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FIRE DEPARTMENT.

TRANSACTIONS FROM JULY 25 TO JULY 30, 1904, INCLUSIVE.

New York, July 25, 1904.

Communications received were disposed of as follows:

Filed.

From Mayor's Office—Acknowledging receipt of communication of the 19th inst., relative to proposed increase in salary of Secretary to the Fire Commissioner, and stating that the same has been forwarded to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for its consideration.

From Department of Finance—Requesting amended certificate to be attached to the contract of William Gokey & Son, dated April 18, 1904, for repairs and alterations to fireboat "Seth Low" (Engine 123), borough of Brooklyn, and a similar certificate in the case of contract of American Fire Engine Company, dated September 28, 1903, for constructing and delivering pumps for new fireboat. Certificates forwarded.

From Corporation Counsel—Stating that title to premises on One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, near Lenox avenue, which the City intends acquiring for the use of this Department, is good and marketable. Chief of Department and Superintendent of Buildings notified.

From Municipal Civil Service Commission—

1. Stating that State Civil Service Commission, at meeting held on the 15th inst., approved the resolution of the Municipal Civil Service Commission, approved by the Mayor June 9, including the position of Deputy Commissioner in the exempt class.

2. Stating that at a meeting of the State Civil Service Commission, held on the 15th inst., the resolution adopted by the Municipal Civil Service Commission and approved by the Mayor April 29, including in the exempt class the position of Superintendent of Fire Alarm Telegraph, was continued upon the calendar for the next meeting.

3. Recertifying the names of James W. Thompson, George R. Hughes and Daniel J. Smith for appointment as Firemen.

From Municipal Explosives Commission—Stating that a regular meeting of said Commission will be held at these Headquarters on the 28th inst.

From Tenement House Department—Acknowledging receipt of communication of the 22d inst., inclosing complaints of violations of the Tenement House Laws.

From Police Department—Consenting to the transfer of Patrolman John O'Byrne to this Department, in the capacity of fourth grade Fireman. Approval of Municipal Civil Service Commission requested.

From City Clerk—Notification of meeting of the Committee on Salaries and Offices on the 25th inst., at 11 o'clock.

From Acting Chief of Department—

1. Returning communication from the Police Department, requesting inspection of premises located at No. 1465 Third avenue, and known as the White Horse Tavern, with report that the requirements of this Department relative to such places have been complied with thereat. Police Department notified.

2. Returning communication from Superintendent Manhattan State Hospital, West, in relation to fire drill set for the 23d inst., at 3.30 P. M., and stating that the necessary orders relative to the same were issued.

3. Stating that he is in receipt of report from the Commanding Officer of Engine Company 1, that the requirements of this Department relative to concert hall licenses have been complied with on the first floor of premises No. 158-160 West Twenty-ninth street, known as Odd Fellows Hall. Police Department notified.

4. Returning communication from H. de B. Parsons, Consulting Engineer, stating that the trial trip of fireboat "Seth Low" would take place on the 20th inst., and requesting that the boat's complement of Stokers be ordered on duty, with report that request was complied with.

From Assistant Fire Marshal in charge boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens—Reporting 60 fires, week ending the 23d inst.

From Fireman first grade John C. Hussey, Engine Company 59 (Theatre Detail)—Reporting slight panic at Proctor's One Hundred and Twenty-fifth Street Theatre during afternoon performance on the 22d inst.

From Edward S. Middleton, Assistant Superintendent of Buildings—Requesting leave of absence for three weeks from August 1, 1904. Granted.

From Stanley & Patterson—Concerning amount due for telegraph supplies. Notified that voucher has been forwarded to Department of Finance for payment.

From Gamewell Fire Alarm Telegraph Company—Acknowledging receipt of notification relative to award of contract for furnishing and delivering fire alarm telegraph supplies, Class B, for use of this Department in borough of Queens.

From Western Electric Company—Relative to their bid for furnishing telegraph supplies for use in the boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, and for the volunteer service in the borough of Queens.

From James Silvey—Acknowledging receipt of copy of annual report for 1902.

From Samuel Glaser—Relative to supplying wall paper, paints, etc., for Department use.

Referred.

From Mayor's Office—Forwarding request from the Mayor of Rochester, N. Y., for information in regard to license fee paid by theatres in this City, and inquiring whether Firemen detailed to theatres are paid by the proprietors or by the City. To Chief of Department.

From Commissioner of Public Works—Stating that opening has been made in street pavement, No. 2024 Lexington avenue, without a permit, and requesting that notice be sent to asphalt company to restore said pavement, and his office notified of date of issue thereof. To Chief of Department.

From Bureau for Recovery of Penalties—Returning defective notices to provide fire appliances in premises Nos. 141-145, 149, 153, 155, 157 Wooster street, No. 195 West street, Nos. 206-212 West One Hundred and Eighteenth street, Nos. 543, 922 Broadway, and Hunt's Point road and Lafayette place. To Bureau of Violations and Auxiliary Fire Appliances.

From Foreman Engine Company 3—Reporting chimney fire on the 22d inst., premises No. 454 West Seventeenth street. To Inspector of Combustibles.

From Foreman Engine Company 18—Reporting chimney fire on 24th inst., premises No. 85 Sixth avenue. To Inspector of Combustibles.

From Foreman Engine Company 54—Reporting dangerous conditions in premises No. 618 Ninth avenue. To Fire Marshal.

From Foreman Engine Company 73—Reporting chimney fire on 20th inst., premises No. 546 Brook avenue. To Inspector of Combustibles.

From Foreman Hook and Ladder Company 9—Reporting chimney fire on 23d inst., No. 212 Elizabeth street. To Inspector of Combustibles.

From Foreman Hook and Ladder Company 19—Reporting defective flue, premises No. 901 East One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street. To Fire Marshal.

From House of Refuge, B. H. Gallup, Acting Superintendent—Relative to his request heretofore made for a test of the hose provided at said institution, and inquiring whether the Department will replace hose found defective as the result of test. To Chief of Department.

From J. Ulrich—Reporting defective flue, premises No. 238 East Eighty-fourth street. To Fire Marshal.

From Wm. S. Silverstein—Complaining of no lights in halls, premises No. 11 Suffolk street. To Tenement House Department.

From Anonymous—Reporting no lights in halls, premises No. 372 East Tenth street. To Tenement House Department.

Expenditures Authorized.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

Forage (Manhattan)	\$600 00
Incidental expenses, Superintendent of Buildings Branch.....	150 00

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS.

Boiler compound	\$185 00
Directories	60 00

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

Nos. 600, 602 and 712 Broadway; Nos. 107 and 109 Bleecker street, Nos. 48 to 52 Great Jones street, No. 25 East Fourth street, Nos. 34 to 38 West Fourth street, Nos. 5 and 7 East Sixteenth street, Nos. 39, 43 and 45 East Nineteenth street; No. 11 East Twenty-second street, Nos. 5 and 7 East Fifty-ninth street, extending through to Nos. 784 and 785 Fifth avenue.

Appointed.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

As ununiformed Fireman for a probationary period of one month from the 26th inst., with salary at the rate of \$800 per annum.

Name.	Assignment.
John J. O'Neill.....	Engine Company 2
Arthur Reside	Engine Company 4
John J. Healy.....	Engine Company 6
John Flanagan	Engine Company 7
Thomas Foley	Engine Company 9
James W. Langan.....	Engine Company 10
Wm. F. Fugelsang.....	Engine Company 11
George J. Weiss.....	Engine Company 12
Stephen M. Keena.....	Engine Company 12
John F. Strapp.....	Engine Company 14
Timothy J. Driscoll.....	Engine Company 15
Casimer C. Wodzicki.....	Engine Company 17
Richard J. T. Harde.....	Engine Company 24
Edward P. Brady.....	Engine Company 26
George W. T. Osborne.....	Engine Company 28
James W. Thompson.....	Engine Company 31
Thomas H. Cochrane.....	Engine Company 34
Wm. J. Luse.....	Engine Company 54
Frank A. Bracken.....	Engine Company 55
Charles E. Clermont.....	Engine Company 65
Martin E. Ogle.....	Engine Company 72
William H. Metz.....	Hook and Ladder Company 1
George P. Hughes.....	Hook and Ladder Company 4
John J. Keenan.....	Hook and Ladder Company 5
Frank J. Dwyer.....	Hook and Ladder Company 6
Thomas F. O'Dea.....	Hook and Ladder Company 6
Daniel J. Smith.....	Hook and Ladder Company 9
Wm. J. Carney.....	Hook and Ladder Company 15
Wm. V. Dolan.....	Hook and Ladder Company 20
George Mattes	Hook and Ladder Company 21

The Municipal Civil Service Commission was this day requested to furnish an eligible list from which to select one Stoker for appointment in the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, to recertify the names of George Knecht, John Volkert, Patrick J. See, Michael J. Gorman, James J. Stack, John Clarke and John J. Radecke, Albert Callahan, William Denkinger and Joseph V. Bruton for appointment as members of the uniformed force, and to approve of the transfer to this Department of Patrolman John O'Byrne, of the Police Department.

New York, July 26, 1904.

Communications received were disposed of as follows:
Filed.

From Department of Finance—

1. Returning proposal of George N. Reinhardt for furnishing forage, borough of The Bronx, for action on the proposed substitution of the American Bonding Company of Baltimore as surety thereon, in place of L. M. Post and J. L. Walther. Substitution approved.

2. Requesting twenty-four hours' notice of proposed tests of hose. Deputy Commissioner and Chief of Department notified.

From Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, borough of Manhattan—
1. Approving the plans forwarded under date of the 24th ult., concerning the nature and distribution of lights proposed for new Repair Shops building, northeast corner of Fifty-sixth street and Twelfth avenue. Copy forwarded to Superintendent of Buildings.

2. (Borough of Brooklyn)—In relation to communication of this Department of the 20th ult., concerning recommendation of the Chief of Department for the laying of a larger water main on Cropsey and Harway avenues, borough of Brooklyn. Copy forwarded to Chief of Department.

From Bureau of Buildings—Acknowledging receipt of communication of the 22d inst., inclosing complaint relative to erection of frame structure in yard of premises No. 133 Clinton street.

From City Clerk—Inclosing copies of ordinances adopted by said Board and which were approved by his Honor the Mayor on the 21st inst., as follows:

"An ordinance providing for an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of twenty-two thousand five hundred dollars (\$22,500) for the purpose of providing means to meet the expense of placing the fire-boat 'Seth Low' in condition for service.

Be it ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York as follows:
Section 1. The Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment June 3, 1904, and authorizes the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 409 of the Laws of 1904, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of Corporate Stock to an amount not exceeding twenty-two thousand five hundred dollars (\$22,500) for the purpose of providing means to meet the expense of placing the fire-boat 'Seth Low' in condition for service, and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen the Comptroller is authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding twenty-two thousand five hundred dollars (\$22,500), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purpose aforesaid."

Deputy Commissioner notified.

"An ordinance providing for an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) to provide means to complete the establishment and equipment by the Fire Commissioner of The City of New York of a fire alarm telegraph system in the borough of Richmond.

Be it ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York as follows:
Section 1. The Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment June 3, 1904, and authorizes the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 409 of the Laws of 1904, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of Corporate Stock to an amount not exceeding ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) for the purpose of providing means to complete the establishment and equipment by the Fire Commissioner of The City of New York of a fire alarm telegraph system for the borough of Richmond, and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen the Comptroller is authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding ten thousand dollars (\$10,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid."

Chief of Department and Bookkeeper notified.

"An ordinance providing for an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of eighty-five hundred dollars (\$8,500) for the purpose of providing means for the construction of a new fire-boat for the use of the Fire Department.

Be it ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York as follows:
Section 1. The Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment June 3, 1904, and authorizes the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 409 of the Laws of 1904, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of Corporate Stock to an amount not exceeding eight thousand five hundred dollars (\$8,500) for the purpose of providing means for the construction of a new fire-boat for the use of the Fire Department of The City of New York, and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen the Comptroller is authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding eight thousand five hundred dollars (\$8,500), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purpose aforesaid."

Chief of Department and Bookkeeper notified.

From Deputy Commissioner, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens—Forwarding statements showing condition of appropriations for apparatus, supplies, etc., and salaries, April 30, 1904.

From Chief of Department—Recommending that application be made to the Empire City Subway Company, Ltd., for the assignment of a new duct on Church street, between Fulton and Dey streets. Recommendation approved and communicated to said company.

From Acting Chief of Department—Returning communication from Hon. Henry B. F. Macfarland, Commissioner, District of Columbia, requesting information as to how the fire-boat "George B. McClellan" compares in efficiency with the other fire-boats of the City, and reporting in relation thereto. Copy forwarded to Mr. Macfarland.

From Chief of Construction and Repairs to Apparatus—Returning, disapproved, request of the C. N. Perkins Company, Lawrence, Mass., contractors for building hose wagons for this Department, for the sending of one of the Department hose wagons to their shops as a sample. Action approved, and C. N. Perkins Company notified.

From Chief of Tenth Battalion—Reporting death of John Mullen, a civilian, at fire at No. 207 Second avenue on the 25th inst., in attempting to escape arrest by jumping from the roof.

From Foreman Engine Company 38—In regard to acceptance of coal for said Company. Cashier instructed to accept same.

From Foreman Engine Company 101—Reporting loss of coat badge No. 2255, by Fireman first grade John T. Kenny of his command, while on way to a fire on the 18th ult. Under circumstances, no fine imposed.

From Manhattan Fire Alarm Company—Requesting permission to connect premises Nos. 37-39 Maiden lane with street fire alarm box 36, and at One Hundred and Fiftieth street and Third avenue with box 2-364. Approved; Chief of Department notified.

From George E. Plunkett, attorney—Relative to Electrical Engineer Henry F. Blackwell. Reply communicated.

From H. de B. Parsons—

1. Forwarding bill in triplicate for services in connection with the work of repairing the fireboat "Seth Low" in accordance with agreement. Transmitted to Deputy Commissioner, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

2. Stating that the repairs to the fireboat "Seth Low," under contract, by Wm. Gokey & Son, have been completed and the boat satisfactorily tested.

From J. A. Walter, Official Stenographer, Fifth District, City Magistrate's Court—Transcript of minutes in re People vs. Scott.

Referred.

From Police Department—Requesting inspection of Trocadero Music Hall, One Hundred and Ninety-first street and Manhattan avenue. To Chief of Department.

From Deputy Commissioner, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens—Forwarding power of attorney issued to Richard E. Walsh by Adelaide Schmitt, guardian for Ellen E. Begley, child of late Engineer of Steamer John Begley, and stating that with the approval of the Commissioner the pension will be paid to said Walsh. To Secretary of Relief Fund.

From Foreman Engine Company 8—Reporting defective flue, premises No. 346 East Fifty-ninth street. To Fire Marshal.

From Foreman Engine Company 35—Reporting violations of the Tenement House Laws, premises No. 304 East One Hundred and Nineteenth street. To Tenement House Department.

From Foreman Engine Company 76—Reporting dangerous conditions in premises No. 100 West One Hundred and Seventh street. To Fire Marshal.

From State Board of Charities, Robert W. Heberd, Secretary—Requesting information concerning compliance with the provisions of section 762 of the Charter by the hospitals and asylums of this City. To Bureau of Violations and Auxiliary Fire Appliances.

From James Browne—Complaining of unauthorized use of fire hydrant, corner Park place and Mott avenue. To Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

From A. K. Mackay—Reporting compliance with order to provide fire appliances, premises No. 306 West One Hundred and Second street. To Bureau of Violations and Auxiliary Fire Appliances.

From Bunn & Nae—Stating that they are excavating at southeast corner Twenty-seventh street and Fourth avenue, and that there is a lamppost signal box on the corner of said street. To Chief of Department.

From Knepper & Co.—Inquiring date of fire, about two months since, at premises No. 229 East One Hundred and Thirteenth street. To Chief of Department.

From L. Caradonna and others—Complaining of dangerous conditions in premises Nos. 223-225 East One Hundred and Eleventh street. To Fire Marshal.

From Charles H. Richter, Jr.—Requesting information concerning standpipe regulations. To Bureau of Violations and Auxiliary Fire Appliances.

From Mitchell & McMein—Requesting thirty days' extension of time on order to provide fire appliances, premises No. 100 Hudson street. To Bureau of Violations and Auxiliary Fire Appliances.

From Anonymous—

1. Reporting obstructed fire escapes, premises Nos. 546-548 East One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street. To Tenement House Department.

2. Complaining of defective flue, premises No. 2072 Seventh avenue. To Fire Marshal.

3. Complaining of dangerous conditions existing at Oriental Music Hall, south side of Grand street, between Bowery and Chrystie street. To Bureau of Violations and Auxiliary Fire Appliances.

Bills and Pay-rolls Audited.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

Schedule 185 of 1903—
Special Revenue Bond Issue, 1903..... \$195 00

Schedule 55 of 1904—
Apparatus, supplies, etc..... \$842 18

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS.

Schedule 41 of 1904—
Salaries..... \$182,229 91

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

No. 46 Catharine street, Nos. 296 and 298 Fourth avenue, Nos. 406 to 412 Fifth avenue, No. 324 Sixth avenue, No. 550 Seventh avenue, Nos. 298 to 302 Ninth avenue, Nos. 359 and 361 West Twenty-fourth street, No. 341 West Thirtieth street, Nos. 124 and 126 West Thirty-seventh street, southeast corner Thirty-eighth street and Madison avenue, Nos. 225 to 229 West Thirty-ninth street, Nos. 242 to 246 West Fortieth street, Nos. 220 to 224 West Forty-second street.

Decisions.

In cases tried before Deputy Commissioner Thomas W. Churchill on the 23d ult., were rendered as follows:

Foreman John Farley, Hook and Ladder Company 24, for "Being under the influence of liquor, drug or compound." Cautioned.

Fireman first grade Patrick H. Halpin, Hook and Ladder Company 12, for "Violation section 190, Rules and Regulations." Charge dismissed.

Appointed.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

As ununiformed Firemen for probationary period of one month, from the 27th inst., with salary at the rate of \$800 per annum:

Name.	Assignment.
John Strout	Engine Company 19
Albert T. Callahan	Engine Company 23
John J. Finley	Hook and Ladder Company 3
William Denkinger	Hook and Ladder Company 9
Frederick Reiss, Jr.	Hook and Ladder Company 9
Michael Colgan	Hook and Ladder Company 10
Joseph P. Boylan	Hook and Ladder Company 12
Joseph V. Bruton	Hook and Ladder Company 20

As Drivers, Hospital and Training Stables, to take effect from the 27th inst.:
Thomas Conelaw, with salary of \$900 per annum, and Walter C. Donohue, with salary of \$800 per annum.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS.

As fourth grade Fireman with salary of \$800 per annum, to take effect from July 27, 1904:

Name.	Assignment.
Walter C. Scott	Hook and Ladder Company 56

—with the consent of the Municipal Civil Service Commission in communication of July 14, 1904, he having been dropped from the rolls April 2, 1904, one day before the expiration of his probationary term.

Compensation Designated.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

Painter Jeremiah Toumey, Superintendent of Buildings Branch, at the rate of \$4 per diem, to take effect from August 1, 1904.

In Re Compensation of Chaplains.

Pursuant to the provisions of chapter 684 of the Laws of 1904, and resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted July 15, 1904, fixing the salaries of Chaplains in this Department at the rate of \$1,000 per annum, the salaries of Chaplains William St. Elmo Smith and Charles Breck Ackley, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, and Henry A. Handel and Thomas F. McGronen, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, were this day each designated at said rate, to take effect from July 15, 1904.

Proposed contracts in triplicate (2 sets) for furnishing general supplies for use in the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, and in the boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, were this day forwarded to the Corporation Counsel for the endorsement thereon of his approval as to form, and drafts of form of contract and specifications for the erection of a new apparatus house on the southerly side of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, west of Cypress avenue, and also for the plumbing system of said building, were forwarded to said officer for examination.

New York, July 27, 1904.

Communications received were disposed of as follows:

Filed.

From Corporation Counsel—Stating that on the 21st inst. the City acquired title to premises No. 25 Bridge street, for the purposes of this Department, by deed from Jefferson M. Levy. Chief of Department and Superintendent of Buildings notified.

From Chief of Department—

1. Stating that he is in receipt of reports from the commanding officers of a number of companies in relation to defective fire hydrants in their respective company districts, and recommending that the attention of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity be called thereto. Recommendation approved and communicated to said Department.

2. Returning complaint of Bert G. Faulhaber & Co., in relation to alleged throwing by members of Engine Company 12 of refuse into the rear yard of premises No. 135 Park row, and submitting report of the Chief of Second Battalion in regard thereto. Communicated to said firm.

From Chief of Construction and Repairs to Apparatus—Forwarding petition of Machinists employed at the repair shops for an increase in compensation to \$4 per diem.

From Superintendent of Buildings—Forwarding form of contract and specifications for proposed new building and plumbing work therein, located on the southerly side of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, 201 feet 2½ inches west of Cypress avenue, and recommending the printing of fifty copies thereof. Recommendation approved.

From Foreman Engine Company 21—Requesting permission, on behalf of the officers and members of said Company, to present a fire cap to Foreman Joseph C. Donovan, recently promoted from said Company. Permission granted.

From Empire City Subway Company, Limited—Consenting to the temporary occupancy of 2-inch trunk duct on Houston street, south side, from southeast corner of Broadway to southwest corner Crosby street, assigned to New York Telephone Company. Communicated to Chief of Department.

From Benoni Lockwood—Acknowledging receipt of information relative to distribution of fund among the families of late Chief of Battalion Martin M. Coleman and probationary Fireman Richard J. Joyce.

From Benjamin A. Tamor—In relation to his application for a fire-line badge. Referred.

From Commissioner of Public Works—Requesting restoration to grade of box in front of premises No. 313 West Fifty-fourth street. To Chief of Department.

From Bureau of Buildings, borough of Manhattan—Reporting violation of the Building Code, premises No. 47 Marion street, occupied by Engine Company 20. To Superintendent of Buildings.

From Bureau of Buildings, borough of The Bronx—Reporting failure to remove violations of the Building Code at new fire house, Intervale avenue, 41 feet north of Home street, two cases. To Superintendent of Buildings.

From Bureau of Highways, borough of The Bronx—Requesting restoration of pavement, south side of One Hundred and Fiftieth street, east of Courtlandt avenue, adjoining fire apparatus house. To Chief of Department.

From Deputy Commissioner, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens—Transmitting bill in triplicate of John F. Walsh, Jr., for repairs to fireboat "David A. Boody," Engine Company 132, borough of Brooklyn, amounting to \$2,990. To Chief of Department for certification.

From Foreman Engine Company 72—Reporting defective shutters and brick work, premises Nos. 79 and 80 Washington Square, East. To Bureau of Buildings.

From James F. Egan—Application to have pension paid to Mrs. Margaret Tait, as guardian of Frances E., Harold F. and Louis R. Featherston, infants, in place of Mrs. Winifred Featherston, who was acting under a power of attorney from Mrs. Annie Featherston, who died June 8, 1904. To Secretary of Relief Fund.

From Hon. George W. Plunkitt—In relation to a pension for Mrs. Gerdes, mother of deceased Fireman Joseph Gerdes. To Secretary of Relief Fund.

From A. J. Mahoney Manufacturing Company—Requesting to be furnished with sketches of improvement recommended for front and ash pit of boilers. To Superintendent of Buildings.

From John H. Eden—Requesting the locating of a fire-alarm box, corner Seaton and Wilson avenues, borough of The Bronx. To Chief of Department.

From John A. Quintard, attorney—Inclosing summonses and complaint in the cases of Platt Van Cott and James W. Connell against the Fire Commissioner as Trustee of the New York Fire Department Relief Fund, to recover alleged balances of pension amounting in the first case to \$199.98, and in the second to \$443.75. To Deputy Commissioner boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, for report.

From William D. Perniciaro—Complaining of dangerous conditions in premises No. 213 East One Hundred and Twentieth street. To Fire Marshal.

From Anonymous—Complaining of violations of the Tenement House Laws, premises No. 27 Suffolk street, No. 164 East Fifty-sixth street, No. 313 East Ninetieth street, No. 119 East One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street and No. 137 Edgecombe avenue. To Tenement House Department.

Bills Audited.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS.

Schedule 40 of 1904—

Bond Issue Fund of 1904, for placing the fireboat "Seth Low" in condition for service.....	\$4,750 00
Apparatus, supplies, etc.....	2,000 00

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

Schedule 19 of 1904—

Maintenance of Volunteer System, borough of Queens	\$1,000 00
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Expenditures Authorized.

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

Register tape	\$25 00
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Appointed.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

As ununiformed Firemen for a probationary term of one month from the 28th inst., with salary at the rate of \$800 per annum.

Name.....	Assignment.
Martin J. Foody.....	Engine Company 10
Frederick A. Werner.....	Hook and Ladder Company 5
Bernard A. Gill.....	Hook and Ladder Company 21

Official Designation.

Official designation was this day made and a copy forwarded for filing in the offices of the Mayor and Comptroller as follows:

"New York, July 27, 1904.

"Hon. GEORGE B. McCLELLAN, Mayor of The City of New York:

"Sir—Pursuant to the provisions of section 720 of the Charter I hereby designate Deputy Fire Commissioner Thomas W. Churchill as authorized to perform all the duties and exercise all the powers of Fire Commissioner, except the appointment to, or promotion, detail or dismissal of any member of the ununiformed force for the period from August 1 to August 10, 1904, both days inclusive.

"NICHOLAS J. HAYES, Fire Commissioner."

Requisition was this day made upon the Municipal Civil Service Commission for eligible lists from which to make five promotions to the rank of Foreman, and to select for appointment twenty-five Firemen, and two Drivers qualified to break in and train green horses, boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

Insurance policy No. 6980 of the German Alliance Insurance Company of New York, covering payment of \$22,864.65, on contract of James McFerran for the erection of an engine-house for Engine Company 145, borough of Brooklyn, and policy No. 6902, of the same company, covering the payment of \$30,486.21, on his contract for the erection of an apparatus house for Engine Company 146, borough of Brooklyn, with the approval of the Commissioner endorsed thereon, were this day forwarded for filing in the Department of Finance.

New York, July 28, 1904.

Communications received were disposed of as follows:

Filed.

From Department of Finance—

1. Relative to the transfer of Clerk John R. Keefe from said Department to this Department in the same capacity.

2. Transmitting indemnity bonds of Malloy, Rexford & Co. (two bonds), Lutheran Cemetery Corporation, and J. C. Voorhees, for the use and keeping of explosives for blasting purposes, with approval of the sureties. Bonds filed in the Bureau of Combustibles.

From Tenement House Department—

1. Acknowledging receipt of communications of the 26th inst., inclosing complaints of violations of the Tenement House Laws.

2. Forwarding complaint concerning violation of the Factory Laws, premises No. 8 Cannon street. Transmitted to Department of Labor, Bureau of Factory Inspection.

From Deputy Commissioner, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens—Recommending the designation of the salary of Elevator Attendant Charles Dobbins, Headquarters payroll of said boroughs, at \$900 per annum. Approved.

From Chief of Department—

1. Recommending that the Bureau of Highways be requested to pave roadway in Fifty-sixth street, between Eleventh and Twelfth avenues, in connection with the work of constructing new Repair Shops building. Approved. Communicated to said Bureau.

2. Returning communication from the Acting Superintendent, New York House of Refuge, in relation to test of hose and other fire appliances in said institution, and reporting that instructions have been issued for a conference with said Acting Superintendent with a view to arranging the dates upon which tests shall be made. Notified accordingly.

3. Returning communication from E. C. Dent, M. D., Superintendent, Manhattan State Hospital, West, complaining of the blowing of siren whistle on fire-boat "Zophar Mills" (Engine Company 51), foot of East Ninety-ninth street, and reporting that orders have been issued to blow the same only when necessary to comply with marine regulations. Said Superintendent notified.

4. Returning communication from the Seagrave Company, Columbus, Ohio, requesting the acceptance of hose wagon built by them for the Edgewater Fire Department, Borough of Richmond, and recommending that the wagon be accepted in this particular instance, although painted a different color from that called for in the specifications. Approved. Said firm notified.

5. Returning communication from Rev. William K. McGown, Rector Grace Emmanuel Church, complaining of noise caused by Department apparatus in passing church edifice in One Hundred and Fifteenth street, between Second and Third avenues, during services, and reporting that orders have been issued to minimize the same. Notified accordingly.

6. Returning communication from Bunn & Nase, stating that they are excavating for a vault at the southeast corner of Twenty-seventh street and Fourth avenue, where a Fire Department lamp-post and signal box are located, and recommending that said firm be notified that the lamp-post and cables laid thereto must be protected by them, and under no circumstances disturbed so as to interfere with the efficiency thereof. Approved. Communicated to said firm.

From Fireman third grade Cornelius Byrnes, Hook and Ladder Company 60—Tendering his resignation. Accepted.

From American Surety Company—Inquiring as to completion of contract of Matthew Wilson for furnishing 1,000 tons of coal for use in the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

From Lockwood & Lowe—Requesting copy of annual report for 1902. Complied with.

From Cambell & Gardiner, Custom House brokers—Requesting that the Commissioner appoint a day to visit the Custom House with the Captains of the fireboats "Seth Low" and "David A. Boody" for the purpose of executing new papers for said boats. Reply communicated.

From New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company, Wm. B. Pollock, Manager, Marine Department—In relation to acknowledgment of services of the officers and crew of Transfer No. 17 on the occasion of the "General Slocum" disaster on the 15th ult.

Referred.

From Police Department—Requesting inspection of premises No. 207 Canal street, known as Pacille Hall. To Chief of Department.

From Department of Health—Complaining of decaying animal matter in rear of apparatus house No. 193 Fulton street. To Chief of Department.

From Foreman Engine Company 23—Reporting violation of section 130, Part 7, of the regulations relating to the storage of sulphuric acid at Nos. 147 and 149 West Fifty-fifth street and No. 1713 Broadway. To Inspector of Combustibles.

From Charles Sayer—Complaining of defective flue, premises No. 136 Suffolk street. To Fire Marshal.

From Charles L. Hadley, executor, estate of Wm. A. Martin—Requesting inspection of automatic sprinkler system installed in Windsor Theatre, No. 45 Bowery. To Bureau of Violations and Auxiliary Fire Appliances.

From John S. Conabeer—In relation to order to provide fire extinguisher at Central Baptist Church, Nos. 220 to 224 West Forty-second street. To Bureau of Violations and Auxiliary Fire Appliances.

From Harris D. Colt—Complaining of wires attached to roof of his premises No. 111 East Sixty-first street. To Chief of Department.

From Frank Hedley, General Superintendent, Interborough Rapid Transit Company, Metropolitan Street Railway Department—Requesting that glass broken in fire alarm box, Fifty-ninth Street Station, Elevated road, be repaired. To Chief of Department.

From Anonymous—Complaining of obstructed fire escapes, premises Nos. 601 to 604 West Fifty-fifth street. To Tenement House Department.

Expenditures Authorized.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

Plumbing, Headquarters building.....	\$110 00
Plumbing, quarters Engine Company 2.....	72 00
Plumbing, quarters Engine Company 56.....	130 00
Painting, quarters Hook and Ladder Company 11.....	74 00

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Iron pipe and plumbing supplies.....	\$380 00
Carpet and furniture.....	145 00
Pole crabs, rubber matting, etc.....	167 00
Tinsmith supplies.....	336 16
Wheels and axle handles.....	76 75
Shades.....	210 00
Canvas, cord, etc.....	164 10
Rubber tires.....	300 00
Soda and grease.....	57 45
Sponges.....	536 00
Bedsteads and pillows.....	200 00

Appointed.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

As ununiformed Firemen for a probationary period of one month, with salary at the rate of \$800 per annum:

Name.....	Assignment.
George Stilley, Jr.....	Engine Company 27

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Name.....	Assignment.
Frederick J. Johnson, Jr.....	Engine Company 1
Daniel J. Kilker.....	Engine Company 2
Adolph Haehn.....	Engine Company 3
James T. Cooper, Jr.....	Engine Company 6
James J. Stack.....	Engine Company 7
Patrick J. Lee.....	Engine Company 11
Daniel A. Wilton.....	Engine Company 12
William F. Bulger.....	Engine Company 13
William J. Mulligan.....	Engine Company 16
John H. Empting.....	Engine Company 18
George Francis Clifford.....	Engine Company 24

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Michael J. Gorman	Engine Company 27
John J. Gilmartin	Engine Company 29
David P. Condon	Engine Company 30
John C. Lickdyke	Engine Company 31
William H. Lyons	Engine Company 32
George F. Browne, Jr.	Engine Company 33
Frederick Illium	Engine Company 65
Louis J. Farrell	Hook and Ladder Company 2
George Knecht	Hook and Ladder Company 3
John J. Radecke	Hook and Ladder Company 5
John McGroarty	Hook and Ladder Company 6
Vincent Joseph Cahill	Hook and Ladder Company 6
John J. Lutz	Hook and Ladder Company 8
John Clarke	Hook and Ladder Company 8
Thomas P. Costigan	Hook and Ladder Company 10
William C. Samet	Hook and Ladder Company 10
Joseph O'Brien	Hook and Ladder Company 20

As fourth grade Firemen, with salary of \$800 per annum, to take effect July 31, 1904:

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Name.	Assignment.
Thomas V. Croake	Engine Company 2
Joseph P. McDonald	Engine Company 3
George J. Trapp	Engine Company 5
Eli A. Dunn	Engine Company 5
William Welsch	Engine Company 7
John M. Rahilly	Engine Company 9
John F. Adamosky	Engine Company 11
John H. Cosgrove	Engine Company 12
Thomas F. Bergan	Engine Company 13
James Burns	Engine Company 13
Maurice J. Spillane	Engine Company 15
Cornelius A. Higgins	Engine Company 19
George Stops	Engine Company 20
John B. Jorn	Engine Company 24
Charles Fenster	Engine Company 25
John Cronin	Engine Company 27
William J. Horahan	Engine Company 30
John Holahan	Engine Company 30
John F. Flahive	Engine Company 31
James H. Keegan	Engine Company 32
William J. McGrath	Engine Company 32
John J. Rooney	Engine Company 33
John A. Obringer	Engine Company 33
Thomas H. Carson	Engine Company 55
John T. Sullivan	Hook and Ladder Company 1
John J. Maher	Hook and Ladder Company 4
Richard J. Condon	Hook and Ladder Company 5
Frank A. Lennon	Hook and Ladder Company 5
John Gilchrist	Hook and Ladder Company 6
Eugene S. McCaffrey	Hook and Ladder Company 7
Charles A. Jassinsky	Hook and Ladder Company 8
Joseph Herrmann	Hook and Ladder Company 21
William J. Carley	Hook and Ladder Company 24
John D. Sullivan	Hook and Ladder Company 24

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Peter E. Costello	Engine Company 105
Thomas S. Brennan	Engine Company 107
Arthur F. Neary	Engine Company 108
John Ruff	Engine Company 109
Daniel S. McGrath, Jr.	Engine Company 112
Alfred Valentine	Engine Company 113
Cassia D. Smith	Engine Company 117
William Neureiter	Engine Company 118
Joseph F. McWilliams	Engine Company 124
Joseph Miller	Engine Company 124
Bernard F. Rasmussen	Engine Company 126
John J. Madigan	Engine Company 126
Jesse A. Watts	Engine Company 127
Peter Brennan	Engine Company 129
John F. J. Dunn	Engine Company 131
Fred. W. Hyde	Engine Company 133
John Volkart	Engine Company 135
George A. Ebert	Engine Company 136
Joseph P. Reilly	Engine Company 138
John J. Burns, No. 2.	Engine Company 138
William A. Davis	Engine Company 141
Andrew F. Geis	Engine Company 151
John H. Conk, Jr.	Engine Company 151
Joseph F. Walsh	Engine Company 159
Fred. J. Sweet	Hook and Ladder Company 51
William H. Crouse	Hook and Ladder Company 59
Charles F. Devney	Hook and Ladder Company 68

Promoted

From Assistant Foreman to Foreman, with salary of \$2,160 per annum, to take effect August 1, 1904:

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Name and Present Company.	Assignment.
Austin McDonald, Engine Company 31	Engine Company 25
Joseph F. Hennessy, Engine Company 76	Engine Company 20
Francis J. Quayle, Engine Company 105	Engine Company 31
Joseph A. Dooley, Engine Company 117	Engine Company 32
John W. Hall, Engine Company 141	Hook and Ladder Company 10
David O'Keefe, Hook and Ladder Company 53	Hook and Ladder Company 15

As Assistant Foremen, with salary at the rate of \$1,800 per annum, to take effect August 1, 1904:

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Engineer of Steamer James J. Henry, from Engine Company 5 to Engine Company 33.
Engineer of Steamer John Spencer, from Engine Company 6 to Engine Company 13.
Engineer of Steamer Charles Weber, from Engine Company 27 to Engine Company 20.
Engineer of Steamer Michael F. McCann, from Engine Company 76 to Engine Company 23.
Fireman first grade John R. O'Brien, from Engine Company 6 to Engine Company 3.
Fireman first grade Michael F. Ruddy, from Engine Company 14 to Engine Company 21.
Fireman first grade William H. Roche, from Engine Company 39 to Engine Company 31.
Fireman first grade James J. McCarthy, from Engine Company 53 to Engine Company 29.
Fireman first grade George M. Rivers, from Engine Company 77 to Engine Company 10.
Fireman first grade Edward J. Barry, from Hook and Ladder Company 13 to Hook and Ladder Company 1.
Fireman first grade William H. Hartman, from Hook and Ladder Company 17 to Hook and Ladder Company 24.
As Engineers of Steamer, with salary of \$1,600 per annum, to take effect August 1, 1904:
Fireman first grade Michael J. Fitzgerald, from Engine Company 113 to Engine Company 11.
Fireman first grade Simeon Basch, from Engine Company 116 to Engine Company 24.

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As Assistant Foreman, with salary at the rate of \$1,800 per annum, to take effect August 1, 1904:

Fireman first grade George A. McElroy, from Engine Company 114 to Hook and Ladder Company 61.

Fireman first grade John Malliband, from Engine Company 130 to Engine Company 115.

Fireman first grade Peter F. Leyden, from Engine Company 150 to Engine Company 145.

Fireman first grade Charles Stothard, from Engine Company 160 to Engine Company 162.

Resigned.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

To Take Effect on the 29th Inst.

Firemen fourth grade James McAuliffe, Engine Company 20; Benjamin J. Tighe, Hook and Ladder Company 6; George A. Monsees, Hook and Ladder Company 8; John Gerrity, Hook and Ladder Company 10, and Frank Dickie, Hook and Ladder Company 12. Ununiformed Fireman George Mattes, Hook and Ladder Company 21.

Transferred.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

To Take Effect August 1, 1904.

Blacksmith's Helper Jacob Landers, Department of Street Cleaning, to this Department, with compensation at the rate of \$2.50 per diem, and assigned to Repair Shops, with approval of Municipal Civil Service Commission, under date of July 27, 1904.

Designation of Compensation.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS.

Elevator Attendant Charles Dobbins, Headquarters, at rate of \$900 per annum, to take effect from 29th inst.

The Municipal Civil Service Commission was this day requested to recertify the names of Assistant Foreman David O'Keefe, Hook and Ladder Company 53, for promotion to the rank of Foreman, and Fireman first grade Michael J. Fitzgerald, Engine Company 113, and Simeon Basch, Engine Company 116, for promotion as Engineers of Steamer; also to furnish eligible lists from which to appoint eighteen Engineers of Steamer and one Architectural Draughtsman, the latter at a salary of \$1,350 per annum.

In pursuance of the provisions of section 1544 of the Greater New York Charter, there was this day forwarded to his Honor the Mayor report of the operations and actions of this Department for the three months ending March 31, 1904.

New York, July 29, 1904.

Communications received were disposed of as follows:

Filed.

From Department of Finance—

1. Transmitting indemnity bonds of Lloyd Collis, Incorporated, Mount Olivet Cemetery and Nordlinger-Charlton Fireworks Company for the use and keeping of explosives, with approval of the sureties. Bonds filed in the Bureau of Combustibles.

2. Forwarding complaint received from the Bureau of Buildings for violation of the Building Code, Department apparatus house, at No. 47 Marion street. Similar complaint from Bureau of Buildings already transmitted Superintendent of Buildings.

From Corporation Counsel—Stating, in response to request of the 21st inst., that petition and demand of retired Fireman James J. Miller, of the uniformed force of the former City of Brooklyn, for reinstatement and restoration as a member of the uniformed force, should be denied. Thomas J. Magner, attorney for Miller, notified.

From Municipal Civil Service Commission—

1. Approving transfer to this Department of Jacob Landers, Blacksmith's Helper, Department of Street Cleaning. Transfer made and Department of Street Cleaning notified.

2. Consenting to the request of this Department to review action taken in the matter of the dismissal of probationary Fireman Walter C. Scott before the end of his probationary term, and probationary Telegraph Operator John H. Collins at the end of said term. Appointments ordered.

From Bureau of Buildings—Requesting the presence of an engine at test of new building construction to be made at the northwest corner of One Hundred and Fourteenth street and Amsterdam avenue, August 3, 1904. Chief of Department notified to comply.

From Deputy Commissioner, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens—

1. Recommending that the location of the fire-boat "Seth Low," Engine Company 123, be changed from the berth now occupied by it, foot of Main street, East river, to foot of Forty-second street, New York bay. Approved.

2. Forwarding charges, testimony and findings in trials of delinquent members of the uniformed force, held in the borough of Queens on the 19th inst., as follows:

Fireman first grade Timothy O'Connor, Hook and Ladder Company 65—Being under the influence of liquor, drug or compound. Fined five days' pay and warned.

Fireman first grade Christopher Gravius, Engine Company 158—Absence without leave. Fined three days' pay.

Fireman fourth grade Edward E. S. Paul, Hook and Ladder Company 66—Disrespect to superior officer. Fined two days' pay.

Fireman first grade Charles M. Smith, Engine Company 163—Absence without leave. Fined two days' pay.

Findings approved, except in the case of O'Connor, who was ordered by the Commissioner fined ten days' pay and warned.

From Chief of Department—

1. Recommending that the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity be requested to establish on the northeast corner of Park row and Frankfort street a lamp-post for the use of this Department to permit of the removal to it of the fire alarm box now located on the southeast corner. Recommendation approved and application made.

2. Recommending that application be made to the Commissioner of Public Works for permission to open the pavement on the south side of Spring street, from man-hole southeast corner of Hudson street to new apparatus house between Hudson and Varick streets, for the purpose of laying a subsidiary subway duct. Recommendation approved and application made.

3. Returning communication from Henry G. Feinerson, commending the action of Fireman Patrick J. Lynch, Engine Company 60, in rescuing his wife and two children from death on the occasion of the disaster to the "General Slocum" on the 15th ult., and reporting that his name has already been placed on the Roll of Merit, Class A, for meritorious action attended with personal risk. Reply communicated.

4. Returning communication from Knepper & Co., requesting date of fire which occurred about two months since at premises No. 229 East One Hundred and Thirteenth street, with the information that there is no record in the files of his office of any such fire. Said firm notified.

5. Returning, with report, communication from his Honor the Mayor inclosing letter from the Secretary to the Mayor of Rochester, N. Y., requesting information concerning the license fee paid by theatres in this city, and as to whether the Firemen assigned to said theatres are paid by the City or by the proprietors. Communicated to his Honor the Mayor, and Secretary to Mayor of Rochester.

6. Returning communication from John H. Eden, relative to the need of placing fire alarm boxes in Edenwald, with the information that there are at present no funds available for the purpose. Mr. Eden notified.

From Fireman fourth grade James McAuliffe, Engine Company 20; Benjamin J. Tighe, Hook and Ladder Company 6; George A. Monsees, Hook and Ladder Company 8; John Gerrity, Hook and Ladder Company 10, and Ununiformed Fireman George Mattes, Hook and Ladder Company 21—Tendering their respective resignations, to take effect on the 29th inst. Accepted.

From Fireman fourth grade Frank Dickie, Hook and Ladder Company 12—Tendering his resignation, to take effect on the 31st inst. Accepted.

From Empire City Subway Company, Ltd.—Reporting broken cable in manhole, West Broadway and Franklin street. Chief of Department notified.

From John Jay Phillips—Application for a fire-line badge. Denied.

Referred.

From Henry E. Hess, Manager, New York Fire Insurance Exchange—Requesting information as to the requirements of this Department in the matter of perforated pipe installation in buildings. To Bureau of Violations and Auxiliary Fire Appliances.

From Ottinger & Brothers—In relation to alleged indebtedness to them for a month's rent of an employee of the Fire Alarm Telegraph Branch. To Chief of Department.

From John M. Riehle—Relative to alarm box for Hotel Astor, Forty-fourth, Forty-fifth streets and Broadway. To Chief of Department.

From Anonymous—Complaining of violations of the Tenement House Laws, premises No. 140 Eldridge street. To Tenement House Department.

Expenditures Authorized.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

Ceiling springs \$330 00

Proposed contracts, in triplicate, for the erection and completion of new building for Engine Company 7, and of the plumbing, gas, electric and heating systems were this day forwarded to the Corporation Counsel for the endorsement thereon of his approval as to form.

Petition and notice of motion for a peremptory writ of mandamus directing the restoration of Peter Martin as Foreman of Machinists in Repair Shops, served at this office on the 28th inst., and returnable on the 3d prox. in the Supreme Court, Special Term, Part I, borough of Manhattan, was this day forwarded to the Corporation Counsel for proper attention, accompanied by statement of facts in the case.

The Municipal Civil Service Commission was this day requested to recertify the names of Fireman first grade Thomas Mitchell for promotion to the rank of Assistant Foreman, and of Cornelius F. Boylan, for appointment as Fireman.

Contract, based upon proposals received at public letting on June 28, 1904, for furnishing 9,000 feet of 2½-inch rubber fire hose, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, was this day awarded to the Windsor Fire Appliance Company, Fifth avenue and Forty-seventh street, Manhattan, upon their proposal of \$7,374, and the bid was forwarded to the Comptroller for action on the sureties. The bids other than the lowest for this hose were filed under date of July 18, 1904.

New York, July 30, 1904.

Communications received were disposed of as follows:

Filed.

From Tenement House Department—

1. Acknowledging receipt of communications of the 27th and 28th inst., inclosing complaints of violations of the Tenement House Laws.

2. Transmitting copy of complaint relative to storage of combustible material, premises No. 19 Pitt street. Complaint forwarded to Inspector of Combustibles.

From Department of Labor, Bureau of Factory Inspection—Acknowledging receipt of complaint of violation of the Factory Laws, premises No. 8 Cannon street.

From Deputy Commissioner, boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens—Returning, with report, summons and complaint in the cases of Platt Van Cott and James W. Connell, retired Deputy Chief of Department and Chief of Battalion, respectively, for certain arrears of pension alleged to be due. Summons and complaint in each case forwarded Corporation Counsel, with statement of facts.

From Chief of Department—Forwarding, with approval, report of Deputy Chief of Department, Fifth Division, concerning the number of new buildings in course of construction and contemplated to be erected in the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, and recommending that additional companies be located in different parts of the borough, additional fire alarm boxes provided, and that all fire alarm boxes be made keyless, and present alarm boxes, poles, etc., repaired.

From William H. Finnegan—Relative to site for an engine house in the neighborhood of Kingsbridge.

From Lockwood & Lowe—Acknowledging receipt of copy of annual report for 1902.

From Sherwin-Williams Company, H. D. Whittlesey, Manager, Eastern Division—Calling attention to the merits of their alarm box red for painting fire alarm boxes.

Referred.

From Deputy Commissioner boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens—Recommending that fire-line badges be issued to the Draughtsmen in Building Branch of this Department in said boroughs. To Clerk in charge of badges to comply.

Promoted.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

Fireman first grade Edward J. Browne, Engine Company 52, to be Assistant Foreman, with salary of \$1,800 per annum, to take effect from August 1, 1904, and assigned to Hook and Ladder Company 20.

Transferred.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

Patrolman John O'Byrne, from Police Department to this Department as fourth grade Fireman, Hook and Ladder Company 1, to take effect August 3, 1904, the Municipal Civil Service Commission having assented thereto, under date of the 22d inst.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS.

Communications received were disposed of as follows:

Filed.

From Department of Finance—Relative to contract for alterations and repairs to fire-boat "Seth Low" (Engine 123).

From Chief of College Point Fire Department—Relative to condition of house and general supplies; also asking for use of horse and wagon to respond to alarms for fire. Reply communicated.

From Prospect Hill Citizens' League, Brooklyn—Petition for the establishment of a fire apparatus company in the vicinity of Prospect Park, West.

From Brooklyn Rapid Transit Company—Relative to communication of 28th inst., relating to a Department matter referred to its General Superintendent.

From George W. Phillips—Relative to damage done to Fire Department signal box while excavating for sewer on Franklin avenue. Bureau of Sewers notified.

From Brooklyn Majestic Theatre—Requesting assignment of number for fire alarm signal box at said theatre. Assignment 3-383 made for said box.

Referred.

From Foreman Engine Company 105—Recommending the placing of iron balcony fire escapes and iron ladder to roof, premises No. 143 Montague street. To Bureau of Buildings.

From Corbett Iron Works—Relative to condition of fire escapes, premises No. 7 Front street. To Tenement House Department.

From Anonymous—Relative to lack of water, premises Nos. 228-236 Sands street. To Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

From Commanding Officers of Companies—Reporting chimney fires as follows:

Assistant Foreman Engine Company 102, No. 114 Sullivan street.

Foreman Engine Company 105, No. 143 Montague street.

Foreman Engine Company 116, No. 17 Scholes street.

To Bureau of Combustibles.

ALFRED M. DOWNES, Secretary.

APPROVED PAPERS.

FOR THE WEEK ENDING AUGUST 20, 1904.

No. 475.

Resolved, That the Department of Parks of The City of New York, through the Commissioner of Parks for the Borough of The Bronx, be and is hereby authorized to purchase, without public letting, ten thousand cubic yards, more or less, of garden mould, to be delivered in Crotona Park, in Bronx Borough, at a cost not to exceed sixty cents per cubic yard.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen August 9, 1904.

Approved by the Acting Mayor August 18, 1904.

No. 476.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, at a meeting held March 18, 1904, adopted the following resolution:

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

Assistant Secretary of the College, per annum.....	\$1,200 00
Helper in Natural History Hall, per month.....	60 00

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salaries of the above positions as set forth therein.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen August 9, 1904.

Approved by the Acting Mayor August 19, 1904.

No. 477.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, at a meeting held April 29, 1904, adopted the following resolution:

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

Per Annum.	
Rodman	\$960 00
Transitman	1,650 00

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salaries of the above positions as set forth therein.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen August 9, 1904.

Approved by the Acting Mayor August 19, 1904.

No. 478.

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment May 13, 1904:

"Resolved, That, subject to the concurrence and approval of the Board of Aldermen, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby ratifies and confirms the action of the Board of Education taken and dated July 22, 1903, in fixing the compensation for additional services rendered between January 31, 1902, and May 1, 1902, of Janitors of Public Schools in the boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, as follows:

"Janitor, Public School 145.....	\$264 00
"Janitor, Public School 91.....	96 00
"Janitor, Public School 46.....	137 00
"Janitor, Public School 133.....	1,430 00
"Janitor, Public School 61.....	1,196 00"

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen August 9, 1904.

Approved by the Acting Mayor August 19, 1904.

No. 479.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of the Department of Health be and he is hereby authorized, under the provisions of section 419 of the amended Greater New York Charter, to contract for and purchase, at the lowest price obtainable in the open market, the furniture and fixtures necessary for furnishing the recently completed Nurses' Home at Riverside Hospital, in the Borough of The Bronx, at a cost not exceeding the sum of two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,500.)

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen August 9, 1904.

Approved by the Acting Mayor August 19, 1904.

No. 480.

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution, adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment May 13, 1904:

"Resolved, That, subject to the concurrence and approval of the Board of Aldermen, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby ratifies and confirms the action of the Board of Education, taken and dated April 27, 1904, in fixing the salary of the position of Janitor of the High School of Commerce, Borough of Manhattan, at the rate of five thousand two hundred and thirty-three dollars (\$5,233) per annum, as of date October 1, 1903."

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen August 9, 1904.

Approved by the Acting Mayor August 19, 1904.

No. 481.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting held May 27, 1904, adopted the following resolution:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, that the salary of the position of Clerk in the office of the President of the Borough of Richmond be fixed at the rate of fifteen hundred dollars (\$1,500) per annum."

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salary of the position of Clerk in the office of the President of the Borough of Richmond at the rate of fifteen hundred dollars (\$1,500) per annum.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen August 9, 1904.

Approved by the Acting Mayor August 19, 1904.

No. 482.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, at a meeting held May 27, 1904, adopted the following resolution:

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

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in the above resolution and fixes the salary of the position of Chairman in the office of the President of the Borough of Richmond at the rate of nine hundred dollars (\$900) per annum.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen August 9, 1904.

Approved by the Acting Mayor August 19, 1904.

No. 483.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the amended Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of four thousand nine hundred and twenty-two dollars (\$4,922) for additional compensation for Hostlers in the Police Department.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen August 9, 1904.

Approved by the Acting Mayor August 19, 1904.

No. 484.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and hereby is requested, in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Amended Greater New York Charter, to authorize the Comptroller to issue additional Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of twenty-seven thousand five hundred dollars (\$27,500) to be applied to the perfection of the plans for the exhibit of The City of New York at the Louisiana Purchase Exposition at St. Louis, Missouri.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen August 9, 1904.

Approved by the Acting Mayor August 19, 1904.

No. 485.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, at a meeting held June 10, 1904, adopted the following resolution:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen, in accordance with the provisions of chapter 56 of the Greater New York Charter, that the salary of the position of Deputy Superintendent of School Buildings in the Department of Education be fixed at the rate of three thousand dollars (\$3,000) per annum."

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution, and fixes the salary of the position of Deputy Superintendent of School Buildings in the Department of Education at the rate of three thousand dollars (\$3,000) per annum.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen August 9, 1904.

Approved by the Acting Mayor August 19, 1904.

No. 486.

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, that the salary of the position of Topographical Engineer under the jurisdiction of the President of the Borough of Richmond, be fixed at the rate of three thousand dollars (\$3,000) per annum."

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salary of the position of Topographical Engineer under the jurisdiction of the President of the Borough of Richmond, at the rate of three thousand dollars (\$3,000) per annum.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen August 9, 1904.
Approved by the Acting Mayor August 19, 1904.

No. 487.

Resolved, That the following resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted by that Board on June 10, 1904, be and the same is hereby concurred in:

Resolved, That the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment May 13, 1904, which reads as follows:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 432 of the Laws of 1904, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby fixes the salaries of the following positions in the office of the Commissioner of Licenses as follows:

	Per Annum.
Chief Inspector	\$3,000 00
Assistant Chief Inspector.....	2,000 00
Secretary to Commissioner.....	2,000 00
Financial and Record Clerk.....	1,500 00
Law and Complaint Clerk.....	1,500 00
Stenographer and Typewriter.....	1,200 00
Stenographer and Typewriter.....	900 00
Messenger	900 00
Inspector	1,500 00
Telephone Operator	600 00
Interpreter	1,200 00

—be and the same is hereby amended by substituting the word 'Deputy' for the word 'Assistant' in the title of Assistant Chief Inspector, and the title 'Process Server' for that of 'Messenger.'

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen August 9, 1904.
Approved by the Acting Mayor August 19, 1904.

No. 488.

Resolved, That, for the purpose of defraying any minor or incidental expenses contingent to the Department of Street Cleaning, the Commissioner of Street Cleaning may, by a requisition, draw upon the Comptroller for a sum not exceeding three hundred dollars. The Commissioner of Street Cleaning may, in like manner, renew the draft as often as may by him be deemed necessary, to the extent of the appropriation set apart for the contingencies of the Department of Street Cleaning; but no such renewal shall be made until the money paid upon the preceding draft shall be accounted for to the Comptroller by the transmittal of a voucher or vouchers, certified by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, covering the expenditure of money paid thereon.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen August 9, 1904.
Approved by the Acting Mayor August 19, 1904.

No. 489.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, at a meeting held June 24, 1904, adopted the following resolution:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen, in accordance with the provisions of chapter 56 of the Greater New York Charter, that the salary of the position of Clerk under the jurisdiction of the President of the Borough of Queens be fixed at the rate of twenty-one hundred dollars (\$2,100) per annum."

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salary of the position of Clerk under the jurisdiction of the President of the Borough of Queens at the rate of twenty-one hundred dollars (\$2,100) per annum.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen August 9, 1904.
Approved by the Acting Mayor August 19, 1904.

No. 490.

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment June 24, 1904:

"Resolved, That, subject to the concurrence and approval of the Board of Aldermen, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby ratifies and confirms the action of the Board of Education, taken and dated June 15, 1904, in fixing the salaries of the following positions in the Department of Education, as follows:

"Janitor, Public School 190, Borough of Manhattan, at \$2,594.16 per annum, as of date February 8, 1904.

"Janitor, Public School 186, Borough of Manhattan, at \$5,076.28 per annum, as of date January 15, 1904."

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen August 9, 1904.
Approved by the Acting Mayor August 19, 1904.

No. 491.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting held June 24, 1904, adopted the following resolution:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, that the salary of the position of Inspector in the office of the President of the Borough of Richmond be fixed at the rate of twelve hundred dollars (\$1,200) per annum."

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salary of the position of Inspector in the office of the President of the Borough of Richmond at the rate of twelve hundred dollars (\$1,200) per annum.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen August 9, 1904.
Approved by the Acting Mayor August 19, 1904.

No. 492.

Resolved, That the territory known as "The Farm," extending along West street, from Cortlandt street to Canal street, in the Borough of Manhattan, be and the same is hereby set aside as a playground for children on Sundays, from 10 o'clock in the morning until 5 p. m., and on week days from 6 p. m. until 9 p. m.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen August 9, 1904.
Approved by the Acting Mayor August 19, 1904.

No. 493.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to William C. Muschenheim to erect, keep and maintain a marquee or awning, of iron and glass, in front of the premises known as the Astor Hotel, on the westerly side of Times Square, between Forty-fourth and Forty-fifth streets, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided the said marquee, or awning, be erected so as to comply in all respects with the provisions of the ordinances in such case made and provided; the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen August 9, 1904.
Approved by the Acting Mayor August 19, 1904.

No. 494.

Resolved, That the Police Commissioner be and hereby is authorized to contract for piles for foundation of the new Forty-first Precinct Police Station-house, Moshulu parkway, Borough of The Bronx, without public letting at an expense not to exceed two thousand dollars.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen August 9, 1904.
Approved by the Acting Mayor August 19, 1904.

No. 495.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, at a meeting held July 1, 1904, adopted the following resolution:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, that the salary of the position of Auditor under the jurisdiction of the Police Commissioner be fixed at the rate of three thousand dollars (\$3,000) per annum."

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in the above resolution and fixes the salary of the position of Auditor under the jurisdiction of the Police Commissioner at the rate of three thousand dollars (\$3,000) per annum.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen August 9, 1904.
Approved by the Acting Mayor August 19, 1904.

No. 496.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting held July 1, 1904, adopted the following resolution:

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

	Per Annum.
Stenographer	\$750 00
Stenographer	900 00
Stenographer	1,050 00
Stenographer	1,200 00
Stenographer	1,350 00
Stenographer	1,500 00
Stenographer	1,650 00
Stenographer	1,800 00

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salaries of the above position as set forth therein.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen August 9, 1904.
Approved by the Acting Mayor August 19, 1904.

No. 497.

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

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, at a meeting held July 1, 1904, adopted the following resolution:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, that the salary of the position of Assistant to the Secretary of the New York City Improvement Commission be fixed at the rate of twelve hundred dollars (\$1,200) per annum."

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salary of the position of Assistant to the Secretary of the New York City Improvement Commission at the rate of twelve hundred dollars (\$1,200) per annum.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen August 9, 1904.
Approved by the Acting Mayor August 19, 1904.

No. 498.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Amended Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000) for the purpose of repairing and refurnishing the structure known as the Brownstone Building in the City Hall Park.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen August 9, 1904.
Approved by the Acting Mayor August 19, 1904.

No. 499.

Resolved, That it be and hereby is respectfully recommended to the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity that an improved iron watering trough be erected and maintained in front of the premises at No. 122 Worth street, in the Borough of Manhattan.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen August 9, 1904.
Approved by the Acting Mayor August 19, 1904.

No. 500.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to St. Peter's Episcopal Church to construct and maintain at its own expense, in front of its property on the southeast side of Westchester avenue, opposite Union avenue, Borough of The Bronx, a terrace or slope, within the stoop-line, under the direction of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, said permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen August 9, 1904.
Approved by the Acting Mayor August 19, 1904.

No. 501.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of one million dollars (\$1,000,000), in addition to previous authorizations, to provide the necessary means to pay for the expenses connected with the water supply of The City of New York, as set forth in section 178 of the Charter.

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

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

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 178 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount of one million dollars (\$1,000,000), in addition to previous authorizations, to provide the necessary means to pay for the expenses connected with the water supply of The City of New York, as set forth in said section 178 of the Charter, and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller is authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding one million dollars (\$1,000,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid."

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen August 9, 1904.
Approved by the Acting Mayor August 19, 1904.

No. 502.

Whereas, In accordance with the provisions of resolutions adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 10, 1904, and approved by the Mayor May 19, 1904, the Superintendent of Buildings for the Borough of Manhattan has prepared and submits herewith a comprehensive plan for the reorganization of the Bureau of Buildings; therefore

Resolved, That the said plan, with the recommendations therein contained, is hereby approved.

Resolved, further, That, pursuant to subdivision 8, section 188, of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of one hundred thousand (\$100,000) dollars, to provide for the expenses involved in carrying out said plan of the Superintendent of Buildings.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen August 9, 1904.
Approved by the Acting Mayor August 19, 1904.

No. 503.

Resolved, That the President of the Borough of Manhattan be and he is hereby authorized, in pursuance of the provisions of section 419 of the Amended Greater New York Charter, to award contracts, without public letting, for making the necessary repairs and alterations to the building known as the Brownstone Building, located at City Hall Park, Borough of Manhattan, The City of New York, the total expenditure therefor not to exceed the sum of twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000).

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen August 9, 1904.
Approved by the Acting Mayor August 19, 1904.

No. 504.

Resolved, That the ordinance relating to the discharge of fireworks be and the same is hereby suspended so as to permit a display by the Society of St. Rocco, in the territory of the Borough of Manhattan, south of Fourteenth street, on August 14, 15 and 16, 1904, as has been the practice in past years.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen August 9, 1904.
Approved by the Acting Mayor August 19, 1904.

No. 505.

Resolved, That it be and hereby is respectfully recommended to the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, that four lamp-posts be erected and street lamps placed thereon and lighted in front of premises occupied by the Congregation Adath Jeschurim of Jassy, Nos. 58 and 60 Rivington street, Borough of Manhattan.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen August 9, 1904.
Approved by the Acting Mayor August 19, 1904.

No. 506.

Resolved, That permission is hereby given to George Mallon, to construct and maintain in front of his premises on White Plains road, in the Borough of The Bronx, a terrace within the stoop line, under the direction of the President of the Borough of The Bronx. The same to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen August 9, 1904.
Approved by the Acting Mayor August 19, 1904.

No. 507.

Resolved, That permission is hereby given to the property-owners on the northerly side of Two Hundred and Twelfth street, in the Borough of The Bronx, to construct and maintain at their own expense, a terrace in front of their property, within the stoop line, under the direction of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, the same to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen August 9, 1904.
Approved by the Acting Mayor August 19, 1904.

No. 508.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to storekeepers, hucksters and peddlers to stand on the sidewalk and in the carriageway near the curb, on the streets and thoroughfares of The City of New York, for the sale of their wares on account of the Jewish holidays, provided the consent of the property owners thereto shall have been first obtained, and a free passageway be kept on the sidewalk for all pedestrians, and on the carriageway for all vehicles; such permission to continue only from August 22, 1904, to September 25, 1904, inclusive, and the ordinance or ordinances conflicting with the foregoing provisions are hereby suspended for the period of time above mentioned.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen August 9, 1904.
Approved by the Acting Mayor August 19, 1904.

No. 509.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Rudolf Allert to place and keep two iron awnings in front of the entrances to the premises of the Lion Brewery, facing on Columbus avenue, between One Hundred and Seventh and One Hundred and Eighth streets, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided the said awnings shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinances in such case made and provided; the work to be done at his own expense under the direction of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen August 9, 1904.
Approved by the Acting Mayor August 19, 1904.

No. 510.

Resolved, That the resolution setting aside "the territory known as 'The Farm,' extending along West street, from Canal street to Barrow street, in the Borough of Manhattan, as a playground for children on Sundays, from 10 o'clock in the morning until 5 P. M., and on week days, from 6 P. M. until 9 P. M.," which was adopted April 13, 1904, and approved April 30, 1904, be and the same is hereby amended by striking therefrom the words "Barrow street," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "King street."

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen August 9, 1904.
Approved by the Acting Mayor August 19, 1904.

No. 511.

Resolved, That the ordinance relating to the discharge of fireworks be and the same is hereby suspended, so far as the same may apply to a display by the Pensacola Club in the territory included within the Fourteenth Assembly District on the evening of Monday, August 22, 1904.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen August 9, 1904.
Approved by the Acting Mayor August 19, 1904.

No. 512.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Bernard Reich to place and keep a water-trough on the sidewalk near the curb in front of his premises, No. 139 East Twelfth street, in the Borough of Manhattan, the work to be done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, said permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen August 9, 1904.
Approved by the Acting Mayor August 19, 1904.

No. 513.

Resolved, That the ordinance relating to the discharge of fireworks be and the same is hereby suspended so far as the same may apply to a display by the Miana Club in the territory included within the Thirty-second Assembly District, on the evening of Wednesday, August 17, 1904.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen August 9, 1904.
Approved by the Acting Mayor August 19, 1904.

No. 514.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Abraham Hochman to erect, keep and maintain an awning over the stoop in front of the premises No. 56 East One Hundred and Tenth street, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided the said awning shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided; the work to be done at his own expense under the direction of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen August 9, 1904.
Approved by the Acting Mayor August 19, 1904.

No. 515.

Whereas, The Hon. Michael Kennedy, a member of the preceding Board of Aldermen, has been called to his fathers; and

Whereas, He was in his place in this Chamber a fearless, faithful, diligent and esteemed representative of his constituents, a business man of reputation, loved and honored by all who knew him,

Resolved, That this Board of Aldermen desire to express their sorrow for the loss of their late colleague, and to condole with his family; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions, suitably engrossed under the direction of the Committee on Printed and Engrossed Ordinances and Resolutions, and duly authenticated by the City Clerk, be forwarded to the family of our deceased colleague, Hon. Michael Kennedy.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen August 9, 1904.
Approved by the Acting Mayor August 19, 1904.

No. 516.

Whereas, Divine Providence has removed from life the Hon. John Hanley, who for several years represented the people as Alderman in the former City of Brooklyn; and

Whereas, Through the death of the Hon. John Hanley, late Alderman from the Third Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, the people of the City have suffered a great loss and bereavement; and

Whereas, Our late associate, in his official capacity and in his private relation as a citizen, amply demonstrated his ability and capacity and sterling integrity as a public official and his loyalty and fidelity and true manhood in every walk of life;

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York do extend its deep sympathy and sincere condolence to the family of our late fellow member in the time of their bereavement and sorrow, and this resolution be adopted by a rising vote.

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be suitably engrossed and sent to the family of the deceased Alderman.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen August 9, 1904.
Approved by the Acting Mayor August 19, 1904.

P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

New York, August 20, 1904.

The following list of appointments, etc., in this Department, from August 15 to August 20, 1904, is forwarded for publication, pursuant to resolution of the Police Board, adopted January 10, 1898:

August 16, 1904.

Resigned—Patrolman Walter Rountree, Tenth Precinct.

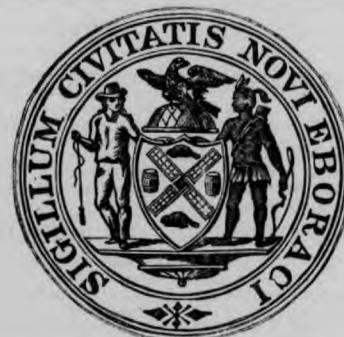
Retired—

Patrolman Michael Gargan, Forty-first Precinct, pension \$700 per annum.
Patrolman John J. Mullin, Fortieth Precinct, pension \$450 per annum.
Patrolman John Jose, Eighty-first Precinct, pension \$700 per annum.

August 19, 1904.

Retired—Patrolman Adam Feuerstein, Thirty-fourth Precinct, pension \$700 per annum.

WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.



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JOHN H. O'BRIEN, Secretary.
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Branch Office, Room 12, Borough Hall, Brooklyn; DANIEL J. GRIFFIN, Deputy Chief, Borough of Brooklyn.
Branch Office, Richmond Building, New Brighton, S. I.; WILLIAM R. WOLFLE, Financial Clerk, Borough of Richmond.
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MICHAEL F. BLAKE, Chief Clerk of the Board of Aldermen.
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THOMAS J. McCABE, Deputy City Clerk, Borough of The Bronx.
WILLIAM R. ZIMMERMAN, Deputy City Clerk, Borough of Queens.
JOSEPH F. O'GRADY, Deputy City Clerk, Borough of Richmond.

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DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

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EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.
N. TAYLOR PHILLIPS and JAMES W. STEVENSON, Deputy Comptrollers.
HUBERT L. SMITH, Assistant Deputy Comptroller.
OLIVER E. STANTON, Secretary to Comptroller.

Main Division.

H. J. STORRS, Chief Clerk, Room 11.
Bookkeeping and Awards Division.
JOSEPH HAAG, Chief Accountant and Bookkeeper.

Stock and Bond Division.

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

Bureau of Audit—Main Division.

WILLIAM MCKINNEY, Chief Auditor of Accounts, Room 27.

Law and Adjustment Division.

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

Investigating Division.

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

Charitable Institutions Division.

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

Bureau of the City Paymaster.

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

Bureau of Engineering.

Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway.
EUGENE E. MCLEAN, Chief Engineer, Room 55.

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MORTIMER J. BROWN, Appraiser of Real Estate Room 457.

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Borough of Manhattan—Stewart Building, Room O.
DAVID E. AUSTEN, Receiver of Taxes.
JOHN J. McDONOUGH, Deputy Receiver of Taxes.
Borough of The Bronx—Municipal Building, third and Tremont avenues.
JOHN B. UNDERHILL, Deputy Receiver of Taxes.
Borough of Brooklyn—Municipal Building, Rooms 2-8.

JACOB S. VAN WYCK, Deputy Receiver of Taxes.
Borough of Queens—Hackett Building, Jackson avenue and Fifth street, Long Island City.
FREDERICK W. BLECKWENN, Deputy Receiver of Taxes.

Borough of Richmond—Bay and Sand streets, Stapleton.
JOHN DEMORGAN, Deputy Receiver of Taxes.

Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears.
Borough of Manhattan—Stewart Building, Room 81.
EDWARD A. SLATTERY, Collector of Assessments and Arrears.

JOHN B. ADGER MULLALLY, Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears.
Borough of The Bronx—Municipal Building, Rooms 1-3.

JAMES J. DONOVAN, JR., Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears.
Borough of Brooklyn—Municipal Building.

SAMUEL N. GARRISON, Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears.
Borough of Queens—Hackett Building, Jackson avenue and Fifth street, Long Island City.

PATRICK E. LEAHY, Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears.
Borough of Richmond—Bay and Sand streets, Stapleton.

GEORGE BRAND, Deputy Collector of Assessments and Arrears.

Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets.

Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, Room 130.

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

JAMES H. BALDWIN, Deputy Collector of City Revenue.

DAVID O'BRIEN, Deputy Superintendent of Markets.

Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, Rooms 63 to 67; and Kings County Court-house, Room 14, Borough of Brooklyn.

PATRICK KERNAN, City Chamberlain.

JOHN H. CAMPBELL, Deputy Chamberlain.

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FREDERICK L. C. KEATING, Commissioner.

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 CHARLES H. VAN BRUNT, Presiding Justice; EDWARD PATTERSON, MORGAN J. O'BRIEN, GEORGE L. INGRAM, CHESTER B. McLAUGHLIN, EDWARD W. HATCH, FRANK C. LAUGHLIN, Justices; ALFRED WAGSTAFF, Clerk; WILLIAM LAMB, Deputy Clerk.
 Clerk's Office open at 9 A. M.

SUPREME COURT—FIRST DEPARTMENT.

County Court-house, Chambers street. Courts open from 10:15 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 Special Term, Part I. (motions), Room No. 12.
 Special Term, Part II. (ex-parte business), Room No. 15.
 Special Term, Part III., Room No. 19.
 Special Term, Part IV., Room No. 11.
 Special Term, Part V., Room No. 30.
 Special Term, Part VI. (Elevated Railroad cases), Room No. 36.
 Trial Term, Part 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. 12.
 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, east.
 Clerk's Office, Appellate Term, room southwest corner, third floor.
 Trial Term, Part I. (criminal business).
 Criminal Court-house, Centre street.
 Justices—CHARLES H. TRUAX, FRANCIS M. SCOTT, CHARLES F. McLEAN, HENRY BISCHOFF, JR., LEONARD A. GIEGERICH, JOHN J. FREEDMAN, P. HENRY DUGRO, HENRY A. GILDERSLERVE, JAMES FITZGERALD, DAVID LEVENTRITT, 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 Court-house, Borough of Brooklyn, N. Y.
 Courts open daily from 10 o'clock A. M. to 5 o'clock P. M. Six jury trial parts. Special Term for Trials. Special Term for Motions.
 JAMES F. MCGEE, 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.
 EDWARD F. O'DWYER, Chief Justice; JOHN H. MCCARTHY, LEWIS J. CONLAN, 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, WILLARD H. OLMSTED, JOSEPH M. DEUEL, LORENZ ZELLER, 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, No. 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 EDWARD C. LEE, Clerk.
 Second Division—No. 102 Court street, Brooklyn. ROBERT J. WILKIN, Justice. JAMES P. SINNOTT, Clerk.

CITY MAGISTRATES' COURT.

Courts open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 City Magistrates—ROBERT C. CORNELL, LEROY B. CRANE, CHARLES A. FLAMMER, CLARENCE W. MEADE, JOHN M. MOTT, JOSEPH POOL, JOHN B. MAYO, EDWARD HOGAN, PETER P. BARLOW, MATTHEW P. BRENN, SEWARD BAKER, ALFRED G. OMEN, CHARLES S. WHITMAN, JOSEPH MOSS.
 PHILIP BLOCH, Secretary.
 First District—Criminal Court Building.
 Second District—Jefferson Market.
 Third District—No. 69 Essex street.
 Fourth District—Fifty-seventh street, near Lexington avenue.

Fifth District—One Hundred and Twenty-first street, southeastern corner of Sylvan place.
 Sixth District—One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street and Third avenue.
 Seventh District—Fifty-fourth street, west of Eighth avenue.

SECOND DIVISION.**Borough of Brooklyn.**

City Magistrates—ALFRED E. STEERS, A. V. B. VOORHEES, JR., JAMES G. TIGHE, EDWARD J. DOOLEY, JOHN NAUMER, E. G. HIGGENBOTHAM, 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.

Borough of Queens.

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

Borough of Richmond.

City Magistrates—JOHN CROAK, NATHANIEL MARSH.
 First District—New Brighton, Staten Island.
 Second District—Stapleton, Staten Island.

MUNICIPAL COURTS.**Borough of Manhattan.**

First District—Third, Fifth and Eighth Wards, and all that part of the First Ward lying west of Broadway and Whitehall street, including Governor's Island, Bedloe's Island, Ellis Island, and the Oyster Islands. New Court-house, No. 128 Prince street, corner of Wooster street.
 DANIEL E. FINN, Justice. THOMAS O'CONNELL, Clerk.
 Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 Second District—Second, Fourth, Sixth and Fourteenth Wards, and all that portion of the First Ward lying south and east of Broadway and Whitehall street. Court-room, corner of Grand and Centre streets.
 HERMAN BOLTE, Justice. FRANCIS MANGIN, Clerk.
 Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 Court opens daily at 10 A. M., and remains open until daily calendar is disposed of and close of the daily business, except on Sundays and legal holidays.
 Third District—Ninth and Fifteenth Wards. Court-room, southwest corner Sixth avenue and West Tenth street. Court opens daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 WM. F. MOORE, Justice. DANIEL WILLIAMS, Clerk.
 Fourth District—Tenth and Seventeenth Wards. Court-room, No. 30 First street, corner Second avenue. Clerk's Office open daily from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court opens 10 A. M. daily, and remains open to close of business.
 GEORGE F. ROESCH, Justice. ANDREW LANG, Clerk.
 Fifth District—The Fifth District embraces the Eleventh Ward and all that portion of the Thirteenth Ward which lies east of the centre line of Norfolk street and north of the centre line of Grand street and west of the centre line of Pitt street and north of the centre line of Delancey street and northwest of Clinton street to Rivington street, and on the centre line of Rivington street south to Norfolk street. Court-room, No. 154 Clinton street.
 BENJAMIN HOFFMAN, Justice. THOMAS FITZPATRICK, Clerk.
 Sixth District—Eighteenth and Twenty-first Wards. Court-room, northwest corner Twenty-third street and Second avenue. Court opens at 9 A. M. daily, and continues open until close of business.
 DANIEL F. MARTIN, Justice. ABRAM BERNARD, Clerk.
 Seventh District—Nineteenth Ward. Court-room, No. 151 East Fifty-seventh street. Court opens every morning at 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays), and continues open to close of business.
 HERMAN JOSEPH, Justice.
 Eighth District—Sixteenth and Twentieth Wards. Court-room, northwest corner Twenty-third street and Eighth avenue. Court opens at 9 A. M. and continues open until close of business. Summary proceedings and return causes called at 9:30 A. M. Calendar trial causes, 10 A. M.
 Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., and on Saturdays until 12 M.
 Trial days and Return days, each Court day.
 JAMES W. McLAUGHLIN, Justice.
 HENRY MERZBACH, Clerk.
 Ninth District—Twelfth Ward, except that portion thereof which lies west of the centre line of Lenox or Sixth avenue, and of the Harlem river north of the terminus of Lenox avenue. Court-room, No. 170 East One Hundred and Twenty-first street, southeast corner of Sylvan place. Court opens every morning at 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays), and continues open to close of business.
 JOSEPH P. FALLON, Justice. WILLIAM J. KENNEDY, Clerk.
 Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 Tenth District—The Tenth District embraces that portion of the Twenty-second Ward south of Seventy-fourth street. Court-room, No. 314 West Fifty-fourth street. Court opens daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 THOMAS E. MURRAY, Justice. MICHAEL SKELLY, 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 Broadway and the North or Hudson river, and west of the centre line of Lenox or Sixth avenue and of the Harlem river; north of the terminus of Lenox or Sixth avenue. Court-room, No. 70 Manhattan street. Clerk's office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court convenes daily at 9:45 A. M.
 FRANCIS J. WORCESTER, Justice. HEMAN B. WILSON, Clerk.
 Twelfth District—The Twelfth District embraces that portion of the Twenty-second Ward north of Seventy-fourth street, and that portion of the Twelfth Ward which lies north of the centre line of Seventy-sixth street and west of the centre line of Seventh avenue and south of the centre line of One Hundred and Twentieth street, between Seventh avenue and Broadway, and south of the centre line of One Hundred and Nineteenth street, between Broadway and the North or Hudson river. Court-room, No. 2630 Broadway.
 ALFRED P. W. SEAMAN, Justice. JAMES V. GILLOON, Clerk.
 Thirteenth District—South side of Delancey street, from East river to Pitt street; east side of Pitt street, Grand street, south side of Grand street to Norfolk street, east side of Norfolk street to Division street, south side of Division street to Catharine street, east

side of Catharine street to East river. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

LEON SANDERS, Justice; JAMES J. DEVLIN, Clerk.
 Court-room, No. 200 East Broadway.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

First District—All that part of the Twenty-fourth Ward which was lately annexed to the City and County of New York by chapter 934 of the Laws of 1895, comprising all of the late Town of Westchester and part of the Towns of Eastchester and Pelham, including the Villages of Wakefield and Williamsbridge. Court-room, Town Hall, Main street, Westchester Village. Court opens daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Trial of causes are Tuesday and Friday of each week.
 WILLIAM W. PENFIELD, Justice. THOMAS F. DELEHANTY, Clerk.
 Office hours from 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Saturdays, closing at 12 M.

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

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

First District—Comprising First, Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth, Sixth, Tenth and Twelfth Wards of the Borough of Brooklyn. Court-house, northwest corner State and Court streets.
 JOHN J. WALSH, Justice. EDWARD MORAN, Clerk.
 Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 Calendar called at 10 A. M.

Second District—Seventh, Ninth, Eleventh, Twentieth, Twenty-first and Twenty-third Wards. Court-room located at No. 1217 Bedford avenue, Brooklyn. Calendar called at 10 o'clock A. M.
 GERARD B. VAN WART, Justice. WILLIAM H. ALLEN, Clerk.
 Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

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

Fourth District—Twenty-fourth, Twenty-fifth, Twenty-sixth, Twenty-seventh and Twenty-eighth Wards. Court-room, No. 14 Howard avenue.
 THOMAS H. WILLIAMS, Justice.
 G. J. WIEDERHOLD, Clerk.
 R. M. BENNETT, Assistant Clerk.
 Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

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

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

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

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

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

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

First District—First and Third Wards (Towns of Castleton and Northfield). Court-room, former Village Hall, Lafayette avenue and Second street, New Brighton.
 JOHN J. KENNY, Justice. ANNING S. PRALL, Clerk.
 Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 Court held each day, except Saturdays, from 10 A. M.

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

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

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

TUESDAY, AUGUST 30, 1904.

Borough of Manhattan.

NO. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING HARDWARE, PAINTS, IRON, STEAM FITTINGS, LUMBER AND MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before 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 totals and awards made to the lowest bidder on each item, except lumber, the bids on which 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 Department of Correction, the Borough of Manhattan, No. 148 East Twentieth street.

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,

Commissioner.

Dated AUGUST 15, 1904. 16,30
 See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, No. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

TO BE SOLD AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

MONDAY, AUGUST 29, 1904.

at 11 A. M., at the Kings County Penitentiary, No. 245 Crown street.

Borough of Brooklyn.

About 5,000 YARDS OF STONE and Broken Stone, now at The Kings County Penitentiary, No. 245 Crown st., Borough of Brooklyn.

All quantities to be "more or less." All quantities to be "as are." All the above to be received by the purchaser at the Kings County Penitentiary, and removed therefrom immediately upon being notified that same are ready for delivery. ALL LOADING WILL BE DONE BY THE DEPARTMENT.

The successful bidder will be required to pay twenty-five per cent. of the estimated amount of his purchase to me at the time and place of sale, and the balance to the Warden at the Kings County Penitentiary, in cash or certified check on a New York City bank, upon delivery of the goods.

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

FRANCIS J. LANTRY,
Commissioner.
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DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

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

SALE OF UNUSED PROPERTY—BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT, pursuant to Section 547 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, a sale will take place at Public Auction at 10 A. M., on

THURSDAY, THE 8TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1904.

at the Incumbent Yard, of the Department of Street Cleaning, Baltic avenue, between Rochester and Utica avenues, in the Borough of Brooklyn, of the following unused property of this Department, to wit:

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

F. M. GIBSON,
Deputy and Acting Commissioner.
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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 12 o'clock M., on

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 1904.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx. CONTRACT FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 5,000 FEET OF RUBBER HOSE TO COMPLETE AN UNFULFILLED CONTRACT.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is thirty 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 per foot, by which the bids will be tested. 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 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 August 22, 1904
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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.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, at the City Hall, Room No. 16, until 3 o'clock P. M., on

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 24, 1904.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL NECESSARY FOR REPAIRS TO SEWER IN WASHINGTON STREET, BETWEEN ALBANY STREET AND CARLISLE STREET.

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

- 147 linear feet of brick sewer of 3 feet 6 inch by 3 feet 4 inch interior diameter.
- 7,500 feet, B. M., of timber and planking for bracing and sheet piling.

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

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

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR REPAIRS TO SEWER IN WASHINGTON STREET, BETWEEN MORRIS AND RECTOR STREETS.

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

- 691 linear feet of brick sewer of 4 feet by 2 feet 8 inches interior diameter.
- 12 linear feet of salt glazed vitrified stoneware pipe culvert of 12-inch interior diameter.
- 30,000 feet, B. M., of timber and planking for bracing and sheet piling.

The time allowed to complete the whole work is one hundred and twenty-five (125) working days.

The amount of the security required is Four Thousand Dollars (\$4,000).

No. 3. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL NECESSARY FOR REPAIRS TO SEWER IN GREENWICH STREET, BETWEEN CORTLANDT AND LIBERTY STREETS.

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

- 185 linear feet of brick sewer of 4 feet by 2 feet 8 inches interior diameter.
- 10,000 feet, B. M., of timber and planking for bracing and sheet piling.

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

The amount of the security required is Twelve Hundred Dollars (\$1,200).

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

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

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

JOHN F. AHEARN,
Borough President.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, August 12, 1904.

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

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 THE BRONX.

List 8098, No. 1. Sewer and appurtenances in Crotona avenue from Garden street to East One Hundred and Eighty-second street.

List 8099, No. 2. Flagging east side of Forest avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street and Home street.

List 8120, No. 3. Fencing vacant lots on the north side of Teasdale place, between Boston road and Cauldwell avenue; on the south side of Teasdale place, between Third avenue and Cauldwell avenue; on the south side of Wendover avenue, between Park avenue and Washington 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 Crotona avenue, from Garden street to East One Hundred and Eighty-second street.
No. 2. East side of Forest avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street and Home street, on Block 2661, Lot No. 11.

No. 3. North side of Teasdale place, between Boston road and Cauldwell avenue, on Block 2621, Lots Nos. 75 to 79, inclusive; south side of Teasdale place, between Cauldwell avenue and Third avenue, on Block 2621, Lots Nos. 12 to 18, inclusive; south side of Wendover avenue, from Washington avenue to Park avenue, on Block 2003, Lots Nos. 17 and 23.

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 September 13, 1904, at 1 P. M., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

ROBERT MUH,
ANTONIO ZUCCA,
CHARLES A. O'MALLEY,
Board of Assessors.

WILLIAM H. JASPER,
Secretary,
No. 320 Broadway.
CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
August 12, 1904.
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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES at the above office until 12 o'clock M., on

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 2, 1904.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING TWO HUNDRED (200) TONS OF GAS COAL.

The time for the performance of the contract is during the year 1904.

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

The bidder will state the price per gross ton for coal, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and tacked up, as the bids will be read from the total and awards made to the lowest bidder on each item, as stated in the specifications.

JAMES H. TULLY,
Commissioner.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, August 22, 1904.

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

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 2, 1904.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR MAKING REPAIRS TO ROOFS, LEADERS, SKYLIGHTS, ETC., OF THE VARIOUS BUILDINGS AT CITY HOSPITAL, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR PUTTING ON NEW GUTTERS AND FOR MAKING REPAIRS TO ROOF OF NURSES' HOME, METROPOLITAN HOSPITAL, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND.

The time allowed for doing and completing the work will be on Contract No. 1, forty (40) consecutive working days; and on Contract No. 2, thirty (30) consecutive working days.

The security required will be on Contract No. 1, One Thousand (\$1,000) Dollars; and on Contract No. 2, Three Hundred (\$300) Dollars.

The bidder will state one aggregate price for each contract described and specified, as each contract is entire and for a complete job.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Supervising Engineer of the Department, foot of East Twenty-sixth street, The City of New York, where plans and specifications may be seen.

JAMES H. TULLY, Commissioner.

Dated August 22, 1904.
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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.

Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

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

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 2, 1904.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE ERECTION OF FIREPROOF BALCONIES FOR THE FEMALE BUILDING, NEW YORK CITY HOME FOR AGED AND INFIRM, BROOKLYN DIVISION, KINGS COUNTY HOSPITAL GROUNDS, FLATBUSH.

The time allowed for doing and completing the work will be ninety (90) consecutive working days.

The security required will be Seven Thousand Dollars (\$7,000).

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 the Supervising Engineer of the Department, foot of East Twenty-sixth street, The City of New York, where plans and specifications may be seen.

JAMES H. TULLY,
Commissioner.

Dated August 22, 1904.
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See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 61 ELM STREET, CITY OF NEW YORK.

PUBLIC NOTICE WILL BE GIVEN OF ALL competitive examinations two weeks in advance of the date upon which the receipt of applications for any scheduled examination will 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.

HENRY BERLINGER, Secretary.

12-24-03

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 61 ELM STREET, NEW YORK CITY, August 19, 1904.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT open competitive examinations will be held for the following positions:

GARDENER—MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 12, 1904, AT 10 A. M.

The receipt of applications will close on Tuesday, September 6, at 4 P. M.

The scope of the examination will be as follows:

- Technical..... 6
- Experience..... 4
- Percentage required, 75 on technical paper, and 70 on total. The salary attached to this position is \$75 per month. The minimum age is 21.

INSPECTOR OF REGULATING, GRADING AND PAVING—WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 1904, AT 10 A. M.

The receipt of applications will close on Wednesday, September 7, 1904, at 4 P. M.

The scope of the examination will be as follows:

- Technical..... 5
- Mathematics..... 1
- Report..... 2
- Experience..... 2
- Percentage required, 75 on technical paper and 70 on total.

The salary attached to this position is from \$3.50 to \$4.00 per day. The minimum age is 21.

LIBRARIAN IN CHARGE (Men and Women)—THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 1904, AT 10 A. M.

The receipt of applications will close on Thursday, September 8, 1904, at 4 P. M.

The scope of the examination will be as follows:

- Special Paper..... 6
- Arithmetic..... 1
- Experience..... 3
- The minimum age is 21.
- The percentage required is 70.

BOOKKEEPER—FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 16, 1904, AT 10 A. M.

The receipt of applications will close on Thursday, September 8, at 4 P. M.

The scope of the examination is as follows:

- Special paper..... 6
- Arithmetic..... 3
- Letter..... 1
- Percentage required, 75 on special paper and 70 on total.

The salary is \$1,200 per annum and upwards. The minimum age is 21.

CORONER'S PHYSICIAN—WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 21, 1904, AT 10 A. M.

The receipt of applications will close on Saturday, September 10, at 12 M.

The scope of the examination is as follows:

- Technical..... 6
- Experience..... 4
- Percentage required, 75 on technical paper and 70 on total.

The salary attached to this position is \$3,000 per annum. The minimum age is 21.

ASSISTANT SECRETARY—FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 23, 1904, AT 10 A. M.

The receipt of applications will close on Monday, September 12, at 4 P. M.

The scope of the examination is as follows:

- Special paper..... 5
- Mathematics..... 2
- Letter..... 2
- Experience..... 1
- Percentage required is 70.

The salary attached to this position is \$1,500 per annum. The minimum age is 21.

CLERK, DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS—TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 27, 1904, at 10 A. M.

The receipt of applications will close on Wednesday, September 14, at 4 P. M.

The subjects and weights of the examination are as follows:

- Clerical..... 15
- Spelling..... 15
- Dictation..... 15
- Writing..... 30
- Arithmetic..... 20
- Letter..... 20
- Special paper..... 50
- Percentage required, 70 on clerical and 70 on special.

The salary attached to this position is \$1,200 per annum. The minimum age is 21.

JANITOR—THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 29, 1904, AT 10 A. M.

The receipt of applications will close on Thursday, September 15, at 4 P. M.

The scope of the examination is as follows:

- Special paper..... 5
- Arithmetic..... 1
- Handwriting..... 1
- Experience..... 3
- Percentage required is 70.

A physical examination is required preliminary to the mental.

The salary attached to the position is \$900 per annum and upwards.

The minimum age is 21.

AUTOMOBILE ENGINEER—TUESDAY, OCTOBER 4, 1904, AT 10 A. M.

The receipt of applications will close on Friday, September 16, 1904, at 4 P. M.

The scope of the examination is as follows:

- Technical..... 50
- Mathematics..... 15
- Report..... 15
- Experience..... 20
- Percentage required, 75 on technical paper and 70 on total.

The salary attached to this position is \$2.50 to \$3.50 per day. The minimum age is 21.

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DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

SALE OF OLD MATERIAL.

THOMAS BOWE, AUCTIONEER, WILL SELL on behalf of the Department of Docks and Ferries, on Thursday, August 25, 1904, commencing at 10.30 o'clock A. M., at the Wallabout Basin, in the Borough of Brooklyn, the following lots of OLD MATERIAL:

At the Wallabout Basin—Brooklyn.

- Lot No. 1. Raft of about 36 pile butts from 8 to 24 feet long.
- Lot No. 2. Raft of about 41 pile butts from 6 to 20 feet long.
- Lot No. 3. Raft of 12 x 12 yellow pine about 40 feet long, 30 feet wide and 2 feet deep; also about 6 oak piles.
- Lot No. 4. Bunch of about 26 old piles about 30 feet long.
- Lot No. 5. Raft of 3 x 12 yellow pine 35 feet long, 22 feet wide and 2 feet deep.
- Lot No. 6. Raft of 12 x 12 yellow pine 35 feet long, 26 feet wide and 1 foot deep.
- Lot No. 7. Raft of 12 x 12 yellow pine 35 feet long, 20 feet wide and 1 foot deep.
- Lot No. 8. Raft consisting of about 50 spruce piles and 70 oak piles, with about 10 pieces of 10 x 12 yellow pine. This raft is 80 feet long, 28 feet wide and 3 feet deep.
- Lot No. 9. Raft of 3 x 10 yellow pine 40 feet long, 28 feet wide and 3 feet deep.
- Lot No. 10. Raft of 12 x 12 yellow pine 38 feet long, 25 feet wide and 1 foot deep.
- Lot No. 11. Raft of about 35 pile butts about 25 feet long.
- Lot No. 12. Raft of about 35 pile butts about 25 feet long.
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- Lot No. 22. Raft of about 17 spruce and 17 oak piles about 35 feet long.
 Lot No. 23. Raft of about 20 pieces of 12 x 14 yellow pine about 35 feet long.
 Lot No. 24. Raft of about 15 pieces of 12 x 14 yellow pine about 35 feet long.
 Lot No. 25. Raft of miscellaneous timber 40 feet long, 20 feet wide and 5 feet deep.
 Lot No. 26. Raft of miscellaneous timber 46 feet long, 26 feet wide and 6½ feet deep.
 Lot No. 27. Raft of miscellaneous timber 12 feet long, 25 feet wide and 5 feet deep.
 Lot No. 28. Raft of miscellaneous timber and about 20 spruce piles 40 feet long, 27 feet wide and 4 feet deep.

TERMS OF SALE.

The sale will commence at 10.30 o'clock A. M.
 Each of the above lots will be sold separately and for a sum in gross.

The estimated quantities stated to be in the several lots are believed to be correct; but the Commissioner of Docks will not make any allowance from the purchase money for short deliveries on any lot, and bidders must judge for themselves as to the correctness of the estimate of quantity when making their bids.

If the purchaser or purchasers fails or fail to effect removal of the material within ten days from the date of sale, he or they shall forfeit his or their purchase money or moneys and the ownership of the material.

Terms of sale to be cash, to be paid at the time of sale.

An order will be given for the material purchased.
 Dated THE CITY OF NEW YORK, August 10, 1904.

MAURICE FEATHERSON,
 Commissioner of Docks.
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DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES, PIER "A,"
 FOOT OF BATTERY PLACE, NORTH RIVER, BOROUGH OF
 MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE COMMISSIONER OF DOCKS AT THE ABOVE OFFICE UNTIL 2 O'CLOCK P. M., ON

FRIDAY, AUGUST 26, 1904.

Borough of Manhattan.

CONTRACT No. 863.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR BUILDING A NEW DECK SCOW AND A NEW COAL SCOW.
 The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of 120 calendar days.

The amount of security required is for—
 Class I..... \$2,200
 Class II..... 2,000

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 at the office of the said Department.

MAURICE FEATHERSON,
 Commissioner of Docks.

Dated August 12, 1904.

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

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES, PIER "A,"
 FOOT OF BATTERY PLACE, NORTH RIVER, BOROUGH OF
 MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE COMMISSIONER OF DOCKS AT THE ABOVE OFFICE UNTIL 2 O'CLOCK P. M., ON

THURSDAY, AUGUST 25, 1904.

Borough of Manhattan.

CONTRACT No. 866.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR FURNISHING AND LAYING A NEW GRANITE PAVEMENT, BETWEEN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FIRST AND EAST ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SECOND STREETS AND PARK AVENUE, HARLEM RIVER, AND BETWEEN WEST ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTIETH AND WEST ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FIRST STREETS, NORTH RIVER.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of 30 calendar days.

The amount of security required is—
 For Class I, \$5,500.
 For Class II, \$3,000.

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

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the said Department.

MAURICE FEATHERSON,
 Commissioner of Docks.

Dated August 12, 1904.

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

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES, PIER "A,"
 FOOT OF BATTERY PLACE, NORTH RIVER, BOROUGH OF
 MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE COMMISSIONER OF DOCKS AT THE ABOVE OFFICE UNTIL 2 O'CLOCK P. M., ON

THURSDAY, AUGUST 25, 1904.

Borough of Manhattan.

CONTRACT No. 865.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR PREPARING FOR, AND EXTENDING, WIDENING AND REPAIRING THE PIER AT THE FOOT OF WEST FORTY-FOURTH STREET, NORTH RIVER.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of 120 calendar days.

The amount of security required is Sixty Thousand Dollars.

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

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the said Department.

MAURICE FEATHERSON,
 Commissioner of Docks.

Dated August 12, 1904.

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

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES, PIER A,
 NORTH RIVER, NEW YORK, MARCH 31, 1904.

THE COMMISSIONER HAS FIXED THE amounts of bonds required on contracts awarded by this Department, as follows:

On all contracts for supplies, 40 per cent. of the estimated cost;
 On all contracts, other than contracts for supplies, where the estimated cost is not over \$200,000, 40 per cent. of the estimated cost;

On all contracts, other than contracts for supplies, where the estimated cost is over \$200,000, but not over \$1,000,000, 25 per cent. of the estimated cost;

On all contracts, other than contracts for supplies, where the estimated cost is over \$1,000,000, 20 per cent. of the estimated cost.

CHARLES J. COLLINS,
 Secretary.

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF RICHMOND, NEW BRITTON, N. Y., August 16, 1904.

NOTICE OF SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

AS PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF Richmond, I will sell at Public Auction to the highest bidder, on the 30th day of August, 1904, at 12.30 o'clock P. M., on the premises, Port Richmond, Staten Island, situated on the west side of Simonson place, beginning 137½ feet south of Bond street and extending 50 feet southerly therefrom, a two-story and attic frame building, 10 feet by 20 feet.

The said building will be sold only on condition that the purchaser shall remove the said building and all materials comprising the same within thirty days from the date of said sale; and that in case he does not remove same within said time, it may be resold by The City of New York, and the purchase money paid at the first sale will be forfeited to said City.

The whole purchase price bid shall be paid by the successful bidder in cash at the time of the sale.

GEORGE CROMWELL,
 President of the Borough of Richmond.
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OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF RICHMOND, FIRST NATIONAL BANK BUILDING, ST. GEORGE, NEW BRITTON, NEW YORK CITY.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF Richmond, at the above office until 11 o'clock A. M., on

TUESDAY, AUGUST 30, 1904.

Borough of Richmond.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR REPAVING WITH SECOND-HAND GRANITE BLOCK PAVEMENT ON SAND FOUNDATION BURGHER AND BEMENT AVENUES GUTTERS, AS SHOWN ON DIAGRAM.

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

1,700 square yards pavement.
 100 linear feet old curbstone, rejointed and reset.

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

The amount of security required is Seven Hundred Dollars (\$700).

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR REPAVING WITH SECOND-HAND GRANITE BLOCK ON SAND FOUNDATION GUTTERS ON MORNINGSTAR ROAD, AS SHOWN ON DIAGRAM.

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

1,470 square yards pavement.
 100 linear feet old curbstone, rejointed and reset.

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

The amount of security required is Eight Hundred Dollars (\$800).

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

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

The plans and drawings may be seen and other information obtained at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works of the Borough of Richmond, Richmond Building, New Brighton, Borough of Richmond.

GEORGE CROMWELL,
 President.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, August 10, 1904.

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

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE FIRE COMMISSIONER AT THE ABOVE OFFICE UNTIL 10.30 O'CLOCK A. M., ON

TUESDAY, AUGUST 30, 1904.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE ERECTION AND COMPLETION OF A BUILDING FOR ENGINE COMPANY NO. 7 AND HOOK AND LADDER COMPANY NO. 1, TO BE LOCATED ON THE SOUTHERLY SIDE OF DUANE STREET, 130 FEET 4 INCHES WEST OF BROADWAY, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is 175 days.

The amount of security required is Forty Thousand Dollars.

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 AND COMPLETION OF THE PLUMBING, GAS AND ELECTRIC SYSTEMS FOR A NEW BUILDING FOR ENGINE COMPANY NO. 7 AND HOOK AND LADDER COMPANY NO. 1, TO BE LOCATED ON THE SOUTHERLY SIDE OF DUANE STREET, 130 FEET 4 INCHES WEST OF BROADWAY.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is 90 days.

The amount of security required is Two Thousand Dollars.

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

No. 3. FOR THE ERECTION AND COMPLETION OF A HEATING SYSTEM FOR A NEW BUILDING FOR ENGINE COMPANY 7 AND HOOK AND LADDER COMPANY 1, TO BE LOCATED ON THE SOUTHERLY SIDE OF DUANE STREET, 130 FEET 4 INCHES WEST OF BROADWAY, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is 90 days.

The amount of security required is \$1,000.

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

No. 4. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR ALTERATIONS AND REPAIRS TO QUARTERS OF ENGINE COMPANY 44, LOCATED AT No. 242 EAST SEVENTY-FIFTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is 90 days.

The amount of security required is Nine Thousand Dollars.

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

No. 5. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR ADDITIONS AND ALTERATIONS TO QUARTERS OF ENGINE COMPANY 50, LOCATED AT No. 749 EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-SIXTH STREET, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is 90 days.

The amount of security required is Nine Thousand Dollars.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Fire Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, Manhattan.

NICHOLAS J. HAYES,
 Fire Commissioner.

Dated AUGUST 17, 1904.

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

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEBASTIAN, AUCTIONEER, ON BEHALF of the Fire Department of The City of New York, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, will offer for sale, at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, at the Hospital and Training Stables, Nos. 133 and 135 West Ninety-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan, on Tuesday, August 23, 1904, at 12 o'clock M., the following eight horses, no longer fit for service in the Department, and known as Nos. 524, 647, 702, 712, 816, 1028, 1263 and 1299.

THOMAS W. CHURCHILL,
 Deputy and Acting Fire Commissioner.
 a17,23

BOARD OF ELECTIONS.

BOARD OF ELECTIONS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, No. 107 WEST FORTY-FIRST STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE BOARD OF ELECTIONS AT THE ABOVE OFFICE UNTIL 12 O'CLOCK M., ON

TUESDAY, AUGUST 23, 1904.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING STATIONERY, PRINTING AND SUPPLIES FOR ELECTION PURPOSES.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies, and the performance of the contract, is on or before October 1, 1904, and November 1, 1904.

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

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Board of Elections, Borough of Manhattan, No. 107 West Forty-first street.

JOHN R. VOORHIS,
 CHARLES B. PAGE,
 JOHN MAGUIRE,
 RUDOLPH C. FULLER,
 Board of Elections.

A. C. ALLEN,
 Chief Clerk.

Dated AUGUST 11, 1904.

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

CHANGE OF GRADE DAMAGE COMMISSION.

TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 537 of the Laws of 1893, and the Acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, notice is hereby given that meetings of the Commissioners appointed under said Acts will be held at the office of the Commission, Room 138, No. 280 Broadway (Stewart Building), Borough of Manhattan, New York City, on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays of each week, at 2 o'clock P. M., until further notice.

Dated NEW YORK CITY, March 26, 1904.

WILLIAM E. STILLINGS,
 CHARLES A. JACKSON,
 OSCAR S. BAILEY,
 Commissioners.

LAMONT McLOUGHLIN,
 Clerk.

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. 500 Mulberry street, Room No. 9, for the following property, now in his custody, without claimants: Boats, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, wine, blankets, diamonds, canned goods, liquors, etc., also small amount of money taken from prisoners and found by Patrolmen of this Department.

THOMAS F. O'CONNOR,
 Property Clerk.

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

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

JOSEPH J. CAREY,
 Deputy Property Clerk.

BOARD MEETINGS.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment meet in the Old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, every Friday, 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, at call of the Mayor.

N. TAYLOR PHILLIPS,
 Deputy Comptroller, Secretary.

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 1, 1904.

Borough of Manhattan.

FOR REPAIRING ASPHALT ROADWAY PAVEMENTS IN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, TOGETHER WITH OTHER WORK INCIDENTAL THEREIN.

The period during which this contract shall be in force will be one year from and after its execution, but bidders are notified that the contractor shall begin work hereunder within forty-eight hours after receiving notice from the Engineer that repairs are needed at any of the locations specified, and he shall complete the repairs stipulated in said notice within a reasonable time thereafter.

The amount of security required is Three Thousand Dollars.

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, Arsenal, Central Park, Borough of Manhattan.

JOHN J. PALLAS, President;
 WILLIAM P. SCHMITT,
 MICHAEL J. KENNEDY,
 Commissioners of Parks.

Dated August 19, 1904.

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

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE PARK BOARD AT THE ABOVE OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS UNTIL 3 O'CLOCK P. M., ON

THURSDAY, AUGUST 25, 1904.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FIVE THOUSAND (5,000) CUBIC YARDS TOP SOIL IN TREE HOLES, SPUYTEN DUYVIL PARKWAY, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

The time for delivery will be before November 1, 1904.

The amount of security required is Three Thousand Dollars.

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

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

JOHN J. PALLAS, President;
 WILLIAM P. SCHMITT,
 MICHAEL J. KENNEDY,
 Commissioners of Parks.

Dated August —, 1904.

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

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

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THURSDAY, AUGUST 25, 1904.

Borough of Manhattan.

No. 1. FOR WORK AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR BUILDING A BUFFALO AND DEER HOUSE FOR THE CENTRAL PARK MENAGERIE.

The time allowed for doing the work will be 45 consecutive working days.

The amount of security required is Five Hundred Dollars.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING COAL WHERE REQUIRED ON PARKS.

The time for delivery will be before December 31, 1904.

The amount of security required is Two Thousand Dollars.

No. 3. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING HARNES AND SIAHLE SUPPLIES.

The time for delivery will be within thirty days.

The amount of security required is Seven Hundred Dollars.

The contract 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, Arsenal, Central Park, Borough of Manhattan.

JOHN J. PALLAS, President;
 WILLIAM P. SCHMITT,
 MICHAEL J. KENNEDY,
 Commissioners of Parks.

Dated August 12, 1904.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

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

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

No. 186. Regulating and grading, setting curb stones and flagging of sidewalks a space four feet wide, laying of crosswalks, building approaches and erecting fences where necessary in East One Hundred and Thirty-third street, from the Southern Boulevard to Cypress avenue.

No. 187. Constructing a sewer and appurtenances in Lisbon place, between Moshulu parkway, South, and East Two Hundred and Fifth street, and in East Two Hundred and Fifth street, between Lisbon place and Grand Boulevard and Concourse.

No. 188. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for the opening of West Two Hundred and Thirty-sixth street from Albany road to Riverdale avenue.

No. 189. Constructing a sewer and appurtenances in Macomb's road, between Inwood avenue and Macomb's Dam road; and in Macomb's Dam road, between Macomb's road and West One Hundred and Seventieth street.

No. 190. Changing the lines of Palisade avenue, between Kappock street and West Two Hundred and Thirty-sixth street.

No. 191. Widening of Morris avenue at its easterly side between Park avenue, West, and East One Hundred and Sixty-third street, also of Teller avenue, between East One Hundred and Sixty-second street and East One Hundred and Sixty-third street, in order to conform with the easterly lines of Morris avenue and Teller avenue (Courtlandt avenue), as shown on "Map of easterly part of West Morrisania," filed February 24, 1892.

No. 192. Regulating and grading, setting curbstones, flagging sidewalks a space four feet wide, laying crosswalks, building approaches and erecting fences where necessary, in East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street, between Jerome avenue and the Grand Boulevard and Concourse.

The petitions for the above will be submitted by me to the Local Board having jurisdiction thereof on September 1, 1904, at 2 p. m., at the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, Municipal Building, Crotona Park, One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue.

Dated August 19, 1904.
LOUIS F. HOFFEN,
President of the Borough of The Bronx.
a22,29,31

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

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT A PETITION has been presented to me and is on file in my office for inspection for—

No. 185. Extension of the street known as Maple avenue, from the southerly side of First street, Williamsbridge, to a point further north, where the said avenue may strike the White Plains road.

The petitions for the above will be submitted by me to the Local Board of Chester, Twenty-fifth District, on September 1, 1904, at 2 p. m., at the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, Municipal Building, Crotona Park, One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue.

Dated August 19, 1904.
LOUIS F. HOFFEN,
President of the Borough of The Bronx.
a20,22,29,31

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

MONDAY, AUGUST 29, 1904.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FORAGE TO THE BUREAU OF HIGHWAYS.

1,800 bushels No. 2 best white clipped oats.
60,000 pounds best timothy hay.
8,000 pounds best rye straw.

To be delivered as required and directed to the stables of the Bureau of Highways, in the Borough of The Bronx.

Final delivery to be made on or before December 31, 1904.

Amount of security required will be Seven Hundred and Fifty Dollars.

No. 2. REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURBSTONES, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSWALKS, BUILDING APPROACHES AND PLACING FENCES IN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-SEVENTH STREET, FROM SOUTHERN BOULEVARD TO AUSTIN PLACE.

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

1,500 cubic yards of earth excavation.
2,000 cubic yards of rock excavation.
1,000 cubic yards of filling.
1,025 linear feet of new curbstones furnished and set.

4,300 square feet of new flagging, furnished and laid.

110 square feet of new bridgestones for crosswalks, furnished and laid.

115 cubic yards of dry rubble masonry in retaining walls, culverts, and

The time allowed for completion of the work will be 75 working days.

The security required will be Two Thousand Dollars.

No. 3. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING, SETTING CURBSTONES, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSWALKS, BUILDING APPROACHES AND PLACING FENCES IN WENDOVER AVENUE, FROM BOSTON ROAD TO CROTONA PARK.

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

850 cubic yards of excavation of all kinds.

1,750 cubic yards of filling.

650 linear feet of new curbstones.

2,600 square feet of new flagging, furnished and laid.

50 cubic yards of dry rubble masonry in retaining walls, culverts and gutters.

The time allowed for completion of the work will be 60 working days.

Amount of security required will be One Thousand Dollars.

No. 4. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING, SETTING CURBSTONES, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSWALKS, BUILDING APPROACHES AND PLACING FENCES IN VYSE AVENUE, FROM ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SECOND STREET TO ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-SECOND STREET.

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

10,250 cubic yards of earth excavation.

7,000 cubic yards of rock excavation.

15,800 cubic yards of filling.

7,950 linear feet of new curbstones, furnished and set.

32,500 square feet of new flagging, furnished and laid.

600 square feet new bridgestones, for crosswalks, furnished and laid.

600 cubic yards of dry rubble masonry in retaining walls, culverts and gutters.
100 linear feet of vitrified stoneware pipe, 12 inches in diameter.

1,000 feet, B. M., of lumber furnished and laid.

The time allowed for completion of the work will be 200 working days.

Security required will be Ten Thousand Dollars.

No. 5. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING, SETTING CURBSTONES, FLAGGING THE NORTHERLY SIDEWALK, LAYING CROSSWALKS, BUILDING APPROACHES AND PLACING FENCES IN BELMONT STREET 50 feet in width (being the northerly portion thereof) WITH A SIDEWALK, 15 feet in width, and roadway 30 feet in width, from Topping street to Week street.

The Engineer's estimate of the work to be done is as follows:

1,620 cubic yards of earth excavation.

190 cubic yards of rock excavation.

450 cubic yards of filling.

820 linear feet of new curbstones, furnished and set.

1,670 square feet of new flagging, furnished and laid.

312 square feet of new bridgestones, for crosswalks, furnished and laid.

42 cubic yards of dry rubble masonry, in retaining walls, culverts and gutters.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be 40 working days.

The security required will be Twelve Hundred Dollars.

No. 6. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING, SETTING CURBSTONES, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSWALKS, BUILDING APPROACHES AND PLACING FENCES IN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SIXTH STREET, from Arthur avenue to the Southern Boulevard.

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

5,330 cubic yards of earth excavation.

7,350 cubic yards of rock excavation.

6,250 cubic yards of filling.

4,840 linear feet of new curbstones, furnished and set.

19,640 square feet of new flagging, furnished and laid.

560 square feet of new bridgestones for crosswalks, furnished and laid.

490 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 150 working days.

Security required will be Twelve Thousand Dollars.

No. 7. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING, SETTING CURBSTONES, FLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSWALKS, BUILDING APPROACHES AND PLACING FENCES IN OAKLAND PLACE, from Prospect avenue to Belmont avenue.

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

100 cubic yards of earth excavation.

400 cubic yards of rock excavation.

7,050 cubic yards of filling.

1,625 linear feet of new curbstones, furnished and set.

6,870 square feet of new flagging, furnished and laid.

340 cubic yards of dry rubble masonry, in retaining walls, culverts and gutters.

The time allowed for completion of the work will be 75 working days.

The security required will be Two Thousand Five Hundred Dollars.

No. 8. FOR REPAVING WITH GRANITE BLOCK PAVEMENT, ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE ROADWAY OF RIDER AVENUE, from East One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street to East One Hundred and Forty-fourth street.

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

4,850 linear feet of new curbstones, furnished and set.

2,000 square feet of new bridgestones, furnished and laid.

6,650 square yards new granite block pavement, on a concrete foundation, laid with paving cement joints.

1,450 cubic yards of concrete in place.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be 75 working days.

The security required will be Ten Thousand Dollars.

No. 9. FOR REPAVING WITH GRANITE BLOCK PAVEMENT, ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE ROADWAY OF EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-SECOND STREET, from Third avenue to Morris avenue, AND SETTING CURB WHERE NECESSARY.

The Engineer's estimate of the work to be done is as follows:

3,500 linear feet of new curbstones, furnished and set.

500 linear feet of old curbstones, recut on top, rejoined and reset.

270 square feet of new bridgestones, furnished and laid.

4,650 square yards of new granite block pavement, on a concrete foundation, laid with paving cement joints.

940 cubic yards of concrete in place.

The amount of security required will be Seven Thousand Dollars.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be 60 working days.

No. 10. FOR REPAVING WITH GRANITE BLOCK PAVEMENT, ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE ROADWAY OF THIRD AVENUE, from East One Hundred and Forty-eighth street to East One Hundred and Fiftieth street, AND SETTING CURB WHERE NECESSARY.

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

950 linear feet of new curbstones, furnished and set.

3,120 square feet of new bridgestones, furnished and laid.

3,900 square yards of new granite block pavement, on a concrete foundation, laid with paving cement joints.

720 cubic yards of concrete in place.

The time allowed for completion of the work will be 40 working days.

The amount of security required will be Six Thousand Dollars.

No. 11. FOR PAVING WITH GRANITE BLOCK PAVEMENT, EAST ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SIXTH STREET, from the west side of Cypress avenue to the East river.

The Engineer's estimate of the work will be as follows:

900 linear feet of new curbstones, furnished and set.

1,600 linear feet of old curbstones, rejoined and reset.

2,350 linear feet of old curbstones, redressed on top, rejoined and reset.

8,925 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 60 working days.

The security required will be Seven Thousand Five Hundred Dollars.

No. 12. REPAVING WITH GRANITE BLOCK PAVEMENT, ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE ROADWAY OF TREMONT AVENUE, from Boston road to the Bronx river, AND SETTING CURB WHERE NECESSARY.

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

690 linear feet of new curbstones, furnished and set.

100 linear feet of old curbstones, rejoined, recut on top and reset.

415 square feet of new bridgestones, furnished and laid.

1,850 square yards of new granite block pavement, on a concrete foundation, laid with paving cement joints.

350 cubic yards of concrete in place.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be 30 working days.

The amount of security required will be Three Thousand Dollars.

No. 13. FOR PAVING THE ROADWAY OF LONGWOOD AVENUE, from the Southern Boulevard to Hewitt place, WITH ASPHALT BLOCKS, ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION, AND FROM HEWITT PLACE TO WESTCHESTER AVENUE, WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION, with the exception of a space 15 feet in width between streets, AND SETTING CURBSTONES AND LAYING FLAGGING WHERE NECESSARY.

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

3,280 square yards of completed asphalt pavement, including binder course, and keeping the same in repair for five years, from date of acceptance.

7,090 square yards of completed asphalt block pavement, and keeping the same in repair for five years from date of acceptance.

1,670 cubic yards of concrete, including mortar bed.

3,500 linear feet of new curbstones (5 inches by 20 inches), furnished and set.

200 linear feet of old curbstones, rejoined, recut on top, and reset.

2,940 linear feet of new curbstones (4 inches by 14 inches), furnished and set.

11,000 square feet of new flagging, furnished and laid.

3,000 square feet of old flagging, rejoined and reset.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be 75 working days.

The security required will be Twelve Thousand Dollars.

No. 14. FOR REPAVING WITH GRANITE BLOCK AND ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE ROADWAY OF WESTCHESTER AVENUE, from Third avenue to Brook avenue, and from Eagle avenue to Prospect avenue, AND SETTING CURB WHERE NECESSARY.

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

975 linear feet of new curbstones, furnished and set.

5,350 linear feet of old curbstones, redressed on top, rejoined and reset.

2,100 square feet of new bridgestones, furnished and laid.

18,950 square yards of new granite block pavement, on a concrete foundation, laid with paving cement joints.

3,750 square yards of asphalt pavement.

4,150 cubic yards of concrete in place.

3 double road boxes complete.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be 125 working days.

The security required will be Thirty-five Thousand Dollars.

No. 15. FOR REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT, ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION, THE ROADWAY OF LINCOLN AVENUE, from East One Hundred and Thirty-second street to East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, AND SETTING CURB WHERE NECESSARY.

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

11,000 square yards of completed asphalt pavement, including binder course, and keeping the pavement in repair for five years from date of acceptance.

1,700 cubic yards of concrete.

2,800 linear feet of new curbstones, furnished and set in concrete.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be 60 working days.

The security required will be Twelve Thousand Dollars.

No. 16. FOR REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF PARK AVENUE, from East One Hundred and Sixty-second street to East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, AND SETTING CURB WHERE NECESSARY.

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

5,400 square yards of completed asphalt pavement, including binder course and keeping the pavement in repair for five years from date of acceptance.

900 cubic yards of concrete.

1,400 linear feet of new curbstone, furnished and set in concrete.

1,000 linear feet of old curbstone, rejoined, recut on top and reset in concrete.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be 60 working days.

The security required will be Seven Thousand Dollars.

No. 17. FOR REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF EAST ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-NINTH STREET, from Brook avenue to St. Ann's avenue, AND SETTING CURB WHERE NECESSARY.

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

1,710 square yards of completed asphalt pavement, including binder course and keeping the pavement in repair for five years from the date of acceptance.

295 cubic yards of concrete.

1,030 linear feet of new curbstones, furnished and set in concrete.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be 20 working days.

The security required will be Two Thousand Dollars.

No. 18. FOR REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-SECOND STREET, from College avenue to Morris avenue, AND SETTING CURB WHERE NECESSARY.

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

240 square yards of completed asphalt pavement, including binder course and keeping the pavement in repair for five years from date of acceptance.

43 cubic yards of concrete.

200 linear feet of new curbstones, furnished and set in concrete.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be 15 working days.

The security required will be Five Hundred Dollars.

No. 19. FOR REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF GROVE STREET, from Third avenue to Brook avenue, AND SETTING CURB WHERE NECESSARY.

The Engineer's estimate is as follows:

810 square yards of completed asphalt pavement, including binder course and keeping the pavement in repair for five years from date of acceptance.

150 cubic yards of concrete.

630 linear feet of new curbstones, furnished and set in concrete.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be 20 working days.

The security required will be One Thousand Five Hundred Dollars.

No. 20. FOR REPAVING WITH ASPHALT BLOCKS ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTIETH STREET, from Courtlandt avenue to Park avenue, AND SETTING CURB WHERE NECESSARY.

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

590 square yards of completed asphalt block pavement, and keeping the same in repair for five years from the date of acceptance.

102 cubic yards of concrete, including mortar bed.

460 linear feet of new curbstones, furnished and set in concrete.

The time allowed for completion of the work will be 20 working days.

The security required will be One Thousand Dollars.

No. 21. FOR REPAVING WITH ASPHALT BLOCKS ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FOURTH STREET, from Third avenue to Elton avenue, and from Melrose avenue to Morris avenue, AND SETTING CURB WHERE NECESSARY.

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

4,300 square yards of completed asphalt block pavement, and keeping the same in repair for five years from date of acceptance.

730 cubic yards of concrete, including mortar bed.

2,000 linear feet of new curbstones, furnished and set in concrete.

1,100 linear feet of old curbstone, rejoined, recut on top and reset in concrete.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be 60 working days.

The security required will be Six Thousand Dollars.

No. 22. FOR REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF EAST ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-NINTH STREET, from Rider avenue to Morris avenue, AND SETTING CURB WHERE NECESSARY.

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

625 square yards of completed asphalt pavement, including binder course and keeping the pavement in repair for five years from date of acceptance.

115 cubic yards of concrete.

street to East One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, AND SETTING CURB WHERE NECESSARY.

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

1,385 square yards of completed asphalt pavement, including binder course and keeping the pavement in repair for five years from date of acceptance.
263 cubic yards of concrete.
530 linear feet of new curbstones, furnished and set in concrete.
500 linear feet of old curbstones, rejointed, recut on top and reset in concrete.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be 30 working days.

The security required will be One Thousand Five Hundred Dollars.

No. 28. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF POND PLACE, from East One Hundred and Ninety-seventh street to East One Hundred and Ninety-eighth street.

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

1,400 square yards of completed asphalt pavement, including binder course and keeping the pavement in repair for five years from the date of acceptance.
200 cubic yards of concrete.
1,000 linear feet of new curbstones, furnished and set in concrete.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be 40 working days.

The security required will be Two Thousand Five Hundred Dollars.

No. 29. FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWERS AND APPURTENANCES IN CLIFFORD PLACE, between Jerome avenue and Walton avenue, AND IN TOWNSEND AVENUE, between East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street and East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street, AND WALTON AVENUE, between Clifford place and East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street.

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

280 linear feet of pipe sewer, 18 inches.
260 linear feet of pipe sewer, 15 inches.
1,248 linear feet of pipe sewer, 12 inches.
232 spurs for house connections.
19 manholes complete.
4 receiving basins complete.
925 cubic yards of rock to be excavated and removed.

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

10 cubic yards rubble masonry in mortar, exclusive of rubble masonry as shown on plan.

25 cubic yards of broken stone for foundations in place.

6,000 feet, B. M., of timber, furnished and laid.

10 linear feet of 12-inch drain pipe, furnished and laid.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be 150 working days.

The security required will be Six Thousand Dollars.

No. 30. FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN RIVER AVENUE, between Burnside avenue and East One Hundred and Eighty-third street; WITH BRANCHES IN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTIETH STREET, from River avenue to Anthony avenue; AND IN ANTHONY AVENUE, from East One Hundred and Eighty-third street to the Concourse; AND ON THE EAST SIDE OF THE CONCOURSE, from Anthony avenue to East One Hundred and Eighty-third street.

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

18 linear feet of brick sewer, 26 inches by 36 inches (to be removed and rebuilt).
780 linear feet of brick sewer, 2 feet 6 inches in diameter.
805 linear feet of pipe sewer, 18 inches.
1,608 linear feet of pipe sewer, 15 inches.
1,327 linear feet of pipe sewer, 12 inches.
500 spurs for house connections.
45 manholes complete.
12 receiving basins complete.
10,250 cubic yards of rock to be excavated and removed.

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

1,000 feet, B. M., of timber, furnished and laid.

50 linear feet of 12-inch drain pipe, furnished and laid.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be 400 working days.

The security required will be \$30,000.

No. 31. FOR CONSTRUCTING A SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN TIMPSON PLACE, from East One Hundred and Forty-fourth street (St. Joseph's street) to East One Hundred and Forty-seventh street.

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

345 linear feet of pipe sewer, 15 inches.
420 linear feet of pipe sewer, 12 inches.
96 spurs for house connections over and above the cost per linear foot of sewer.
8 manholes complete.
3 receiving basins complete.
1,175 cubic yards of rock to be excavated and removed.
5 cubic yards of concrete in place, exclusive of concrete in sewer sections, as shown on plan.

2,000 feet, B. M., of timber, furnished and laid.

10 linear feet of 12-inch drain pipe, furnished and laid.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be 180 working days.

The security required will be Four Thousand Three Hundred Dollars.

No. 32. FOR CONSTRUCTING A SEWER IN BASSFORD PLACE, from East One Hundred and Eighty-second street to Third avenue.

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

250 linear feet of pipe sewer, 15 inches.
1,035 linear feet of pipe sewer, 12 inches.
148 spurs for house connections.
14 manholes complete.
5 receiving-basins, complete.
485 cubic yards of rock to be excavated and removed.
5 cubic yards of concrete in place.
5 cubic yards of broken stone for foundations in place.

1,000 feet, B. M., of timber, furnished and laid.

25 linear feet of 12-inch drain-pipe, furnished and laid.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be 100 working days.

The security required will be Three Thousand Dollars.

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. HAFKEN, President.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, August 16, 1904. a18,29

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

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

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

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

MONDAY, AUGUST 29, 1904.

Borough of Manhattan.

No. 4. FOR ADDITION TO AND ALTERATIONS IN PUBLIC SCHOOL 84, No. 430 WEST FIFTIETH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 90 days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows:

Item 1, Construction \$16,000 00
Item 2, Sanitary 2,000 00
Item 3, Heating and Bellwork 3,000 00

Borough of Richmond.

No. 5. FOR SANITARY WORK AT NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 12, ON SIEGEN STREET, RHINE AND DANUBE AVENUES, CONCORD, BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be to December 1, 1904, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is One Thousand Dollars.

On Contract No. 5 the bids will be compared and the contract awarded in a lump sum to the lowest bidder.

On Contract No. 4 the bidders must state the price of each or any article or item contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, by which the bids will be tested.

The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total of each item and award made to the lowest bidder to be made at the time and manner and in such quantities as may be directed.

Blank forms may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Superintendent at Estimating Room, Hall of the Board of Education, Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan; also at branch office, Savings Bank Building, Stapleton, Borough of Richmond, for work for their respective boroughs.

C. B. J. SNYDER,

Superintendent of School Buildings.

AUGUST 17, 1904. a18,29

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

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

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

MONDAY, AUGUST 29, 1904.

Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 1. FOR THE GENERAL CONSTRUCTION, ITEM 1, AND ALSO PLUMBING AND DRAINAGE, ITEM 2, OF ADDITION TO AND ALTERATIONS IN PUBLIC SCHOOL 103, SOUTH SIDE OF FOURTEENTH AVENUE, BETWEEN FIFTY-THIRD AND FIFTY-FOURTH STREETS, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 300 working days, and the work on new addition up to a line shown on plans shall be completed within 250 working days.

The amount of security required is as follows:

Item 1 \$75,000 00
Item 2 200 00

No. 2. FOR FURNITURE FOR NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 80, WEST SEVENTEENTH STREET, NEAR NEPTUNE AVENUE, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

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

The amount of security required is as follows:

Item 1 \$420 90
Item 2 200 00
Item 3 600 00
Item 4 300 00

No. 3. FOR INSTALLING ELECTRIC EQUIPMENT IN THE TWO ADDITIONAL STORIES OF PUBLIC SCHOOL 130, SOUTHERLY SIDE OF FORT HAMILTON AVENUE, BETWEEN OCEAN PARKWAY AND EAST FIFTH STREET, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

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

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

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

On Contract No. 2 the bidders must state the price of each or any article or item contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, by which the bids will be tested.

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

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

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

C. B. J. SNYDER,

Superintendent of School Buildings.

AUGUST 16, 1904. a17,29

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

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

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

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

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 24, 1904.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER IN STARR STREET, from Irving avenue to Wyckoff avenue.

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

40 linear feet 15-inch pipe sewer.
714 linear feet 12-inch pipe sewer.
8 manholes.
5,000 feet, B. M., foundation planking.
57 cubic yards concrete cradle.

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

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

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER IN CRESCENT STREET, from Liberty avenue to Pitkin avenue.

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

700 linear feet 12-inch pipe sewer.
8 manholes.
1 receiving-basin.
4,500 feet, B. M., foundation planking.
53 cubic yards concrete cradle.

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 Two Thousand Dollars.

No. 3. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER IN FIFTY-EIGHTH STREET, from Tenth avenue to New Utrecht avenue, etc.

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

1,080 linear feet 36-inch brick sewer.
260 linear feet 30-inch brick sewer.
260 linear feet 24-inch pipe sewer.
260 linear feet 18-inch pipe sewer.
180 linear feet 15-inch pipe sewer.
2,460 linear feet 12-inch pipe sewer.
46 manholes.
10 receiving-basins.
29,000 feet, B. M., foundation planking.
267 cubic yards concrete cradle.
5 cubic yards concrete, as per article 61.
5 cubic yards brick masonry, as per article 61.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract is one hundred and ten (110) working days.

The amount of security required is Twelve Thousand Dollars.

No. 4. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER IN WEST NINTH STREET, from Clinton street to Henry street.

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

40 linear feet 15-inch pipe sewer.
482 linear feet 12-inch pipe sewer.
6 manholes.
4,000 feet, B. M., foundation planking.
40 cubic yards concrete cradle.

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

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

No. 5. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER IN ASHFORD STREET, from Glenmore avenue to Pitkin avenue.

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

490 linear feet 12-inch pipe sewer.
4 manholes.
2 receiving-basins.
3,000 feet, B. M., foundation planking.
37 cubic yards concrete cradle.

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 One Thousand Four Hundred Dollars.

No. 6. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER IN SEVENTY-THIRD STREET, from Narrows avenue to First avenue.

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

45 linear feet 15-inch pipe sewer.
718 linear feet 12-inch pipe sewer.
8 manholes.
5,000 feet, B. M., foundation planking.
20,000 feet, B. M., sheeting and bracing.
58 cubic yards concrete cradle.

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 One Thousand Eight Hundred Dollars.

No. 7. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER IN EAST THIRTY-FIFTH STREET, from Glenwood road to Avenue H, etc.

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

152 linear feet 60-inch brick sewer.
1,735 linear feet 18-inch pipe sewer.
840 linear feet 12-inch pipe sewer.
25 manholes.
7 receiving-basins.
21,000 feet, B. M., foundation planking.
15,000 feet, B. M., sheeting and bracing.
250 cubic yards concrete cradle.
5 cubic yards concrete, as per section 61.
5 cubic yards brick masonry, as per section 61.

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

The amount of security required is Nine Thousand Dollars.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per linear foot, foot B. M., cubic yard, 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.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Assistant Commissioner of Public Works, Room 14, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn.

MARTIN W. LITTLETON,

President.

Dated AUGUST 5, 1904. a12,24

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

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

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

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 24, 1904.

No. 1. FOR CONSTRUCTING CEMENT CONCRETE SIDEWALKS IN VARIOUS PLACES AND ON VARIOUS STREETS, IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

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

11,400 square feet of cement concrete sidewalks.
Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is thirty (30) working days.

The amount of security required is Six Hundred Dollars.

No. 2. FOR CONSTRUCTING CEMENT CONCRETE SIDEWALKS IN VARIOUS PLACES AND ON VARIOUS STREETS, IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

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

20,724 square feet of cement concrete sidewalks.
Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is forty (40) working days.

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

No. 3. FOR CONSTRUCTING CEMENT CONCRETE SIDEWALKS IN VARIOUS PLACES AND ON VARIOUS STREETS, IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

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

13,986 square feet of cement concrete sidewalks.
Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is thirty-five (35) working days.

The amount of security required is Eight Hundred Dollars.

No. 4. FOR CONSTRUCTING CEMENT CONCRETE SIDEWALKS IN VARIOUS PLACES AND ON VARIOUS STREETS, IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

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

8,946 square feet of cement concrete sidewalks.
Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is twenty (20) working days.

The amount of security required is Five Hundred Dollars.

No. 5. FOR CONSTRUCTING BLUESTONE SIDEWALKS IN VARIOUS PLACES AND ON VARIOUS STREETS, IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

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

7,972 square feet of bluestone flagging, to be furnished and laid.

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

The amount of security required is Seven Hundred Dollars.

No. 6. FOR GRADING LOTS ON THE NORTHWEST SIDE OF ABERDEEN STREET, between Broadway and Bushwick avenue, AND ON THE SOUTHWEST SIDE OF BUSHWICK AVENUE, between Furman avenue and Aberdeen street; known as Lot No. 31, Block 3466, Twenty-eighth Ward Map.

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

772 cubic yards of earth excavation.
254 cubic yards of filling, not to be bid for.

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

The amount of security required is Fifty Dollars.

No. 7. FOR GRADING LOTS ON THE WEST SIDE OF UTICA AVENUE, between Bergen street and St. Mark's avenue, AND ON THE NORTH SIDE OF ST. MARK'S AVENUE, between Utica and Schenectady avenues; known as Lots Nos. 56 and 59, Block 1354, Twenty-fourth Ward Map.

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

1,074 cubic yards of earth excavation.
Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is thirty (30) working days.

The amount of security required is Two Hundred Dollars.

No. 8. FOR GRADING LOTS ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF FORTY-SECOND STREET, between Fourth and Fifth avenues; known as Lots Nos. 27 and 28, Block 724, Eighth Ward Map.

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

2,459 cubic yards of earth excavation.
Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is thirty (30) working days.

The amount of security required is Three Hundred Dollars.

No. 9. FOR GRADING LOTS ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF PARK PLACE, between Underhill and Vanderbilt avenues; AND ON THE WEST SIDE OF UNDERHILL AVENUE, between Park place and Sterling place; known as Lots Nos. 36, 44, 46 and 48, Block 1165, Ninth Ward Map.

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

9,804 cubic yards of earth excavation.
Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is sixty (60) working days.

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

No. 10. FOR GRADING LOTS ON THE NORTHWEST SIDE OF ABERDEEN STREET, between Bushwick avenue and Evergreen Cemetery; known as Lot No. 29, Block 3467, Twenty-eighth Ward Map.

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

367 cubic yards of earth excavation.
69 cubic yards of filling, not to be bid for.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is fifteen (15) working days.

The amount of security required is Thirty-five Dollars.

No. 11. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH MACADAM PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF NEW YORK AVENUE, from Avenue C to Newkirk avenue.

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

5,630 square yards of macadam pavement, including gutters and bridging.
80 square yards of concrete, not to be bid for.

750 square yards of brick gutter pavement, on a concrete foundation, not to be bid for.

470 square feet of new bluestone bridging, not to be bid for.

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

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

832 linear feet new curbstone, furnished and set, in concrete.
442 cubic yards earth excavation.
5 cubic yards earth filling (not to be bid for).
41 cubic yards concrete (not to be bid for).
215 square feet old flagstones, retrimmed and relaid.
3,900 square feet cement sidewalk.
The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be 30 working days.
The amount of security required is Six Hundred Dollars.

No. 2. FOR REGULATING, GRADING AND CURBING CHRISTOPHER AVENUE, from Riverdale avenue to New Lots road.
The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

2,959 linear feet new curbstone, furnished and set, in concrete.
2,025 cubic yards earth excavation.
761 cubic yards earth filling (not to be bid for).

146 cubic yards concrete (not to be bid for).
The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be 30 working days.
The amount of security required is Two Thousand Dollars.

No. 3. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON CLARENDON ROAD, from Flatbush avenue to East Thirty-seventh street.
The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

8,770 linear feet new curbstone, furnished and set, in concrete.
4,180 cubic yards earth excavation.
5,960 cubic yards earth filling (furnished).
433 cubic yards concrete (not to be bid for).
14,500 square feet old flagstones, retrimmed and relaid.

10,500 square feet cement walk.
The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be 60 working days.
The amount of security required is Seven Thousand Dollars.

No. 4. FOR REGULATING, GRADING AND CURBING DEAN STREET, from Rochester avenue to Utica avenue.
The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

1,432 linear feet new curbstone, furnished and set, in concrete.
70 linear feet old curbstone, redressed, re-jointed and reset, in concrete.
146 cubic yards earth excavation.
447 cubic yards earth filling (furnished).
75 cubic yards concrete (not to be bid for).

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be 30 working days.
The amount of security required is Six Hundred Dollars.

No. 5. FOR REGULATING, GRADING AND PAVING WITH MACADAM PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF EAST EIGHTEENTH STREET, from Church avenue to Beverley road.
The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

4,790 square yards macadam pavement.
2,490 linear feet new curbstone, furnished and set, in concrete.
800 linear feet old curbstone, redressed, re-jointed and reset, in concrete.

1,190 cubic yards earth excavation.
280 cubic yards concrete (not to be bid for).
1,110 square yards brick gutter pavement on concrete foundation.
100 square feet old flagstones, retrimmed and relaid.

2,350 square feet cement sidewalks.
140 square feet new bluestone bridging.
The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be 50 working days.
The amount of security required is Four Thousand Dollars.

No. 6. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING CEMENT CONCRETE SIDEWALKS ON SECOND AVENUE, between Sixty-sixth street and the Shore road (both sides).
The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

67,900 square feet cement concrete sidewalk.
The time allowed for completing the sidewalks will be 60 days.
The amount of security required is Four Thousand Dollars.

No. 7. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR FENCING VACANT LOTS IN VARIOUS PLACES AND ON VARIOUS STREETS, IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.
The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

1,000 linear feet of fence.
The time allowed for making and completing the fences will be 20 days.
The amount of security required is Two 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 linear foot, square foot, 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.

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MARTIN W. LITTLETON,
President.
Dated AUGUST 10, 1904.

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

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

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 streets and avenue in the BOROUGH OF THE BRONX:

TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTIONS 10 AND 11, VYSE STREET OPENING, from West Farms road to Boston road. Confirmed May 4, 1904; entered August 15, 1904. Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at the point of intersection of the middle line of the blocks between Bryant street and Longfellow street with a line drawn parallel to and distant one hundred feet southerly from the southerly line of Guttenberg street; running thence westerly along said parallel line and its westerly prolongation to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between Hoe street and Southern Boulevard; thence northerly along said middle line of the blocks and its northerly prolongation to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between Honeywell avenue and Daly avenue; thence northerly along said middle

line of the blocks between Honeywell and Daly avenues to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant one hundred feet northerly from the northerly line of East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street; thence easterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant one hundred feet easterly from the easterly line of Bryant street; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between that portion of Bryant street and of Longfellow street lying between Aldus street and East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street; thence southerly along said middle line to the point or place of beginning.

The above-entitled assessment was entered on the date hereinafter given in the Record of Titles of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes, Assessments and of Water Rents, in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes, 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 150 of this act."

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

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, corner of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue, Borough of The Bronx, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 12 M., and on Saturdays from 9 A. M. to 12 M., and all payments made thereon on or before October 14, 1904, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessments became a lien to the date of payment.

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

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 assessments for OPENING AND ACQUIRING TITLE to the following-named streets in the BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN:

THIRTIETH WARD, SECTION 18.
NINETIETH STREET OPENING, from Third avenue to Seventh avenue. Confirmed June 30, 1904; entered August 9, 1904. 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 easterly side of Third avenue where the same is intersected by the centre line of block between Ninetieth street and Eighty-ninth street; running thence easterly along the centre line of the block between Ninetieth street and Eighty-ninth street to the westerly side of Fourth avenue; running thence southeasterly across Fourth avenue to where the easterly side of Fourth avenue is intersected by the centre line of the block between Ninetieth street and Eighty-ninth street; running thence easterly along the centre line of the block between Ninetieth street and Eighty-ninth street to the westerly side of Fifth avenue; running thence northeasterly across Fifth avenue to where the easterly side of Fifth avenue is intersected by the centre line of the block between Ninetieth street and Eighty-eighth street; running thence easterly along the centre line of the blocks between Ninetieth street and Eighty-eighth street to the westerly side of Seventh avenue; running thence southerly along the westerly side of Seventh avenue to the centre line of the block between Ninetieth street and Ninety-second street; thence westerly along the centre line of the blocks between Ninetieth street and Ninety-second street to the easterly side of Fifth avenue; running thence northwesterly across Fifth avenue to where the westerly side of Fifth avenue is intersected by the centre line of the block between Ninetieth street and Ninety-first street; running thence westerly along the centre line of the blocks between Ninetieth street and Ninety-first street to the easterly side of Third avenue; running thence northerly along the easterly side of Third avenue to the point or place of beginning.

THIRTIETH WARD, SECTIONS 17 AND 18.
SIXTY-SECOND STREET OPENING, from Sixth avenue to Tenth avenue. Confirmed June 30, 1904; entered August 9, 1904. Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the easterly line of Sixth avenue with a centre line of the block between Sixty-second street and Sixty-third street, as said streets and avenue are laid down on the map of the Town Survey Commission, which was filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings June 1874; and running thence easterly along said centre line of the block between Sixty-second and Sixty-third streets to the westerly line of Tenth avenue, as said avenue is laid down on the aforesaid map; thence northerly along said westerly line of Tenth avenue to the centre line of the block between Sixty-second and Sixty-first streets, as said streets are laid down on the aforesaid map; running thence westerly along said centre line of the block, between Sixty-second and Sixty-first streets to the easterly side of Sixth avenue aforesaid, and then southerly along said easterly side of Sixth avenue to the point or place of beginning.

THIRTIETH WARD, SECTIONS 18 AND 19.
EIGHTY-FIRST STREET OPENING, from Fourth avenue to Fourteenth avenue. Confirmed June 28, 1904; entered August 9, 1904. 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 easterly side of Fourth avenue, where the same intersects the centre line of the block, between Eighty-first street and Eighty-second street; running thence easterly, through the centre lines of the blocks between Eighty-first street and Eighty-second street to the westerly side of Fourteenth avenue; running thence southerly, along the westerly side of Fourteenth avenue, to the centre line of the block between Eighty-first street and Eighty-second street; running thence westerly, along the centre lines of the blocks between Eighty-first street and Eighty-second street, to the easterly side of Fourth avenue; running thence northerly, along the easterly side of Fourth avenue, to the point or place of beginning.

THIRTY-SECOND WARD, SECTION 23.
EAST TWENTY-SECOND STREET OPENING, from Avenue M to Avenue L. Confirmed June 29, 1904; entered August 9, 1904. 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 southerly side of Avenue L and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly side of East Twenty-second street; running thence southerly and parallel with East Twenty-second street to the northerly side of Avenue M; running thence easterly along the northerly side of Avenue M to a point distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly side of East Twenty-second street; running thence northerly and parallel with East Twenty-second street to the southerly side of Avenue L; running thence westerly along the southerly side of Avenue L to the point or place of beginning.

The above-entitled assessments were entered on the day hereinafter given in the Record of Titles of Assessments confirmed in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes, Assessments and of Water Rents. Unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of entry 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 and 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 150 of this act."

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

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 12 P. M., and on Saturdays from 9 A. M. until 12 M., and all payments made thereon on or before October 8, 1904, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum, from the date when the above assessments became liens to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT,
Comptroller.
CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, August 9, 1904.

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

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

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

EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller.

OFFICIAL PAPERS.

Morning—"The American," "The Morning Telegraph."
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Designated by the Board of City Record, April 26, 1904.

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, AUGUST 31, 1904,
Borough of Brooklyn.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING TWO TWO-HUNDRED HORSE-POWER INTERNALLY FIRED MARINE TYPE BOILERS AT THE RIDGEWOOD PUMPING STATION, ATLANTIC AND NORWOOD AVENUES, IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be sixty (60) working days.
The amount of security required will be Two Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$2,500).

Bidders will write out the total amount of their bids or estimates in addition to inserting the same in figures. All bids or estimates will be considered as informal which do not contain bids or estimates for all items for which bids or estimates are called.

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

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, the Borough of Manhattan, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row, and at Room 25, Municipal Building, Brooklyn.

JOHN T. OAKLEY,
Commissioner.
Dated August 16, 1904.

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, AUGUST 31, 1904,
Borough of Brooklyn.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING LUMBER.

The time for delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is until December 31, 1904.

The amount of security shall be Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000).

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, per 1,000 feet, B. M. or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested.

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

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, the Borough of Manhattan, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row, and at the office of the Department for the Borough of Brooklyn, Room 25, Municipal Building, Brooklyn.

JOHN T. OAKLEY,
Commissioner.
Dated August 16, 1904.

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, AUGUST 24, 1904,
Borough of Brooklyn.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING CORPORATION COCKS.

Delivery of the supplies and the performance of the contract to be fully completed on or before November 15, 1904.

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

Bidders will write out the total amount of their bids or estimates in addition to inserting the same in figures. All bids or estimates will be considered as informal which do not contain bids or estimates for all items for which bids or estimates are called.

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

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, the Borough of Manhattan, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row, and at Room 25, Municipal Building, Brooklyn.

JOHN T. OAKLEY,
Commissioner.
Dated August 8, 1904.

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, AUGUST 24, 1904,
Borough of Brooklyn.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING STEAM PACKING, RUBBER GASKETS, LAMP AND ASBESTOS WICK.

The time for delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is until December 31, 1904.

The amount of security shall be One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000).

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per pound, 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 each contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

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 Room 25, Municipal Building, Brooklyn.

JOHN T. OAKLEY,
Commissioner.
Dated August 8, 1904.

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, AUGUST 31, 1904,
Borough of Brooklyn.

NO. 1. FOR FURNISHING, CONSTRUCTING AND ERECTING TRIPLEX PUMPS AND GAS ENGINES, WITH ALL APPLIANCES COMPLETE FOR HIGH PRESSURE FIRE SERVICE, AT THE CONEY ISLAND SEWAGE DISPOSAL PLANT, NEPIUNE AVENUE AND WEST TWELFTH STREET, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed for doing and completing the work will be one hundred and thirty (130) working days.

The security required will be Fifteen Thousand Dollars (\$15,000).

Bidders shall submit plans with their bids showing the general style of engines and pumps proposed and of the foundations to be provided. No bid will be received unless accompanied by the above plans.

No bids will be considered where the engines or pumps have not demonstrated their capacity to operate in the sizes herein specified in everyday service for at least one year.

The Engineer's estimate of the work to be done and upon which the comparison of bids will be made is as follows:

Four thousand five hundred (4,500) gallons of water pumped per minute.

NO. 2. FOR FURNISHING, CONSTRUCTING AND ERECTING AN ENGINE HOUSE FOR HIGH PRESSURE FIRE SERVICE AT THE CONEY ISLAND SEWAGE DISPOSAL PLANT, NEPIUNE AVENUE AND WEST TWELFTH STREET, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed for doing and completing the work will be 100 working days.

The security required will be Four Thousand Dollars.

NO. 3. FOR FURNISHING, DELIVERING AND LAYING HIGH PRESSURE FIRE SERVICE MAINS, AND APPURTENANCES IN WEST TENTH AND WEST TWELFTH STREETS, NEPTUNE AND SURF AVENUES, KENSINGTON, STRATTON'S, HENDERSON'S, THOMPSON'S AND NEW IRON PIER WALKS, AND AT THE CONEY ISLAND SEWAGE PUMPING STATION.

The time allowed for doing and completing the work will be one hundred (100) working days.

The security required will be Twenty Thousand Dollars (\$20,000).

Bidders are particularly cautioned that a provision in the contract requires the maintenance of the pipes, joints, stop cocks, hydrants, gaskets, etc., in good condition for the period of one year from the final completion and acceptance of the work.

Bidders will write out the total amount of their bids or estimates in addition to inserting the same in figures. All bids or estimates will be considered as informal which do not contain bids or estimates for all items for which bids or estimates are called.

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, hydrant, ton, cubic foot, 100 pounds or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested.

Bids will be compared and each contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

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

Borough Hall,
Brooklyn, New York City,
N. Y.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

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

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our supplemental and amended estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 6th day of September, 1904, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 7th day of September, 1904, at 3 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said supplemental and amended estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said City, there to remain until the 17th day of September, 1904.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of a line drawn parallel to the northerly side of Moshulu avenue and distant 100 feet northerly therefrom with a line drawn parallel to the westerly side of Jerome avenue and distant 100 feet westerly therefrom; thence southerly and south-westerly along said line drawn parallel to the westerly side of Jerome avenue and distant 100 feet westerly therefrom to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southerly side of Gun Hill road and distant 100 feet southerly therefrom; thence easterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the westerly side of Steuben avenue and distant 100 feet westerly therefrom; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the northeasterly side of Moshulu parkway, North; thence southeasterly and southerly along said northeasterly and easterly sides of Moshulu parkway, North, to its intersection with the middle line of the block between Bainbridge avenue and Perry avenue; thence northerly along said middle line of the block to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between Moshulu parkway, North, and Woodlawn road; thence southeasterly along said middle line of the blocks to its intersection with the north-westerly side of Webster avenue; thence southeasterly along a line drawn at right angles to the northwesterly side of Webster avenue to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northwesterly side of Bronx Park and distant 100 feet southeasterly therefrom; thence northeasterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the prolongation southeasterly of the middle line of the blocks between Woodlawn road and East Two Hundred and Fifth street; thence northwesterly along said prolongation and said middle line of the blocks to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between Woodlawn road and Perry avenue; thence northerly along said middle line of the blocks between Woodlawn road and Perry avenue and said middle line produced northerly to its intersection with the southerly side of Reservoir Oval, East; thence northerly on a straight line to its intersection with the prolongation southerly of the middle line of the block between Tryon avenue and Kings College place; thence northerly along said prolongation and said middle line of the block between Tryon avenue and Kings College place to its intersection with the northerly side of East Two Hundred and Eleventh street (North Ridge street); thence northerly along a line drawn parallel to the easterly side of Woodlawn road and distant about 620 feet easterly therefrom to a point on the easterly side of Woodlawn road and distant about 1,845 feet northerly from the northerly side of East Two Hundred and Eleventh street (North Ridge street); thence westerly along said line drawn at right angles to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the easterly side of Jerome avenue and distant 100 feet easterly therefrom; thence northerly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northwesterly side of Mount Vernon avenue and distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom; thence southwesterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northerly side of Moshulu avenue and distant 100 feet northerly therefrom; thence westerly along said parallel line to the point or place of beginning; as such streets are shown upon the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York; excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our supplemental and amended report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 15th day of November, 1904, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, July 20, 1904.
JOHN DE WITT WARNER, Chairman;
WM. H. MCCARTHY,
WILLIAM M. LAWRENCE,
Commissioners.
JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk. a17,53

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 FOREST AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), between Brooks avenue and Manor road, in the First Ward, Borough of Richmond, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 29th day of June, 1904, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Richmond, at his office in the Borough of Richmond, in The City of New York, on the 11th day of July, 1904, Commissioners of Estimate and

Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of Richmond on the 11th day of July, 1904, and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, fourteenth floor, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office, on the 14th day of September, 1904, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY, August 17, 1904.

WILLIAM T. CROAK,
HENRY P. MORRISON,
ALBERT E. HADLOCK,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk. a17,59

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of EAST TWO HUNDRED AND TWENTY-SECOND STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Bronx river to Seventh street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by orders of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 31st day of January, 1902, and the 30th day of April, 1904, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, at his office in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 3d day of February, 1902, and the 21st day of July, 1904; and in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, at his office in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 3d day of February, 1902, and the 21st day of July, 1904, and in the office of the Clerk of the County of Westchester, at his office at White Plains, Westchester County, in the State of New York, on the 3d day of February, 1902, and the 10th day of July, 1904, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Register of the County of New York, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances, known as the Annexed Territory, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss or damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 3d day of February, 1902, and in the office of the Clerk of the County of Westchester, on the 3d day of February, 1902, and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, 14th floor, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said offices on the 14th day of September, 1904, 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 the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY, August 17, 1904.

PIERRE G. CARROLL,
LOUIS FALK,
M. E. DEVLIN,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk. a17,59

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 HIGH BRIDGE PARK, as shown on a map filed in the office of the Register of the County of New York, December 21, 1903, in accordance with the plan adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, December 11, 1903, and approved by the Mayor on December 18, 1903, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, 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 11th day of August, 1904, and filed

in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 12th day of August, 1904, Sidney J. Cowen, James J. McCormick and William E. Stillings 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 the said Sidney J. Cowen, James J. McCormick and William E. Stillings will attend at a Special Term of said Court, to be held in Part II. thereof, in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 30th day of August, 1904, 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 interest in said proceeding, as to their qualifications to act as Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in this proceeding.

Dated NEW YORK, August 16, 1904.
JOHN J. DELANY,
Corporation Counsel,
No. 2 Tryon Row,
Borough of Manhattan,
New York City.
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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of SECOND STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), between York and Franklin avenues, in the First Ward, Borough of Richmond, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 29th day of June, 1904, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Richmond, at his office in the Borough of Richmond, in The City of New York, on the 11th day of July, 1904. Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of Richmond on the 11th day of July, 1904, and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4, of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, fourteenth floor, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 8th day of September, 1904, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto; and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY, August 10, 1904.

WM. M. MULLEN,
EDWARD M. MULLER,
AUGUSTUS ACKER,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk. a10,52

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the widening of EAST ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FIFTH STREET, between the New York and Harlem Railroad and the United States pier and bulkhead line, as laid out by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on May 29, 1903, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 29th day of June, 1904, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York at his office in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 6th day of July, 1904, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Register of the County of New York, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances, Block No. 2339. Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of widening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 6th day of July, 1904; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be widened or laid out and formed, to the said respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of widening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4, of the Greater New York Charter as amended, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of widening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and

Assessment, at our office, fourteenth floor, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 8th day of September, 1904, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto; and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto, and examine the proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY, August 10, 1904.

WALLACE S. FRASER,
WILLIAM GARROW FISHER,
S. DUNCAN MARSHALL,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk. a10,52

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of The City of New York, acting by and through the Department of Docks of The City of New York, relative to acquiring right and title to and possession of the wharf property, rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges of and to the lands under water and the lands under water necessary to be taken for the improvement of the water front of The City of New York on the North river, between Forty-second and Forty-third streets, and between Twelfth and Thirteenth avenues, pursuant to the plan heretofore adopted by the said Department of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, bearing date the 9th day of August, 1903, and filed and entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 12th day of August, 1904, as resettled by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 15th day of August, 1904, and entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 16th day of August, 1904, Augustus T. Docharty was duly appointed a Commissioner of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled proceeding in the place and stead of Henry Winthrop Gray, resigned.

Notice is further given, pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, and pursuant to said order of appointment above referred to, that the said Augustus T. Docharty will attend at a Special Term, Part II., of the Supreme Court, to be held at the County Court-house in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 30th day of August, 1904, 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 his qualifications to act as such Commissioner of Estimate and Assessment in said proceeding.

Dated NEW YORK, August 17, 1904.
JOHN J. DELANY,
Corporation Counsel,
No. 2 Tryon Row,
Borough of Manhattan,
City of New York.
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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.