooklyn	Edwin Burhorn.....	Fidelity and Deposit Com- pany of Maryland.....	2,500 00	For retubing Morris boilers Nos. 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9, at the Ridgewood Engine House, Borough of Brooklyn....	Total	5,498 00
7946	May 1	President of the Bor- ough of Manhattan (Special)	Manhattan	William Fitzgerald.....	Joseph P. Casey.....	10 00	For repairing the sidewalks opposite Nos. 226 to 238 West Sixty- third street, together with all work incidental thereto, Borough of Manhattan	Estimate	42 00
7947	April 18	President of the Bor- ough of Manhattan (Special)	Manhattan	William F. Cunningham and Philip J. Kearns, composing the firm of Cunningham & Kearns	William Daiton.....	75 00	For flagging and reflagging the sidewalks on the northwest corner of Forty-fifth street and Broadway, together with all work in- cidental thereto, Borough of Manhattan.....	Total	240 80
7948	May 1	President of the Bor- ough of Manhattan (Special)	Manhattan	William Fitzgerald.....	Joseph P. Casey.....	10 00	For erecting a board fence, six feet in height, opposite Nos. 108 to 116 West One Hundred and Third street, together with all work incidental thereto, in the Borough of Manhattan.....	Estimate	39 00
7949	July 1	President of the Bor- ough of The Bronx.....	The Bronx.....	Thomas B. Watson.....	Geo. P. Baisley; M. J. Cavanagh	1,000 00	For furnishing and delivering clean steam boiler ashes, Borough of The Bronx.....	Estimate	1,781 25
7950	June 18	President of the Bor- ough of Brooklyn....	Brooklyn	The Snare & Triest Co..	The Aetna Indemnity Com- pany	Same as Contract No. 7097	For modification of Contract No. 7097, for the erection and com- pletion of a Public Comfort Station, underground, junction of Hamilton avenue and Richards street, Borough of Brooklyn....	Estimate	884 00
7951	June 4	President of the Bor- ough of Brooklyn....	Brooklyn	The N. Ryan Company (Incorporated)	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company....	2,000 00	For furnishing and delivering paving gravel, in the Borough of Brooklyn	Estimate	7,667 40
7952	Mar. 16	President of the Bor- ough of Brooklyn....	Brooklyn	Thomas Dwyer.....	The Empire State Surety Company; National Surety Company	Same as Contract No. 6302	For modification of Contract No. 6302, for furnishing materials for the work required in making changes and additions, ex- tensions, alterations and improvements to the Kings County Hall of Records, Borough of Brooklyn.....	Additional cost	3,054 78
7953	June 12	Parks	Brooklyn Queens	Peter Lauckhardt.....	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company....	20,000 00	For furnishing all the labor and furnishing and erecting all the materials necessary or required to complete the collection cases for the centre pavilion of the Eastern parkway front of the Brooklyn Institute of Arts and Sciences, Borough of Brooklyn	Total	23,300 00
7954	" 24	Parks	Manhattan Richmond	Cunningham & Kearns Contracting Company.	The Empire State Surety Company	1,500 00	For removing the unused taps and plugging the holes left by their removal in the water mains in the streets surrounding Hamil- ton Fish Park, Borough of Manhattan.....	Total	5,890 00
7955	May 20	Parks	Manhattan Richmond	Metropolitan Hotel Sup- ply Company.....	The Fidelity and Casualty Company of New York....	500 00	For furnishing and delivering fresh beef for the Central Park Menagerie, Borough of Manhattan.....	Estimate	1,388 67
7956	June 11	Parks	Manhattan Richmond	A. G. Spalding & Bros. (Incorporated)	Fidelity and Deposit Com- pany of Maryland.....	800 00	For furnishing, delivering and putting in position gymnastic ap- paratus for gymnasium and playgrounds in East River Park and Tompkins square, Borough of Manhattan.....	Estimate	7,350 00
7957	" 11	Parks	Manhattan, Richmond	A. G. Spalding & Bros. (Incorporated)	Fidelity and Deposit Com- pany of Maryland.....	500 00	For furnishing, delivering and putting in position gymnastic ap- paratus for gymnasium and playgrounds in Hamilton Park, Borough of Manhattan.....	Estimate	3,990 00
7958	" 24	Parks	Manhattan Richmond	Cunningham & Kearns Contracting Company..	The Empire State Surety Company	1,500 00	For regulating and grading a portion of De Witt Clinton Park, bounded by Eleventh and Twelfth avenues, Fifty-second and Fifty-fourth streets, in the Borough of Manhattan....	Estimate	2,725 00
7959	" 15	Parks	The Bronx.....	Page Woven Wire Fence Company	American Surety Company of New York.....	3,500 00	For furnishing all material and labor and constructing and erect- ing the steel work for the fences of the antelope and elephant enclosures, in the New York Zoological Park, Borough of The Bronx.....	Estimate	8,713 00
7960	July 6	Docks and Ferries....	Manhattan	Thomas Kelly.....	The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company....	900 00	For sprinkling the new made land on the North river, between Cortlandt and Gansevoort streets, between West Twenty-third and Thirtieth streets, and all the new made land between East Eighteenth and East Twenty-fourth streets, on the East river, Borough of Manhattan.....	Estimate	2,225 00
7961	June 29	Docks and Ferries....	Manhattan	A. Gunnison & Company	The Aetna Indemnity Com- pany	2,700 00	For furnishing and delivering pants, etc.....	Estimate	7,908 25
7962	" 30	Docks and Ferries....	Manhattan	Joseph N. Early.....	The Aetna Indemnity Com- pany	3,500 00	For furnishing and delivering miscellaneous supplies....	Estimate	11,370 70

Approval of Sureties for the Week Ending July 11, 1903.

The Comptroller approved of the adequacy and sufficiency of the sureties on the following proposals, viz.:

July 6, 1903—For furnishing supplies for vacation schools, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx—For the Department of Education. A. G. Spalding & Brothers, No. 126 Nassau street, Principals. Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland, No. 35 Wall street, New York City, Surety.

July 6, 1903—For making wash borings for Blackwell's Island Bridge, Borough of Queens—For the Department of Bridges. F. W. Miller, No. 104 Centre street, Principal. The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, No. 140 Broadway, Surety.

July 7, 1903—For paving with asphalt Adelphi street, Borough of Brooklyn—For the President of the Borough. Cranford Company, No. 215 Montague street, Principals. The Empire State Surety Company, No. 375 Fulton street, Borough of Brooklyn, New York City; American Surety Company of New York, No. 100 Broadway, Sureties.

July 7, 1903—For paving with asphalt Division avenue, Borough of Brooklyn—For the President of the Borough. Cranford Company, No. 215 Montague street, Principals. The Empire State Surety Company, No. 375 Fulton street, Borough of Brooklyn, New York City; American Surety Company of New York, No. 100 Broadway, Sureties.

July 7, 1903—For paving with asphalt Emerson place, Borough of Brooklyn—For the President of the Borough. Cranford Company, No. 215 Montague street, Principals. The Empire State Surety Company, No. 375 Fulton street, Borough of Brooklyn, New York City; American Surety Company of New York, No. 100 Broadway, Sureties.

July 7, 1903—For paving with asphalt Havemeyer street, Borough of Brooklyn—For the President of the Borough. Cranford Company, No. 215 Montague street, Principals. The Empire State Surety Company, No. 375 Fulton street, Borough of Brooklyn, New York City; American Surety Company of New York, No. 100 Broadway, Sureties.

July 7, 1903—For paving with asphalt Huron street, Borough of Brooklyn—For the President of the Borough. Cranford Company, No. 215 Montague street, Principals. The Empire State Surety Company, No. 375 Fulton street, Borough of Brooklyn, New York City; American Surety Company of New York, No. 100 Broadway, Sureties.

July 7, 1903—For paving with asphalt Jefferson avenue, Borough of Brooklyn—For the President of the Borough. Cranford Company, No. 215 Montague street, Principals. The Empire State Surety Company, No. 375 Fulton street, Borough of Brooklyn, New York City; American Surety Company of New York, No. 100 Broadway, Sureties.

July 7, 1903—For paving with asphalt Penn street, Borough of Brooklyn—For the President of the Borough. Cranford Company, No. 215 Montague street, Principals. The Empire State Surety Company, No. 375 Fulton street, Borough of Brooklyn, New York City; American Surety Company of New York, No. 100 Broadway, Sureties.

July 7, 1903—For paving with asphalt Palmetto street, Borough of Brooklyn. For the President of the Borough. Cranford Company, No. 215 Montague street, Principals. American Surety Company of New York, No. 100 Broadway; the Empire State Surety Company, No. 375 Fulton street, Borough of Brooklyn, New York City, Sureties.

July 7, 1903—For paving with asphalt Rutledge street, Borough of Brooklyn—For the President of the Borough. Cranford Company, No. 215 Montague street, Principals. American Surety Company of New York, No. 100 Broadway; the Empire State Surety Company, No. 375 Fulton street, Borough of Brooklyn, New York City, Sureties.

July 7, 1903—For paving with asphalt South Fourth street, Borough of Brooklyn—For the President of the Borough. Cranford Company, No. 215 Montague street, Principals. American Surety Company of New York, No. 100 Broadway; the Empire State Surety Company, No. 375 Fulton street, Borough of Brooklyn, New York City, Sureties.

July 7, 1903—For paving with asphalt South First street, Borough of Brooklyn—For the President of the Borough. Cranford Company, No. 215 Montague street, Principals. The Empire State Surety Company, No. 375 Fulton street, Borough of Brooklyn, New York City; American Surety Company of New York, No. 100 Broadway, Sureties.

July 7, 1903—For paving with asphalt Monitor street, Borough of Brooklyn—For the President of the Borough. Cranford Company, No. 215 Montague street, Principals. The Empire State Surety Company, No. 375 Fulton street, Borough of Brooklyn, New York City; American Surety Company of New York, No. 100 Broadway, Sureties.

July 7, 1903—For paving with asphalt Rochester avenue, Borough of Brooklyn—For the President of the Borough. Cranford Company, No. 215 Montague street,

Principals. The Empire State Surety Company, No. 375 Fulton street, Borough of Brooklyn, New York City; American Surety Company of New York, No. 100 Broadway, Sureties.

July 7, 1903—For paving with asphalt Tompkins avenue, Borough of Brooklyn—For the President of the Borough. Cranford Company, No. 215 Montague street, Principals. The Empire State Surety Company, No. 375 Fulton street, Borough of Brooklyn, New York City; American Surety Company of New York, No. 100 Broadway, Sureties.

July 7, 1903—For paving with asphalt Pilling street, Borough of Brooklyn—For the President of the Borough. Cranford Company, No. 215 Montague street, Principals. The Empire State Surety Company, No. 375 Fulton street, Borough of Brooklyn, New York City; American Surety Company of New York, No. 100 Broadway, Sureties.

July 7, 1903—For paving with asphalt Warwick street, Borough of Brooklyn—For the President of the Borough. Cranford Company, No. 215 Montague street, Principals. The Empire State Surety Company, No. 375 Fulton street, Borough of Brooklyn, New York City; American Surety Company of New York, No. 100 Broadway, Sureties.

July 7, 1903—For paving with asphalt Buffalo avenue, Borough of Brooklyn—For the President of the Borough. Cranford Company, No. 215 Montague street, Principals. The Empire State Surety Company, No. 375 Fulton street, Borough of Brooklyn, New York City; American Surety Company of New York, No. 100 Broadway, Sureties.

July 7, 1903—For paving with asphalt Chestnut street, Borough of Brooklyn—For the President of the Borough. Cranford Company, No. 215 Montague street, Principals. The Empire State Surety Company, No. 375 Fulton street, Borough of Brooklyn, New York City; American Surety Company of New York, No. 100 Broadway, Sureties.

July 7, 1903—For asphalt paving in Highland Park, Borough of Queens—For the Department of Parks. Vulcanite Paving Company, No. 114 Liberty street, Principals. National Surety Company, No. 346 Broadway; The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia, No. 160 Broadway, Sureties.

July 7, 1903—For building an iron picket fence in Prospect Park, Borough of Brooklyn—For the Department of Parks. Eagle Iron Works, No. 850 DeKalb avenue, Principals. The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia, No. 160 Broadway, Surety.

July 7, 1903—For repairs to the Metropolitan Museum of Art, Borough of Manhattan—For the Department of Parks. Louis Wecholer, No. 1133 Broadway, Principal. Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland, No. 35 Wall street, New York City, Surety.

July 7, 1903—For building a wall in Sunset Park, Borough of Brooklyn—For the Department of Parks. Bart Dunn, No. 321 East Sixty-eighth street, Principal. The Empire State Surety Company, No. 375 Fulton street, Borough of Brooklyn, New York City, Surety.

July 7, 1903—For building a sewer in East End avenue, Borough of Manhattan—For the President of the Borough. R. J. Rooney, No. 1171 Simpson street, Principal. The Union Surety and Guaranty Company, No. 135 Broadway, Surety.

July 7, 1903—For building a sewer in Columbia street, Borough of Manhattan—For the President of the Borough. Michael Gavin, No. 669 Second avenue, Principal. The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, No. 140 Broadway, Surety.

July 7, 1903—For building a sewer in One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, Borough of Manhattan—For the President of the Borough. W. J. Ford, No. 17 West One Hundred and Third street, Principal. The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, No. 140 Broadway, Surety.

July 7, 1903—For building sewer basins in West Twelfth street, etc., Borough of Manhattan—For the President of the Borough. W. J. Ford, No. 17 West One Hundred and Third street, Principal. The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, No. 140 Broadway, Surety.

July 7, 1903—For paving with asphalt Knickerbocker avenue, Borough of Brooklyn—For the President of the Borough. Cranford Company, No. 215 Montague street, Principals. The Empire State Surety Company, No. 375 Fulton street, Borough of Brooklyn, New York City; American Surety Company of New York, No. 100 Broadway, Sureties.

July 7, 1903—For paving with asphalt Herkimer street, Borough of Brooklyn—For the President of the Borough. Cranford Company, No. 215 Montague street,

Principals. The Empire State Surety Company, No. 375 Fulton street, Borough of Brooklyn, New York City; American Surety Company of New York, No. 100 Broadway, Sureties.

July 7, 1903—For paving with asphalt Metropolitan avenue, Borough of Queens—For the President of the Borough. Inter-State Paving Company, Temple Bar Building, Principals. The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia, No. 160 Broadway; the Aetna Indemnity Company, No. 68 William street, Sureties.

July 7, 1903—For furnishing broken stone, Borough of Queens—For the President of the Borough. P. F. Sharkey, No. 46 Fifth street, Principal. National Surety Company, No. 346 Broadway, Surety.

July 8, 1903—For repairs and alterations to the Normal College, Borough of Manhattan—For the Department of Education. Henry Hawkes Company, No. 46 Cedar street, Principals. Charles Spillner, No. 495 Cortlandt avenue; Julius Schork, No. 538 Cortlandt avenue, Sureties.

July 8, 1903—For paving with asphalt Jackson avenue, Borough of The Bronx—For the President of the Borough. The Barber Asphalt Paving Company, No. 11 Broadway, Principals. The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia, No. 160 Broadway; National Surety Company, No. 346 Broadway, Sureties.

July 8, 1903—For building a sewer in Ninety-sixth street, Borough of Brooklyn—For the President of the Borough. J. H. Parmentier, Temple Bar Building, Principal. The Aetna Indemnity Company, No. 68 William street, Surety.

July 8, 1903—For building sewer basins, Borough of Brooklyn—For the President of the Borough. T. J. O'Connor, No. 1512 Carroll street, Principal. The Empire State Surety Company, No. 375 Fulton street, Borough of Brooklyn, New York City, Surety.

July 8, 1903—For regulating, etc., Ninety-fourth street, Borough of Manhattan—For the President of the Borough. Joseph Moon, No. 170 East Eighty-ninth street, Principal. The United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, No. 140 Broadway, Surety.

July 8, 1903—For repairing gymnasium, Borough of Brooklyn—For the Department of Education. John W. Murphy, No. 1052 St. Mark's avenue, Principal. American Surety Company of New York, No. 100 Broadway, Surety.

July 8, 1903—For general supplies for schools, The City of New York—For the Department of Education. Hygienic School Supply Company, No. 109 West Forty-fifth street, Principals. National Surety Company, No. 346 Broadway, Surety.

July 8, 1903—For furnishing 1,000 piles, Borough of Manhattan—For the Department of Docks and Ferries. Empire Timber Company, No. 258 Broadway, Principals. The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia, No. 160 Broadway, Surety.

July 8, 1903—For paving with asphalt Amsterdam avenue, from Eighty-sixth street to Ninetieth street, Borough of Manhattan—For the President of the Borough. Barber Asphalt Paving Company, No. 11 Broadway, Principals. National Surety Company, No. 346 Broadway; the City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia, No. 160 Broadway, Sureties.

July 8, 1903—For paving with asphalt Amsterdam avenue, from One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street to One Hundred and Thirtieth street, Borough of Manhattan—For the President of the Borough. Barber Asphalt Paving Company, No. 11 Broadway, Principals. National Surety Company, No. 346 Broadway; the City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia, No. 160 Broadway, Sureties.

July 8, 1903—For paving with asphalt Lenox avenue, Borough of Manhattan—For the President of the Borough. Barber Asphalt Paving Company, No. 11 Broadway, Principals. National Surety Company, No. 346 Broadway; the City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia, No. 160 Broadway, Sureties.

July 8, 1903—For paving with asphalt Liberty street, Borough of Manhattan—For the President of the Borough. Barber Asphalt Paving Company, No. 11 Broadway, Principals. National Surety Company, No. 346 Broadway; the City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia, No. 160 Broadway, Sureties.

July 8, 1903—For paving with asphalt Sylvan place, Borough of Manhattan—For the President of the Borough. Barber Asphalt Paving Company, No. 11 Broadway, Principals. National Surety Company, No. 346 Broadway; the City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia, No. 160 Broadway, Sureties.

July 8, 1903—For paving with asphalt Fourth avenue, from Twenty-fourth street to Thirty-second street, Borough of Manhattan—For the President of the Borough. Barber Asphalt Paving Company, No. 11 Broadway, Principals. National Surety Company, No. 346 Broadway; the City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia, No. 160 Broadway, Sureties.

July 8, 1903—For paving with asphalt Twenty-sixth street, Borough of Manhattan—For the President of the Borough. Barber Asphalt Paving Company, No. 11 Broadway, Principals. National Surety Company, No. 346 Broadway; the City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia, No. 160 Broadway, Sureties.

July 8, 1903—For paving with asphalt Fifty-fourth street, Borough of Manhattan—For the President of the Borough. Barber Asphalt Paving Company, No. 11 Broadway, Principals. National Surety Company, No. 346 Broadway; the City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia, No. 160 Broadway, Sureties.

July 8, 1903—For paving with asphalt Ninety-third street, Borough of Manhattan—For the President of the Borough. Barber Asphalt Paving Company, No. 11 Broadway, Principals. National Surety Company, No. 346 Broadway; the City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia, No. 160 Broadway, Sureties.

July 8, 1903—For paving with asphalt Ninety-fourth street, Borough of Manhattan—For the President of the Borough. Barber Asphalt Paving Company, No. 11 Broadway, Principals. National Surety Company, No. 346 Broadway; the City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia, No. 160 Broadway, Sureties.

July 8, 1903—For paving with asphalt Ninety-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan—For the President of the Borough. Barber Asphalt Paving Company, No. 11 Broadway, Principals. National Surety Company, No. 346 Broadway; the City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia, No. 160 Broadway, Sureties.

July 8, 1903—For paving with asphalt One Hundred and Eighteenth street, Borough of Manhattan—For the President of the Borough. Barber Asphalt Paving Company, No. 11 Broadway, Principals. National Surety Company, No. 346 Broadway; the City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia, No. 160 Broadway, Sureties.

July 8, 1903—For paving with asphalt One Hundred and Twenty-first street, Borough of Manhattan—For the President of the Borough. Barber Asphalt Paving Company, No. 11 Broadway, Principals. National Surety Company, No. 346 Broadway; the City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia, No. 160 Broadway, Sureties.

July 8, 1903—For paving with asphalt One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street, Borough of Manhattan—For the President of the Borough. Barber Asphalt Paving Company, No. 11 Broadway, Principals. National Surety Company, No. 346 Broadway; the City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia, No. 160 Broadway, Sureties.

July 8, 1903—For paving with asphalt One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, Borough of Manhattan—For the President of the Borough. Barber Asphalt Paving Company, No. 11 Broadway, Principals. National Surety Company, No. 346 Broadway; the City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia, No. 160 Broadway, Sureties.

July 8, 1903—For paving with asphalt One Hundred and Fiftieth street, Borough of Manhattan—For the President of the Borough. Barber Asphalt Paving Company, No. 11 Broadway, Principals. National Surety Company, No. 346 Broadway; the City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia, No. 160 Broadway, Sureties.

July 8, 1903—For paving with asphalt Eighty-seventh street, Borough of Manhattan—For the President of the Borough. Barber Asphalt Paving Company, No. 11 Broadway, Principals. National Surety Company, No. 346 Broadway; the City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia, No. 160 Broadway, Sureties.

July 8, 1903—For regulating, etc., One Hundred and Eighth street, Borough of Manhattan—For the President of the Borough. John H. Devlin, One Hundred and Forty-eighth street and Third avenue, Principal. American Bonding Company of Baltimore, Surety.

July 8, 1903—For building a sewer in Brooklyn avenue, Borough of Brooklyn—For the President of the Borough. John McNamee, No. 237 Jefferson avenue, Principal. The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia, No. 160 Broadway; the Empire State Surety Company, No. 375 Fulton street, Borough of Brooklyn, New York City, Sureties.

July 8, 1903—For paving with asphalt Fifty-sixth street, Borough of Manhattan—For the President of the Borough. The Sicilian Asphalt Paving Company, Times Building, Principals. The City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia, No. 160 Broadway; the Empire State Surety Company, No. 375 Fulton street, Borough of Brooklyn, New York City, Sureties.

July 9, 1903—For building a shelter house at Saratoga square, Borough of Brooklyn—For the Department of Parks. Edward Johnson, Fifty-fifth street and Fifteenth avenue, Principal. American Surety Company of New York, No. 100 Broadway, Surety.

July 9, 1903—For removing partitions at Recreation Pier, Third street, East river, Borough of Manhattan—For the Department of Education. Chester D. Coram, No. 114 East Twenty-third street, Principal. American Surety Company of New York, No. 100 Broadway, Surety.

July 10, 1903—For repairs to the Kings County Courthouse, Borough of Brooklyn—For the President of the Borough. Blake & Williams, No. 211 West Twentieth street, Principals. National Surety Company, No. 346 Broadway; the Empire State Surety Company, No. 375 Fulton street, Borough of Brooklyn, New York City, Sureties.

July 10, 1903—For building a sewer in One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, Borough of Manhattan—For the President of the Borough. R. J. Rooney, No. 1171 Simpson street, Principal. The Empire State Surety Company, No. 375 Fulton street, Borough of Brooklyn, New York City, Surety.

July 10, 1903—For paving with asphalt Ninth avenue, Borough of Queens—For the President of the Borough. The Barber Asphalt Paving Company, No. 11 Broadway, Principals. National Surety Company, No. 346 Broadway; the City Trust, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia, No. 160 Broadway, Sureties.

July 10, 1903—For building sewer basins, Borough of Brooklyn—For the President of the Borough. J. L. Carey, No. 51 Clark street, Principal. The Aetna Indemnity Company, No. 68 William street, Surety.

Opening of Proposals for the Week Ending July 11, 1903.

The Comptroller, by representative, attended the opening of proposals at the following departments, viz.:

July 6, 1903—For paving in the school yard of Public School 36, Borough of The Bronx; for an addition to Truant School, and alterations to Public School 70; for furniture for Public School 31, and forming classrooms in Public School 171, Borough of Manhattan; for new furniture for High School 1, Borough of Richmond—For the Department of Education.

July 6, 1903—For alterations to college buildings, The City of New York—For the Trustees of the Normal College.

July 6, 1903—For furnishing groceries, provisions, flour, meats, dry goods, hospital supplies, etc., The City of New York—For the Department of Public Charities.

July 7, 1903—For forming an extension to Riverside Drive, Borough of Manhattan—For the President of the Borough.

July 7, 1903—For furnishing and delivering 1,000 piles, The City of New York—For the Department of Docks and Ferries.

July 8, 1903—For erecting a building for the Seventy-first Regiment, N. Y. S. M., The City of New York—For the Armory Board.

July 8, 1903—For dredging in Gowanus and Wallabout canals, etc., Borough of Brooklyn—For the President of the Borough.

July 8, 1903—For building a scarlet fever pavilion at Willard Parker Hospital grounds, The City of New York—For the Department of Health.

July 8, 1903—For dredging in the East and Harlem rivers; for furnishing rip-rap and granite stones, The City of New York—For the Department of Docks and Ferries.

July 10, 1903—For erecting a building for Hook and Ladder Company 27, Borough of The Bronx; for alterations to quarters of Engine Company 18, and for water towers and ladders, Borough of Manhattan; for a fire alarm system, Borough of Richmond—For the Department of Fire.

July 11, 1903—For paving with asphalt Saratoga avenue, from Jefferson avenue to Bainbridge street, and for improvements in twenty-three other streets; for building a bridge at Seeley street, Borough of Brooklyn—For the President of the Borough.

Official Designation.

N. Taylor Phillips, Deputy Comptroller, to act as Comptroller from Monday, July 6, to Saturday, July 18, 1903, both days inclusive.

Hubert L. Smith, Assistant Deputy Comptroller, to sign warrants on the City Treasury from Monday, July 6, to Saturday, July 18, 1903, both days inclusive.

N. T. PHILLIPS, Deputy Comptroller.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

New York, September 8, 1903.

The following proceedings were this day directed by Police Commissioner Greene:

Dismissed from Employment—Gilber B. Nelson, Assistant Engineer on steamer "Patrol."

Ordered, That requisition be and is hereby made upon the Municipal Civil Service Commission for an eligible list to enable the Police Commissioner to appoint forty-five (45) Patrolmen, and that the Municipal Civil Service Commission be respectfully requested to include in such list the following names: James J. Sheehy, John W. Cunningham, Edward J. Cousin, Charles G. Weiss and Charles P. Mooney.

Ordered, That requisition be and is hereby made upon the Municipal Civil Service Commission for an eligible list to enable the Police Commissioner to appoint one (1) Assistant Engineer for the steamer "Patrol," with compensation at \$900 per annum.

Appointed Matron—Catharine Smith.

Concert Licenses Granted—"Japan by Night" Amusement Company, St. Nicholas Garden, No. 69 West Sixty-sixth street, September 1 to December 1; \$150. Sommer & Samuels' Amusement Company, The Orpheum, Nos. 117-125 East One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, September 5 to December 5; \$150 (without permission to sell ales, etc.). Frank Lea Short, Comedy Theatre, Nos. 114 and 116 West Sixty-fifth street, three months from date.

Pension Increased—Mary T. O'Connor, \$10 per month, making total of \$20 per month from and after date.

Special Patrolmen Appointed—William Sugart, for D. A. Weis, Columbia Theatre, Brooklyn. W. C. Newbury and E. J. Schroeder, for the Brooklyn Heights Railroad Company. Joseph Victory, for Smith, Gray & Co., and others, Brooklyn. Felix Johansen, for Brooklyn District Telegraph Company. Joachim Melgaard, for M. Schmidten, Scandinavian-American Line. Application of M. Schmidten, Scandinavian-American Line, for the appointment of Carl Louis Petersen as Special Patrolman, denied. Appointment of John A. Hager as Special Patrolman for Brooklyn District Telegraph Company, revoked.

Resignations Accepted—Patrolman John O'Flaherty, 26th Precinct. Special Patrolmen I. S. Rubenstein, George V. Collins, Patrick Powers, Nathan Whitman.

Approved—Application of Patrolman George W. Carrouger, 72d Precinct. Request of Sergeant James E. Fleming, in command of 54th Precinct, that a Roundsmen or Acting Roundsmen be assigned to 54th Precinct.

Referred to Chief Inspector—Report of Captain William Dean, 42d Precinct, relative to depth of water at Boyce & Barnes' coal dock, Astoria, Long Island; to Captain Dean, with instructions to see that the "Patrol" is only sent for coal at high water, when, according to statement of Captain Dean, she can be coaled with safety and without difficulty. Communication from Benjamin Merkle, Life Saving Benevolent Association, inclosing application of Patrolman William A. Gray, 42d Precinct, relative to the rescue of Jacob Kinkel from drowning, etc.; for investigation and report whether this was reported on the blotter, and whether any report of the same was made by the Captain of the precinct at the time. Report of Captain Gehegan, 35th Precinct, relative to the absence of Patrolman Anthony B. McKernan; for report whether this man has reported for duty on or before midnight September 8, and whether he has been absent five days without leave. Application of Probationary Patrolman William P. Rooney, 16th Precinct, for assignment to a precinct nearer his residence; for consideration when men are assigned from School of Instruction. Application of Probationary Patrolman William G. Irwin for assignment to mounted duty; for consideration when men are assigned from School of Instruction. Application of Probationary Patrolman Philip Suss for assignment to mounted duty; to place name on list for consideration when vacancy occurs. Communication from Justice William S. Bennett, 12th District, asking that Pro-

bationary Patrolman Charles Goss be retained at 30th Precinct. Application of Marcus Brothers for the appointment of Nathan Whitman as Special Patrolman. Behringer & Schlott, making application for special shield. Application of J. Eltz & Son for the appointment of John J. Lynch as Special Patrolman. Application of John F. Hylan for the appointment of Frank Russell as Special Patrolman. Application of Keene Dramatic Society for the appointment of E. Herbold as Special Patrolman. Application of Leopold Spachner for the appointment of Jacob H. Goldstein as Special Patrolman.

Referred to Second Deputy Commissioner—Communication from Automobile Topics, enclosing clipping relative to speed-testing appliance for automobiles; to test this machine on police bicycle. Communication from Inspector Albertson recommending the transfer of Patrolman Charles Johnson, 31st Precinct.

Referred to Third Deputy Commissioner—Request of Patrolman John A. McGloin, 79th Precinct, to be transferred to the Boiler Squad, Borough of Manhattan.

Referred to Corporation Counsel—Summons Fourth District Court, case Isaac M. Cohen against Charles D. Blatchford, Property Clerk.

Referred to Chief Clerk to Answer—Fred H. Johnson, relative to extension of time in enforcing law relative to newsboys. Hon. George Cromwell, President of the Borough of Richmond, recommending transfer of Patrolman George E. Jones from 2d Precinct to 80th Precinct. John Farrell and others, Deckhands, asking whether they are entitled to summer vacations. J. J. Swan, No. 761 Seventh avenue, asking relative to John Curran, formerly a Patrolman. Arthur Morell, asking why his appointment as Special Patrolman was revoked. John Journee, Superintendent of Police, New Orleans, asking information as to force, salaries, etc. Hildebrand Baking Company, asking appointment of Arthur Morell and Michael Bevac as Special Patrolmen, they having left the employment of Saverio Gallo & Co.

On File—Communication from Arthur A. Stoughton, inclosing blue print of survey of lot on Mosholu parkway for 41st Precinct station. Report of Captain Lantry, 5th Precinct, on clipping headed "Mobbed Victim of Thief." Report of First Deputy Commissioner F. H. E. Ebstein relative to duty performed at a fire by Sergeant Rogers and Patrolmen Jones and Turner. Report of Sergeant Prial, 15th Precinct (in command), of arrest of Emma Brazel for keeping a disorderly house; place with similar report. Report of Captain Murtha, 6th Precinct, relative to an arrest for violation of the Lottery Law; to place with similar report. Report of Captain Handy, 8th Precinct, relative to disposition of arrest for violation of section 351 of the Penal Code. Report of Sergeant F. W. Shibles, in command of 19th Precinct, relative to raid on disorderly house, No. 152 West Thirty-second street. Report of Captain Ferris, 20th Precinct, relative to raid at No. 210 West Fortieth street. Report of Inspector Albertson on communication from William Bilek and Gustave Obendorfer, commending Patrolman Joseph A. Howard, 27th Precinct, for stopping a runaway horse. Report of Inspector Walsh on communication from Joseph P. W. Harty, commending Patrolman William C. Ritchie, 26th Precinct, for stopping a runaway horse. Report of Inspector Albertson on communication signed "Victim," relative to burglaries on Eighth avenue. Report of Inspector McClusky, Detective Bureau, relative to burglaries in Third and Fourth Inspection Districts. Reports from precincts relative to violations of Sunday Theatre Law, with disposition of cases by Magistrates. Reports from precincts of arrests for violation of Liquor Tax Law, keeping disorderly houses, etc., with disposition by Magistrates. Reports of Inspector McClusky relative to homicide cases since January 1, 1903. Reports of Inspector McClusky, Detective Bureau, showing arrests made during March, April and May, 1903; also amount of property recovered during same period.

The following transfers were ordered by the Commissioner to take effect at 8 a. m., September 9, 1903: Patrolman Nicholas Butterfield, from 22d Precinct to 2d Precinct; Patrolman Joseph O'Brien, from 2d Precinct to 22d Precinct; Patrolman Frank T. Gallagher, from 9th Precinct to 15th Precinct, detailed to clerical duty; Patrolman Thomas H. Johnston, 40th Precinct, remanded to patrol duty from plain clothes duty; Patrolman Charles G. Mason, 69th Precinct, dismounted; Patrolman Percy Quesenbury, 69th Precinct, mounted.

Catharine Smith, having qualified as Matron, is assigned to duty in 62d Precinct.

Ordered, That the following bills be approved and referred to the Comptroller for payment:

Account Supplies for Police 1903.

No. 2447.	Ahrens Bros., boarding horses.....	\$120 00
No. 2448.	Sherman Square Stables, boarding horses.....	60 00
No. 2449.	James Stanley, boarding horses.....	30 00
No. 2450.	John Faulkner, horseshoeing.....	31 00
No. 2451.	Roscoe R. Bell, D. V. S., veterinary services.....	2 50
No. 2452.	Roscoe R. Bell, D. V. S., veterinary services.....	29 50
No. 2453.	Roscoe R. Bell, D. V. S., veterinary services.....	2 50
No. 2454.	Dr. E. Strause, V. S., veterinary services.....	17 50
No. 2455.	Boyce & Barnes, coal.....	647 75
No. 2456.	Samuel Lewis, D. and S. supplies.....	1,074 30
No. 2457.	Martin B. Brown Company, book.....	29 50
No. 2458.	Martin B. Brown Company, pamphlets.....	17 50
No. 2459.	Martin B. Brown Company, letter heads.....	9 20
No. 2460.	Martin B. Brown Company, envelopes, etc.....	11 75
No. 2461.	Martin B. Brown Company, books, blanks, etc.....	6 25
No. 2462.	Martin B. Brown Company, proposals.....	6 95
No. 2463.	Martin B. Brown Company, books.....	126 50
No. 2464.	The Banks Law Publishing Company, Penal Code.....	4 50
No. 2465.	The Banks Law Publishing Company, law books.....	11 10
No. 2466.	The Banks Law Publishing Company, Amendments to Code.....	30
No. 2467.	The Banks Law Publishing Company, C. and P. Code.....	4 50
No. 2468.	The Banks Law Publishing Company, law books.....	7 00
No. 2469.	The Banks Law Publishing Company, law books.....	11 10
No. 2470.	The Banks Law Publishing Company, law books.....	7 00
No. 2471.	The Banks Law Publishing Company, law books.....	4 50
No. 2472.	The Banks Law Publishing Company, law books.....	11 70
No. 2473.	Jordan Stationery Company, carbon paper, etc.....	20 50
No. 2474.	General Fireproofing Company, filing cases.....	50 00
No. 2475.	Addison Johnson A. and W., table.....	22 60
No. 2476.	Lewis B. Jeffcott, linoleum.....	63 75
No. 2477.	J. Warren Mead, A. and W., table.....	21 05
No. 2478.	Office, Bank and Library Company, table.....	112 00
No. 2479.	A. Pearson's Sons, carpet, etc.....	77 00
No. 2480.	A. Pearson's Sons, carpet, etc.....	26 25
No. 2481.	P. W. Vallely, chairs.....	11 25
No. 2482.	John Wanamaker, bookcase.....	12 75
No. 2483.	John Wanamaker, couch and rug.....	39 25
No. 2484.	John Wanamaker, matting.....	5 20
No. 2485.	John Wanamaker, table cloths.....	33 00
No. 2486.	Frank B. Hedenberg, awnings.....	105 96
No. 2487.	Frank B. Hedenberg, awnings.....	5 50
No. 2488.	Frank B. Hedenberg, awnings.....	25 00
No. 2489.	The Consumers' New York Rubber Tire Company, rubber tires.....	35 00
No. 2490.	The Consumers' New York Rubber Tire Company, repairing tires, etc.....	22 50
No. 2491.	The Consumers' New York Rubber Tire Company, rubber tire.....	17 50
No. 2492.	The Consumers' New York Rubber Tire Company, rubber tire.....	17 50
No. 2493.	The Consumers' New York Rubber Tire Company, rubber tire.....	17 50
No. 2494.	Morrell & Menchen, rubber tire.....	10 00
No. 2495.	M. F. Marlborough, wagon repairs.....	110 75
No. 2496.	M. F. Marlborough, wagon repairs.....	9 80
No. 2497.	M. F. Marlborough, wagon repairs.....	56 25
No. 2498.	Peters & Heins, wagon repairs.....	16 00
No. 2499.	Peters & Heins, wagon repairs.....	5 00
No. 2500.	Peters & Heins, wagon repairs.....	12 50
No. 2501.	George F. Sargent Company, stretcher.....	5 25
No. 2502.	George F. Sargent Company, stretcher.....	5 25
No. 2503.	George F. Sargent Company, stretcher.....	5 25
No. 2504.	Smith, Worthington & Co., harness material.....	137 75

No. 2505.	Smith, Worthington & Co., harness material.....	37 25
No. 2506.	Smith, Worthington & Co., harness material.....	33 10
No. 2507.	Smith, Worthington & Co., harness material.....	60 00
No. 2508.	Remington Typewriter Company, repairing typewriter.....	20 00
No. 2509.	Remington Typewriter Company, repairing typewriter.....	15 00
No. 2510.	Remington Typewriter Company, repairing typewriter.....	12 00
No. 2511.	Remington Typewriter Company, typewriter.....	87 75
No. 2512.	Remington Typewriter Company, typewriter.....	87 75
No. 2513.	Underwood Typewriter Company, typewriter.....	85 00
No. 2514.	Peter Manee, repairs to flagpole.....	27 50
No. 2515.	S. A. French, repairing shields.....	36 90
No. 2516.	J. P. Hall, electric lights, etc.....	46 00
No. 2517.	W. R. Ostrander & Co., electric fans.....	48 00
No. 2518.	Stanley & Patterson, electric fans.....	23 50
No. 2519.	Stanley & Patterson, telegraph supplies.....	26 92
No. 2520.	Stanley & Patterson, telegraph supplies.....	81 25
No. 2521.	Hull, Grippen & Co., repairing lock.....	3 00
No. 2522.	Hull, Grippen & Co., repairing lock.....	12 50
No. 2523.	Hull, Grippen & Co., garden rakes, etc.....	3 50
No. 2524.	Hull, Grippen & Co., repairing locks, etc.....	70 00
No. 2525.	Hull, Grippen & Co., fan motor.....	15 00
No. 2526.	Hull, Grippen & Co., fan motors.....	69 00
No. 2527.	Iden & Co., gas fixtures.....	18 50
No. 2528.	Iden & Co., gas fixtures.....	15 50
No. 2529.	Lewis L. Shipley, bicycle repairs.....	37 50
No. 2530.	Stearns Bicycle Agency, tires.....	39 00
No. 2531.	Stearns Bicycle Agency, pump.....	1 00
No. 2532.	Stearns Bicycle Agency, bicycle supplies.....	24 15
No. 2533.	Stearns Bicycle Agency, bicycle supplies.....	74 00

Total.....\$4,959 33

Account Police Station Houses, Etc., 1903.

No. 2534.	The Leonard Sheet Metal Works, skylights.....	\$10 00
No. 2535.	The Leonard Sheet Metal Works, skylight.....	44 50
No. 2536.	The Leonard Sheet Metal Works, skylight.....	44 20
No. 2537.	Alexander Dickson, station house alterations.....	95 00
No. 2538.	Alexander Dickson, repairing plaster.....	16 20
No. 2539.	Alexander Miller & Bro., repairing patrol.....	3,200 00

Total.....\$3,409 90

Account Supplies for Police, 1903.

No. 2540.	Martin B. Brown Company, pamphlets.....	\$1 00
No. 2541.	Martin B. Brown Company, index book.....	20 00
No. 2542.	Martin B. Brown Company, envelopes.....	32 50
No. 2543.	Martin B. Brown Company, binding returns.....	25 00
No. 2544.	Martin B. Brown Company, blanks, No. 40a.....	5 00
No. 2545.	Martin B. Brown Company, contracts, etc.....	168 00
No. 2546.	J. Warren Mead, Agent and Warden, chairs.....	52 80
No. 2547.	Addison T. Johnson, Agent and Warden, bed sheets, etc.....	5 45
No. 2548.	Frank B. Hedenberg, window shades.....	70 44
No. 2549.	Frank B. Hedenberg, window shades.....	18 00
No. 2550.	Frank B. Hedenberg, window shades.....	23 40
No. 2551.	Frank B. Hedenberg, rehanging awnings.....	4 25
No. 2552.	E. P. Gleeson Manufacturing Company, lamp.....	5 35
No. 2553.	E. P. Gleeson Manufacturing Company, gaspipe fittings, etc.....	21 91
No. 2554.	Andrew J. Goebel, clock supplies, etc.....	40 00
No. 2555.	Bramhall, Dean & Co., fire brick, etc.....	10 52
No. 2556.	Thomas F. Burke, wash basin, etc.....	215 00
No. 2557.	Candee & Smith, lime, plaster, etc.....	14 25
No. 2558.	Thomas C. Dunham, Incorporated, glass.....	3 40
No. 2559.	Thomas C. Dunham, Incorporated, glass, etc.....	11 00
No. 2560.	Thomas C. Dunham, Incorporated, paints, oils, etc.....	30 64
No. 2561.	Thomas C. Dunham, Incorporated, paints, oils, etc.....	46 21
No. 2562.	William Henderson, lumber.....	12 42
No. 2563.	Hull, Grippen & Co., locks.....	12 00
No. 2564.	Hull, Grippen & Co., lock.....	3 00
No. 2565.	Samuel Lewis, water cooler.....	5 20
No. 2566.	Martin Logan, repairs to stalls.....	312 45
No. 2567.	Thomas McKay, repairing railing.....	5 00
No. 2568.	Meurer Brothers' Company, roofing material.....	38 26
No. 2569.	Meurer Brothers' Company, roofing material.....	45 50
No. 2570.	Meurer Brothers' Company, roofing supplies.....	50 76
No. 2571.	J. L. Mott Iron Works, plumbing material.....	36 34
No. 2572.	The New York Edison Company, electric current.....	24 60
No. 2573.	New York Belting and Packing Company, rubber hose.....	5 45
No. 2574.	James Reilly Repair and Supply Company, repairs to pump.....	20 00
No. 2575.	James Reilly Repair and Supply Company, supplies.....	70 21
No. 2576.	Rider-Ericson Engine Company, repairing engine.....	64 20
No. 2577.	Joha Schmitt, cleaning cesspool.....	96 00
No. 2578.	Messrs. Schieffelin & Co., drug supplies.....	20 78
No. 2579.	Western Union Telegraph Company, repairing cable.....	365 00
No. 2580.	J. Curley, buggy.....	200 00
No. 2581.	J. Curley, wagon repairs.....	191 45
No. 2582.	J. H. Hooper, wagon repairs.....	2 00
No. 2583.	M. F. Marlborough, wagon repairs.....	9 80
No. 2584.	Peters & Heins, wagon repairs.....	7 25
No. 2585.	George Trapp, Jr., wagon repairs.....	8 00
No. 2586.	Frederick A. Arnoldi, stable supplies.....	8 35
No. 2587.	Thomas Gallon, harness material.....	2 40
No. 2588.	William Byrnes, harness repairs.....	7 60
No. 2589.	M. Berry, harness repairs.....	18 65
No. 2590.	William Mathis, harness repairs.....	10 45
No. 2591.	Blackoline Manufacturing Company, harness dressing.....	97 50
No. 2592.	M. R. Brame, Linemen's expenses.....	94 52
No. 2593.	John M. Egan, horseshoeing.....	41 50
No. 2594.	Roscoe R. Bill, D. V. S., veterinary services.....	2 00

Total.....\$2,718 85

Account, Police Station House Rents, 1903.

James Burrell, rent 72d Precinct.....	\$80 00
Jacob Blank, rent 77th Sub-Precinct.....	50 00
Mary E. Hines, rent 79th Precinct.....	250 00
Frederick Schmidt, rent 42d Sub-Precinct.....	50 00

Total.....\$430 00

WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

Week Ending Saturday, 12 M., August 22, 1903.

Borough.	Population U. S. Census 1900.	Estimated Population Middle of Year 1903.	Deaths.		Births.	Marriages.	Still-births.	Death-rate.		*Corrected 1903.
			1902.	1903.				1902.	1903.	
Manhattan.....	1,850,093	1,917,676	667	630	598	1,274	493	64	18.36	16.27
The Bronx.....	200,507	268,341	93	96	95	118	31	4	19.87	18.68
Brooklyn.....	1,166,582	1,291,597	411	393	374	510	163	28	17.16	15.11
Queens.....	152,999	182,681	48	63	62	66	12	6	14.52	17.70
Richmond.....	67,021	72,608	31	20	19	24	5	2	22.86	13.65
City of New York.....	3,437,202	3,732,903	1,250	1,202	1,146	1,992	704	104	17.95	16.02

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

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

Cases of Infectious and Contagious Diseases Reported.

		WEEK ENDING—													
		May 23.	May 30.	June 6.	June 13.	June 20.	June 27.	July 4.	July 11.	July 18.	July 25.	Aug. 1.	Aug. 8.	Aug. 15.	Aug. 22.
Tuberculosis	Pulmonalis. } Diphtheria and Croup . . . }	305	205	396	343	283	263	247	267	293	293	316	250	282	271
		455	378	437	443	433	399	325	354	257	321	275	288	295	296
Measles		448	356	471	413	331	403	350	387	356	247	239	184	125	117
Scarlet fever.		288	246	251	315	228	210	157	183	117	111	104	106	86	104
Small-pox . . .		1	3	1	1	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Varicella . . .		97	71	98	102	97	54	58	56	59	13	21	14	12	12
Typhoid fever .		46	42	50	59	50	56	45	78	78	69	66	89	96	109
Whooping Cough		.....	.....	21	32	13	10	11	21	23	19	32	16	20	18
Total. . .		1,640	1,301	1,735	1,708	1,428	1,395	1,203	1,347	1,183	1,073	1,053	947	916	927

Deaths by Principal Causes, According to Locality and Age.

Boroughs.	Infectious Diseases detailed elsewhere.	Malarial Diseases.	Whooping Cough.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Diarrhoeal Diseases under 5 Years.	Tuberculosis Pulmonalis.	Bronchitis.	Pneumonia.	Congenital Debility.	Suicides.	Homicides.	Accidents.	Under 1 Year.	Under 5 Years.	5-6 Years.	65 Years and over.
Manhattan	23	...	4	130	119	66	9	32	41	3	1	31	200	264	300	66
The Bronx	3	1	10	8	29	29	2	6	...	...	...	...	23	29	52	15
Brooklyn	23	2	4	82	73	38	3	19	11	...	...	20	116	162	181	50
Queens	1	1	15	13	5	1	4	5	1	...	...	6	22	30	27	6
Richmond	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	5	12	3
Total	50	4	10	241	216	141	13	58	63	4	2	66	365	490	572	140

Deaths According to Cause, Age and Sex.

	Total Deaths.	Deaths in Corresponding Week of 1902.	Males.	Females.	Under 1 Year.	1 Year and under 2.	2 and under 5.	Under 5 Years.	5-15.	15-25.	25-45.	45-65.	65 and over.
Total, all causes	1,202	1,250	641	561	365	73	52	490	49	72	242	209	140
1 Typhoid fever	19	20	12	7	...	...	...	1	1	2	6	3	1
2 Malarial fever	4	4	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3 Small-pox	4	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
4 Measles	3	2	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
5 Scarlet fever	4	7	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
6 Whooping cough	10	22	4	6	4	2	3	9	1	...	...	...	...
7 Diphtheria and croup	24	25	12	12	1	4	9	14	10	...	...	...	...
8 Influenza	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9 Other epidemic diseases	11	16	6	5	1	...	1	2	1	...	3	4	1
10 Tuberculosis Pulmonalis	141	134	74	67	...	2	3	5	2	29	78	25	2
11 Tubercular meningitis	9	13	7	2	2	2	2	6	1	...	1	1	...
12 Other forms of tuberculosis	15	5	9	6	2	1	2	5	1	3	4	1	1
13 Cancer, malignant tumor	46	51	14	32	...	...	...	...	10	24	12	...	...
14 Simple meningitis	17	8	5	12	6	5	3	14	1	2	...	...	...
15 Apoplexy, congestion and softening of brain	34	42	19	15	...	...	...	...	1	6	13	14	...
16 Organic heart diseases	69	71	36	33	...	...	...	...	3	4	16	25	21
17 Acute bronchitis	13	24	3	10	9	2	...	11	...	...	1	...	...
18 Chronic bronchitis	2	6	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...
19 Pneumonia (excluding broncho pneumonia)	58	43	33	25	12	10	...	22	1	5	10	14	6
20 Broncho pneumonia	24	24	17	7	13	3	5	21	...	...	1	2	...
21 Diseases of the stomach (cancer excepted)	10	13	5	5	3	...	3	...	1	...	2	4	...
22 Diarrhoeas (under 2 years)	206	225	109	97	176	30	...	206	...	...	...	...	...
23 Hernia, intestinal obstruction	11	12	5	6	1	1	...	2	...	1	2	3	3
24 Cirrhosis of liver	19	5	13	6	...	...	...	...	...	7	7	5	...
25 Bright's disease and nephritis	80	94	45	35	1	...	1	2	1	25	30	21	...
26 Diseases of women (not cancer)	4	5	...	4	...	...	...	...	1	2	1	...	...
27 Puerperal septicemia	3	5	...	3	...	...	...	...	1	2	...	...	...
28 Other puerperal diseases	8	7	...	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
29 Congenital debility and malformations	63	85	33	30	62	...	1	63	...	...	...	...	...
30 Old age	15	13	4	11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	...
31 Violent deaths	72	77	55	17	4	2	3	9	12	9	25	13	4
32 a. Sunstroke	66	67	51	15	4	2	3	9	12	8	22	11	4
33 b. Other accidents	2	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...
34 c. Homicide	4	9	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	...
35 d. Suicide	169	149	97	72	29	5	16	50	12	8	31	39	29
36 All other causes	39	41	19	20	36	2	1	39	...	...	...	...	...

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

WEEK ENDING	May 30.	June 6.	June 13.	June 20.	June 27.	July 4.	July 11.	July 18.	July 25.	Aug. 1.	Aug. 8.	Aug. 15.	Aug. 22.
Total deaths	1,170	1,206	1,174	1,137	1,216	1,323	1,516	1,503	1,220	1,363	1,233	1,255	1,202
Annual death-rate	16.35	16.86	16.41	15.89	17.00	18.49	21.19	21.01	17.05	19.05	17.23	17.54	16.80
Typhoid fever	10	10	6	7	7	9	13	16	14	12	12	12	19
Malarial fevers	7	3	3	2	1	5	2	1	...	3	...	1	4
Small-pox	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Measles	13	18	17	13	14	12	21	14	14	7	8	3	...
Scarlet fever	14	29	15	19	16	14	16	11	12	8	13	2	4
Whooping cough	6	5	7	13	4	8	7	2	3	4	10	8	10
Diphtheria and croup	42	52	44	53	49	47	36	43	30	38	22	26	24
Influenza	1	2	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tuberculosis Pulmonalis	144	158	145	142	142	123	116	144	123	148	162	145	141
Other Tuberculosis	21	17	29	36	32	25	32	24	31	18	19	24	...
Acute Bronchitis	32	26	19	19	13	23	15	13	14	13	19	15	13
Pneumonia	103	88	104	71	75	67	70	69	46	50	35	56	58
Broncho Pneumonia	53	55	51	41	62	37	62	47	33	46	27	39	24
Diarrhoeal diseases	47	62	40	114	121	183	291	337	281	296	266	257	241
Diarrhoeas under 2	39	53	63	101	112	165	269	309	259	271	226	234	206
Violent deaths	86	79	67	75	75	79	128	168	52	117	74	76	72
Under one year	200	251	221	278	302	369	436	478	398	432	384	388	365
Under five years	344	392	380	431	468	545	633	676	555	601	525	516	490
Five to sixty-five	635	659	642	572	603	593	693	671	545	614	567	604	574
Sixty-five years and over	191	155	152	134	146	180	190	156	120	146	141	135	140
In public and private institutions	332	341	304	265	351	306	373	439	315	405	357	352	332
Inquest cases	178	175	197	167	165	165	237	248	176	219	189	169	168
Mean barometer	30.090	30.151	29.798	27.727	29.819	29.825	29.914	29.784	29.845	29.928	29.993	29.923	29.876
Mean humidity	85	79	85	74	87	81	78	69	72	69	72	73	73
Inches of rain and snow	2.93	2.26	1.74	3.46	2.7	1.15	1.15	1.16	.73	2.81	.18	.65	...
Mean temperature (Fahrenheit)	62.0	62.3	67.6	61.8	64.0	74.0	80.1	70.5	73.5	72.0	66.8	69.3	72.6
Maximum temperature (Fahrenheit)	81.0	81.0	79.0	68.0	81.0	92.0	95.0	87.0	87.0	91.0	77.0	82.0	86.0
Minimum temperature (Fahrenheit)	49.0	52.0	57.0	56.0	55.0	61.0	67.0	58.4	62.0	57.0	54.0	58.0	62.0

Infectious and Contagious Diseases in Hospital.

	WILLARD PARKER HOSPITAL.			RIVERSIDE HOSPITAL.				KINGSTON AVENUE HOSPITAL.					
	Scarlet Fever.	Diphtheria.	Total.	Diphtheria.	Tuberculosis Pulmonalis.	Scarlet Fever.	Small-pox.	Total.	Diphtheria.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Small-pox.	Total.
Remaining Aug. 15, 1903	..	33	33	10	66	52	..	128	23	42	32	..	97
Admitted	10	10	2	4	16	..	22	15	5	3	..	23
Discharged	22	22	..	6	8	..	14	9	17	2	..	19
Died	2	2	..	2	..	..	2	2	3	..	..	4
Remaining Aug. 22, 1903	..	19	19	12	62	60	..	134	31	36	30	..	97
Total treated. .	..	43	43	12	70	68	..	150	38	47	35	..	120

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

Boroughs.	WARDS.	SICKNESS.						DEATHS REPORTED.							
		Diphtheria and Croup.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Small-pox.	Typhoid Fever.	Tuberculosis Pulmonalis.	Diphtheria and Croup.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Small-pox.	Typhoid Fever.	Tuberculosis Pulmonalis.	All Causes.	
The Bronx	Manhattan.	First	1	..	3	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	6
	Second	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
	Third	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	7
	Fourth	..	..	3	..	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	10
	Fifth	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	25
	Sixth	..	..	..	..	1	3	1	..	..	1	1	..	20
	Seventh	10	..	6	..	3	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	27
	Eighth	3	..	2	..	..	5	..	..	..	1	1	..	16
	Ninth	1	11	1	..	..	8	..	..	..	..	3	..	24
	Tenth	8	1	3	2	2	15	..	..	..	..	..	..	150
	Eleventh	4	5	2	..	2	7	..	..	..	3	21	..	21
	Twelfth	66	22	18	14	28	3	1	..	..	2	21	..	15
	Thirteenth	4	3	1	..	3	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	9
	Fourteenth	1	1	1	..	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	26
	The Bronx	Manhattan.	Fifteenth	1	5	4	1	19
Sixteenth		17	6	4	..	2	14	1	1	1	..	2	34	29	
Seventeenth		6	1	4	..	5	10	1	..	..	1	3	7	85
Eighteenth		33	8	9	12	34	1	..	..	..	1	7	20	27
Nineteenth		10	7	3	11	16	2	..	..	..	1	7	20	27
Twentieth		4	3	..	3	3	..	..	..	..	..	1	27	70
Twenty-first		20	4	4	7	17	..	..	..	2	10	7	26	70
Twenty-second		6	1	4	2	5	..	..	..	1	18	7	20	70
Twenty-third		5	..	4	1	2	..	..	..	2	11	..	..	726
Twenty-fourth		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total		201	78	75	..	71	188	11	2	1	..	12	95	726	
Brooklyn.		First	4	1	1	3	1	7	2
		Second	3
		Third	1	1	1	4	2
		Fourth	3	..	1	1	1	1	6
	Fifth	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	23
	Sixth	1	..	..	..	3	..	1	..	..	2	..	11	21
	Seventh	1	1	..	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	10	12
	Eighth	6	2	..	2	..	1	..	..	2	..	..	9	7
	Ninth	2	..	2	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	9	9
	Tenth	..	..	1	1	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	7
	Eleventh	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	9
	Twelfth	..	4	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	2	7	11	16
	Thirteenth	..	3	..	1	2	1	2	..	..	1	1	25	21
	Fourteenth	6	1	..	..	2	1	..	..	..	3	6	13	8
	Queens.	Manhattan.	Fifteenth	6	..	2	..	1	2	1	16	25
Sixteenth		4	7	2	2	4	1	..	..	..	2	2	21	6
Seventeenth		2	..	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	13	8
Eighteenth		3	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	19	15
Nineteenth		1	1	1	..	5	3	..	..	..	..	..	15	15
Twentieth		3	4	..	3	3	1	..	..	..	3	..	16	20
Twenty-first		3	9	6	1	6	..	..	..	1	..	..	17	29
Twenty-second		2	..	1	..	3	..	..	..	..	3	..	11	1
Twenty-third		3	2	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	393	..
Twenty-fourth		2	..	1	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Twenty-fifth		4	3	1	..	2	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..
Twenty-sixth		3	..	2	1	2	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..
Twenty-seventh		6	..	..	6	4	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..
Twenty-eighth		..	..	1	1	2	3	1	1	..	..	..	..	..
Twenty-ninth		2	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..
Thirtieth	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Thirty-first	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Thirty-second	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total	76	33	27	..	31	70	12	1	3	..	7	38	393		
Richmond	First	3	..	..	..	5	4	1	..	..	..	1	22	14
	Second	2	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	2	12	11
	Third	8	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	1	11	4
	Fourth	..	3	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Fifth	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total	13	4	1	..	5	10	1	..	..	..	5	63	..	
Richmond	First	2	2	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	3	8	3
	Second	1	..	..	..	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	2	4
	Third	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Fourth	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Fifth	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total	6	2	1	..	2	3	..	..	..	..	3	20	..	

Analysis of Ridgewood Water, August 20, 1903.

	RESULTS EXPRESSED IN GRAINS PER U. S. GALLON OF 231 CUBIC INCHES.	RESULTS EXPRESSED IN PARTS BY WEIGHT IN ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND.
Appearance.....	Very slightly turbid	Very slightly turbid.
Color.....	None.	None.
Odor (Heated to 100° Fahr.).....	Slightly marshy	Slightly marshy.
Chlorine in Chlorides.....	0.805	1.380
Equivalent to Sodium Chloride.....	1.326	2.274
Phosphates (P ₂ O ₅).....	None.	None.
Nitrogen in Nitrates.....	None.	None.
Nitrogen in Nitrates.....	0.0583	0.1000
Free Ammonia.....	0.0006	0.0010
Albuminoid Ammonia.....	0.0020	0.0035
Hardness equivalent to Carbonate of Lime.....	1.21	2.08
	Before boiling.....	
	After boiling.....	
Organic and volatile (loss on ignition).....	0.76	1.30
Mineral matter (non-volatile).....	4.66	8.00
Total solids (by evaporation).....	5.42	9.30

Temperature at hydrant, 71° Fahr.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING AUGUST 29.

NEW YORK CITY HOME FOR THE AGED AND INFIRM.

Appointments—

- August 25. Mary F. McCarin, Hospital Helper, \$150 (certified August 25).
 August 22. Jennie Douglass, Hospital Helper, \$150 per annum (certified August 25).

Dismissals—

- August 19. Robina Astin, Hospital Helper, \$150 per annum (absence without leave).
 August 23. Nellie Dittmar, Hospital Helper, \$150 per annum (absence without leave).
 August 17. Kate Dickson, Hospital Helper, \$144 per annum (insubordination).

Promotion—

- September 1. Elizabeth Farrell, Trained Nurse, \$500 to \$600, to Supervising Nurse (certified August 28).

Leave Granted—

- July 27. Mary Byrne, Nurse, \$180 per annum (30 days without pay).

BRADFORD STREET HOSPITAL.

Transfer—

- August 1. Genevieve M. Driscoll, Pupil Nurse, \$120 per annum (to Kings County Hospital).

Dropped—

- August 12. Mary Brennan, Pupil Nurse, \$120 per annum (graduated).

CITY HOSPITAL.

Appointments—

- August 14. Jacob Schulmacher, Cook, \$360 per annum (certified August 22).
 August 12. Michael Grimes, Hospital Helper, \$144 per annum (certified August 24).
 August 21. Mary Canavan, Hospital Helper, \$144 per annum (certified August 24).
 August 21. May Hollis, Hospital Helper, \$120 per annum (certified August 24).
 August 19. Maggie Kane, Hospital Helper, \$144 per annum (certified August 24).
 August 25. Fred. Schultz, Hospital Helper, \$144 per annum (certified August 28).
 August 25. Charles Lawson, Hospital Helper, \$120 per annum (certified August 28).

Dismissals—

- August 24. Helen Meechin, Hospital Helper, \$144 per annum (certified August 28).
 August 26. Maggie McClellan, Hospital Helper, \$144 per annum (certified August 28).
 August 26. Annie Cronin, Hospital Helper, \$144 per annum (certified August 28).
 August 23. Mary Maurice, Hospital Helper, \$144 per annum (certified August 28).

Resignation—

- August 15. Maggie O'Donnel, Hospital Helper, \$144 per annum (overstaying pass).
 August 19. Ellen Lane, Hospital Helper, \$120 per annum (overstaying pass).
 August 20. Mary Smith, Hospital Helper, \$144 per annum (overstaying pass).
 August 25. Mary Canavan, Hospital Helper, \$144 per annum (overstaying pass).
 August 22. Lizzie McPhillips, Hospital Helper, \$144 per annum (overstaying pass).

Promotion—

- August 1. Anthony Denmery, Hospital Helper, \$120 to \$144 grade.

Decrease—

- August 1. James Johnson, Hospital Helper, \$144 to \$120 grade.

Dropped—

- August 22. Mary McDonald, Hospital Helper, \$144 per annum (per request).

CUMBERLAND STREET HOSPITAL.

Appointments—

- August 17. Edward B. Campbell, Hospital Helper, \$144 per annum (certified August 24).

Leave Granted—

- July 9. James Brown, Engineman, \$3.50 per day (31 days without pay).
 August 19. Emily M. Gent, Supervising Nurse, \$600 per annum (14 days without pay).

KINGS COUNTY HOSPITAL.

Appointments—

- August 17. Charles Willett, Hospital Helper, \$300 per annum (certified August 22).
 August 13. Gudrun Diesen, Pupil Nurse, \$120 per annum (certified August 22).
 August 12. Edw. Mulvaney, Hospital Helper, \$144 per annum (certified August 24).

Dismissals—

- August 25. Mary Whalen, Hospital Helper, \$240 per annum (certified August 28).
 August 15. Rose McKenzie, Hospital Helper, \$144 per annum (certified August 28).

Reappointment—

- August 21. John A. Ludwig, Nurse, \$300 per annum, August 8, 1903 (resigned at Randall's Island).

Dismissals—

- August 16. Schuyler E. Brumley, Hospital Helper, \$144 per annum (intoxication).
 August 11. Mary Wagner, Hospital Helper, \$144 per annum (absence without leave).

Resignations—

- August 19. Nellie W. Seeley, Hospital Helper, \$240 per annum.
 August 12. Frank P. Eagen, Hospital Helper, \$144 per annum.

Canceled—

- August 15. James Flynn, Hospital Helper, \$144 per annum (appointed August 15 and reported to Civil Service).

Transferred—

- August 15. Marion Peacock, Pupil Nurse, \$120 per annum (to Bradford Street Hospital).

- August 15. Sarah M. Ripley, Pupil Nurse, \$120 per annum (from Bradford Street Hospital).

Leave Granted—

- August 25. Edw. Alexander, Trained Nurse, \$480 per annum (7 days, without pay).
 August 1. Elizabeth E. Yochum, Hospital Helper, \$600 per annum (31 days, without pay).
 September 3. Daniel McKenna, Hospital Helper, \$144 per annum (21 days, without pay).

METROPOLITAN HOSPITAL.

Appointments—

- August 20. William J. Cummings, Hospital Helper, \$300 per annum (certified August 21).
 August 20. Mary Morrissey, Hospital Helper, \$150 per annum (certified August 22).
 August 20. Leon Rosenweig, Hospital Helper, \$150 per annum (certified August 22).
 August 17. Mary Judge, Hospital Helper, \$150 per annum (certified August 26).
 August 21. Joseph Quinn, Hospital Helper, \$150 per annum (certified August 26).
 August 20. Charles Fitzpatrick, Hospital Helper, \$120 per annum (certified August 26).
 August 21. William Higgins, Hospital Helper, \$60 per annum (certified August 26).
 August 24. John Ford, Hospital Helper, \$120 per annum (certified August 26).
 August 24. William Ratterman, Hospital Helper, \$150 per annum (certified August 26).
 August 23. Helen Saffer, Hospital Helper, \$150 per annum (certified August 26).
 August 17. Clara J. Oswald, Pupil Nurse, \$120 per annum (certified August 29).
 August 21. Cecelia O'Hara, Hospital Helper, \$150 per annum (certified August 29).

Resignations—

- August 20. Dennis Quinn, Hospital Helper, \$60 per annum.
 August 18. Charles Seidell, Hospital Helper, \$120 per annum.
 August 14. Frank H. Hobin, Hospital Helper, \$300 per annum.
 August 24. John Hannon, Hospital Helper, \$120 per annum.

Dismissals—

- August 18. Lizzie Jackson, Hospital Helper, \$150 per annum (absence without leave).
 August 19. William J. Ferguson, Hospital Helper, \$150 per annum (absence without leave).
 August 12. James McLaughlin, Stoker, \$1.50 per day (absence without leave).
 August 21. Stella Moore, Hospital Helper, \$150 per annum (absence without leave).
 August 21. William McArthur, Hospital Helper, \$150 per annum (absence without leave).
 August 19. Patrick Keyes, Hospital Helper, \$120 per annum (absence without leave).
 August 22. Alfred Carter, Hospital Helper, \$300 per annum (intoxication).
 August 23. Thomas Hague, Hospital Helper, \$150 per annum (absence without leave).
 August 22. Thomas Lyden, Hospital Helper, \$150 per annum (overstaying pass).
 August 25. Hanford L. Perry, Head Pupil Nurse, \$360 per annum (neglect of duty).
 August 19. Rose Conley, Hospital Helper, \$150 per annum (overstaying pass).

Promotions—

- August 1. Fred Witt, Cook, \$300 per annum to \$360 grade.
 August 21. Zadkill, Busby, Hospital Helper, \$60 per annum to \$90 grade.
 September 1. Joseph Eddington, Hospital Helper, \$60 to \$150 grade.

Leave Granted—

- August 24. Alice M. Kingsland, Hospital Helper, \$540 per annum (3 days, without pay).
 August 28. Mary Hogan, Head Pupil Nurse, \$180 per annum (14 days, without pay).
 August 26. Frank D. Webb, Hospital Helper, \$600 per annum (3 days, without pay).
 September 14. Jennie F. Sharkey, Seamstress, \$204 per annum (42 days, without pay).

NEW YORK CITY TRAINING SCHOOL.

Appointment—

- August 1. Belle Huss, Hospital Helper, \$144 per annum (certified August 25).

BUREAU DEPENDENT ADULTS.

Appointments—

- August 17. John Malone, Hospital Helper, \$150 per annum (certified August 25).

Resignation—

- August 21. John P. Greene, Hospital Helper, \$150 per annum.

Dismissals—

- August 16. William Rogers, Hospital Helper, \$150 per annum (absence without leave).
 August 27. John Malone, Hospital Helper, \$150 per annum (abusive language).
 August 27. Hugh Shannon, Hospital Helper, \$150 per annum (abusive language).

NEW YORK CITY CHILDREN'S HOSPITALS AND SCHOOLS.

Appointments—

- August 5. Josephine Josephka, Wet Nurse, \$120 per annum (certified August 25).
 August 16. Sadie Griffo, Hospital Helper, \$120 per annum (certified August 25).
 August 15. Catherine Milan, Hospital Helper, \$120 per annum (certified August 25).

Dismissals—

- August 23. Hattie Kines, Hospital Helper, \$120 per annum (certified August 25).

Appointments—

- August 18. Theresa Gallagher, Hospital Helper, \$120 per annum (certified August 25).

Dismissals—

- August 17. Sarah McGrath, Hospital Helper, \$120 per annum (certified August 25).

Appointments—

- August 19. Sarah Traynor, Hospital Helper, \$120 per annum (certified August 25).

Dismissals—

- August 20. Carrie Heaton, Hospital Helper, \$120 per annum (certified August 25).

Appointments—

- August 21. Jay H. Snyder, Hospital Helper, \$240 per annum (certified August 25).

Dismissals—

- August 15. Norma Forgazzi, Hospital Helper, \$240 per annum (certified August 25).

Appointments—

- August 18. George Parker, Hospital Helper, \$120 per annum (certified August 25).

Dismissals—

- August 18. John Rankin, Hospital Helper, \$120 per annum (certified August 25).

Appointments—

- August 18. Frank Martin, Hospital Helper, \$120 per annum (certified August 25).
 August 20. James Butler, Hospital Helper, \$120 per annum (certified August 25).
 August 19. Edw. Murphy, Hospital Helper, \$120 per annum (certified August 25).
 August 19. William Howard, Hospital Helper, \$120 per annum (certified August 25).

Dismissals—

- August 18. Conreid Senz, Hospital Helper, \$120 per annum (certified August 25).

Appointments—

- August 19. John Reilly, Hospital Helper, \$120 per annum (certified August 25).
 August 22. Lillian Boehmer, Hospital Helper, \$240 per annum (certified August 28).

Dismissals—

- August 24. Agnes O'Connell, Hospital Helper, \$240 per annum (certified August 28).
 August 27. Kate Dickson, Hospital Helper, \$120 per annum (certified August 28).
 August 27. Rose McDermott, Hospital Helper, \$120 per annum (certified August 28).

August 21. Matilda Hanf, Hospital Helper, \$120 per annum (certified August 28).
 August 24. Susan Herring, Hospital Helper, \$120 per annum (certified August 28).
 August 27. Angela O'Connor, Hospital Helper, \$240 per annum (certified August 28).
 August 28. Mary Mulligan, Wet Nurse, \$120 per annum (certified August 31).
 August 22. Robert Kent, Hospital Helper, \$120 per annum (certified August 31).
 August 28. Nellie Reilly, Hospital Helper, \$120 per annum (certified August 31).
 August 24. Robert Farrell, Hospital Helper, \$120 per annum (certified August 31).

August 27. Mary Kilday, Hospital Helper, \$120 per annum (certified August 31).
 Dropped—

August 14. James McGonigal, Stoker, \$1.50 per diem (for 2 days, without pay).
 August 22. John Donovan, Hospital Helper, \$240 per annum (illness).
 August 22. Angela O'Connor, Hospital Helper, \$240 per annum (illness).

Resignations—

August 17. Patrick McManus, Barber, \$240 per annum.
 August 17. Helen Alberton, Hospital Helper, \$120 per annum.
 August 17. Maggie Walpole, Laundress, \$240 per annum.
 August 22. Margaret Hannon, Hospital Helper, \$120 per annum.
 August 17. Mary Cookley, Hospital Helper, \$120 per annum.
 August 19. William Roland, Hospital Helper, \$120 per annum.
 August 17. Marguerite O'Connor, Hospital Helper, \$300 per annum.
 August 24. Kate Crossen, Hospital Helper, \$120 per annum.
 August 10. Annie Quinn, Hospital Helper, \$120 per annum.
 August 22. Catherine Milan, Hospital Helper, \$120 per annum.
 August 22. Delia Lothian, Hospital Helper, \$120 per annum.
 August 20. John A. Jackson, Hospital Helper, \$240 per annum.
 August 21. Michael Morris, Hospital Helper, \$120 per annum.
 August 29. Dora Wright, Hospital Helper, \$300 per annum.

Dismissals—

August 21. Walter Reilly, Hospital Helper, \$240 per annum (violation of rules).
 August 22. Mary Donnelly, Hospital Helper, \$120 per annum (absence without leave).

August 15. Emma Hayes, Hospital Helper, \$120 per annum (absence without leave).

August 16. Lizzie Heavy, Hospital Helper, \$120 per annum (absence without leave).

August 22. Mary Croarey, Hospital Helper, \$120 per annum (absence without leave).

August 22. Mary Brennan, Hospital Helper, \$120 per annum (absence without leave).

August 23. Edw. Carroll, Hospital Helper, \$120 per annum (absence without leave).

Promotion.

August 1. Lena Muldoon, Head Pupil Nurse, \$480 per annum to \$540 grade.

STEAMBOATS.

Correction—

August 29. Frank Harper, Hospital Helper, \$360 per annum, change to "Frank Harprecht," appointed July 7, 1903, and reported to C. S. as "Harper."

Yours truly,

J. McKEE BORDEN, Secretary.

The following proposal of July 6, 1903, has been accepted: William J. Rogers, No. 71 Hudson street, New York City—1668, 200 dozen malted milk, at \$2.25 dozen, \$450. Department of Public Charities of The City of New York, New York City, August 28, 1903.

Mr. M. J. FARRELL, No. 102 East Twelfth Street, New York City:

Dear Sir—Your proposition of August 25 to put up four new galvanized iron leaders on the Morgue, foot of East Twenty-sixth street, for the sum of thirty (\$30) dollars, is accepted, and you are hereby notified to proceed with the work.

By direction of the Commissioner.

Yours truly,

J. McKEE BORDEN, Secretary.

The following proposals of August 24 were accepted August 31:

A. Gunnison & Co., No. 355 Pearl Street, New York City—1243, 1,000 gallons turpentine, at 54 7/10 cents, \$547.

American Lumber Company, First Avenue and Twenty-eighth Street, New York City—1177, 10 bundles lath, at 50 cents, \$5.

Charles A. McCleary, No. 107 Warren Street, New York City—1241, 2,600 pounds common black tea, at 13.22 cents, \$343.72; 1242, 170 pounds fine green tea, at 38 cents, \$64.60; total, \$408.32.

Samuel E. Hunter, No. 82 Dey Street, New York City—1244, 200 boxes oranges, at \$2.79, \$558; 1245, 100 boxes lemons, at \$2.47, \$247; total, \$805.

Charles F. Matlage, No. 335 Greenwich Street, New York City—1192, 1,200 pounds bologna sausage, at 7 1/2 cents, \$90; 1193, 800 pounds tongue, at 14.98 cents, \$119.84; 1194, 1,500 pounds dried beef, at 11.99 cents, \$179.85; total, \$389.69.

R. S. Luqueer & Co., No. 67 Murray Street, New York City—1166, 1 pair single driving lines, \$2.10; 1202, 104 yards No. 10 canvas, at 27 cents, \$28.08; 1230, 2 heavy single breast collars, at \$3.36; 1240, 3 dozen curry combs, at \$1.31; total, \$39.18.

Studebaker Brothers Company, Broadway and Seventh Avenue, New York City—1169, 2 saddle pads, at 24 cents, 48 cents; 1228, 1 pair shafts, \$12; 1229, 1 set double harness, \$73; 1231, 6 heavy felt buggy saddle pads at 11 cents, 66 cents; 1232, 6 heavy felt buggy saddle pads, large, at 24 cents, \$1.44; 1233, 2 pairs single truck traces, at \$4.88; total, \$95.58.

Samuel Lewis No. 126 Pearl Street, New York City—979, 1 polisher, \$3; 984, 3 dozen lemon squeezers, at \$1.20, \$3.60; 1106, 2 gas stoves, at \$1.20, \$2.40; 1127, 500 yards glass toweling, at 13 cents yard, \$6.50; 1138, 3 agate oblong pans, at 40 cents, \$1.20; 1200, 200 20-pound paper bags, at 50 cents per 100, \$1; 1208, 1 platform scale, \$27.50; total, \$103.30.

Francis T. Witte Hardware Company, No. 106 Chambers Street, New York City—946, 1 meat cutter, \$40; 981, 1 coil (450 pounds) manila rope, at 12 1/2 cents, \$56.25; 982, 1 coil (520 pounds) manila rope, at 12 1/2 cents, \$65; 1112, 6 tin pudding moulds, at 29 cents, \$1.74; 1149, 2 dozen agate milk pans, at \$2.40 dozen, \$4.80; 1156, 1-12 dozen quick easy lemon squeezers, \$2.50; 1164, 1 family flour sifter, 10 cents; 1174, 3 hand saws, at \$1.10, \$3.30; 1176, 144 pounds octagon steel, at 10 1/2 cents pound, \$15.12; 1179, 3 bread cutters, at \$2.10, \$6.30; 1184, 4 pairs tailors' cutting shears, at \$6, \$24; 1199, 280 pounds tinned broom wire, at 6 1/2 cents, \$18.20; 1207, 1 dozen ward files, \$1; 1221, 6 gross inch screws, \$1.75; 1225, 1 refrigerator, \$12.50; total, \$252.56.

Kny-Scheerer Company, No. 225 Fourth Avenue, New York City—1100, 4 wheel chairs, at \$20, \$80; 1234, 1 wheel chair, \$20; total, \$100.

Charles B. Flugge, No. 302 Canal Street, New York City—951, 75 window shades, at \$1.25, \$93.75; 1136, 4 window shades, at 65 cents, \$2.60; 1165, 4 shades, at 65 cents, \$2.60; total, \$98.95.

D. H. McIlvain, No. 80 Third Avenue, New York City—933, 3 razor straps, at 23 cents, 69 cents; 1167, 2 lamps, at 65 cents, \$1.30; 1181, 3 razor straps, 69 cents; 1214, 1 dozen student lampwicks, 20 cents; 1218, 6-12 burners and wicks, \$4.50; total, \$7.38.

William T. Gillott, No. 61 Hudson Street, New York City—976, 1 case (4 dozen) condensed milk, at \$1.56 1/4 dozen, \$6.25; 1170, 5 barrels (225 gallons) molasses, at 25 cents gallon, \$56.25; 1190, 1 case condensed milk, \$6.25; total, \$68.75.

A. D. Matthews' Sons, Fulton Street and Gallatin Place, Brooklyn—931, 2,000 yards flannel docket, at 5 1/4 cents, \$105; 932, 3 mop wringers, at 50 cents each, \$1.50; 934, 1 pepper grinder, 56 cents; 936, 5 pounds Swede iron shoe nails at 5 cents pound, 25 cents; 937, 6 digging forks, at 40 cents each, \$2.40; 938, 2 cases flypaper, at \$3.05 case, \$6.10; 947, 6 cotton hooks, at 26 cents each, \$1.56; 948, linoleum for wash rooms, Ward C, Metropolitan Hospital, \$6.21; 962, 1 rattan couch, \$5.75; 963, 6 pair ice tongs, at 60 cents each, \$3.60; 964, 1 dozen ice picks, 95 cents; 972, 5 pounds hair pins, at 18 cents, 90 cents; 973, 7 mirrors, 73 cents; 975, linoleum for cabin, "Fidelity," \$40.71; 977, 2 cotton hooks, at 26 cents, 52 cents; 978, 1 mop wringer, 50 cents; 983, 200 pounds Swede shoe nails, at 5 cents, \$1.00; 1102, 4 mirrors, 98 cents; 1104, 50 steamer chairs, at \$2.30 each, \$115; 1111, 3 heavy tin Chinese strainers, at \$1.47, \$4.41; 1114, 3 carving knives, at 97 cents, \$2.91; 1116, 6 butcher knives at 60 cents, \$3.60; 1118, 3 steel wire brushes, at 22 cents, 66 cents; 1119, 6 pair ice tongs, at 40 cents, \$2.40; 1139, 1 agate

soup stock pot, \$3; 1145, 1 agate flat bottom tea kettle, \$1.17; 1146, 2 agate covered soup stock pots, at \$5.90, \$11.80; 1147, 1 agate covered soup stock pot, \$3.65; 1154, 6 wire strainers, for stock pots, 50 cents; 1155, 2 heavy tin Chinese strainers, at \$1.43, \$2.86; 1158, 1 universal food chopper, 83 cents; 1171, 4 gross brass screws, \$1.78; 1180, 3 mop wringers, at 50 cents each, \$1.50; 1183, 12 gross shoe buttons, 43 cents; 1187, 2 mop wringers, at 50 cents each, \$1; 1191, 10 gross white bone buttons, at \$2.50 dozen, \$25; 1195, 12 rugs, at \$1.75 each, \$21; 1203, 1 dozen ice picks, 95 cents; 1204, 6 ice tongs, at 38 cents, \$2.28; 1206, 1 counter balance scale, \$1.90; 1216, 1 dozen mop wringers, \$6; 1239, 25 kegs nails, cut, at \$2.45 keg, \$61.25; total, \$464.10.

John Wanamaker, Broadway and Tenth Street, New York City—980, 3 dozen napkins, at \$1.75, \$5.25; 1101, 2 clocks, at \$2.50 each, \$5; 1105, 2 refrigerators, at \$14 each, \$28; 1107, 1 fish boiler, \$7.20; 1108, 1 boiler, at \$6.25; 1148, 1-3 dozen agate pans, at 50 cents each, \$2; 1150, 1 dozen agate milk pans, at 19 cents each, \$2.28; 1157, 1-6 dozen returned ladles, at 25 cents each, 50 cents; 1159, 1 dozen galvanized iron hotel trays, 18 inch, \$4; 1160, 1 dozen galvanized iron hotel trays, 22 inch, \$5.80; 1220, 6 gross each screws, 7/8 inch, for \$1.70; 1222, 6 gross each screws, 1 inch, for \$1.95; 1235, 41 2-3 dozen table napkins, at \$1.75 dozen, \$72.92; total, \$142.85.

Hull, Grippen & Co., No. 308 Third Avenue, New York City—939, 1 dozen Welsbach lights, at 50 cents each, \$6; 945, 2 egg whips, at 12 cents each, 24 cents; 970, 1 gallon indelible ink, at \$8.50; 1103, 2 water coolers, at \$3.75 each, \$7.50; 1115, 3 skimming knives, at 20 cents each, 60 cents; 1117, 3 bench scrapers, at 25 cents each, 75 cents; 1132, 1 agate teapot, at 65 cents; 1133, 1 agate coffee pot, at 65 cents; 1135, 1 water cooler, at \$3.75; 1151, 1-6 dozen agate straight seamless covered saucepans, at 60 cents each, \$1.20; 1152, 1-6 dozen agate straight seamless covered saucepans, for \$1.75; 1153, 1-12 dozen agate measure, for 35 cents; 1161, 2 dozen plain pie tins, for 75 cents; 1173, 6 packages stove bolts, for \$1.33; 1175, 1 blacksmith's pincers, for 55 cents; 1182, 6 dozen fast pin butts, for 87 cents; 1185, 3 bottles shoe ink, at 50 cents each, \$1.50; 1188, 10 pounds Dixon's graphite, 20 cents pound, \$2; 1205, 6-12 dozen wood coffee mills, at 55 cents each, \$3.30; 1210, 1 gallon indelible ink, at \$8.50; 1215, 3-12 dozen stencil plates, for \$1.05; 1219, 1 dozen 5-inch red gas globes, at \$1.25; total, \$53.04.

Manhattan Supply Company, No. 127 Franklin Street, New York City—1238, 50 gallons floor polish, at 84 cents per gallon, \$42.

MORGUE.

Borough of Brooklyn, New York, August 27, 1903.

Description of Unknown Man, from in front of No. 65 Summit Street—Age, about fifty-five years; height, 5 feet 9 inches; weight, about 150 pounds; color, white; eyes, gray; hair, dark brown; moustache, gray; beard, gray; front upper teeth missing; clothing, brown cutaway coat, black and gray striped trousers, purple and white striped outing shirt, white cotton undershirt, white cotton socks, congress gaiters, size 8; leather belt around waist; condition of body, good.

New York, August 28, 1903.

Description of Unknown Man from No. 38 West Forty-fifth Street—Age, about thirty-five years; height, 5 feet 7 inches; weight, about 160 pounds; color, white; eyes, brown; hair, brown; smooth face; good teeth; clothing, blue serge sack coat, vest and trousers same material, white negligee shirt, gray cotton underwear, gray cotton socks, black laced shoes, marked Douglass; white cotton suspenders, black derby hat, hat marked W. Dean; condition of body, good.

New York, August 24, 1903.

Description of Unknown Man from Pier 48, East River—Age, about thirty-eight years; height, 5 feet 9 inches; weight, about 190 pounds; color, white; eyes, can't tell; hair, brown; moustache, brown; good teeth; clothing, black and gray checked trousers, black and white outing shirt, gray cotton underwear, gray cotton socks, black laced shoes, pink and white suspenders; condition of body, bad.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

New York, August 14, 1903.

Communications received were disposed of as follows:

Filed.

From Corporation Counsel—Returning form of contract, in triplicate, for furnishing and delivering fire pumps for new fireboat, together with form of advertisement inviting proposals for same, with his approval as to form indorsed thereon.

From Department of Finance—

1. Receipt for security deposit accompanying proposals opened on the 13th inst.

2. Advising that the Comptroller's certificates have been indorsed upon the contracts of Edward P. Casey, for services as Architect; Foote, Pierson & Co., for installing switchboard for the fire alarm telegraph system in the borough of Richmond; James Reilly Repair and Supply Company, for electric installation for new fireboat, and Frederick Pearce, for furnishing fire alarm signal boxes, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

3. Returning proposal of the Manhattan Supply Company for furnishing supplies, with the approval of the sureties indorsed thereon.

From Municipal Civil Service Commission—Eligible list from which to appoint twelve Foremen in the uniformed force.

From Bureau of Buildings—Acknowledging receipt of communication relative to premises No. 57 Warren street and Nos. 221-225 West Seventeenth street.

From Supervisor City Record—Forwarding copy of resolution adopted by the Board of City Record, directing that advertisements for publication in papers other than the "City Record" should be delivered to the office of the Supervisor for publication at least four days in advance of the date such publication should begin, and advertisements for publication in the "City Record" alone must be delivered to the City Record office twenty-four hours in advance of such publication.

From Charles Dushkind—In reference to his request for copy of bond of Antonio Casotto for blasting on premises No. 3216 Third avenue. Reply communicated.

From Isaac Windholtz—In relation to his claim for damages to awning, premises No. 181 Greenwich street. Reply communicated.

From Foreman Engine Company 5—Reporting that alarm box 364, located on the southeast corner of Second avenue and Fifteenth street, was damaged by driver of United States Mail Wagon No. 120, and placed out of service, at 4.25 p. m. on August 8, 1903. Communicated to United States Postmaster.

From Foreman Engine Company 46—Recommending that new fire hydrant be located in front of company's quarters. Communicated to Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

From Chief of the Sixth Battalion—Applying for permission to present a twenty-year service medal to Chief of Battalion John J. Burns. Approved and permission granted.

From Chief of Department—

1. Recommending that the following-named Assistant Foremen be promoted to the rank of Foreman: George W. Murray, Engine Company 56; George J. Fox, Engine Company 14; Lawrence McGuire, Hook and Ladder Company 12; Henry B. Helm, Engine Company 34; Charles J. McCartie, Engine Company 9; D. J. Cahill, Engine Company 142; George Quaid, Hook and Ladder Company 6; William J. Kennedy, Engine Company 54; James F. Friel, Engine Company 105; William McCleary, Engine Company 153; Michael F. Judge, Engine Company 150; William E. Collins, Engine Company 110. Approved and ordered.

2. Returning communications from the Police Department, requesting inspection of premises known as the Circle Roof Garden, Eighth avenue and Fifty-ninth street, and premises known as the Grand Theatre, No. 261 Grand street, with reports thereon. Communicated to Police Department.

3. Recommending that fire escapes be placed on building Nos. 178-180 West Ninetieth street, premises Nos. 202-210 West Eighty-ninth street and No. 88 Hudson street. Communicated to the Bureau of Buildings.

4. Reporting that on premises Nos. 268-270 Canal street water tank on roof is resting on wooden beams. Communicated to Bureau of Buildings.

Referred.

From George M. Stevens Company—Reporting inability to complete contract for bell towers and striking apparatus, borough of Queens, because the bell at Ozone Park has been taken away. To Deputy Commissioner for report.

From Rev. William L. Penny—Requesting an extension of thirty days' time in which to comply with notice respecting premises known as the Annunciation School, No. 516 West One Hundred and Thirty-first street. To Chief of Department.

From Henri Fanchaux, Architect—Requesting modification of order respecting standpipes, premises No. 310 West Ninety-ninth street. To Chief of Department.

From J. C. Bennett—Forwarding copy of proposed ordinance respecting injury to hose at fires and requesting suggestions as to amendments to same or other ordinances affecting the Fire Department. To Chief of Department for report.

From Anonymous—

1. Complaint of violation of the Tenement House Laws, premises Nos. 436-438 East Seventy-fifth street, Nos. 215-217 Tenth avenue, No. 236 Elizabeth street, No. 316 West One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, No. 445 East Thirteenth street, No. 177 East One Hundred and Second street. To Tenement House Department.

2. Complaint of the erection of a wooden structure at the southeast corner of Ninety-eighth street and Broadway, and dangerous elevator in premises No. 57 Warren street. To Bureau of Buildings.

From Foreman Engine Company 26—Reporting chimney fire, premises No. 510 Seventh avenue, on the 12th instant. To Inspector of Combustibles.

From Foreman Engine Company 31—

1. Reporting storage and use of a quantity of chemicals, drugs, etc., premises No. 194 Worth street and Nos. 5-9 Mulberry street, rear. To Inspector of Combustibles.

2. Reporting that water tanks on premises Nos. 7-9 Chatham square and No. 26 Bowery are supported on wooden beams. To Bureau of Buildings.

From Foreman Engine Company 55—Reporting chimney fire, premises No. 115 Elizabeth street, on the 13th instant. To Inspector of Combustibles.

From Department of Finance—Calling attention to defects in work at quarters of Hook and Ladder Company 15. To Superintendent of Buildings.

From Foreman in Charge of Repair Shops—Requesting that copy of specifications for supplies for the repair shops, with the cost of each item, name of contractor and time when delivery is to be made, be forwarded for the information of the officer in charge. To Cashier with instructions to comply.

From Tenement House Department—In respect to granting permit for the storage of rags, etc., in tenement houses. To Inspector of Combustibles for report.

From Chief of Department—

1. Reporting that a quantity of acid and chemicals are stored in premises Nos. 88-90 Walker street, without permit. To Inspector of Combustibles.

2. Forwarding report from Assistant Foreman Hook and Ladder Company 4 of an accident at Fortieth street and Ninth avenue, while the Company was responding to alarm of fire, Station 473, on the 8th instant, resulting in the death of two persons and injury to a number of others. Back to Chief of Department.

Notices to provide certain fire appliances in the following premises were forwarded to the Chief of Department for service: No. 201 West One Hundred and Twentieth street, Nos. 206-212 West One Hundred and Eighteenth street, Nos. 235-237 West One Hundred and Sixteenth street, No. 120 West One Hundred and Sixteenth street, Nos. 120-126 West One Hundred and Sixteenth street, No. 137 West One Hundred and Tenth street, No. 230 West One Hundred and Thirteenth street, No. 2088 Seventh avenue, No. 1925 Seventh avenue, No. 58 Dey street, No. 205 Greenwich street, Nos. 23-25 Dey street, Nos. 27-35 Church street, Nos. 26-28 Vesey street, Nos. 24-26 Cortlandt street, No. 104 Vesey street, No. 18 Vesey street, Nos. 26-32 Barclay street, No. 40 Vesey street, Nos. 117-119-121 Liberty street, Nos. 178-180 West Ninetieth street, No. 306 West Ninety-third street, Nos. 10-12 West Ninety-third street, Nos. 294 West Ninety-second street, No. 292 West Ninety-second street, No. 259 West Ninety-second street, Nos. 4, 8, 12 West Ninety-second street, No. 252 West Ninety-first street, Nos. 3-5 West Ninety-second street, Nos. 78 and 101 West Eighty-fifth street, Nos. 102 and 318 West Eighty-fourth street, No. 329 West Eighty-second street, Nos. 323, 326, 328 West Eighty-third street, Nos. 110, 112, 116, 118, 120 Riverside Drive, Nos. 265-267, 275, 294, 325 Central Park West, Nos. 2341-2345, 2491-2493 Broadway, No. 308 West Ninety-third street, Riverside Drive, between Eighty-fifth street and Eighty-sixth street; No. 2 West Eighty-eighth street, No. 301 West Ninety-first street, No. 7 West Ninety-second street, Nos. 4-6 West Ninety-third street, Nos. 320, 327 Central Park West, Nos. 120, 194 Riverside Drive, Amsterdam avenue, between Ninety-second and Ninety-third streets; Nos. 202-210 West Eighty-ninth street, No. 262 West Eighty-third street; Sixty-sixth street and Sixty-seventh street, Park and Lexington avenues; West side of Park avenue, Ninety-fourth to Ninety-fifth streets; Nos. 111-129 West Fourteenth street; Columbus avenue, west side, between Sixty-first and Sixty-second streets; Broadway, Columbus avenue, Sixty-seventh and Sixty-eighth streets; Nos. 397-411 Bowery, Nos. 44-52 East Fifty-ninth street, Nos. 623-629 Madison avenue, Nos. 50-52 West Sixty-sixth street; Ninety-fourth street, east side Madison avenue.

Contracts Awarded.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

Contract for furnishing paints, oils, varnish, etc., proposals for which were opened at public letting on the 13th instant, was awarded to William E. Lucas, the lowest bidder, upon his estimate of \$264.12.

The estimate of F. C. Maston & Co., John M. Ficken, E. C. Durham, Incorporated, F. O. Pierce Company and Devoe & Reynolds Company, were ordered on file.

Promoted.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

To Rank of Foreman, to Take Effect from August 15, 1903, with Salary of \$2,160 Per Annum.

Assistant Foreman George W. Murray, Engine Company 56, assigned to Engine Company 1.

Assistant Foreman George J. Fox, Engine Company 14, assigned to Engine Company 33.

Assistant Foreman Lawrence McGuire, Hook and Ladder Company 12, assigned to Hook and Ladder Company 1.

Assistant Foreman Henry B. Helm, Engine Company 34, assigned to Engine Company 34.

Assistant Foreman Charles J. McCartie, Engine Company 9, assigned to Engine Company 12.

Assistant Foreman Daniel J. Cahill, Engine Company 142, assigned to Engine Company 13.

Assistant Foreman George Quaid, Hook and Ladder Company 6, assigned to Hook and Ladder Company 3.

Assistant Foreman William J. Kennedy, Engine Company 54, assigned to Engine Company 54.

Assistant Foreman James F. Friel, Engine Company 105, assigned to Engine Company 20.

Assistant Foreman William McCleary, Engine Company 153, assigned to Engine Company 156.

Assistant Foreman Michael F. Judge, Engine Company 150, assigned to Engine Company 101.

Assistant Foreman William E. Collins, Engine Company 152, assigned to Engine Company 10.

Elmer E. Kinney, Clerk, Superintendent of Buildings Branch, submitted affidavits of a notice upon Henry Fox, directed to Robert R. Fox, contractor, the Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland, surety, and Forgotson & Co., assignees, directing the said Robert R. Fox, contractor, to discontinue the work of altering and repairing quarters of Hook and Ladder Company 18, located at No. 84 Attorney street, borough of Manhattan, as provided in clause "L" of the contract entered into by said Robert R. Fox, dated May 1, 1903.

Form of contract in triplicate, together with form of advertisement inviting proposals for blankets and bed spreads, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, was forwarded to the Corporation Counsel for approval.

New York, August 15, 1903.

Communications received were disposed of as follows:

Filed.

From Commissioners of the Sinking Fund—Copy of resolution notifying heads of departments that applications for renewal of leases to the City should be made to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at least three months prior to the expiration thereof.

From Department of Finance—Notice that the Comptroller's certificate has

been indorsed upon the contracts of Frederick Pearce for furnishing supplies for the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx and the borough of Queens.

From Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity—

1. Acknowledging communication of the 6th instant, inclosing copy of resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, approving application for \$40,000 for placing the wires and conduits of the fire alarm telegraph system underground.

2. Acknowledging receipt of communication of the 6th instant in reference to necessity of additional water mains and fire hydrants in a certain part of the boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens and in the vicinity of Newtown creek. Copy forwarded to Deputy Commissioner.

From F. W. Devoe and C. T. Reynolds Company—Acknowledging receipt of copies of regulations of the Municipal Explosives Commission.

From New York Public Library—Acknowledging receipt of copy of regulations of the Municipal Explosives Commission.

From Deputy Commissioner, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens—Forwarding requisition for repairs to rubber tires.

Referred.

From Department of Finance—Inclosing bills of Bryan L. Kennelly for appraising premises Nos. 22, 24 and 26 Reade street. To Bookkeeper.

From F. Mohr & Co.—Advising that notice respecting premises One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street and Willow avenue has been complied with. To Chief of Department.

From J. E. Bennett—Inclosing copies of proposed amendments of ordinance for recommendation. To Inspector of Combustibles for report.

Notices to provide certain fire appliances in the following premises were forwarded to the Chief of Department for service: Nos. 20-32 Varick street, Nos. 283-287 West Broadway, Nos. 144-150 Franklin street, Nos. 1641-1650 Amsterdam avenue, Nos. 273-275 West Thirty-eighth street, Nos. 723-727 Sixth avenue, No. 262 Seventh avenue, No. 201 West Thirty-eighth street, Broadway and Forty-first street, No. 213 West Fortieth street, No. 88 Hudson street, Nos. 20-24 North Moore street, Nos. 84-86 Hudson street, No. 349 Broadway, Nos. 393-395 Broadway, Nos. 1296-1300 First avenue.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS.

Communications received were disposed of as follows:

Filed.

From Acting Supervisor City Record—Circular letter containing copy of resolution of Board, relative to time allowed in sending in advertisements to "City Record" for publication.

From Chief of Thirty-sixth Battalion—Report of inspection of Douglaston Hose Company 1 of Douglaston.

From Chief Operator Fire Alarm Telegraph—Inclosing report as to removal of bell from quarters of Americus Hook and Ladder Company, Ozone Park, Woodhaven, removed by members of Deraiques Engine Company, Woodhaven.

From H. M. Robinson—Requesting application blank for Fire Department. Reply communicated.

From Commissioner of Public Works—Acknowledging receipt of communication as to removal of poles on Fourth avenue.

From Chief of Battalion in Charge of Hospital and Training Stables—Recommending sale of horses Nos. 85, 373, 413, 459, 468, 493 and 575, no longer fit for service.

From Secretary of Springfield Hose Company—Stating that charter and seal of company have been received from Secretary of State.

From Henry E. Vineing, Electrical Engineer—

1. Reporting as to condition of proposed quarters in Jamaica Town Hall for battery room, and recommending alterations, etc.

2. Respecting contract for extension of fire alarm system in borough of Queens, and stating that additional poles will be required.

Referred.

From Police Department—

1. Inquiring as to whether provisions of law have been complied with by Brooklyn Amusement Company, in premises at Willoughby and Pearl streets, known as Watson's Cozy Corner. To Deputy Chief of Department in charge.

2. Inquiring as to whether provisions of law have been complied with by Mary D. Leonard, premises Coney Island avenue and Caton place, known as Park Circle Cafe. To Deputy Chief of Department in charge.

3. Inquiring as to whether provisions of law have been complied with by Robert Kelterborn, premises located at North Beach, known as Kelterborn's Casino. To Deputy Chief of Department in charge.

From Foreman Engine Company 117—Recommending that hydrant be placed on Gates avenue, between Summer and Throop avenues, in centre of block. To Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

From Acting Chief of Twenty-seventh Battalion—Recommending fireproof shutters on east side of building Nos. 323 and 325 Van Buren street. To Superintendent of Buildings.

From S. F. Hayward & Co.—Requesting information as to style and name of manufacturer of fire escape adopted by Department for three-story tenement houses. To Tenement House Department and reply communicated.

From Assistant Fire Marshal in Charge—Respecting complaint from Francis Cogan, Kneer avenue, Rockaway Beach, and reporting no case for complaint of storing of wood on premises of Alonzo D. Hough, Kneer avenue, Rockaway Beach. To Chief of Department.

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

From Assistant Foreman Engine Company 104, at No. 258 Carroll street.

From Acting Assistant Foreman, Engine Company 103, at No. 110 Sackett street.

From Assistant Foreman Engine Company 109, at No. 620 Myrtle avenue.

From Foreman Engine Company 112, at No. 138 North Tenth street.

From Assistant Foreman Engine Company 139, at No. 124 Twelfth street.

To Assistant Inspector of Combustibles.

WILLIAM LEARY, Secretary.

ART COMMISSION.

Minutes of Meeting of Art Commission Held at its Office, Room 21, City Hall, on Tuesday, September 8, 1903, at 4 o'clock p. m.

Present—President Warner, presiding, Commissioners Dielman, Healy, Rhineland, Proctor, Farragut and Marshall.

On communications from Commissioners Bigelow and Coombs explaining their absence, it was excused.

Minutes of meeting of August 11 were read and approved.

The President reported the appointment of the following committees on matters submitted to the Commission since the last meeting, August 11:

Submission No. 142.

Gates Avenue Court House (Brooklyn)—Commissioners Marshall, Chairman; Dielman and Healy. Appointed August 13, 1903.

Submission No. 143.

Hanover Square Public Comfort Station—Commissioners Marshall, Chairman; Coombs and Farragut. Appointed August 21, 1903.

Submission No. 144.

Long Acre Square Public Comfort Station—Commissioners Marshall, Chairman; Coombs and Farragut. Appointed August 21, 1903.

Submission No. 145.

Bridge Street Public Bath (Brooklyn)—Commissioners Marshall, Chairman; Coombs and Healy. Appointed September 8, 1903.

Submission No. 143.

The Committee on Hanover Square Public Comfort Station recommended that the designs submitted by Hon. Jacob A. Cantor, President of the Borough of Manhattan (on request of the Mayor), be approved.

On motion the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

Certificate No. 152.

Resolved, That the Art Commission hereby approves the designs for a public comfort station in Hanover square, represented by Exhibits "85H," "85I," "85J,"

"85K" and "85L" of record in this matter; and that the action of the Commission be certified, with return of duplicates of exhibits herein noted, to Hon. Jacob A. Cantor, President of the Borough of Manhattan.

The Committee was thereupon discharged.

Submission No. 144.

The Committee on Long Acre Square Public Comfort Station recommended that the designs submitted by Hon. Jacob A. Cantor, President of the Borough of Manhattan (on request of the Mayor), be approved.

On motion the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

Certificate No. 153.

Resolved, That the Art Commission hereby approves the designs for a public comfort station in Long Acre square, represented by Exhibits "86I," "86J," "86K," "86L" and "86M," of record in this matter; and that the action of the Commission be certified, with return of duplicates of exhibits herein noted, to Hon. Jacob A. Cantor, President of the Borough of Manhattan.

The Committee was thereupon discharged.

Submission No. 142.

The Committee on Gates Avenue Court House (Brooklyn) recommended that the designs submitted by Hon. J. Edward Swannstrom, President of the Borough of Brooklyn (on request of the Mayor), be approved except as to the main entrance.

On motion, the following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

Certificate No. 154.

Resolved, That the Art Commission hereby approves the designs for the facade of the Gates Avenue Court House (Brooklyn), represented by Exhibits "33V" and "33W," of record in this matter, except so far as they relate to the main entrance; and that the action of the Commission be certified, with return of duplicates of exhibits herein noted, to Hon. J. Edward Swannstrom, President of the Borough of Brooklyn.

Certificate No. 155.

Resolved, That the Art Commission hereby disapproves the designs for the facade of the Gates Avenue Court House (Brooklyn), represented by Exhibits "33V" and "33W," of record in this matter, so far as they relate to the main entrance; and that the action of the Commission be certified, with return of duplicates of exhibits herein noted, to Hon. J. Edward Swannstrom, President of the Borough of Brooklyn.

The Committee was thereupon discharged.

The following committees reported progress:

Submission No. 140.

Committee on Placing and Arranging Busts, Furniture, Paintings, etc., in Aldermanic Chamber.

Submission No. 145.

Committee on Bridge Street Public Bath (Brooklyn).

Committee on Relocation of Portraits in City Hall.

Committee on Quarters and Staff.

Committee on Rules for Withdrawal of Books, by Members of the Commission, from Commission's library.

A communication was presented from the Comptroller requesting that the estimate of the expenditures of the Art Commission for the year 1904 be forwarded to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment at the earliest possible moment, in conformity to the provisions of the City Charter.

On motion the Secretary was authorized to submit estimate and request for an appropriation of the same amount as for 1903.

On motion the Committee on Quarters and Staff was requested to report at the next meeting of the Art Commission what expenditures in detail would be necessary or advisable during the year 1904.

On motion the meeting adjourned.

CITY CLERK.

New York, September 14, 1903.

Public notice is hereby given that the Committee on Public Health of the Board of Aldermen will hold a public hearing in the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, on Monday, September 21, 1903, at 2 o'clock p. m., on the following:

Regarding the dumping of refuse on Riker's Island.

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

P. J. SCULLY, Clerk of the Board of Aldermen.

New York, September 14, 1903.

Public notice is hereby given that the Committee on Bridges and Tunnels of the Board of Aldermen will hold a public hearing in the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, on Monday, September 21, 1903, at 2 o'clock p. m. on the following:

Whereas, The people of the Borough of Queens have expressed dissatisfaction at the contemplated approach to the Blackwell's Island Bridge in the said Borough of Queens, and request that the plans be so modified as to admit of the building of a north and south approach.

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

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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. H. 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.
5 Courthouse.
JACOB BRENNER, Commissioner.
FRANK J. GARDNER, Deputy Commissioner.
ALBERT B. WALDRON, Secretary.
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. GREENELLE, Deputy Commissioner.
JOHN H. JOHNSON, Secretary.
THOMAS D. MOSSCROP, Superintendent.
RICHARD S. STEVES, Chief Clerk.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.
No. 189 Montague street, Brooklyn, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., except Saturdays in June, July and August, 9 A. M. to 1 P. M.
WILLIAM 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 Courthouse, 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 Courthouse, Long Island City, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays from 9 A. M. to 12 M.
JOSEPH H. DE BRAGGA, Sheriff; JOSIAH C. BENNETT, Under Sheriff.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.
Office, Queens County Courthouse, Long Island City, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.
GEORGE A. GREGG, District Attorney.

COUNTY CLERK.
Jamaica, N. Y., Fourth Ward, Borough of Queens.
Office hours, April 1 to October 1, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.; October 1 to April 1, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M.
County and Supreme Court held at the Queens County Courthouse, Long Island City. Court opens at 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, 1902:
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 Courthouse at Richmond.
Surrogate's Court—STEPHEN D. STEPHENS, Surrogate.

Mondays, at the First National Bank Building, St. George, at 10-30 o'clock A. M.
Tuesdays, at the First National Bank Building, St. George, at 10-30 o'clock A. M.
Wednesdays, at the Surrogate's Office, Richmond, at 10-30 o'clock A. M.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.
Port Richmond, S. I.
Office hours, from 9 A. M. to 12 M., and from 1 P. M. to 5 P. M.
EDWARD S. RAWSON, District Attorney.

COUNTY CLERK.
County Office Building, Richmond, S. I., 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

C. L. BOSTWICK, County Clerk.
County Courthouse, Richmond, S. I., 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

SHERIFF.
FRANKLIN C. VITT, Sheriff.
THOMAS H. BANNING, Under Sheriff.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.
Village Hall, Stapleton.
CHARLES J. KULLMAN, Commissioner.
J. LOUIS GARRETTSON, 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.
Courthouse, 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. INGRAHAM, 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 Courthouse, 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 II., Room No. 25.
Trial Term, Part III., Room No. 17.
Trial Term, Part IV., Room No. 18.
Trial Term, Part V., Room No. 16.
Trial Term, Part VI., Room No. 24.
Trial Term, Part VII., Room No. 23.
Trial Term, Part VIII., Room No. 33.
Trial Term, Part IX., Room No. 31.
Trial Term, Part X., Room No. 32.
Trial Term, Part XI., Room No. 22.
Trial Term, Part XII., Room No. 34.
Trial Term, Part XIII., and Special Term, 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 Term Calendar, room northeast corner second floor.
Clerk's Office, Appellate Term, room southwest corner third floor.

Trial Term, Part I. (criminal business).
Criminal Courthouse, Centre street.
Justices—CHARLES H. TRUAX, FRANCIS M. SCOTT, CHARLES F. MACLEAN, HENRY BISCHOFF, JR., LEONARD A. GIGERICH, JOHN J. FREEDMAN, P. HENRY DUGRO, HENRY A. GILDERSLIEVE, JAMES FITZGERALD, DAVID LEVENTITZ, JAMES A. O'GORMAN, GEORGE C. BARRETT, JAMES A. BLANCHARD, JOHN PROCTOR, CLARKE, SAMUEL GREENBAUM, EDWARD E. MCCALL, EDWARD B. AMEND, VERNON M. DAVIS.

SUPREME COURT—SECOND DEPARTMENT.
Kings County Courthouse, 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.
Court opens at 10-30 o'clock A. M.
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, Brownstone Building, City Hall Park, from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
General Term, Part I.
Part II.
Part III.
Part IV.
Part V.
Special Term Chambers will be held from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Clerk's Office open 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 H. OLMSTED, 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—No. 171 Atlantic avenue, 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, ROBERT J. WILKIN, JOSEPH L. KERRIGAN, Clerk; JOHN J. DORMAN, Deputy Clerk.
Clerk's office, 171 Atlantic avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

CHILDREN'S COURT.
First Division—No. 66 Third avenue, Manhattan, EDMOND C. LEE.
Second Division—Clinton street and Atlantic avenue, Brooklyn. ROBERT J. WILKIN, Justice; JOHN P. SINNOTT, Clerk.

CITY MAGISTRATES' COURTS.
Courts open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
City Magistrates—ROBERT C. CORNELL, LEROY B. CRANE, JOSEPH M. DEUEL, CHARLES A. FLAM-

MER, LORENZ ZELLER, CLARENCE W. MEADE, JOHN M. MOTT, JOSEPH POOL, JOHN B. MAYO, EDWARD HOGAN, PETER P. BARLOW, MATTHEW P. BREEN, SEWARD BAKER, ALFRED G. OMMENT.

PHILIP BLOCK, 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, EDWARD J. DOOLEY, JOHN NAUMER, E. G. HIGGINSBOTHAM, FRANK E. O'RIELLY, HENRY J. FURLONG.

President of Board, JAMES G. TIGHE, No. 184½ Bergen street.

Secretary to the Board, THOMAS D. OSBORN, West Eighth street, Coney Island.

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. CONNOR, 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.

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 Courthouse, 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. Courtroom corner of Grand and Centre streets.

HERMAN BOLTE, Justice. FRANCIS MANGIN, Clerk.

Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

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

Third District—Ninth and Fifteenth Wards, Courtroom, 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, Courtroom, 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—The Fifth District embraces the Eleventh Ward and all that portion of the Thirtieth Ward which lies east of the centre line of Norfolk street and north of the centre line of Grand street and west of the centre line of Pitt street and north of the centre line of Delancey street. Courtroom, No. 154 Clinton street.

BENJAMIN HOFFMAN, Justice. THOMAS FITZPATRICK, Clerk.

Sixth District—Eighteenth and Twenty-first Wards. Courtroom, northwest corner Twenty-third street and Second avenue. Court opens at 9 A. M. daily, and continues open until close of business.

DANIEL F. MARTIN, Justice. ABRAHAM 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. Courtroom, 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.

JAMES W. McLAUGHLIN, Justice.

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

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

Tenth District—The Tenth District embraces that portion of the Twenty-second Ward south of Seventieth street. Courtroom, 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—The Eleventh District embraces that portion of the Twelfth Ward which lies north of the centre line of West One Hundred and Tenth street, between Lenox avenue and Seventh avenue; north of the centre line of One Hundred and Twentieth street, between Seventh avenue and Broadway; north of the centre line of One Hundred and Nineteenth street, between Broadway and the North or Hudson river, and west of the centre line of Lenox or Sixth avenue and of the Harlem river; north of the terminus of Lenox or Sixth avenue. Courtroom, corner of One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street and Columbus avenue. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court convenes daily at 9:45 A. M.

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

Twelfth District—The Twelfth District embraces that portion of the Twenty-second Ward north of Seventieth street, and that portion of the Twelfth Ward which lies north of the centre line of Eighty-sixth street and west of the centre line of Seventh avenue and south of the centre line of One Hundred and Twentieth street, between Seventh avenue and Broadway, and south of the centre line of One Hundred and Nineteenth street, between Broadway and the North or Hudson river. Courtroom, 2630 Broadway.

WILLIAM STILES BENNET, Justice. FREDERICK E. WOOD, Clerk.

Thirteenth District—South side of Delancey street, from East river to Pitt street; east side of Pitt street, Grand street, south side of Grand street to Norfolk street, east side of Norfolk street to Division street, south side of Division street to Catharine street, east side of Catharine street to East river. Clerk's office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. JULIUS G. KREMER, Justice. Courtroom, No. 200 East Broadway.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

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

WILLIAM W. PENFIELD, Justice. THOMAS F. DELEHANTY, Clerk.

Office hours from 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Saturdays, closing at 12 M.

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

JOHN M. TIERNEY, Justice. THOMAS A. MAHER, Clerk.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

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

JOHN J. WALSH, Justice. EDWARD MORAN, Clerk.

Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Calendar called at 10 A. M.

Second District—Seventh, Ninth, Eleventh, Twentieth, Twenty-first and Twenty-third Wards. Courtroom located at No. 127 Bedford avenue, Brooklyn. Calendar called at 10 o'clock A. M.

GERARD B. VAN WART, Justice. WILLIAM H. ALLEN, Clerk.

Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

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

WILLIAM J. LYNCH, Justice. JOHN W. CARPENTER, Clerk.

Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Court opens at 10 o'clock.

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

THOMAS H. WILLIAMS, Justice. HERMAN GOHLINGHORN, 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. Courtroom, Bay Twenty-second street and Bath avenue, Bath Beach. Telephone 83, Bath.

CORNELIUS FERGUSON, 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). Courtroom, No. 46 Jackson avenue, Long Island City.

Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Trial days, excepting Saturday, closing at 12 M. Trial days, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. All other business transacted on Tuesdays and Thursdays.

THOMAS C. KADIAN, Justice. THOMAS F. KENNEDY, Clerk.

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

WILLIAM RAGUIN, Jr., Justice. HENRY WALTER, Jr., Clerk.

Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Third District—JAMES F. McLAUGHLIN, Justice. GEORGE W. DAMON, Clerk.

Courtroom, 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). Courtroom, former Village Hall, Lafayette avenue and Second street, New Brighton.

JOHN J. KENNY, Justice. FRANCIS F. LEMAN, Clerk.

Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Court held each day, except Saturdays, from 10 A. M.

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

GEORGE W. STAKE, Justice. PETER TIERNAN, Clerk.

Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Court held each day from 10 A. M., and continues open until close of business.

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 7331, No. 1. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging Audubon avenue, from One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street to Fort George avenue.

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 Audubon avenue, from One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street to Fort George avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets and avenues.

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 October 15, 1903, 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,
September 15, 1903. 815,25

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 7267, No. 1. Alteration and improvement to sewer in Fifth avenue, between Forty-fourth and Forty-fifth streets, revised in accordance with the directions of the Board of Revision of Assessments.

List 7505, No. 2. Receiving basins on the southeast corner of Eighty-fourth street and Columbus avenue; southeast corner of Fifty-sixth street and Twelfth avenue (and alteration and improvement on the northeast and southeast corners of Fifty-second street and Twelfth avenue); on the northeast and southeast corners of Fifty-first street and Twelfth avenue; on the northeast corner of Forty-sixth street and Madison avenue; on the southeast corner of One Hundred and Twenty-first street and Manhattan avenue, and on the northeast and northwest corners of One Hundred and Twentieth street and Manhattan avenue, and alteration and improvement to basin on north side of One Hundred and Sixth street, and new basin south side of One Hundred and Sixth street, about 663 feet east of First avenue.

List 7518, No. 3. Flagging One Hundred and Fifteenth street, north side, west of Fifth avenue, opposite Lots Nos. 30, 31 and 32.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

List 7349, No. 4. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging and laying crosswalks in Longwood avenue, from Tiffany street to the Southern Boulevard, together with a list of awards for damages caused by a change of grade.

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. East side of Fifth avenue, from Forty-fourth to Forty-fifth street.

No. 2. South side of Eighty-fourth street, from Central Park West to Columbus avenue; west side of Eleventh avenue, extending about 101 feet south of Fifty-sixth street, and south side of Fifty-sixth street, from Eleventh to Twelfth avenue, and east side of Twelfth avenue, extending half way between Fifty-fifth and Fifty-sixth streets; both sides of Fifty-second street, from Eleventh to Twelfth avenue, and extending on the west side of Eleventh avenue, and on the east side of Twelfth avenue to the extent of half the block north and south of Fifty-second street; both sides of Fifty-first street, from Eleventh to Twelfth avenue, and extending on the east side of Twelfth avenue and west side of Eleventh avenue to one-half the block north and south of Fifty-first street; east side of Madison avenue, from Forty-sixth to Forty-seventh street; east side of Manhattan avenue, from One Hundred and Twentieth to One Hundred and Twenty-first street; south side of One Hundred and Twenty-first street, extending about 140 feet east of Manhattan avenue; north side of One Hundred and Twentieth street, extending about 260 feet east of Manhattan avenue; north side of One Hundred and Twentieth street, from Manhattan avenue to Morningside Park East, east side of Morningside Park East extending about 101 feet north of One Hundred and Twentieth street; both sides of One Hundred and sixth street, commencing at a point about 150 feet east of First avenue and extending easterly to the Harlem river.

No. 3. North side of One Hundred and Fifteenth street, west of Fifth avenue, on Block 1599, Lots Nos. 30, 31 and 32.

No. 4. Both sides of Longwood avenue, from Tiffany street to the Southern Boulevard, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting and terminating avenues.

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 October 8, 1903, 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,
September 8, 1903. 818

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, 61 ELM STREET, CITY OF NEW YORK.

PUBLIC NOTICE WILL BE GIVEN OF ALL competitive examinations two weeks in advance of the date upon which the receipt of applications for any scheduled examination will close. Applications will be received for only such examinations as are scheduled.

When an examination is advertised, a person desiring to compete in the same may obtain an application blank upon request made in writing, or by personal application at the office of the Commission.

All notices of examinations will be posted in the office of the Commission, City Hall, Municipal Building, Brooklyn, and advertised in the "City Record" for two weeks in advance of the date upon which the receipt of applications will close for any stated position.

Public notice will also be given by advertisement in most of the City papers.

Wherever an examination is of a technical character, due notice is given by advertisement in the technical journals appertaining to the particular profession for which the examination is called.

Such notices will be sent to the daily papers as matters of news, and to the General Postoffice and stations thereof. The scope of the examination will be stated, but for more general information application should be made at the office of the Commission.

Unless otherwise specifically stated the minimum age requirement for all positions is 21.

S. WILLIAM BRISCOE, Secretary.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 61 ELM STREET, NEW YORK, September 14, 1903.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an open competitive examination will be held for the following position:

ATTENDANT (PLAYGROUND)—Friday, October 2, 1903, at 10 A. M.

The receipt of applications for this examination will close on Tuesday, September 29, 1903, at 4 p. m.

The scope of the examination will be as follows:

Subjects. Weights.

Special Paper 6

Experience 3

Arithmetic 1

The special paper will include the duties of the position.

Applicants for this position must have a knowledge of kindergarten methods and be qualified to lead in out-door games.

In order to obtain a place upon the eligible list candidates will be required to pass a physical examination and to obtain seventy per cent. in the mental examination.

Vacancies exist in the Department of Parks. The minimum age is 21 years.

S. WILLIAM BRISCOE, Secretary.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the receipt of applications for the position of

FIREMAN, in the Fire Department, will commence on Tuesday, September 15, 1903, at 9 a. m., and will continue until further notice.

S. WILLIAM BRISCOE, Secretary.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 61 ELM STREET, CITY OF NEW YORK, July 23, 1903.

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

INSPECTOR OF SEWER CONSTRUCTION—Wednesday, September 16, 1903, at 10 A. M. (Fourth Grade, \$1,200 per annum.)

The receipt of applications for this examination will close on Friday, September 4, at 4 p. m. The scope of the examination will be as follows:

Subjects. Weights.

Technical knowledge 5

Experience 2

Mathematics 1

Report 2

Candidates will be required to obtain seventy-five per cent. on the "technical" paper in order to be placed on the eligible list.

Candidates should have had practical experience in sewer construction, including brick and stone masonry.

The compensation is \$3.50 to \$4 per day. The minimum age is 21.

MONITOR, CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION—Thursday, October 15, 1903, at 10 A. M. (Open to men and women.)

The receipt of applications for this examination will close on Friday, September 25, at 4 p. m.

Monitors will be employed from time to time, as the needs of the service require. No regular employment will result from securing a place on the eligible list, but it is probable that there will be need of the services of a large or small number of Monitors once or twice a week. The compensation will be \$5 a day when actually employed. Ordinarily the session lasts from about 9 A. M. to about 4 P. M.

The duties of Monitors are to assist in the conduct of civil service examinations; to supervise the candidates while they are at work; to see that they are promptly supplied with such stationery, question sheets, etc., as they need; to collect and properly sort and fasten the candidates' answers and otherwise help in securing a proper and orderly conduct of examinations.

To accomplish this, Monitors must be of good physical condition, alert and watchful. All candidates will therefore be required to pass a physical examination.

The mental examination will consist of one paper, on which 70 per cent. is required.

The minimum age is 21.

For applications apply to the Secretary.

For further information as to duties, etc., apply to the Chief Examiner.

S. WILLIAM BRISCOE, Secretary.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, LABOR BUREAU, NEW CRIMINAL COURT BUILDING, CORNER WHITE AND CENTRE STREETS.

APPLICATIONS WILL BE RECEIVED FOR the position of Rustic Carpenter, for appointment in the Department of Parks, Borough of Manhattan, at \$4.50 per day while employed. Only experienced workmen need apply.

F. A. SPENCER, Labor Clerk.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, CITY OF NEW YORK, May 21, 1903.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT applications for the following positions will be received until further notice:

Trained Nurse.

S. WILLIAM BRISCOE, Secretary.

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.

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

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 1903.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FORAGE TO THE BUREAU OF HIGHWAYS.

1,600 bushels No. 2 best white clipped oats.
50,000 pounds best Timothy hay.
4,000 pounds best rye straw.
300 pounds best bran.
100 pounds best oil meal.
200 pounds best rock salt.

The time for the delivery of the above supplies will be on or before December 31, 1903.

The amount of security required will be six hundred and fifty dollars.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FORAGE TO THE BUREAU OF SEWERS.

400 bushels No. 2 best white clipped oats.
15,000 pounds best Timothy hay.
1,500 pounds best rye straw.
500 pounds best bran.
50 pounds best table salt.
50 pounds best condition powders.

The time for the delivery of the above supplies will be on or before December 31, 1903.

The amount of security required will be one hundred and seventy-five dollars.

No. 3. FOR REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION, INTERSECTIONS OF PROSPECT AVENUE AND WESTCHESTER AVENUE, HOME STREET, EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-NINTH STREET AND JENNINGS STREET; ALSO OF EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-THIRD STREET AND MELROSE AVENUE.

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

2,700 square yards of asphalt pavement, including binder course.

410 cubic yards of concrete.

500 linear feet of new bluestone curbstone, furnished and set.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be thirty working days.

The amount of security required for the faithful performance of the contract will be \$2,500.

No. 4. FOR PAVING THE ROADWAY OF EAST ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SIXTH STREET WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION, AND SETTING CURB WHERE NECESSARY, FROM BROOK AVENUE TO ST. ANN'S AVENUE.

The Engineer's estimate of the work is as follows:
1,690 square yards of asphalt pavement, including binder course.
300 cubic yards of concrete.
680 linear feet of new bluestone curbstone, furnished and set.
340 linear feet of old curbstone rejointed and reset.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be thirty working days.
The amount of security required for the faithful performance of the contract will be \$2,000.

No. 5. FOR PAVING WITH GRANITE BLOCK PAVEMENT, ON A SAND FOUNDATION, THE ROADWAY OF ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-SEVEN STREET, FROM OGDEN AVENUE TO SUMMIT AVENUE.

The Engineer's estimate of the work is as follows:
500 linear feet of old curbstone rejointed and reset.

625 square yards of new granite block pavement, on a sand foundation, laid with sand joints.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be thirty consecutive working days.
The amount of security required for the faithful performance of the work will be \$700.

No. 6. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING, SETTING CURBSTONES, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSWALKS, BUILDING APPROACHES AND PLACING FENCES IN BUCHANAN PLACE, FROM JEROME AVENUE TO AQUEDUCT AVENUE EAST.

The Engineer's estimate of the work is as follows:
7,650 cubic yards of earth excavation.

6,050 cubic yards of rock excavation.
1,990 cubic yards of filling.
1,760 linear feet of new curbstone, furnished and set.

6,775 square feet of new flagging, furnished and laid.
1,000 square feet of new bridge stone for crosswalks, furnished and laid.

100 linear feet of vitrified stoneware pipe 12 inches in diameter.
The time allowed for the completion of the work will be one hundred and fifty working days.

The amount of security required for the faithful performance of the work will be \$5,000.

No. 7. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING, SETTING CURBSTONES, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSWALKS, BUILDING APPROACHES AND PLACING FENCES IN CLARKE PLACE, FROM JEROME AVENUE TO THE GRAND BOULEVARD AND CONCOURSE.

The Engineer's estimate of the work is as follows:
19,750 cubic yards of filling.

2,000 linear feet of new curbstone, furnished and laid.
8,000 square feet of new flagging, furnished and laid.

450 square feet of new bridge stone for crosswalks, furnished and laid.

475 cubic yards of dry rubble masonry in retaining walls, culverts and gutters.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be two hundred working days.

The amount of security required for the faithful performance of the work will be \$4,000.

No. 8. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING, SETTING CURBSTONES, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSWALKS, BUILDING APPROACHES AND PLACING FENCES IN PEROT STREET, FROM BOSTON AVENUE TO SEDGWICK AVENUE.

The Engineer's estimate of the work is as follows:
900 cubic yards of earth excavation.

2,500 cubic yards of rock excavation.
1,000 cubic yards of filling.

700 linear feet of new curbstone, furnished and set.

2,800 square feet of new flagging, furnished and laid.

112 square feet of new bridge stone for crosswalks, furnished and laid.

70 cubic yards of dry rubble masonry in retaining walls, culverts and gutters.

50 linear feet of vitrified stoneware pipe 12 inches in diameter.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be one hundred working days.

The amount of security required for the faithful performance of the contract is \$2,000.

No. 9. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING, SETTING CURBSTONES, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSWALKS, BUILDING APPROACHES AND PLACING FENCES IN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTIETH STREET (FOX STREET), FROM ROBINS AVENUE TO PROSPECT AVENUE.

The Engineer's estimate of the work is as follows:
2,370 cubic yards of earth excavation.

1,300 cubic yards of rock excavation.
980 cubic yards of filling.

2,100 linear feet of new curbstone, furnished and set.

8,730 square feet of new flagging, furnished and laid.

400 square feet of new bridge stone for crosswalks, furnished and laid.

45 cubic yards of dry rubble masonry in retaining walls, culverts and gutters.

1,000 feet (B. M.) of lumber, furnished and laid.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be one hundred working days.

The amount of security required for the faithful performance of the contract is three thousand dollars (\$3,000).

No. 10. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING, SETTING CURBSTONES, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS, BUILDING APPROACHES AND PLACING FENCES IN ANDERSON AVENUE, FROM JEROME AVENUE TO NORTH SIDE OF WEST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FOURTH STREET.

The Engineer's estimate of the work is as follows:
2,200 cubic yards of earth excavation.

4,400 cubic yards of rock excavation.
1,600 cubic yards of filling.

1,500 linear feet of new curbstone, furnished and set.

6,100 square feet of new flagging, furnished and laid.

550 square feet of new bridge stone for crosswalks, furnished and laid.

160 cubic yards of dry rubble masonry in retaining walls, culverts and gutters.

50 linear feet of vitrified stoneware pipe 12 inches in diameter.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be one hundred and twenty-five working days.

The amount of security required for the faithful performance of the contract is four thousand dollars (\$4,000).

No. 11. FOR CONSTRUCTION OF RECEIVING BASINS ON PROSPECT AVENUE, AT THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF KELLY STREET; THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF MACY PLACE; THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF WESTCHESTER AVENUE; THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIRST STREET; THE NORTH-EAST CORNER OF EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-NINTH STREET, AND THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF CROTONA PARK SOUTH.

The Engineer's estimate of the work is as follows:
205 linear feet of pipe culvert, 12-inch.
6 receiving basins, complete.
75 cubic yards of rock to be excavated and removed.

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

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be twenty-five working days.
The amount of security required for the faithful performance of the contract is one thousand dollars (\$1,000).

No. 12. FOR CONSTRUCTING TEMPORARY SEWERS AND APPURTENANCES IN ADAMS PLACE, BETWEEN COLUMBUS AVENUE AND THE PROPERTY OF THE NEW YORK, NEW HAVEN AND HARTFORD RAILROAD; THENCE ACROSS THE PROPERTY OF THE NEW YORK, NEW HAVEN AND HARTFORD RAILROAD COMPANY TO ROSEDALE AVENUE; IN ROSEDALE AVENUE, BETWEEN THE PROPERTY OF THE NEW YORK, NEW HAVEN AND HARTFORD RAILROAD COMPANY AND THE CENTRE OF TREMONT AVENUE (PROPOSED); IN WEST FARMS ROAD, BETWEEN ROSEDALE AVENUE AND CLASON POINT ROAD; IN COMMONWEALTH AVENUE, BETWEEN WEST FARMS ROAD AND MERRILL STREET; IN ST. LAWRENCE AVENUE, BETWEEN WEST FARMS ROAD AND MERRILL STREET; IN CLASON POINT ROAD, BETWEEN WEST FARMS ROAD AND MANSION STREET; IN MANSION STREET, BETWEEN ROSEDALE AVENUE AND CLASON POINT ROAD; IN MERRILL STREET, BETWEEN ROSEDALE AVENUE AND ST. LAWRENCE AVENUE.

The Engineer's estimate of the work is as follows:
570 linear feet of pipe sewer, 15-inch.

6,020 linear feet of pipe sewer, 12-inch.
590 spurs for house connections.

71 manholes, complete.
4,550 cubic yards of rock, to be excavated and removed.

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

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

25 cubic yards of broken stone for foundations, in place.

10,000 feet (B. M.) of timber, furnished and laid.

50 linear feet of 12-inch drain pipe, furnished and laid.

75 linear feet of 6-inch pipe, as risers for house connections.

The amount of security required will be fifteen thousand dollars.

The time allowed for the completion of the work is three hundred working days.

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.

Blank forms can be obtained upon application therefor and the plans and specifications may be seen and other information obtained at said office.

LOUIS F. HOFFEN, President.
THE CITY OF NEW YORK, September 11, 1903.

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

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES, PIER "A," FOOT OF BATTERY PLACE, NORTH RIVER, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Docks at the above office until 12 o'clock m., on

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 23, 1903.

Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, Queens and The Bronx.

Contract No. 768.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR DREDGING ON THE EAST AND HARLEM RIVERS.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of July 31, 1904.

The amount of security required is \$15,000.

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

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the said Department.

McDOUGALL HAWKES, Commissioner of Docks.

Dated September 10, 1903.

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

OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES, PIER "A," FOOT OF BATTERY PLACE, NORTH RIVER, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Docks at the above office until 12 o'clock m., on

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 18, 1903.

Borough of Manhattan.

Contract No. 805.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR PREPARING FOR AN EXTENSION WITH APPURTENANCES TO PIER No. 22, NORTH RIVER, OR JAY STREET PIER NORTH.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of ninety calendar days.

The amount of security required is \$11,500.

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

Contract No. 810.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ANTHRACITE AND CUMBERLAND COAL.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of two hundred and seventy calendar days.

The amount of security required is for

Class I, \$1,500.
Class II, \$120.

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

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

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the said Department.

McDOUGALL HAWKES, Commissioner of Docks.

Dated September 4, 1903.

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

OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES, PIER "A," FOOT OF BATTERY PLACE, NORTH RIVER, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Docks at the above office until 12 o'clock m., on

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 21, 1903.

Borough of Manhattan.

Contract No. 803.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING PILES.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of sixty calendar days.

The amount of security required is for

Class 1, \$6,000.
Class 2, \$6,000.
Class 3, \$6,000.
Class 4, \$6,000.
Class 5, \$6,000.
Class 6, \$6,000.

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

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

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the said Department.

McDOUGALL HAWKES, Commissioner of Docks.

Dated September 3, 1903.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES.

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

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 24, 1903.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR BUILDING A SEWAGE PURIFICATION SYSTEM FOR THE NEW YORK CITY FARM COLONY, BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

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

The security required will be one thousand dollars (\$1,000).

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of Renwick, Aspinwall & Owen, Architects, No. 367 Fifth Avenue, The City of New York, where plans and specifications may be seen.

HOMER FOLKS, Commissioner.

Dated September 12, 1903.

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

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES.

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

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 21, 1903.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE ERECTION AND COMPLETION OF A CENTRAL STOREHOUSE, RANDALL'S ISLAND.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract is seventy-five (75) consecutive working days.

The security required will be four thousand five hundred dollars (\$4,500).

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of Renwick, Aspinwall & Owen, Architects, No. 367 Fifth Avenue, The City of New York, where plans and specifications may be seen.

HOMER FOLKS, Commissioner.

Dated September 9, 1903.

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

BOARD MEETINGS.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment meet in the old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, every Wednesday, during July and August, at 10.30 o'clock a. 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., or at call of the Mayor.

N. TAYLOR PHILLIPS, Deputy Comptroller, Secretary.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York, by changing the grades in the sections bounded by Jerome Avenue, Creston Avenue, East One Hundred and Ninetieth Street and Minerva Place, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

Jerome Avenue.

Beginning at the intersection of Jerome Avenue and East One Hundred and Ninetieth Street, the elevation to be 123.0 feet above mean high water datum, as heretofore.

1. Thence northerly to a point distant 300 feet southerly, from the southeast curb intersection of East One Hundred and Ninety-second Street, the elevation to be 117.8 feet above mean high water datum;

2. Thence northerly to the intersection with East One Hundred and Ninety-second Street, the elevation to be 116.0 feet above mean high water datum;

3. Thence northerly to the intersection of Kingsbridge Road, the elevation to be 128.0 feet above mean high water datum;

4. Thence northerly to the intersection of East One Hundred and Ninety-sixth Street, the elevation to be 136.0 feet above mean high water datum;

5. Thence northerly to a point distant 500 feet northerly, from the northern curb of East One Hundred and Ninety-sixth Street, the elevation to be 138.5 feet above mean high water datum.

6. Thence northerly to the intersection of Morris Avenue, the elevation to be 142.0 feet above mean high water datum;

Board, all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions, adopted by the Board on the 31st day of July, 1903, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Whereas, The President of the Borough of The Bronx, in pursuance of the provisions of section 439 of the Greater New York Charter, has submitted to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment a map or plan showing the locating and laying out of Taylor Street, from Morris Park Avenue to West Farms Road, Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, dated March 17, 1903.

Resolved, By the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York that a hearing be given to all persons interested in the said locating and laying out on Wednesday, September 16, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, in the Old Council Chamber, (Room 16), City Hall.

Resolved, That the Secretary of said Board cause a notice of such hearing to be printed in the "City Record" for ten days, exclusive of Sundays and holidays, prior to the 16th day of September, 1903.

J. W. STEVENSON, Secretary.

Attest: JOHN H. MOONEY, Assistant Secretary.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to change the grades in East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth Street, from Anthony Avenue to Webster Avenue, and in Carter Avenue, from East One Hundred and Seventy-third Street to East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth Street, Twenty-fourth Ward, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 16th day of September, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board, all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions, adopted by the Board on the 31st day of July, 1903, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442, of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York, by changing the grades in East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth Street, from Anthony Avenue to Webster Avenue, and in Carter Avenue from East One Hundred and Seventy-third Street to East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth Street, Twenty-fourth Ward, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

A—East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth Street.

1. The grade at the intersection of Anthony Avenue, to be 50.0 feet above mean high water datum, as heretofore.

2. The grade at the intersection of Carter Avenue, to be 40.0 feet above mean high water datum.

3. The grade at the intersection with Webster Avenue, to be 29.0 feet above mean high water datum as heretofore.

B—Carter Avenue.

1. The grade at the intersection with East One Hundred and Seventy-third Street, to be 43.3 feet above mean high water datum as heretofore.

2. The grade at the intersection with East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth Street, to be 40.0 feet above mean high water datum.

3. The grade at the intersection with East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth Street, to be 30.0 feet above mean high water datum, as heretofore.

Resolved, That the President of the Borough of The Bronx cause to be prepared for submission to this Board three similar maps or plans for certification and filing in the manner required by law, showing as nearly as possible the nature and extent of the proposed change and the location of the immediate adjacent or of intersecting open or established streets, roads, squares, or places, sufficient for the identification and location thereof.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of this Board, to be held in the Old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 16th day of September, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the "City Record" for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 16th day of September, 1903.

J. W. STEVENSON,

7. Thence northerly to the intersection of East One Hundred and Ninety-eighth street, the elevation to be 138.0 feet above mean high water datum;

8. Thence northerly to the intersection of Minerva place, the elevation to be 142.5 feet above mean high water datum, as heretofore.

Morris Avenue.

Beginning at the intersection of Morris avenue and East One Hundred and Ninety-third street, the elevation to be 119.5 feet above mean high water datum;

1. Thence northerly to the intersection of Kingsbridge road, the elevation to be 128.5 feet above mean high water datum, as heretofore.

2. Thence northerly to a point distant 215 feet from the northwest curb intersection of Kingsbridge road, the elevation to be 142.0 feet above mean high water datum.

3. Thence northerly to the intersection of East One Hundred and Ninety-sixth street, the elevation to be 150.0 feet above mean high water datum;

4. Thence northerly to a point distant 400 feet from the northeast curb intersection of East One Hundred and Ninety-sixth street, the elevation to be 162.0 feet above mean high water datum;

5. Thence northerly to the angle point in Morris avenue, the elevation to be 148.0 feet above mean high water datum.

Creston Avenue.

Beginning at the intersection of Creston avenue and East One Hundred and Ninety-first street, the elevation to be 118.0 feet above mean high water datum, as heretofore;

1. Thence northerly to the intersection of East One Hundred and Ninety-second street, the elevation to be 128.0 feet above mean high water datum;

2. Thence northerly to a point distant 225 feet from the northeast curb intersection of East One Hundred and Ninety-second street, the elevation to be 129.0 feet above mean high water datum;

3. Thence northerly to the intersection of East One Hundred and Ninety-third street, the elevation to be 128.0 feet above mean high water datum;

4. Thence northerly to the intersection of Kingsbridge road, the elevation to be 130 feet above mean high water datum, as heretofore;

5. Thence northerly to a point distant 300 feet from the northeast curb intersection of Kingsbridge road, the elevation to be 146.0 feet above mean high water datum, as heretofore;

6. Thence northerly to the intersection of East One Hundred and Ninety-sixth street, the elevation to be 148.5 feet above mean high water datum, as heretofore;

7. Thence northerly to a point distant 600 feet southerly from the southeast curb intersection of East One Hundred and Ninety-eighth street, the elevation to be 138.0 feet above mean high water datum;

8. Thence northerly to the intersection of East One Hundred and Ninety-eighth street, the elevation to be 133.0 feet above mean high water datum;

9. Thence northerly to the intersection of Minerva place, the elevation to be 145.0 feet above mean high water datum.

Park View Terrace.

Beginning at the intersection of Park View Terrace and East One Hundred and Ninety-sixth street, the elevation to be 138.0 feet above mean high water datum;

1. Thence northerly to a point distant 400 feet southerly from the southeast house line intersection of Morris avenue, the elevation to be 147.0 feet above mean high water datum, as heretofore;

2. Thence northerly to the intersection of Morris avenue, the elevation to be 143.0 feet above mean high water datum.

East One Hundred and Ninetieth Street.

Beginning at the intersection of East One Hundred and Ninetieth street and Morris avenue, the elevation to be 124.0 feet above mean high water datum, as heretofore;

1. Thence westerly to a point distant one-half distance of curb, the elevation to be 127.0 feet above mean high water datum.

Kingsbridge Road.

Beginning at the intersection of Kingsbridge road and Morris avenue, the elevation to be 128.5 feet above mean high water datum, as heretofore;

1. Thence westerly to a point distant 50 feet from the northwest curb intersection of Morris avenue, the elevation to be 129.0 feet above mean high water datum.

Resolved, That the President of the Borough of The Bronx cause to be prepared for submission to this Board three similar maps or plans for certification and filing in the manner required by law, showing as nearly as possible the nature and extent of the proposed change and the location of the immediate adjacent or of intersecting open or established streets, roads, squares, or places, sufficient for the identification and location thereof.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of this Board, to be held in the old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 16th day of September, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the "City Record" for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 16th day of September, 1903.

J. W. STEVENSON, Secretary.

Attest: JOHN H. MOONEY, Assistant Secretary.

established streets, roads, squares, or places, sufficient for the identification and location thereof.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of this Board, to be held in the old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 16th day of September, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the "City Record" for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 16th day of September, 1903.

J. W. STEVENSON, Secretary.

Attest: JOHN H. MOONEY, Assistant Secretary.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE

Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to close and discontinue all the streets, avenues and roads lying within the territory bounded by Winthrop avenue, Luyster creek and the pierhead and bulkhead line, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 16th day of September, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board, all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions, adopted by the Board on the 31st day of July, 1903, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York by closing and discontinuing all the streets, avenues and roads lying within the territory bounded by Winthrop avenue, Luyster creek and the pierhead and bulkhead line, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York.

Resolved, That the President of the Borough of Queens cause to be prepared for submission to this Board three similar maps or plans for certification and filing in the manner required by law, showing as nearly as possible the nature and extent of the proposed change and the location of the immediate adjacent or of intersecting open or established streets, roads, squares or places sufficient for the identification and location thereof.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of this Board, to be held in the old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 16th day of September, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the "City Record" for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 16th day of September, 1903.

J. W. STEVENSON, Secretary.

Attest: JOHN H. MOONEY, Assistant Secretary.

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 lay out a street system for the Fourth Ward of the Borough of Richmond, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 16th day of September, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board, all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on the 29th day of July, 1903, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

"Whereas, In pursuance of section 439 of the Greater New York Charter, the President of the Borough of Richmond has prepared and submitted to this Board, for its concurrence and approval, a map or plan showing the laying out and grades of a street system in the Fourth Ward of the Borough of Richmond;

Resolved, That this Board will consider the said map or plan at a meeting of this Board to be held on the 16th day of September, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, at which meeting a public hearing will be given to all persons affected by such proposed lay out.

Resolved, That notice of such meeting to be held by this Board, and of such public hearing be published in the "City Record" for ten days prior to the sixteenth day of September, 1903.

J. W. STEVENSON, Secretary.

Attest: JOHN H. MOONEY, Assistant Secretary.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE

Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to change the grade of Castleton avenue, between Glen avenue and Bard avenue, First Ward, in the Borough of Richmond, City of New York, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 16th day of September, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board, all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on the 8th day of July, 1903, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York, by changing the grade of Castleton avenue, between Glen avenue and Bard avenue, First Ward, in the Borough of Richmond, City of New York.

Resolved, That the President of the Borough of Richmond cause to be prepared for submission to this Board three similar maps or plans for certification and filing in the manner required by law, showing as nearly as possible the nature and extent of the proposed change and the location of the immediate adjacent or of intersecting open or established streets, roads, squares or places, sufficient for the identification and location thereof.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of this Board, to be held in the old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 16th day of September, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the "City Record" for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 16th day of September, 1903.

J. W. STEVENSON, Secretary.

Attest: JOHN H. MOONEY, Assistant Secretary.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE

Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to change the grade of Eighty-fifth street, between First avenue and Second avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 16th day of September, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board, all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions, adopted by the Board on the 8th day of July, 1903, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the grade of Eighty-fifth street, between First avenue and Second avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of First avenue, the grade to be 33.53 feet, as heretofore.

1. Thence easterly to a point distant 410 feet from the eastern line of First avenue, the elevation to be 54.93 feet.

2. Thence easterly on a vertical curve to a point distant 50 feet from the previous point, the elevation to be 56.88 feet.

3. Thence easterly, still on a vertical curve, to a point distant 50 feet from the previous point, the elevation to be 57.74 feet.

4. Thence easterly to the intersection of Second avenue, the elevation to be 59.01 feet, as heretofore.

Resolved, That the President of the Borough of Brooklyn cause to be prepared for submission to this Board three similar maps or plans for certification and filing in the manner required by law, showing as nearly as possible the nature and extent of the proposed change and the location of the immediate adjacent or of intersecting open or established streets, roads, squares or places, sufficient for the identification and location thereof.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of this Board, to be held in the old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 16th day of September, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the "City Record" and the corporation newspapers for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 16th day of September, 1903.

J. W. STEVENSON, Secretary.

Attest: JOHN H. MOONEY, Assistant Secretary.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE

Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to widen Oak street, immediately west of its junction with Guernsey street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 16th day of September, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board, all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolution, adopted by the Board on the 8th day of July, 1903, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York by widening Oak street, immediately west of its junction with Guernsey street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the western line of intersection of the northern line of Calver street with the western line of Guernsey street, as the same are laid down on the map of the City:

1. Thence northerly along the western line of Guernsey street 17 feet to the southern line of Oak street, as legally opened.

2. Thence westerly along the southern line of Oak street 97.23 feet to an angle point in the southern line of Oak street.

3. Thence easterly in the eastern prolongation of the southern line of Oak street westerly of this angle point 60.44 feet.

4. Thence easterly and parallel with Calver street 39.23 feet to the point of beginning.

Note.—All these dimensions are approximate.

Resolved, That the President of the Borough of Brooklyn cause to be prepared for submission to this Board three similar maps or plans for certification and filing in the manner required by law, showing as nearly as possible the nature and extent of the proposed change and the location of the immediate adjacent or of intersecting open or established streets, roads, squares or places, sufficient for the identification and location thereof.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of this Board, to be held in the old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 16th day of September, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the "City Record" and the corporation newspapers for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 16th day of September, 1903.

J. W. STEVENSON, Secretary.

Attest: JOHN H. MOONEY, Assistant Secretary.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE

Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to locate and lay out Cottage place, from Surf avenue to Highland View avenue, Thirty-first Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 16th day of September, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board, all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions, adopted by the Board on the 8th day of July, 1903, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, deeming

it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York by locating and laying out Cottage place, from Surf avenue to Highland View avenue, Thirty-first Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the southern line of Surf avenue, distant about 228.01 feet easterly of the intersection of the southern line of Surf avenue with the eastern line of West Twenty-third street, as the same are laid down on the map of the city.

1. Thence easterly along the southern line of Surf avenue 51.27 feet.

2. Thence southerly deflecting 102 degrees 47 minutes 18 seconds to the right 610.71 feet to the southern line of Highland View avenue.

3. Thence westerly deflecting 89 degrees 47 minutes 08 seconds to the right 50 feet along the southern line of Highland View avenue.

4. Thence northerly 599.18 feet to the point of beginning.

Note.—All these dimensions are approximate.

Resolved, That the President of the Borough of Brooklyn cause to be prepared for submission to this Board three similar maps or plans for certification and filing in the manner required by law, showing as nearly as possible the nature and extent of the proposed change and the location of the immediate adjacent or of intersecting open or established streets, roads, squares or places, sufficient for the identification and location thereof.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of this Board, to be held in the old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 16th day of September, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the "City Record" and the corporation newspapers for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 16th day of September, 1903.

J. W. STEVENSON, Secretary.

Attest: JOHN H. MOONEY, Assistant Secretary.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE

Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to close portion of Senator street immediately west of Third avenue and to locate and lay out a new outlet for Senator street to Third avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 16th day of September, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board, all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions, adopted by the Board on the 8th day of July, 1903, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York by closing portion of Senator street immediately west of Third avenue and locating and laying out a new outlet for Senator street to Third avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

A.—Closing and Striking from Map.

Beginning at the intersection of the western side line of Third avenue with the southern side line of Senator street as the same are laid down on the map of the city.

1. Thence westerly along the southern side line of Senator street for 60 feet.

2. Thence northerly along the eastern side line of new outlet for Senator street as hereinafter described for 60.97 feet to the northern side line of Senator street.

3. Thence easterly along the northern side line of Senator street for 37.94 feet to the western side line of Third avenue.

4. Thence southerly along the western side line of Third avenue for 61.04 feet to the point or place of beginning.

B.—Locating and Laying Out.

(Eastern and Southern Side Lines.)

Beginning at a point in the southern side line of Senator street distant 60 feet westerly from the intersection of the southern side line of Senator street with the western side line of Third avenue.

1. Thence northerly in a straight line for 141.97 feet to a point distant 8.5 feet westerly from and measured at right angles to the western side line of Third avenue.

2. Thence easterly in a straight line at right angles to Third avenue for 8.5 feet to the western side line of Third avenue.

The western and northern side lines of new outlet for Senator street to be 60 feet from and parallel to the above described eastern and southern side lines, respectively.

Resolved, That the President of the Borough of Brooklyn cause to be prepared for submission to this Board three similar maps or plans for certification and filing in the manner required by law, showing as nearly as possible the nature and extent of the proposed change and the location of the immediate adjacent or of intersecting open or established streets, roads, squares or places, sufficient for the identification and location thereof.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of this Board, to be held in the old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 16th day of September, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the "City Record" and the corporation newspapers for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 16th day of September, 1903.

J. W. STEVENSON, Secretary.

Attest: JOHN H. MOONEY, Assistant Secretary.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE

Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to change the grade of Seelye street, between Eighteenth street and Sherman street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 16th day of September, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board, all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions, adopted by the Board on the 18th day of August, 1903, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter, 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 Seelye street, between Eighteenth street and Sherman street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of Seelye street with Eighteenth street, the elevation to be 104.00 feet, as heretofore.

1. Thence easterly 262.17 feet to the westerly end of proposed viaduct over Prospect avenue, the elevation to be 106.00 feet.

2. Thence easterly 72.25 feet to a summit, the elevation to be 106.75 feet.

3. Thence easterly 72.25 feet to the easterly end of the proposed viaduct, the elevation to be 106.00 feet.

4. Thence easterly to the intersection of Sherman street, the elevation to be 95.00 feet, as heretofore.

All elevations refer to mean high water datum as established by the Bureau of Highways, Borough of Brooklyn.

Resolved, That the President of the Borough of Brooklyn cause to be prepared for submission to this Board three similar maps or plans for certification and filing in the manner required by law, showing as nearly as possible the nature and extent of the proposed change and the location of the immediate adjacent or of intersecting open or established streets, roads, squares or places, sufficient for the identification and location thereof.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of this Board, to be held in the old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 16th day of September, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the "City Record" and the corporation newspapers for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 16th day of September, 1903.

J. W. STEVENSON, Secretary.
Attest: JOHN H. MOONEY, Assistant Secretary.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the Map or Plan of The City of New York so as to lay out an extension of St. James place or park, and to close East One Hundred and Ninety-first street and Morris avenue inside of proposed park boundaries, Twenty-fourth Ward, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 16th day of September, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board, all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on the 8th day of July, 1903, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out an extension of St. James place or park, and by closing East One Hundred and Ninety-first street and Morris avenue inside of proposed park boundaries, Twenty-fourth Ward, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, as shown on the map or plan on file in the office of the Chief Engineer of the Board.

Resolved, That the President of the Borough of The Bronx cause to be prepared for submission to this Board three similar maps or plans for certification and filing in the manner required by law, showing as nearly as possible the nature and extent of the proposed change and the location of the immediate adjacent or of intersecting open or established streets, roads, squares or places, sufficient for the identification and location thereof.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of this Board to be held in the Old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 16th day of September, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the "City Record" for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 16th day of September, 1903.

J. W. STEVENSON, Secretary.
Attest: JOHN H. MOONEY, Assistant Secretary.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to close East Tenth street, between Church avenue and Albemarle road, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 16th day of September, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board, all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions, adopted by the Board on the 8th day of July, 1903, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York, by closing East Tenth street, between Church avenue and Albemarle road, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the northern line of Albemarle road and the eastern line of East Tenth street, as the same are laid down on the map of the city.

1. Thence westerly along the northern line of Albemarle road 60.0 feet to the western line of East Tenth street.

2. Thence northerly along the western line of East Tenth street to the southern line of Church avenue, as in use.

3. Thence easterly along the southern line of Church avenue, as in use, to the eastern line of East Tenth street.

4. Thence southerly along the eastern line of East Tenth street to the point of beginning.

Resolved, That the President of the Borough of Brooklyn cause to be prepared for submission to this Board three similar maps or plans for certification and filing in the manner required by law, showing as nearly as possible the nature and extent of the proposed change and the location of the immediate adjacent or of intersecting open or established streets, roads, squares or places, sufficient for the identification and location thereof.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of this Board, to be

held in the old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 16th day of September, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the "City Record" and the corporation newspapers for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 16th day of September, 1903.

J. W. STEVENSON, Secretary.
Attest: JOHN H. MOONEY, Assistant Secretary.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to change the grade of Parade place, between Woodruff avenue and Caton avenue; St. Paul's place, between Caton avenue and Woodruff avenue, and of Crooke avenue, between Parade place and Ocean avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 16th day of September, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board, all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions, adopted by the Board on the 8th day of July, 1903, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the grade of Parade place, between Woodruff avenue and Caton avenue; St. Paul's place, between Caton avenue and Woodruff avenue, and of Crooke avenue, between Parade place and Ocean avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of Woodruff avenue and Parade place, the elevation to be 56.6 feet, as heretofore.

Thence southerly to the intersection of Crooke avenue and St. Paul's place, the elevation to be 54.5 feet.

Thence southerly to the intersection of Caton avenue and Parade place, the elevation to be 52.4 feet, as heretofore.

St. Paul's Place, Between Caton and Woodruff Avenues.

Beginning at the intersection of Woodruff avenue and St. Paul's place, the elevation to be 56.6 feet, as heretofore.

Thence southerly to a point distant from the northern building line of Crooke avenue 120 feet, the elevation to be 57.06 feet.

Thence southerly to the intersection of Crooke avenue and St. Paul's place, the elevation to be 56.0 feet.

Thence southerly to the intersection of Caton avenue and St. Paul's place, the elevation to be 54.62 feet, as heretofore.

Crooke Avenue, Between Parade Place and Ocean Avenue.

Beginning at the intersection of Crooke avenue and Parade place, the elevation to be 54.5 feet.

Thence easterly to the intersection of St. Paul's place and Crooke avenue, the elevation to be 56.0 feet.

Thence easterly to a point distant from the western building line of Ocean avenue 170.0 feet, the elevation to be 58.8 feet, as heretofore.

Thence easterly to the intersection of Ocean avenue and Crooke avenue, the elevation to be 55.61 feet, as heretofore.

All elevations are referred to datum as established by the Bureau of Highways, Borough of Brooklyn.

Resolved, That the President of the Borough of Brooklyn cause to be prepared for submission to this Board three similar maps or plans for certification and filing in the manner required by law, showing as nearly as possible the nature and extent of the proposed change and the location of the immediate adjacent or of intersecting places, sufficient for the identification and location thereof.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of this Board, to be held in the old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 16th day of September, 1903, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the "City Record" and the corporation newspapers for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 16th day of September, 1903.

J. W. STEVENSON, Secretary.
Attest: JOHN H. MOONEY, Assistant Secretary.

OFFICIAL BOROUGH PAPERS.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.
"North Side News," "Bronx Borough Record," "Westchester Globe."

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.
"Staten Islander," "Staten Island World," "Staten Island News and Independent," "Staten Island Gazette."

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.
"Long Island Daily Star," "Flushing Daily Times," "Flushing Evening Journal," "Newtown Register," "Jamaica Standard," "Rockaway News," "Long Island Farmer."

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.
"Brooklyn Eagle," "Brooklyn Times," "Brooklyn Citizen," "Brooklyn Standard Union," "Brooklyn Free Press," "Brooklyn Weekly News," "Flatbush Weekly News."

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.
"Harlem Local Reporter" (Harlem District), "Harlem Local and Life" (Washington Heights and Harlem Districts).

Amended designation by Board of City Record July 31, 1903, and August 10, 1903.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

INTEREST ON CITY BONDS AND STOCK.

THE INTEREST DUE NOVEMBER 1, 1903, on the Registered Bonds and Stock of The City of New York will be paid on that day by the Comptroller, at his office in the Stewart Building, corner of Broadway and Chambers street (Room 39).

The Transfer Books thereof will be closed from October 15, 1903, to November 1, 1903.

The interest due November 1, 1903, on the Coupon Bonds and Stock of the present and former City of New York will be paid on that day by the Knickerbocker Trust Company, No. 66 Broadway.

The interest due November 1, 1903, on Coupon Bonds of other Corporations now included in

The City of New York will be paid on that day at the office of the Comptroller.

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.
THE CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, September 10, 1903. S11,01

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EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, September 10, 1903. S11,01

NOTICE OF ASSESSMENTS FOR

OPENING STREETS AND PARKS.

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

THIRTIETH WARD, SECTIONS 17 AND 18. SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET—OPENING. from Kouwenhoven lane to Fort Hamilton avenue. Confirmed July 30, 1903; entered September 1, 1903. 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 on the westerly side of Fort Hamilton avenue, where the same intersects the centre line of the block between Sixty-sixth and Sixty-seventh streets; running thence westerly through the centre line of the blocks between Sixty-sixth and Sixty-seventh streets to the westerly side of Sixth avenue and distant 107.18 feet northerly of the northerly line of Sixty-seventh street; running thence westerly and parallel with Sixty-seventh street to a point opposite the intersection of the northerly line of Kouwenhoven lane with the northerly line of Sixty-seventh street; thence southerly to the intersection of the northerly line of Kouwenhoven lane with the northerly line of Sixty-seventh street; thence westerly along the northerly side of Kouwenhoven lane to its intersection with the southerly side of Sixty-seventh street; running thence southwesterly to the centre line of the block between Sixty-seventh and Sixty-eighth streets; running thence southeasterly along the centre line of the blocks between Sixty-seventh and Sixty-eighth streets to the westerly side of Fort Hamilton avenue; running thence northerly along the westerly side of Fort Hamilton avenue to its place of beginning.

The above-entitled assessment was entered on the date hereinbefore 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 assessments, 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 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 October 31, 1903, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when the above assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, September 1, 1903. S3,17

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

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

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

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF TAXES, NEW YORK, September 1, 1903.

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

If a taxpayer is assessed for personal tax, the requisition should also request bill for such tax.

Each requisition should be accompanied by an envelope bearing the proper address of the applicant, AND WITH RETURN POSTAGE PREPAID.

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

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

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

JOHN J. McDONOUGH, No. 57 Chambers street, Borough of Manhattan, New York.

JOHN B. UNDERHILL, corner Third and Tremont avenues, Borough of The Bronx, New York.

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

FREDERICK W. BLECKWENN, corner Jackson avenue and Fifth street, Long Island City, Borough of Queens, New York.

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

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

All bills paid during October must be rebated before payment.

DAVID E. AUSTEN, Receiver of Taxes. S1,031

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

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

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

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 24, 1903.

Borough of Manhattan.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING, DELIVERING AND LAYING 150,000 SQUARE FEET OF GRASS SOD ON PARKS NORTH OF FIFTY-NINTH STREET.

The time allowed for doing and completing the work will be as required before December 1, 1903.

The amount of security required will be one thousand dollars.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 3,500 CUBIC YARDS OF GARDEN MOLD WHERE REQUIRED ON PARKS NORTH OF FIFTY-NINTH STREET.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be as required before December 1, 1903.

Amount of security required will be \$1,700. The contracts must be bid for separately.

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

Blank forms may be obtained and plans may be seen at the office of the Department of Parks, the Arsenal, Central Park.

WILLIAM R. WILLCOX,
JOHN E. EUSTIS,
RICHARD YOUNG, Commissioners.

Dated September 11, 1903. S12,24

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

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

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

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 24, 1903.

Borough of Manhattan.

FOR CONSTRUCTING WALKS OF ROCK ASPHALT MASTIC, FURNISHING AND DEPOSITING MOLD, FURNISHING AND LAYING SOD, AND FURNISHING AND ERECTING WIRE FENCE IN MANHATTAN SQUARE.

The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be seventy-five consecutive working days.

The amount of the security required is fifteen thousand dollars.

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

Blank forms may be obtained and plans may be seen at the office of the Department of Parks, the Arsenal, Central Park.

WILLIAM R. WILLCOX,
JOHN E. EUSTIS,
RICHARD YOUNG, Commissioners.

Dated September 11, 1903. S12,24

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

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

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

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 1903.

Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 1. FOR PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF STONE AVENUE, FROM EASTERN PARKWAY EXTENSION TO RIVERDALE AVENUE.

The time allowed for doing and completing the work will be sixty working days.

The security required will be twenty-five thousand dollars.

No. 2. FOR LAYING OUT AND CONSTRUCTING A PARK UNDER THE WILLIAMSBURG BRIDGE.

The time allowed for doing and completing the work will be sixty working days.

The security required will be twelve thousand dollars.

No. 3. FOR FURNISHING AND LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALKS ON EASTERN PARKWAY, BETWEEN PROSPECT PARK PLAZA AND RALPH AVENUE.

The time allowed for doing and completing the work will be sixty working days.

The security required will be twelve thousand dollars.

No. 4. FOR PAVING WITH ASPHALT BLOCKS THE ROADWAY OF BUSHWICK AVENUE, FROM JAMAICA AVENUE TO EASTERN PARKWAY EXTENSION.

The time allowed for doing and completing the work will be sixty working days.

The security required will be ten thousand dollars.

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

Blank forms may be obtained and plans may be

seen at the office of the Department of Parks, the Litchfield Mansion, Prospect Park, Brooklyn.
WILLIAM R. WILLCOX,
JOHN E. EUSTIS,
RICHARD YOUNG,
Commissioners.

Dated September 3, 1903. 52,17

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

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

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

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 1903.

FOR PAVING WITH ROCK ASPHALT MASTIC, WHERE DIRECTED, THE GUTTERS OF A PORTION OF THE CARRIAGE DRIVES IN CENTRAL PARK.

The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be seventy-five consecutive working days.

The amount of the security required is six thousand dollars.

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

Blank forms may be obtained and plans may be seen at the office of the Department of Parks, the Arsenal, Central Park.

WILLIAM R. WILLCOX,
JOHN E. EUSTIS,
RICHARD YOUNG,
Commissioners.

Dated September 3, 1903. 52,17

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

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

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

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 29, 1903.

Borough of Manhattan.

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

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

The amount of security required will be one hundred thousand dollars.

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

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

WILLIAM R. WILLCOX,
JOHN E. EUSTIS,
RICHARD YOUNG,
Commissioners.

Dated August 29, 1903. 52,17

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

THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, will sell at public auction, by Joseph Shongood & Sons, Auctioneers, on

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 1903,

at 10 o'clock a. m., the buildings and other structures standing on the lands acquired for park purposes bounded by First and Second avenues, Thirty-fifth and Thirty-sixth streets.

The sale will take place on the ground, commencing with the building No. 660 Second avenue, and continue according to the catalogue until all the buildings, etc., have been sold.

Information as to the dimensions and character of the buildings and structures may be had upon application at the office of the Department of Parks, Arsenal, Central Park.

TERMS OF SALE.

The sale is on condition that the work of removing the buildings, etc., shall be commenced within five days from date of sale, and the buildings shall be entirely removed within thirty days from date of sale, during which period the purchaser shall be liable for any and all damages to persons, animals or property by reason of the removal of said buildings.

The purchaser of any building shall not sublet nor permit the same to be occupied either for dwelling or business purposes during said period, under penalty of the sale being declared void and the building resold.

The amount of purchase money must be paid in cash or certified check at the time of sale or the buildings not so paid for will be resold.

To secure the removal of the buildings the purchaser will be required to make at the time of sale a deposit of \$50 in cash or certified check on each lot purchased, which deposit will be returned if the building is removed within the time stipulated, otherwise it will be forfeited to the Department.

Should any of the buildings sold be not removed within the specified time the Department may again take possession and cause the same to be resold or removed.

WILLIAM R. WILLCOX, Commissioner of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond.

New York, August 20, 1903. 52,17

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY, ROOM 1536, NOS. 13-21 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 until 2 o'clock p. m., on

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 23, 1903.

Borough of Queens.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING MATERIALS AND DRIVING WELLS AT PUMPING STATION NO. 3, IN THE FIRST WARD, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

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

The amount of security will be two thousand dollars.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING, DELIVERING AND LAYING WATER MAINS IN COMMON-

WEALTH, DORIS, GLEBE, JACKSON, HARRISON, MAPES, MCGRAW, PROSPECT, ROSEDALE, ST. LAWRENCE, WASHINGTON AND ZULETTA AVENUES; IN AVENUES B AND D; IN FOREST, LINCOLN, POPLAR, ROOSEVELT, SECOND, THIRD, FOURTH, FIFTH, SEVENTH, EIGHTH, NINTH, TENTH, ELEVENTH, TWELFTH, THIRTEENTH, FOURTEENTH AND FIFTEENTH STREETS; IN GUERLAIN PLACE, AND IN EASTCHESTER, UNIONPORT, WEST FARMS AND FERRY POINT ROADS.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be two hundred (200) days.

The amount of security will be twenty thousand dollars.

No. 3. FOR FURNISHING, DELIVERING AND LAYING WATER MAINS IN CENTRE, ELLIOTT, FORDHAM, MINNIFORD, PROSPECT, SCHOFIELD, SECOND, FOURTH, FIFTH AND SIXTH AVENUES; IN BAY, BEACH, KING, JULIANA, LINCOLN, SHEIL, FIRST, SECOND, THIRD, FOURTH, FIFTH, SEVENTH, EIGHTH, NINTH, TENTH, THIRTEENTH, FOURTEENTH, FIFTEENTH, SIXTEENTH, SEVENTEENTH AND TWENTIETH STREETS; IN BRONX TERRACE, PROSPECT TERRACE AND BEAR SWAMP ROAD.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be one hundred and fifty (150) days.

The amount of security will be twenty thousand dollars.

No. 4. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING PIG LEAD.

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

The amount of security required will be five hundred dollars.

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

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

Bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Borough of Manhattan, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row.

ROBERT GRIER MONROE, Commissioner.

Dated September 11, 1903. 512,23

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

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY, ROOM 1536, NOS. 13-21 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 until 2 o'clock p. m., on

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 23, 1903.

Borough of Brooklyn.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING LABORATORY SUPPLIES TO MT. PROSPECT LABORATORY, AT FLATBUSH AVENUE AND EASTERN PARKWAY.

The delivery of the supplies and the performance of the contract is to be fully completed on or before December 31, 1903.

The amount of security required will be five hundred dollars (\$500).

The bidder will state a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, the Borough of Manhattan, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row, and at the office of the Deputy Commissioner for the Borough of Brooklyn, Room 28, Municipal Building, Brooklyn.

ROBERT GRIER MONROE, Commissioner.

Dated September 10, 1903. 511,23

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK, 1899.

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

CHAS. D. BLATCHFORD,
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, No. 16 Smith street, Borough of Brooklyn—for the following property, now in his custody, without claimants: Boats, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, wine, blankets, diamonds, canned goods, liquors, etc., also small amount of money taken from prisoners and found by Patrolmen of this Department.

EDWARD E. DOONAN,
Deputy Property Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES.

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

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

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 24, 1903.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR, MATERIALS AND PLANT NECESSARY FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE FOUNDATIONS, PIERS, ABUTMENTS AND ARCHES OF PELHAM BRIDGE OVER EASTCHESTER BAY, IN PELHAM BAY PARK, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

The amount of security required is one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000).

The entire work must be completed on or before the first day of August, 1904.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of Department of Bridges, Nos. 13-21 Park Row, Manhattan.

GUSTAV LINDENTHAL, Commissioner of Bridges.

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

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Bridges at the above office until 12 o'clock p. m. on

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 24, 1903.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR, MATERIALS AND PLANT NECESSARY FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE STEEL SU-

PERSTRUCTURE OF THE BLACKWELL'S ISLAND BRIDGE (No. 4) OVER THE EAST RIVER BETWEEN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND QUEENS.

The work here advertised will consist of making the working drawings, and furnishing and erecting in place the steel superstructure in accordance with the general plans and specifications furnished by the Department of Bridges.

The amount of security required is one million dollars (\$1,000,000).

The entire work must be completed on or before the first day of May, 1906.

GUSTAV LINDENTHAL, Commissioner of Bridges.

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

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, No. 148 EAST TWENTIETH 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 until 11 o'clock a. m., on

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 24, 1903.

Borough of Manhattan.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING WHITE LEAD, PAINTS, OIL, SOLDER, ETC.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before ten (10) days.

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

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

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Department of Correction, the Borough of Manhattan, No. 148 East Twentieth street.

THOMAS W. HYNES, Commissioner.

Dated September 9, 1903. 511,24

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

OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, No. 148 EAST TWENTIETH 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 until 11 o'clock a. m., on

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 1903.

Borough of Manhattan.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE ERECTION OF A TWO-PIPE GRAVITY RETURN STEAM HEATING SYSTEM FOR DORMITORIES NOS. 1, 2 AND 3, THE MESS HALL AND CHAPEL ON RIKER'S ISLAND.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is 60 days.

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

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

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE ERECTION OF A TWO-PIPE GRAVITY STEAM HEATING SYSTEM FOR THE WARDEN'S HOUSE AND GENERAL OFFICES AT RIKER'S ISLAND.

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

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

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

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 contract and awards made to the lowest bidder on each contract. The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Department of Correction, the Borough of Manhattan, No. 148 East Twentieth street.

THOMAS W. HYNES, Commissioner.

Dated September 1, 1903. 52,17

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

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

MAIN OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING, ROOM 1421, NOS. 13-21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 23, 1903.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

Contract for Forage.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FORAGE.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before the 31st day of December, 1903.

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

The bidder will state the price of each article per one hundred pounds, contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total and awards made to the lowest bidder.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Department of Street Cleaning, the Borough of Manhattan, Nos. 13-21 Park row.

F. M. GIBSON, Deputy and Acting Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

Dated September 9, 1903. 511,23

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MAIN OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING, ROOM 1421, NOS. 13-21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 1903.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

CONTRACT FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 250 HORSES.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before December 31, 1903.

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

The bidder will state the price per horse, by which the bids will be tested. Awards will be made to the lowest bidder at a lump or aggregate sum.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Department of Street Cleaning, the Borough of Manhattan, Nos. 13-21 Park row.

JOHN MCG. WOODBURY, Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

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

ASHES, ETC., FOR FILLING IN LANDS.

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

JOHN MCGAW WOODBURY, Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

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

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

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 23, 1903.

Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 1. INSTALLING HEATING AND VENTILATING APPARATUS IN NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 143, ON THE WESTERLY SIDE OF HAVEMEYER STREET, BETWEEN NORTH SIXTH AND NORTH SEVENTH STREETS, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time of completion is seventy working days.

The amount of security required is \$16,000.

No. 2. INSTALLING ELECTRIC LIGHT WIRING, FIXTURES AND ELECTRIC BELL SYSTEM OF ADDITION TO AND ALTERATIONS IN PUBLIC SCHOOL 84, SOUTH SIDE OF GLENMORE, BETWEEN STONE AND WATKINS AVENUES, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time of completion is sixty working days.

The amount of security required is \$2,000.

No. 3. INSTALLING A PIPE ORGAN IN GIRLS' HIGH SCHOOL, NOSTRAND AVENUE, CORNER HALSEY STREET, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time of completion is one hundred and forty working days.

The amount of security required is \$2,000.

Borough of The Bronx.

No. 4. GENERAL CONSTRUCTION OF NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 37, ON ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-FIFTH AND ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-SIXTH STREETS, ABOUT 175 FEET EAST OF WILLIS AVENUE, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

The time of completion is three hundred and ninety working days.

The amount of security required is \$150,000.

Borough of Manhattan.

No. 5. GENERAL CONSTRUCTION OF NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 150, ON NINETY-FIFTH AND NINETY-SIXTH STREETS, 175 FEET WEST OF FIRST AVENUE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time of completion is three hundred and ninety working days.

The amount of security required is \$150,000.

No. 6. GENERAL CONSTRUCTION OF ADDITION TO AND ALTERATIONS IN THE TRUANT SCHOOL, ON THE NORTH SIDE OF TWENTY-FIRST STREET, ABOUT 260 FEET EAST OF THIRD AVENUE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be as follows: That alterations and repairs, including northerly addition to present building, shall be completed by April 1, 1904. The addition and the entire balance of the work shall be completed by May 1, 1904.

The amount of security required is \$25,000.

No. 7. FOR ERECTING CLOSETS IN VARIOUS SCHOOLS IN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT, IN accordance with section 432 of the Charter of The City of New York, petitions signed by owners of property and residents of the Bay Ridge District for Local Improvements are on file in the office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn and are ready for inspection, and that a meeting of the Bay Ridge Board of Local Improvements will be held in the office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, Borough Hall, on Thursday, October 1, 1903, at 2 p. m., at which meeting the following described petitions will be submitted to the Local Boards:

No. 1.
CEDAR LANE (STREET)—ALTERING THE MAP OR PLAN OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK by laying out as a public park the property bounded by Cedar lane (street), Third avenue, Seventy-first street and Second avenue.

No. 2.
BENSONHURST PARK—ALTERING THE MAP OR PLAN OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK by laying out as an addition to Bensonhurst Park the property bounded by Gravesend Bay, Twenty-second avenue, Cropsey avenue and Twenty-third avenue.

No. 3.
BENSONHURST PARK—ALTERING THE MAP OR PLAN OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK by laying out as an addition to Bensonhurst Park the property bounded by Gravesend Bay, Bay Nineteenth street, Cropsey avenue and Twenty-third avenue, not already included within the boundaries of Bensonhurst Park.

No. 4.
EIGHTY-NINTH STREET—ALTERING THE MAP OR PLAN OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK by striking therefrom Eighty-ninth street, between Narrows avenue and the Shore road.

No. 5.
ALTERING THE MAP OR PLAN OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK by closing and striking therefrom the following streets:

East Third street, between Avenue Y and Ocean parkway.

East Fourth street, between Avenue X and Avenue Z.

East Fifth street, between Avenue Z and a point 200 feet northerly from the northern line of Avenue X.

East Sixth street, between the northern line of Avenue Y and the eastern line of Ocean parkway.

No. 6.
ALTERING THE MAP OR PLAN OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK by locating and laying out the following streets:

A—Boulevard Court.

1. The southern line to begin at a point in the eastern line of East Fourth street distant 200 feet northerly from the northern line of Avenue X; thence easterly and parallel to the northern line of Avenue X to the western line of Ocean parkway.

2. The northern line of Boulevard court to be 50 feet from and parallel to the above-described southern line.

B—Ocean Court.

1. The northern line to be at a point in the eastern line of East Third street distant 200 feet southerly from the southerly line of Avenue X; thence easterly and parallel to the southern line of Avenue X to the western line of Hubbard street.

2. The southern line of Ocean court to be 50 feet from and parallel to the above-described northern line.

C—Parkway Court.

1. The southern line to begin at a point in the eastern line of East Third street distant 200 feet northerly from the northern line of Avenue Y; as the same are laid down on the map of the City; thence easterly and parallel to the northern line of Avenue Y to the western line of Hubbard street.

2. The northern line of Parkway court to be 50 feet from and parallel to the above-described southern line.

D—Manhattan Court.

1. The northern line to begin at a point in the eastern line of East Second street distant 200 feet southerly from the southern line of Avenue Y; thence easterly and parallel to the southern line of Avenue Y to the western line of East Sixth street.

2. The southern line of Manhattan court to be 50 feet from and parallel to the above-described northern line.

E—Brighton Court.

1. The southern line to begin at a point in the eastern line of East Second street distant 200 feet northerly from the northern line of Avenue Z; thence easterly and parallel to the northern line of Avenue Z to the western line of East Sixth street.

2. The northern line of Brighton court to be 50 feet from and parallel to the above-described southern line.

No. 7.
REDUCING THE WIDTH OF THE ROADWAYS ON SEVENTY-NINTH, EIGHTIETH, EIGHTY-FIRST, EIGHTY-SECOND, EIGHTY-THIRD, EIGHTY-FOURTH AND EIGHTY-FIFTH STREETS, BETWEEN SEVENTH AND THIRTEENTH AVENUES.

No. 8.
REDUCING THE WIDTH OF THE ROADWAYS OF TENTH, ELEVENTH AND TWELFTH AVENUES, BETWEEN SEVENTY-NINTH AND EIGHTY-SIXTH STREETS.

No. 9.
FORTY-NINTH STREET—RESCINDING AMENDING PROCEEDINGS for opening Forty-ninth street, from former City line to West street, by omitting that portion of street occupied by tracks of Long Island Railroad Company.

No. 10.
SEVENTEENTH AVENUE—RESCINDING AMENDING PROCEEDINGS for opening Seventeenth avenue, from Flatbush line to Bath avenue, by omitting therefrom that portion of the street occupied by the tracks of the Long Island Railroad, the Sea Beach Railroad and the Brooklyn, Bath and West End Railroad.

No. 11.
FORTIETH STREET—OPENING Fortieth street, between former City line and New Utrecht avenue.

No. 12.
FIFTH AVENUE—CONSTRUCTION OF SEWER in Fifth avenue, from Sixtieth street to Sixty-fourth street.

No. 13.
FIRST AVENUE—CONSTRUCTION OF SEWER in First avenue, between Seventy-first street and Shore road, and outlet sewer in Seventieth street, between First avenue and Narrows avenue.

No. 14.
SEVENTIETH STREET—OPENING Seventieth street, between First avenue and Narrows avenue.

No. 15.
CONSTRUCTION OF SEWER BASINS AT the southeast and northeast corners of Thirtieth street and Fourth avenue.

No. 16.
CONSTRUCTION OF SEWER BASIN AT the southeast corner of Thirty-fourth street and Fourth avenue.

No. 17.
SEVENTY-FIFTH STREET—RESCINDING PROCEEDINGS FOR REGULATING AND GRADING, SETTING OR RESETTING CURB AND PAVING GUTTERS WITH BRICK of Seventy-fifth street, between Twelfth avenue and Fifteenth avenue, and PAVING WITH MACADAM PAVEMENT Seventy-fifth street, between Second avenue and Fifteenth avenue.

No. 18.
FORTY-THIRD STREET—PAVING WITH GRANITE PAVEMENT Forty-third street, from east side of First avenue to west side of First avenue.

No. 19.
SEVENTY-THIRD STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS on Seventy-third street, between Fourteenth avenue and Fifteenth avenue.

No. 20.
EIGHTY-FIRST STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, GUTTERING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS on Eighty-first street, between First avenue and Third avenue.

No. 20A.
EIGHTY-FIRST STREET—OPENING Eighty-first street, between First and Third avenues.

No. 21.
SEVENTY-SECOND STREET—GRADING Seventy-second street, between Thirteenth and Fifteenth avenues.

No. 22.
NINETY-FIRST STREET—GRADING Ninety-first street, between Second and Third avenues.

No. 23.
TENTH AVENUE—GRADING Tenth avenue, from Eighty-third street to Eighty-fourth street.

No. 24.
FORTY-FIRST STREET—GRADING AND CURBING Forty-first street, from New Utrecht avenue to City line.

No. 25.
NINETY-SECOND STREET—PAVING SIDEWALKS WITH CEMENT on both sides of Ninety-second street, between Second avenue and the Shore road, where not already done.

No. 26.
EIGHTY-SIXTH STREET—GRADING AND LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALKS on Eighty-sixth street, between Fifth avenue and Shore road.

No. 27.
THIRTY-FOURTH STREET—FLAGGING SIDEWALKS on the north side of Thirty-fourth street, between Third and Fourth avenues, known as Lots Nos. 44, 46, 51, 54, 58, 59, 60, 61, 1, Block 684, Eighth Ward Map, with a single course of bluestone flagging or cement.

No. 28.
FORTY-FIRST STREET—FLAGGING SIDEWALKS on the south side of Forty-first street, between Third and Fourth avenues, known as Lots Nos. 33, 34, 35 and 39, Block 718, Eighth Ward Map, with a single course of bluestone flagging or cement.

No. 29.
FIFTY-SEVENTH STREET—FLAGGING SIDEWALKS on the south side of Fifty-seventh street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, known as Lots Nos. 11, 17, 21, 23, 26, 27, 29 and 30, Block 848, Eighth Ward Map, with a single course of bluestone flagging or cement.

No. 30.
FIFTY-FIFTH STREET—FLAGGING SIDEWALKS on the south side of Fifty-fifth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, known as Lots Nos. 17, 19, 23, 27, 31, 32, 33, 35 and 38, Block 832, Eighth Ward Map, with a single course of bluestone flagging or cement.

No. 31.
FIFTY-SEVENTH STREET—FENCING VACANT LOTS on the north side of Fifty-seventh street, between Fourth and Fifth avenues; east side of Fourth avenue, between Fifty-sixth and Fifty-seventh streets; west side Fifth avenue, between Fifty-sixth and Fifty-seventh streets, known as Lots Nos. 1, 63, 62 and 45, Block 839, Eighth Ward Map.

No. 32.
FIFTY-FIFTH STREET—FENCING VACANT LOTS on the south side of Fifty-fifth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues; east side Fifth avenue, between Fifty-fifth street and Fifty-sixth street; north side Fifty-sixth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, known as Lots Nos. 1 and 72, Block 832, Eighth Ward Map.

No. 33.
FIFTY-SECOND STREET—FENCING VACANT LOTS on the north side of Fifty-second street, between Fourth and Fifth avenues, known as Lot No. 47, Block 799, Eighth Ward Map.

No. 34.
FORTY-SEVENTH STREET—FENCING VACANT LOTS on the south side of Forty-seventh street, between Third and Fourth avenues; west side Fourth avenue, between Forty-seventh and Forty-eighth streets, known as Lots Nos. 36 and 37, Block 764, Eighth Ward Map.

No. 35.
TWENTY-FIFTH STREET—FENCING VACANT LOTS on the north side of Twenty-fifth street, between Third and Fourth avenues, known as Lot No. 50, Block 651, Eighth Ward Map.

No. 36.
TWENTY-SEVENTH STREET—FENCING VACANT LOTS on the south side of Twenty-seventh street, between Third and Fourth avenues, known as Lot No. 17, Block 660, Eighth Ward Map.

No. 37.
FORTY-EIGHTH STREET—FILLING IN TO GRADE THE VACANT LOTS on the southwest corner of Forty-eighth street and Fourth avenue, known as Lot No. 38, Block 773, Eighth Ward Map.

No. 38.
FORTY-EIGHTH STREET—FENCING VACANT LOT on the southwest corner of Forty-eighth street and Fourth avenue, known as Lot No. 38, Block 773, Eighth Ward Map.

No. 39.
NINETY-FIRST STREET—FILLING IN TO GRADE THE VACANT LOTS on the southwest side of Ninety-first street, between Second and Third avenues, known as Lots Nos. 46 to 50, inclusive, and 52, Block 1079, Thirtieth Ward Map.

No. 40.
SEVENTY-NINTH STREET—PAVING SIDEWALKS on the north side of Seventy-ninth street, from Seventh avenue to the Shore road, and on the south side of Seventy-ninth street, from Fifth avenue to the Shore road, with cement.

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

JUSTIN MCCARTHY, JR., Secretary.

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

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

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 23, 1903.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING SUPPLIES TO THE BUREAU OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS AND OFFICES FOR USE AT THE INTERIOR PUBLIC BATHS AND PUBLIC COMFORT STATIONS, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before December 31, 1903.

The amount of security required is \$4,500.

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

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

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

J. EDWARD SWANSTROM, President.

Dated September 8, 1903.

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

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WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 23, 1903.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING A SEWER IN NINETEENTH STREET, FROM FOURTH AVENUE TO FIFTH AVENUE, IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

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

400 linear feet 12-inch vitrified stoneware pipe sewer, laid in concrete.

4 manholes.

2,300 feet, B. M., foundation planking.

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

The amount of security required is \$700.

No. 2. **FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING A SEWER IN EAST FOURTEENTH STREET, FROM BEVERLY ROAD TO AVENUE C, ETC., IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.**

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

270 linear feet 30-inch brick sewer.

30 linear feet 18-inch vitrified stoneware pipe sewer, laid in concrete.

420 linear feet 15-inch vitrified stoneware pipe sewer, laid in concrete.

740 linear feet 12-inch vitrified stoneware pipe sewer, laid in concrete.

13 manholes.

8,500 feet, B. M., foundation planking.

5 cubic yards brick masonry.

5 cubic yards concrete.

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

The amount of security required is \$2,000.

No. 3. **FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR SEWER IN NOSTRAND AVENUE, FROM FLATBUSH AVENUE TO AVENUE G (GLENWOOD ROAD), BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.**

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

420 linear feet 12-inch vitrified stoneware pipe sewer, laid in concrete.

4 manholes.

2,500 feet, B. M., foundation planking.

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

The amount of security required is \$900.

No. 4. **FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER BASINS AT THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF LENOX ROAD AND ROGERS AVENUE AND NORTHWEST CORNER OF LENOX ROAD AND NOSTRAND AVENUE, IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.**

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

2 sewer basins.

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

The amount of security required is \$150.

No. 5. **FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER BASINS AT THE NORTHWEST AND SOUTHWEST CORNERS OF WEBSTER AVENUE AND CONEY ISLAND AVENUE, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.**

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

2 sewer basins.

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

The amount of security required is \$180.

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

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

J. EDWARD SWANSTROM, President.

Dated September 8, 1903.

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

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

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 16, 1903.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER IN EVERGREEN AVENUE, FROM HALSEY STREET TO SCHAEFFER STREET.

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

785 linear feet 48-inch brick sewer converted from 36-inch sewer.

7 manholes.

1,000 feet, B. M., foundation planking.

40,000 feet, B. M., sheeting and bracing.

120 cubic yards excavation and back filling, other than on the converted 48-inch sewer.

40 cubic yards brick masonry, other than on the converted 48-inch sewer.

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

The amount of security required is \$3,000.

No. 2. **FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR RECONSTRUCTING AND EARTH FILLING OVER SEWER IN HEGEMAN AVENUE, FROM SEDIKER AVENUE TO HINSDALE STREET, ETC.**

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

225 linear feet 90-inch brick sewer reconstructed.

2 manholes reconstructed.

10 cubic yards brick masonry.

3,400 cubic yards embankment.

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

The amount of security required is \$2,700.

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

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J. EDWARD SWANSTROM, President.

Dated August 31, 1903.

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

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

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 16, 1903.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE ERECTION OF AN INTERIOR PUBLIC BATH BUILDING ON THE NORTH SIDE OF HURON STREET, 250 FEET WEST OF MANHATTAN AVENUE, IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is by or before 150 calendar days.

The amount of security required is \$20,000.

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

Bids are required for the total cost, and the bids will be compared and the contract awarded at the lowest price bid for the whole work.

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

J. EDWARD SWANSTROM, President.

Dated August 25, 1903.

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

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

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 23, 1903.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER IN FIFTH AVENUE, FROM ATLANTIC AVENUE TO DEAN STREET, ETC., IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

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

1,435 linear feet 78-inch brick sewer, "Section A."

795 linear feet 78-inch I beam covered sewer, "Section B."

1,615 linear feet 72-inch brick sewer.

96 linear feet 48-inch cast-iron pipe sewer, laid in concrete.

80 linear feet 42-inch brick sewer.

40 linear feet 30-inch brick sewer.

50 linear feet 24-inch vitrified stoneware pipe sewer, laid in concrete.

250 linear feet 18-inch vitrified stoneware pipe sewer, laid in concrete.

110 linear feet 16-inch cast-iron pipe sewer.

310 linear feet 15-inch vitrified stoneware pipe sewer, laid in concrete.

790 linear feet 12-inch vitrified stoneware pipe sewer, laid in concrete.

41 manholes.

4 receiving basins.

3 receiving basins, reconnected.

75,000 feet (B. M.) foundation planking and pile capping.

700,000 feet (B. M.) sheeting and bracing, in and about silt and trap basin.

60,000 feet (B. M.) permanent sheet piling.
7,400 feet (B. M.) temporary sheet piling, in
coffer dam.
1,000 linear feet bearing piles.
60 cubic yards stone filling.
39 linear feet granite coping, 36 inches wide
by 18 inches thick.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract is ninety (90) working days.

The amount of security required is \$40,000.
No. 3. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING A SEWER BASIN AT THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF TOMPKINS AVENUE AND HOPKINS STREET, IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

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

One (1) sewer basin.
The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract is ten (10) working days.

The amount of security required is \$100.
The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per linear foot, feet B. M., yard, square yard, or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested.

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

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J. EDWARD SWANSTROM, President.
Dated August 21, 1903. 228-223

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COMMISSIONERS OF COMMON LANDS FUND, LATE TOWN OF GRAVESEND.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioners of the Common Lands Fund of the late town of Gravesend, at the office of the Chief Engineer of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Room 7, City Hall, New York, until 11 o'clock a. m., on

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 18, 1903.

FOR REGULATING AND MACADAMIZING THE ROADWAYS OF VAN SICKLEN STREET, FROM KINGS HIGHWAY TO THE NECK ROAD, THE NECK ROAD, FROM VAN SICKLEN STREET TO THE OCEAN BOULEVARD, AND THE VILLAGE ROAD, FOR A WIDTH OF 16 FEET.

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

16,391 square yards of macadam pavement.
2,300 cubic yards of earth excavation.
400 feet B. M., spruce or yellow pine lumber for box drains.

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

The amount of security required is \$6,000.
The bidder will state the prices of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules, per square yard, per cubic yard or per B. M. The bids will be compared and a contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract. The work will be commenced and carried on in the manner directed.

Further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Chief Engineer of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Room 7, City Hall, New York.
Dated September 3, 1903.

SETH LOW, Mayor of The City of New York.

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller of The City of New York.

WILLIAM M. V. B. BENNETT, Supervisor of the late town of Gravesend.

Commissioners of the Common Lands Fund of the Late Town of Gravesend. 25,18

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BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF BELLEVUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS.

BELLEVUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS DEPARTMENT OF NEW YORK CITY, TWENTY-SIXTH STREET AND FIRST AVENUE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of Board of Trustees at the above office until 3.30 o'clock p. m., on

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 28, 1903.

FOR EXPANDED STEEL METAL LOCKERS, RUGS, GLASS AND LUMBER.

The time for the delivery of the articles is as required, and the full performance of the contract is by or before December 31, 1903.

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

The bidder will state the price of each article contained in the specification or schedule herein contained or hereto annexed, per pound, gram, dozen, yard or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. The extension must be made, as the bids will be read from the total for each item, and award made to the lowest bidder.

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

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Board, Bellevue Hospital, East Twenty-sixth street, Borough of Manhattan.

JOHN W. BRANNAN, President of the Board of Trustees, Bellevue and Allied Hospitals.
Dated September 14, 1903. 215,28

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BELLEVUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS DEPARTMENT OF NEW YORK CITY, TWENTY-SIXTH STREET AND FIRST AVENUE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of Board of Trustees at the above office until 3.30 o'clock p. m. on

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 16, 1903.

FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A NEW HARLEM HOSPITAL, SITUATED ON LENOX AVENUE AND BOUNDED BY ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SIXTH AND ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SEVENTH STREETS, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is within five hundred and forty (540) days.

The amount of security required is seventy-five thousand dollars (\$75,000).

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

Blank forms may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the architects, Messrs. Horgan & Slattery, No. 1 Madison Avenue, New York City.

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

Dated August 29, 1903. 231,216

OFFICIAL PAPERS.

Morning—"New York Tribune," "New York World."

Evening—"Evening Sun," "Commercial Advertiser."

Weekly—"Freeman's Journal," "Real Estate Record and Guide."

German—"New York Staats-Zeitung."

Designated by Board of City Record, June 30, 1903.

SUPREME COURT.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, for the use of the public, to lands and premises bounded by VERNON AVENUE and the EAST RIVER and PIERCE AVENUE and SANFORD STREET, First Ward of the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, required for the opening of a public park.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term of said Court to be held in the County Courthouse in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, on Saturday, the 3d day of October, 1903, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a public park at Vernon Avenue and the East River and Pierce Avenue and Sanford Street, in the First Ward of the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point on the westerly side of Vernon Avenue, which said point is distant 488.43 feet northerly from a point formed by the intersection of the westerly side of Vernon Avenue with the northerly side of Pierce Avenue, and thence running northerly along the westerly line of Vernon Avenue 543.00 feet, more or less, to the northerly line of the land formerly belonging to the Estate of Stevens; thence westerly along the northerly line of land formerly belonging to the Estate of Stevens to the pier or bulkhead line established by the Secretary of War February 15, 1902; thence southerly to the pier or bulkhead line to the southerly line of land belonging to Thomas Rainey; thence along the southerly line of land belonging to Thomas Rainey to the westerly line of Vernon Avenue, to the point or place of beginning.

The lands and premises, title to which is sought to be acquired in this proceeding for the purpose of opening said new park, are shown on a map entitled "Plan Showing Proposed Park between Vernon Avenue, East River, Pierce Avenue and Sanford Street, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York," which map was filed in the office of the President of the Borough of Queens, of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, and of the Clerk of the County of Queens, on the 4th day of August, 1903.

Dated New York, September 17, 1903.
GEORGE L. RIVES, Corporation Counsel,
No. 2 Tryon Row, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. 215,28

KINGS COUNTY.

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 situate on the northeasterly corner of EVERGREEN AVENUE and ELBERT STREET, and also on northeasterly side of COVERED STREET, ninety feet north of Evergreen Avenue, in the Twenty-eighth Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn, duly selected and chosen as a site for school purposes by the School Board of the Borough of Brooklyn and approved by the Board of Education under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, and the various statutes amendatory thereof and other statutes relating thereto.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate in the above-entitled matter, appointed pursuant to the provisions of the statutes relating thereto, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, lessee or lessees, parties or 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 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 of The City of New York, at Park Avenue and Fifty-ninth Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, for the inspection of whomsoever it may concern.

Second—That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by the said estimate and who may object to the same, or any part thereof, may within ten days after the first publication of this notice, September 15, 1903, file their objections to such estimate, in writing, with us at our office, No. 166 Montague Street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in said city, as provided by statute, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting at our office on the 28th day of September, 1903, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Dated the BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, CITY OF NEW YORK, September 15, 1903.

CHRISTIAN I. BODE,
A. C. DE GRAW,
Commissioners. 212,25

GEORGE T. RIGGS, Clerk.

KINGS COUNTY.

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 situate on the northerly line of DEAN STREET and the southerly line of PACIFIC STREET, between Nevins Street and Third Avenue, in the Third Ward of the Borough of

Brooklyn, duly selected and chosen as a site for school purposes by the School Board of the Borough of Brooklyn and approved by the Board of Education under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, and the various statutes amendatory thereof and other statutes relating thereto.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate in the above-entitled matter, appointed pursuant to the provisions of the statutes relating thereto, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, lessee or lessees, parties or 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 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 of The City of New York, at Park Avenue and Fifty-ninth Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, for the inspection of whomsoever it may concern.

Second—That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by the said estimate and who may object to the same, or any part thereof, may within ten days after the first publication of this notice, September 15, 1903, file their objections to such estimate, in writing, with us at our office, No. 166 Montague Street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in said city, as provided by statute, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting at our office on the 28th day of September, 1903, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Dated the BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, CITY OF NEW YORK, September 15, 1903.

THOMAS H. WAGSTAFF,
Chairman;
WILLIAM MURRAY,
JAMES J. KIRWIN,
Commissioners. 212,25

GEORGE T. RIGGS, Clerk.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening ELVENTH AVENUE, from Fifteenth Street to Terrace Place, in the Twenty-second and Twenty-ninth Wards, in the Borough of Brooklyn of The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objection thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office in the office of the Law Department, No. 166 Montague Street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on or before the 5th day of October, 1903, 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 8th day of October, 1903, 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 in the Borough of Brooklyn, No. 166 Montague Street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, there to remain until the 12th day of October, 1903.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the southern line of Tenth Avenue and Eleventh Avenue; running thence easterly along the southern line of Tenth Avenue to the center of the block between Eleventh Avenue and Coney Island Avenue; thence southerly along the center line of the block between Eleventh Avenue and Coney Island Avenue to the southern line of Windsor Place; thence southerly to a point in the northern line of Sherman Street, in the center of the block between Eleventh Avenue and the Old City line of Brooklyn; thence southerly along the center line of the block between Eleventh Avenue and the Old City line of Brooklyn to the southern line of Prospect Avenue; thence southerly along the southern line of Prospect Avenue to the western line of Terrace Place; thence southerly along the western line of Terrace Place to a point distant 72.26 feet southerly of the southern line of Nineteenth Street; thence westerly and parallel to Nineteenth Street to the center line of the blocks between Eleventh Avenue and Tenth Avenue; thence northerly along the center line of the blocks between Eleventh Avenue and Tenth Avenue, to the point of beginning.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Courthouse in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 29th day of October, 1903, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK, September 12, 1903.

WALTER T. BENNETT,
Chairman;
JAMES I. DEVERE,
JACOB L. LONG,
Commissioners. 212,29

CHAS. S. TABER, 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 WEST TWO HUNDRED AND SIXTEENTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Broadway to the Harlem River, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, 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 1st day of October, 1903, 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 October, 1903, 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 12th day of October, 1903.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the United States bulkhead line of the Harlem River with the southeasterly prolongation of the middle line of the blocks between West Two Hundred and Sixteenth Street and West Two Hundred and Sixteenth Street; running thence northwesterly along said prolongation and middle line and its northwesterly prolongation to its intersection with a line parallel to and 100 feet northwesterly from the northwesterly line of Kingsbridge Road; thence northwesterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the northwesterly prolongation of a line parallel to and 100 feet northwesterly from the northwesterly line of West Two Hundred and Sixteenth Street; thence southeasterly along said last-mentioned prolongation and parallel line to its intersection with the United States bulkhead line of the Harlem River; thence southerly along said bulkhead line to the point or place of beginning, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit 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 17th day of November, 1903, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, June 29, 1903.

WAUHOPE LYNN,
Chairman;
JESSE C. BENNETT,
Commissioners. 211,29

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to WEST TWO HUNDRED AND THIRTEENTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Kingsbridge Road to Harlem River, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 1st day of October, 1903, 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 October, 1903, 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 October, 1903.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the northwesterly prolongation of the middle line of the blocks between West Two Hundred and Twelfth Street and West Two Hundred and Twelfth Street, with a line parallel to and 200 feet northwesterly from the northwesterly line of Kingsbridge Road; running thence northwesterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the northwesterly prolongation of the middle line of the blocks between West Two Hundred and Thirteenth Street; thence southeasterly along said middle line of the blocks and its prolongation to its intersection with the bulkhead line of the Harlem River; thence southeasterly along said bulkhead line to its intersection with the southeasterly prolongation of the middle line of the blocks between West Two Hundred and Twelfth Street and West Two Hundred and Thirteenth Street; thence northwesterly along said prolongation and middle line and its northwesterly 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 Courthouse, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 17th day of November, 1903, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, July 17, 1903.

JOSEPH McELROY, JR.,
Chairman;
PETER H. GARLAND,
PATRICK J. CASEY,
Commissioners. 211,29

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

SECOND JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises on the easterly side of MANOR ROAD, in the Second Ward of the Borough of Richmond, in The City of New York, duly selected as a site for an almshouse according to law.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT Charles D. Griffiths, Henry A. Guyon and F. A. Braniff, appointed Commissioners of Esti-

mate and Appraisal herein by an order dated September 8, 1903, filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Richmond, will appear before the Justice of the Supreme Court sitting at Special Term for the hearing of motions, at the County Courthouse in the Borough of Brooklyn, on the 23d day of September, 1903, at 10.15 a. m., to be examined by the Corporation Counsel, or by any person having an interest in the lands proposed to be taken, as to their qualifications to act as Commissioners of Estimate and Appraisal.

Dated New York, September 9, 1903.
GEORGE L. RIVES, Corporation Counsel,
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York. 811.23

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education, by the Counsel to the Corporation of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, to certain lands on GERARD and WALTON AVENUES, north of One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, in the Twenty-third Ward of said city, duly selected and approved by said Board as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 101 of the Laws of 1888 and the various statutes amendatory thereof.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate of the loss and damage to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands or premises affected by this proceeding, or having any interest therein, and have filed a true report or transcript of such estimate in the 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, September 3, 1903, 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 17th day of September, 1903, 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, to be held in Part III, in the County Courthouse, in the City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, on the 6th day of October, 1903, 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, September 2, 1903.

JOHN DELAHUNTY,
GEORGE EDWARD KENT,
ARTHUR C. BUTTS,
Commissioners.
JOSEPH M. SCHENCK, Clerk. 83.15

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 PALMER AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Richmond avenue to Heberton avenue, in the Third Ward, Borough of Richmond, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, bearing date the 29th day of July, 1903, and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Richmond on the 31st day of July, 1903, William A. Short, Augustus Acker and Sidney F. Rawson were appointed Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding.

Notice is further given, pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, that said William A. Short, Augustus Acker and Sidney F. Rawson will attend at a Special Term of said Court to be held for the hearing of motions in the County Courthouse in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, on the 15th day of September, 1903, at the opening of the Court on that day, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, or by any person having an interest in said proceeding, as to their qualifications to act as Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in this proceeding.

Dated September 1, 1903.
GEORGE L. RIVES, Corporation Counsel,
No. 2 Tryon Row, Borough of Manhattan,
New York City. 82.15

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

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

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 September, 1903, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 25th day of September, 1903, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 24th day of October, 1903.

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 formed by the intersection of the northwesterly line of Aqueduct avenue with the northerly line of Fordham road; running thence westerly along said last mentioned

line to its intersection with the easterly line of Sedgwick avenue; thence northerly and north-easterly along said last mentioned line to its intersection with a line parallel to and 200 feet northeasterly from the northeasterly line of Kingsbridge road; thence southeasterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the northeasterly prolongation of the northwesterly line of Aqueduct avenue; thence southwesterly along said prolongation and northwesterly line to the point or place of beginning, as such streets are shown upon the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III, to be held in the County Courthouse, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 22d day of October, 1903, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, June 9, 1903.

PAUL HALPIN,
Chairman;
HERMAN FOX,
JOHN J. QUINLAN,
Commissioners.
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. 81.19

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of MORRIS STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Bronx river to Old Boston Post 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 22d day of September, 1903, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 25th day of September, 1903, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 24th day of October, 1903.

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 parallel to and 300 feet southeasterly from the southeasterly line of Old Boston Post road with a line parallel to and 800 feet southerly from the southerly line of Morris street (East Two Hundred and Seventh street); running thence westerly along said last mentioned parallel line (and its prolongation) to its intersection with the easterly line of the Bronx river; thence northerly along said easterly line to its intersection with the westerly prolongation of a line parallel to and 800 feet northerly from the northerly line of Morris street (East Two Hundred and Seventh street); thence easterly along said prolongation and parallel line and its easterly prolongation to its intersection with a line parallel to and 300 feet southeasterly from the southeasterly line of Old Boston Post road; thence southwesterly along said last mentioned parallel line to the point or place of beginning, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Courthouse, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 3d day of November, 1903, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, July 13, 1903.

N. J. O'CONNELL,
Chairman;
WM. H. RICKETTS,
WILLIAM S. GERMAIN,
Commissioners.
JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. 81.19

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to NINTH AVENUE, from Thirty-seventh street to Bay Ridge avenue, in the Thirtieth 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 11th day of September, 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 14th day of September, 1901, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances in Section No. 3, Blocks Nos. 733, 742, 751, 760, 769, 778, 908, 912, 916, 920, 923, 925; Section No. 17, Blocks Nos. 5581, 5582, 5583, 5586, 5590, 5595, 5601, 5607, 5613, 5619, 5625, 5631, 5637, 5638, 5644, 5645, 5651, 5652, 5658, 5659, 5665, 5666, 5672, 5673, 5679, 5680, 5686, 5687, 5693, 5694, 5700, 5701, 5707, 5708, 5714, 5715, 5721, 5722, 5728, 5729, 5735, 5736, 5742, 5743, 5749, 5750, 5756, 5757, 5763, 5764, 5770, 5771, 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 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, No. 166 Montague street, 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 25th day of September, 1903, 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 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, August 31, 1903.

JOSEPH A. GUIDER,
HENRY JOSEPH,
Commissioners.
CHAS. S. TABER, Clerk. 831.823

KINGS COUNTY.

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 situate on the northwest corner of ALBANY AVENUE and BERGEN STREET, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn, duly selected and chosen as a site for school purposes by the School Board of the Borough of Brooklyn and approved by the Board of Education under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, and the various statutes amendatory thereof and other statutes relating thereto.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate in the above-entitled matter, appointed pursuant to the provisions of the statutes relating thereto, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, lessee or lessees, parties or 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 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 of The City of New York, at Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, for the inspection of whomsoever it may concern.

Second—That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by the said estimate and who may object to the same, or any part thereof, may within ten days after the first publication of this notice, September 15, 1903, file their objections to such estimate, in writing, with us at our office, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in said city, as provided by statute, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting at our office on the 28th day of September, 1903, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Dated the BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, CITY OF NEW YORK, September 15, 1903.

ELMER G. SAMMIS,
PETER P. SMITH,
Commissioners.
GEORGE T. RIGGS, Clerk. 812.25

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to PINE STREET, from Glenmore avenue to Sutter avenue, 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 25th day of May, 1903, 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 27th day of May, 1903, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances in Section 13, Blocks 4214, 4215, 4233, 4234, 4250 and 4251, 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, No. 166 Montague street, 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 28th day of September, 1903, at 3.30 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto; and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto, and examine 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, September 3, 1903.

EDWARD J. KENNEY, Jr.,
A. C. DE GRAW,
JOSIAH B. BOONE,
Commissioners.
CHARLES S. TABER, Clerk. 83.26

FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

In the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises situated

on the westerly side of Allen street, 116 feet 8 inches south of Rivington street, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, duly selected as a site for a public bath according to law.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT IT IS the intention of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York to make application to the Supreme Court at a Special Term, Part I, to be held at the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 17th day of September, 1903, at the calling of the calendar on that date, for the appointment of three commissioners of Estimate and Appraisal, to ascertain and appraise the compensation to be made to the owners or persons interested in certain lands and premises duly selected for public purposes, in the Borough of Manhattan, bounded and described as follows:

"Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Allen street distant 116 feet 8 inches southerly, from the southerly line of Rivington; thence westerly and parallel with Rivington street 87 feet 6 inches; thence southerly and parallel with Allen street 33 feet 4 inches; thence easterly 87 feet 6 inches to the westerly line of Allen street and thence northerly along the westerly line of Allen street 33 feet 4 inches to the point or place of beginning.

Dated, New York, August 31, 1903.

GEORGE L. RIVES, Corporation Counsel,
No. 2 Tryon Row, Borough of Manhattan. 84.16

FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

In the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises situated on the southerly side of Spring street, between Hudson and Varick streets, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, duly selected as a site for an engine house for the Fire Department of The City of New York, according to law.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT IT IS the intention of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York to make application to the Supreme Court at a Special Term, Part I, to be held at the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 17th day of September, 1903, at the calling of the calendar on that date, for the appointment of three Commissioners of Estimate and Appraisal, to ascertain and appraise the compensation to be made to the owners or persons interested in certain lands and premises selected as a site for an engine house, in the Borough of Manhattan, bounded and described as follows:

"Beginning at a point in the southerly line of Spring street, distant 225 feet 8 inches westerly from the corner formed by the intersection of the westerly line of Varick street with the southerly line of Spring street; running thence southerly and parallel with Hudson street 87 feet 6 inches; thence westerly and parallel with Spring street 18 feet 1 inch; thence northerly and parallel with Hudson street 87 feet 6 inches to the southerly line of Spring street; and thence easterly along the southerly line of Spring street 18 feet 1 inch to the point or place of beginning."

Dated, New York, August 31, 1903.

GEORGE L. RIVES, Corporation Counsel,
No. 2 Tryon Row, Borough of Manhattan. 84.16

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS AND ESTIMATES FOR THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS.

The person or persons making a bid or estimate for any services, work, materials or supplies for The City of New York, or for any of its departments, bureaus or offices, shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed with the title of the supplies, materials, work or services for which the bid or estimate is made, with his or their name or names and the date of presentation to the President or Board or to the head of the Department at his or its office, on or before the date and hour named in the advertisement for the same, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the President or Board or head of said Department and read, and the award of the contract made according to law as soon thereafter as practicable.

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

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

No bid or estimate will be considered unless, as a condition precedent to the reception or consideration of any proposal, it be accompanied by a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the bond required, as provided in section 420 of the Greater New York Charter.

The certified check or money should not be inclosed in the envelope containing the bid or estimate, but should be either inclosed in a separate envelope addressed to the head of the Department, President or Board, or submitted personally upon the presentation of the bid or estimate.

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

No bid shall be accepted from or contract awarded to any person who is in arrears to The City of New York upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the City.

The contract must be bid for separately.

The right is reserved in each case to reject all bids or estimates if it is deemed to be for the interest of the City so to do.

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

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank forms prepared and furnished by the City, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department for which the work is to be done. Plans and drawings of construction work may also be seen there.