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THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

STATED MEETING.

Tuesday, June 17, 1902, 1 o'clock p. m.

The Board met in the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall.

Present:

Hon. Charles V. Fornes, President of the Board of Aldermen.

Aldermen:

James H. McInnes,
Vice-Chairman;
Charles Alt,
Thomas F. Baldwin,
John H. Behrmann,
Frank Bennett,
Joseph A. Bill,
Frederick Brenner,
James J. Bridges,
Patrick Chambers,
John V. Coggey,
Charles W. Culklin,
James J. Devlin,
John Diemer,
John J. Dietz,
John H. Donohue,
Reginald S. Doull,
Frank L. Dowling,
Robert F. Downing,
John L. Florence,
Thomas F. Foley,
James E. Gaffney,
Frank Gass,
Andrew M. Gillen,

John D. Gillies,
John L. Goldwater,
Elias Goodman,
John J. Haggerty,
Leopold W. Harburger,
Philip Harnischfeger,
Patrick Higgins,
Peter Holler,
David M. Holmes,
Charles P. Howland,
William T. James,
Samuel H. Jones,
Patrick S. Keely,
Michael Kennedy,
Francis P. Kenney,
John C. Klett,
Jacob Leitner,
Frederick W. Longfellow,
Frederick Lundy,
John T. McCall,
John E. McCarthy,
Patrick H. Malone,
Joseph H. Maloy,
Isaac Marks,

Armitage Mathews,
Charles Metzger,
James Cowden Meyers,
Nicholas Nehrbauer,
James Owens,
Herbert Parsons,
William D. Peck,
Max J. Porges,
Frederick Richter,
John A. Schappert,
Ernest A. Seebeck, Jr.,
Cornelius A. Shea,
David S. Stewart,
Timothy P. Sullivan,
Noah Tebbetts,
John J. Twomey,
Moses J. Wafer,
Webster R. Walkley,
Franklin B. Ware,
William Wentz,
William J. Whitaker,
Henry Willett,
John Wirth,

George Cromwell, President of the Borough of Richmond,
Joseph Cassidy, President of the Borough of Queens,
Louis F. Haffen, President of the Borough of The Bronx,
Jacob A. Cantor, President of the Borough of Manhattan.

The Clerk proceeded to read the minutes of the stated meeting of June 10, 1902. Alderman Goodman moved that the minutes be corrected and amended by striking out on page 616 the words "Alderman Goodman asked for and obtained unanimous consent to introduce the following," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "In connection herewith Alderman Goodman offered the following."

Which was adopted.

The minutes as above corrected and amended were then approved.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

No. 741.

Fort Hancock, Sandy Hook, New Jersey.

The President, Board of Aldermen, New York City:

Dear Sir—A recent New York morning paper reported that your Honorable Body has passed "unanimously" a resolution of confidence in the United States Army and praise of its service under present conditions. As an humble member of that army I thank you heartily for it. Unanimous praise is so rare now that such a compliment is deeply appreciated by those whose only object is to serve the flag and the government; in other words, the people.

A resolution passed thus unanimously by a mixed political body of representative men makes us feel great pleasure and experience new hope.

I have the honor to be very respectfully,

TIEMANN N. HORN,
Captain Artillery Corps.

Which was ordered on file.

No. 742.

West End Woman's Republican Association,
No. 2307 Broadway, New York, June 14, 1902.

Whereas, The standing of passengers in the narrow spaces between the seats in the open cars of the Metropolitan Street Railway necessitates indecent and uncomfortable crowding, and results in jostling to women from a certain class of men; and Whereas, It has been proven in other cities that traffic during rush hours can be handled without this obnoxious practice by running trailers, etc.; therefore be it

Resolved, That the West End Woman's Republican Association protests against the abuse, and recommends that public opinion be aroused by mass meetings and petitions to demand an ordinance making such overcrowding a misdemeanor.

MRS. ROBERT F. WILHELM, Corresponding Secretary.
MRS. A. J. WILSON, President.

Which was referred to the Committee on Railroads.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM CITY, COUNTY AND BOROUGH OFFICERS.

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

No. 743.

Law Department, Office of the Corporation Counsel,
New York, June 13, 1902.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

Gentlemen—I have received through the City Clerk a resolution adopted by your Honorable Body on the 13th day of May, 1902, which reads as follows:

"Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel be and he is hereby respectfully requested to inform this Board by what authority the New York Dock Company prevents public access to King street, between Ferry street and New York Bay, in the Borough of Brooklyn."

"Ferry street" as here used is undoubtedly meant for "Ferris street," as there is no street of the former name in the vicinity mentioned.

Chapter 132 of the Laws of 1835 authorized the appointment of Commissioners to lay out streets, avenues and squares in the City of Brooklyn. By section 4 of the statute these Commissioners were given exclusive power to lay out streets, avenues and public squares, of such width, extent and direction as to them shall seem most conducive to the public good.

Section 8 provided that the maps, plans and surveys of the said Commissioners shall be final and conclusive, as well in respect to the said Mayor and Common Council as in respect to the owners and occupants of the lands, tenements and hereditaments within the Sixth, Seventh, Eighth and Ninth Wards of the said city, and in respect to all other persons whomsoever.

Section 9 provided that the said streets, avenues and public squares shall be opened and regulated and converted to the use of the public in the manner then designated and settled by law, and in such other manner as the Legislature may deem proper to enact.

The powers thus conferred were stated to be given "to the end that uniformity may be produced, and the permanent interests of the said city consulted in laying out the streets, avenues and public squares thereof." (Sec. 8.)

Under this authority the Commissioners laid out King street as a street sixty feet in width, from Columbia street to a line in the East river, and as thus laid out this street became a part of the plan of streets in the said wards of the city, and was placed upon the Commissioners' map, so called, of the City of Brooklyn. The effect of this action was to prescribe that when King street should be legally opened as a public street it should be opened to the width mentioned between any points within the outer limits thus fixed. It did not ipso facto become a public street. To make it so the property contained within the limits defined must be condemned under a right of eminent domain, or be acquired for street purposes by some other legal method as will be pointed out in a subsequent portion of this opinion. No legal action seems to have been taken in this regard nor were any street rights acquired by the municipality prior to the year 1846.

In that year an act was passed entitled "An act to alter the Commissioners' Map of the City of Brooklyn and for other purposes." (Chapter 248 of the Laws of 1846.) By section 1 of that statute it was provided among other things "that so much and such parts of * * * * King street lying between the westerly line of Conover street and the water line as said streets and water line are laid down on the map of the City of Brooklyn made by the Commissioners appointed to lay out streets, avenues and squares of the City of Brooklyn" * * * * are hereby declared to be discontinued and closed; and the owner or owners of the lands adjoining and fronting on said lands or any part thereof and their heirs and assigns may sell, convey, build upon or otherwise improve or use the lands forming said streets to the middle of said streets respectively in the same manner and with the like effect as if the same had never been laid down and designated upon the said map as public streets."

These provisions have never been repealed, nor has any action ever been taken either by the Legislature or by the local authorities restoring to the Commissioners' map the portion of the street thus stricken from it.

It appears, however, from statements made by persons acquainted with the locality that for more than thirty years past this portion of King street has been thrown out as a public street, and has been used as such by the inhabitants of the city. An examination of the records of the departments of the government of the former city of Brooklyn shows that it has been paved with cobblestone; that it appears upon the assessment books in the Department of Assessment as an open street, and likewise upon a map prepared by the insurance companies for the purposes of their business; that the improvement map of 1861 filed in the Highway Department shows that three lamp posts have been maintained by the City upon this portion of the street, and that it has been lighted at the expense of the City; that in the year 1858 the Water Department laid a water main in King street from Conover street to the East river, and that in the contracts made by the former City of Brooklyn for cleaning the streets of the city this portion of King street was included among the public streets to be cleaned thereunder. It also appears that no taxes have been levied upon this property.

The land necessary for use as a public street or highway may be acquired in either of several ways.

These methods are authoritatively and well stated by Judge Vann in delivering the opinion of the Court of Appeals in the case of the City of Cohoes v. D. & H. C. Co. (134 N. Y., 397). He says:

"Vann, J. Public highways may be created in four ways:

"1. By proceedings under the statute (2 R. S., 8th edition, page 1372 et seq.; also page 1383, paragraph 100).

"2. By prescription, or where land is used by the public for a highway for twenty years, with the knowledge, but without the consent, of the owner. The presumption of a grant of the right of way springs from the mere lapse of said period of time in connection with the adverse user by the public.

"3. By dedication through offer and implied acceptance, or where the owner throws open his land intending to dedicate it for a highway, and the public use it for such a length of time that they would be seriously inconvenienced by an interruption of the enjoyment. This rests upon the principle that the owners is estopped from revoking his offer after the public have acted on it for so long a period that it would be a fraud upon them if he were permitted to do so. No particular length of time is required to effect such a dedication, as every case of an estoppel in pais necessarily depends upon its own facts.

"4. By dedication through offer and actual acceptance, or where the owner throws open his land and by acts or words invites acceptance of the same for a highway, and the public authorities, in charge of the subject, formally or in terms accept it as a highway. In the absence of an actual conveyance, the owner does not part with his title to the land, but only with the right to possession for the purpose of a highway.

"Although there has been some conflict of opinion upon the subject, we understand this to be the law as established by the weight of authority in this State. * * *

No legal proceedings have been taken to condemn these premises, and no record can be found of any actual dedication and acceptance. It, therefore, this is a public street, it must have become so for the reasons set forth in the second or third paragraphs quoted.

In the case of Cook vs. Harris, 61 N. Y. Repts., 448, the Court says:

"Land may be dedicated to the use of the public for a highway, without any writing; and a dedication once made and accepted cannot be revoked. It rests upon the doctrine of estoppel in pais. The dedication and acceptance may be proved by the acts of the parties, and the circumstances of the case. The owner's acts and declarations should be such as to manifest an intention to abandon or devote his property to the specific public use. In the case of a highway, the public must accept the highway, and before such acceptance the dedication may be revoked. Such acceptance may be proved by long public use, or by the positive acts of the public authorities in recognizing and adopting the highway. No particular length of time is essential to make a dedication valid and irrevocable. The dedication and acceptance may both occur on a single day. All that is needed in any case is room for the estoppel to operate."

The Court of Appeals, in the case of the Matter of Hunter, 163 N. Y., 543, followed the case of Cook vs. Harris, quoting this part of the opinion, and holding further that:

"Any action by the Common Council showing a clear intention to recognize the strip of land in question as a street was an acceptance of it as a public highway. An ordinance directing the street to be graded, paved or put in proper condition for use by the public would have that effect. (Flack vs. Village of Green Island, 122 N. Y., 107; City of Cohoes vs. D. & H. Canal Co., 134 N. Y., 402.) A resolution formally and in terms accepting the street was unnecessary, for any official act on the part of the Common Council which treated it as a street and showed an intention to adopt it as one of the public streets of the City would be sufficient."

The circumstances connected with the premises under consideration clearly bring it within the scope of these legal rules. It has been thrown out to continuous public use for more than twenty years; it has been used as a street; has been paved; has been lighted and cleaned at the expense of the City; a water main has been placed therein by the City, and it has been placed upon the assessment maps as a public street and exempted for that reason from taxation. Upon facts like these no formal laying out of the street was necessary. The People vs. Loehfelm (102 N. Y., 1).

I have been informed that a prior attempt has been made to fence in this street by the owners of the adjacent property, but that such fence was promptly removed under direction of the City authorities. The dedication seems to have long since been complete, and the acceptance by the City, as shown by its acts through its

proper officers and departments, now precludes any revocation of such dedication. This street and several others referred to in the act of 1846 above cited are situated in a locality where access to the water is greatly needed for the health and comfort of the public residing therein. It would be a great hardship if they should be cut off from such access. The efforts of the municipality are being directed towards a more liberal provision for places of recreation at or near the waters adjacent to the City, and even if the question as to whether this portion of King street is a public highway were a doubtful one, the City authorities should take advantage of the doubt, assume that it is a public street, and see to it that it is kept free from obstructions and open for the use of the public.

I shall communicate to the executive officers of the Borough of Brooklyn, advising them of their duties in the premises.

Respectfully yours,

G. L. RIVES, Corporation Counsel.

Which was ordered on file.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Department of Docks and Ferries:

No. 744.

Department of Docks and Ferries,
Pier "A," North River,
New York, June 14, 1902.

To the Board of Aldermen:

Sir—I have been directed by the Commissioner to acknowledge receipt of your communication of the 12th inst., in relation to request for information as to insurance carried and to state that the matter will receive due consideration.

Yours respectfully,

RUSSELL BLEECKER,
Secretary.

Which was ordered on file.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Tenement House Department:

No. 745.

Tenement House Department of The City of New York,
No. 61 Irving Place, Southwest Corner Eighteenth Street,
New York City, June 14, 1902.

Hon. P. J. SCULLY, Clerk, Board of Aldermen, City Hall, New York City:

Dear Sir—I beg to acknowledge receipt of your communication transmitting a resolution of the Board of Aldermen adopted on June 3, requesting the heads of all City Departments to transmit to the Board of Aldermen a complete statement of all fire, marine and liability insurance carried on property under their jurisdiction.

In compliance with your request, I beg to inform you that there is no insurance of any kind carried on any of the property of this Department.

Yours respectfully,

ROBERT W. DE FOREST, Commissioner.

Which was ordered on file.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Department of Taxes and Assessments:

No. 746.

City of New York, Department of Taxes and Assessments,
Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway,
June 14, 1902.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

Gentlemen—Receipt of a copy of the resolution adopted June 3, 1902, by the Board of Aldermen, directing the heads of all city departments to transmit to the Board of Aldermen a complete statement of all fire, marine and liability insurance carried on property under their jurisdiction, is hereby acknowledged; and in reply would say that the Board of Taxes and Assessments carries no insurance on property under its jurisdiction.

It occupies offices furnished by the city, and has no property under its jurisdiction, except its records. Yours truly,

RICHARD N. ARNOW,
Chief Clerk.

Which was ordered on file.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Board of Armory Commissioners:

No. 747.

Board of Armory Commissioners,
Secretary's Office, Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway,
New York, June 14, 1902.

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

Dear Sir—I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your communication, transmitting a resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen on June 3, and approved by the Mayor on June 12, in relation to fire insurance on city buildings, and in answer thereto will state that the Armory Board, created by chapter 91 of the Laws of 1884, has never insured any of the buildings erected as armories in The City of New York under its jurisdiction.

Yours truly,

JOHN P. GUSTAVESON, Secretary.

Which was ordered on file.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the President of the Borough of Richmond:

No. 748.

Office of the President of the Borough of Richmond,
New Brighton, N. Y., June 14, 1902.

P. J. SCULLY, Esq., Clerk of the Board of Aldermen, City Hall, New York:

Dear Sir—I am in receipt to-day of the resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen, asking for a statement of all fire, marine and liability insurance carried on property under my jurisdiction for the years 1895 to 1902, inclusive. I will have such statement prepared at once.

Very truly yours,

GEORGE CROMWELL, President of the Borough.

Which was ordered on file.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Department of Finance:

No. 749.

City of New York, Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office,
June 17, 1902.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

Gentlemen—In accordance with the resolution of your Honorable Board, adopted on June 3, 1902, and approved by his Honor the Mayor on the 12th instant, whereby it was

"Resolved, That the heads of all city departments be directed to transmit to the Board of Aldermen, as soon as possible, a complete statement of all fire, marine and liability insurance carried on property under their jurisdiction, for the years 1895, 1896, 1897, 1898, 1899, 1900, 1901 and 1902, said statements to show the total value of each piece of property, the amount of insurance thereon, the amount of premiums paid therefor, and the length of the term of each policy, and the amount of loss, if any, recovered under each policy,"

I herewith respectfully transmit to you a report made to the Comptroller, dated June 16, setting forth all particulars relative to fire insurance carried on City property under the jurisdiction of the Department of Finance from September, 1894, up to and including the current year.

Respectfully yours,

J. W. STEVENSON, Deputy Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office,
June 17, 1902.

Hon. EDWARD M. GROUT, Comptroller:

SIR—Pursuant to your directions and in accordance with a resolution of the Board of Aldermen adopted on June 3, 1902, and approved by the Mayor on the 12th inst., statements have been prepared and are herewith submitted showing the separate amounts of all fire insurance that was carried on property under the jurisdiction of the Department of Finance for the years, 1895, 1896, 1897, 1898, 1899, 1900, and 1901 respectively, and that is being carried on such property for the current year. The said statements include and show:

(1) The location, etc., of the property insured.

(2) The value of said property as appraised by the Department of Taxes and Assessments.

(3) The amount of insurance thereon.

(4) The amount of premiums paid for such insurance.

(5) The duration of each separate policy, together with the names of the companies carrying the insurance.

Diligent examination has been made of accounts and vouchers of the Department of Finance for each year back to 1894 to determine fully and accurately the information required by the Board of Aldermen, and it appears that during said period the only City property under the jurisdiction of said Department which has been covered by fire insurance was and is the two markets named in the statements herewith presented, viz.: West Washington Market and Fulton Market, Borough of Manhattan. There has been no insurance carried by the City on any of the other seven market buildings owned by it.

During the period under review, to wit, from 1895 to 1902, inclusive, there has been no loss to the buildings by fire reported from either West Washington or Fulton Markets, consequently no claims for losses have been presented to or recovered from the insurance companies. In connection with this subject of fire insurance on City buildings it might here be noted that this Department requires that all buildings in course of construction for the City be covered by fire insurance until the time when such buildings are fully completed and taken over by the City from the builders thereof, who are required to provide for such insurance and pay the premiums on same.

The following statements give the several particulars cited in a preceding part of this report:

West Washington Market—bounded by Bloomfield and Gansevoort streets, and West street and Thirteenth avenue.

The said market buildings occupy a block 400 feet by 389 feet; an area of 155,000 square feet, equal to 62 full City lots.

The valuation placed on same by the Department of Taxes and assessments is \$600,000. This is apparently a conservative estimate of the actual value, which, judged by surrounding property values, is probably fully \$800,000.

Insurance Table.

Period of Policy.	Amount of Insurance.	Premium.	Name of Company.
3 years, September 8, 1894, to September 8, 1897.....	\$75,000 00	\$375 00	North American of Philadelphia.
	75,000 00	375 00	North American of Philadelphia.
	50,000 00	312 50	Scottish Union and National of Edinburgh, Scotland.
Total.....	\$200,000 00	\$1,062 50	
3 years, September 8, 1897, to September 8, 1900.....	\$25,000 00	\$250 00	British America of Toronto.
	100,000 00	1,000 00	German-American of New York.
	75,000 00	750 00	North American of Philadelphia.
Total.....	\$200,000 00	\$2,000 00	
1 year to September 8, 1901.....	\$200,000 00	\$2,000 00	The Westchester of New York.
1 year, September 8, 1901, to September 8, 1902.....	\$100,000 00	\$900 00	Scottish Union and National.
	50,000 00	450 00	The Lion of London.
	50,000 00	450 00	The American of Newark, N. J.
Total.....	\$200,000 00	\$1,800 00	

Fulton Market—Bounded by South street and Front street, and Fulton street and Beekman street.

The said market buildings occupy a block measuring, respectively, 203 feet 4 inches by 170 feet, and 202 feet 6 inches by 175 feet, an area of 33,500 square feet, equal to somewhat over 13 full city lots.

The valuation placed on Fulton Market by the Department of Taxes and Assessments is \$600,000, which is probably somewhat within its actual value.

Insurance Table.

Period of Policy.	Amount of Insurance.	Premium.	Name of Company.
3 years, September 3, 1894, to September 3, 1897.....	\$50,000 00	\$500 00	German-American of New York.
	25,000 00	250 00	Phoenix of Brooklyn.
	25,000 00	250 00	Lancashire of Manchester, England.
Total.....	\$100,000 00	\$1,000 00	
3 years, September 3, 1897, to September 3, 1900.....	\$125,000 00	\$1,250 00	Westchester of New York.
1 year, September 3, 1900, to September 3, 1901.....	\$85,000 00	\$765 00	Scottish Union and National.
	10,000 00	90 00	Gerard Fire and Marine, Philadelphia.
	10,000 00	90 00	American Central, St. Louis.
	10,000 00	90 00	American, Newark.
	10,000 00	90 00	Spring Garden, Philadelphia.
Total.....	\$125,000 00	\$1,125 00	

1 year, September 3, 1901, to September 3, 1902.....	\$25,000 00	\$225 00	Scottish Union and National.
	5,000 00	45 00	The Colonial, New York.
	7,500 00	67 50	Providence Washington, Providence, R. I.
	7,500 00	67 50	Springfield, Springfield, Mass.
	7,500 00	67 50	The Pennsylvania, Philadelphia.
	7,500 00	67 50	Westchester, N. Y.
	10,000 00	90 00	The American, Newark.
	25,000 00	225 00	Aetna, Hartford.
	10,000 00	90 00	American Central, St. Louis.
	15,000 00	135 00	Spring Garden, Philadelphia.
	5,000 00	45 00	Connecticut, Hartford.
Total.....	\$125,000 00	\$1,125 00	

The foregoing includes all the data required by the resolution of the Board of Aldermen referred to in the opening paragraph of this report, together with such other additional information as was considered necessary to fully cover the subject under review.

Respectfully yours,

JNO. R. SPARROW, Supervising Accountant, etc.

Which was ordered on file.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Commissioners of Accounts:

No. 750.

Office of the Commissioners of Accounts,
Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway,
New York, June 16, 1902.

Hon. P. J. SCULLY, Clerk, Board of Aldermen, City:

Dear Sir—We herewith acknowledge receipt of resolution of the Board of Aldermen, asking a complete statement of all insurance under our jurisdiction, etc. We beg to state that we carry no insurance with anything connected with this office.

Yours very truly,

WM. HEPBURN RUSSELL,
EDWARD OWEN,
Commissioners of Accounts.

Which was ordered on file.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the President of the Borough of Brooklyn:

No. 751.

The City of New York,
Office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn,
Brooklyn, June 14, 1902.

Hon. P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk, City Hall, Manhattan:

Dear Sir—I am directed by the President of the Borough to acknowledge the receipt of the certified copy of the resolution of the Board of Aldermen directing the heads of departments to transmit a complete statement of all fire, marine and liability insurance.

Yours very truly,

JUSTIN McCARTHY, Jr., Secretary.

Which was ordered on file.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Fire Department:

No. 752.

Headquarters, Fire Department, City of New York,
Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh Street,
Borough of Manhattan, June 14, 1902.

Mr. P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk, City Hall, New York City:

Sir—I am directed by the Commissioner to acknowledge receipt of copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen on the 3d inst. and approved by the Mayor on the 12th inst., directing heads of departments to transmit a statement of insurance carried on property under their jurisdiction for the years 1895 to 1902, inclusive. The statement, as far as applies to this Department, will be prepared and forwarded.

Respectfully,

WILLIAM LEARY, Secretary.

Which was ordered on file.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Department of Finance:

No. 753.

Department of Finance, City of New York,
June 14, 1902.

P. J. SCULLY, Esq., City Clerk:

Dear Sir—I beg to acknowledge the receipt of resolution of the Board of Aldermen adopted June 3, directing the heads of the departments to transmit, as soon as possible, a complete statement of all fire, marine and liability insurance carried on property under their jurisdiction for the years 1895, 1896, 1897, 1898, 1899, 1900, 1901 and 1902. The information desired is now being prepared.

Yours respectfully,

J. W. STEVENSON, Deputy Comptroller.

Which was ordered on file.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity:

No. 754.

Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity,
Commissioner's Office, Nos. 13-21 Park Row,
City of New York, June 14, 1902.

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

Dear Sir—In compliance with the resolution of your Honorable Board adopted June 3, 1902, and approved by his Honor the Mayor June 12, 1902, I hasten to inform you that this Department has never carried any insurance on its property.

Very respectfully,

WILLIAM A. DeLONG,

Deputy and Acting Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

Which was ordered on file.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, transmitting two resolutions:

No. 755.

Department of Finance, City of New York,
June 12, 1902.

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

Dear Sir—I inclose herewith certified copy of resolution fixing the salary of Richard Cahill, Fireman in the Department of Bridges, at an annual compensation of \$1,000, also form of resolution for adoption by the Board of Aldermen to indicate its concurrence therein.

This is to correct an error in the salary list of the Department of Bridges as submitted to this Board by the Commissioner, and adopted April 30, 1902.

I also send herewith certified copy of a resolution approving of the issue of Corporate Stock to the amount of \$39,000 for the purpose of providing means to pay for the construction of a dormitory in the Medical College Building for the em-

ployees of the Board of Trustees of the Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, together with a form of ordinance to be adopted by the Board of Aldermen should they concur in said resolution.

This appropriation, Dr. Brannan stated to our Board, is absolutely necessary to provide suitable sleeping quarters for the employees and attendants of the Bellevue and Allied Hospitals.

Very truly yours,

J. W. STEVENSON, Deputy Comptroller.

No. 756.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, at meeting held June 6, 1902, adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 436 of the Laws of 1902, that the salary of Mr. Richard Cahill, fireman in the Department of Bridges, be fixed at an annual compensation of one thousand dollars (\$1,000).

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salary of Richard Cahill, Fireman in the Department of Bridges, at one thousand dollars (\$1,000) per annum.

No. 757.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of thirty-nine thousand dollars (\$39,000), the proceeds to be used to provide means for the construction of a dormitory in the Medical College Building for the employees of the Board of Trustees of the Bellevue and Allied Hospitals.

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 6, 1902, authorizing 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 amended Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding thirty-nine thousand dollars (\$39,000), for the purpose of providing means to pay for the construction of a dormitory in the Medical College Building for the employees of the Board of Trustees of the Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller is authorized to issue said Corporate Stock of The City of New York in the manner provided by section 169 of the amended Greater New York Charter to an amount not exceeding thirty-nine thousand dollars (\$39,000), the proceeds thereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid."

Which were severally referred to the Committee on Finance.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Board of Estimate and Apportionment transmitting seven resolutions:

No. 758.

Department of Finance, City of New York,
June 16, 1902.

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

Dear Sir—I send you herewith certified copies of resolutions adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment at meeting held June 13, 1902, as follows:

1. Resolution authorizing the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity to employ a Consulting Hydraulic Engineer for his Department of at least fifteen (15) years' experience as a Civil Engineer, for a period not exceeding in all three (3) months, and that the fees and compensation to be paid such Consulting Engineer shall not exceed the sum of \$2,500.

Note—The Commissioner states that it is of the utmost importance that the Department shall at this time have the benefit of the services of a Consulting Hydraulic Engineer, and that he has retained, subject to authorization required by the Charter, Mr. John R. Freeman, a recognized authority in the field of hydraulic engineering, and well known to the people of this city, having already made a report upon the water systems of the Metropolis in the spring of 1900.

This does not exceed the appropriation for said Department for the year 1902.

2. Resolution fixing the salaries of two (2) Deputy Tax Commissioners in the Department of Taxes and Assessments.

Note—The Tax Commissioner states that by reason of a clerical error both of these Deputies were entered in the \$2,100 per annum grade and that such error now necessitates the action of the Board to enable said Deputies to obtain the salaries the Tax Department intended to pay them. This change in no way exceeds the appropriation made to said Department for salaries.

3. Resolution fixing salary of E. B. Southwick, Entomologist in the Department of Parks, Manhattan and Richmond, at \$1,800 per annum.

Note—This is to correct a typographical error in the salary list submitted by the Department and does not exceed the appropriation made to said Department for salaries.

4. Resolution fixing the salary of Peter Murphy, Laborer in the Department of Health at the Willard Parker Hospital at the rate of \$600 per annum.

Note—This is to equalize his salary with that of the other laborers at the said Hospital who are receiving \$600 per annum for the same work, and does not exceed the appropriation for salaries made to said Department for this year.

5. Resolution fixing the salary of Owen Keefe, Harnessmaker in the Department of Parks, at \$3.50 per day.

Note—This is to correct a clerical error in the salary schedule as submitted by the Park Commissioner and adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment April 30, 1902.

The uniform salary of Harnessmakers in said Department is \$3.50 per day. This is to equalize such salaries and does not in any way exceed the appropriation for salaries for the year of 1902.

6. Resolution fixing the salary of an additional Stenographer and Typewriter in the Department of Finance at \$750 per annum. This is a necessary appointment and does not exceed the salary appropriation of said Department for this year.

7. Resolution providing for the appointment of an additional Examiner in the Department of Finance at \$1,800 per annum. This appointment is made necessary by the increased business in said Department, and does not in any way exceed the salary appropriation for the year 1902.

I also inclose forms of resolutions for adoption by the Board of Aldermen to indicate its concurrence therein.

Very respectfully,

J. W. STEVENSON, Deputy Comptroller.

No. 759.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, at a meeting held June 13, 1902, adopted the following:

"Resolved, That the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity be and he is hereby authorized, with the concurrence of the Board of Aldermen, to employ a Consulting Hydraulic Engineer to his Department of at least fifteen years' experience as a Civil Engineer; such employment to be for such period as the Commissioner may deem necessary, not exceeding in all three months; and that the fee and compensation to be paid to such Consulting Engineer shall not exceed the sum of twenty-five hundred dollars."

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and authorizes the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, to employ a Consulting Hydraulic Engineer to his Department of at least fifteen years' experience as a Civil Engineer; such employment to be for such period as the Commissioner may deem necessary, not exceeding in all three months; and that the fee and compensation to be paid to such Consulting Engineer shall not exceed the sum of twenty-five hundred dollars.

No. 760.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, at a meeting held June 13, 1902, adopted the following resolution:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment recommends to the Board of Aldermen, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the amended Greater New York Charter, that the salaries of the Deputy Tax Commissioners in the Department of Taxes and Assessments be fixed as follows:

James F. Moore, Deputy Tax Commissioner, per annum.....	\$2,700 00
Edward P. Cringle, Deputy Tax Commissioner.....	2,550 00
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Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salaries of the Deputy Tax Commissioners in the Department of Taxes and Assessments, as follows:

James F. Moore, Deputy Tax Commissioner, per annum.....	\$2,700 00
Edward P. Cringle, Deputy Tax Commissioner.....	2,550 00

No. 761.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, at a meeting held June 13, 1902, adopted the following resolution:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment recommends to the Board of Aldermen, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the amended Greater New York Charter, that the salary of E. B. Southwick, Entomologist in the Department of Parks, boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, be fixed at the rate of eighteen hundred dollars per annum."

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salary of E. B. Southwick, Entomologist in the Department of Parks, boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, at the rate of eighteen hundred dollars per annum.

No. 762.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, at a meeting held June 13, 1902, adopted the following resolution:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment recommends to the Board of Aldermen, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the amended Greater New York Charter, that the salary of Peter Murphy, laborer in the Department of Health, at the Willard Parker Hospital, Borough of Manhattan, be fixed at the rate of six hundred dollars (\$600) per annum."

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salary of Peter Murphy, Laborer in the Department of Health at the Willard Parker Hospital at the rate of six hundred dollars (\$600) per annum.

No. 763.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, at a meeting held June 13, 1902, adopted the following resolution:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the amended Greater New York Charter, that the salary of Owen Keefe, Harnessmaker, in the Department of Parks, boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, be fixed at the rate of three dollars and fifty cents (\$3.50) per day."

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salary of Owen Keefe, Harnessmaker, in the Department of Parks, boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, at the rate of three dollars and fifty cents (\$3.50) per day.

No. 764.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, at meeting held June 13, 1902, adopted the following resolution:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, that the salary of an additional Stenographer and Typewriter in the Department of Finance be fixed at \$750 per annum."

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salary of an additional Stenographer and Typewriter in the Department of Finance at the rate of \$750 per annum.

No. 765.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, at a meeting held June 13, 1902, adopted the following resolution:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, that the salary of an additional Examiner in the Department of Finance be fixed at \$1,800 per annum."

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salary of an additional Examiner in the Department of Finance at the rate of \$1,800 per annum.

Which were severally referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, transmitting two resolutions:

No. 766.

Department of Finance—City of New York,
June 16, 1902.

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

Dear Sir—I send you herewith certified copies of resolutions adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment at meeting held June 13, 1902, as follows:

1. Resolution providing for an issue of Corporate Stock for the sum of \$150,000; to pay for the completion of an addition to the Brooklyn Institute of Arts and Sciences. Note.—The President of the Board of Trustees of the Brooklyn Institute of Arts and Sciences states that this amount is absolutely necessary at this time to complete the Central Section of said Institute.

2. Resolution providing for the issue of \$320,000 Corporate Stock to provide means for the construction and equipment of Interior Public Baths and the acquisition of sites therefor in The City of New York.

This is in pursuance to a resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen requesting the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to make an appropriation for Interior Public Baths.

I also inclose forms of ordinances for adoption by the Board of Aldermen to indicate its concurrence therein.

Very respectfully,

J. W. STEVENSON, Deputy Comptroller.

No. 767.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of one hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$150,000) to be used for the purpose of providing means to pay for the completion of an addition to the Brooklyn Institute of Arts and Sciences.

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 13, 1902, 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 amended Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of bonds to an amount not exceeding one hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$150,000) for the purpose of providing means to pay for the completion of an addition to the Brooklyn Institute of Arts and Sciences, 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 amended Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding one hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$150,000)."

No. 768.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of three hundred and twenty thousand dollars (\$320,000), the proceeds to be used to provide means for the construction and equipping of interior public baths and the acquisition of sites therefor in The City of New York.

Be it Ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York as follows: Section 1. The Board of Aldermen hereby approves and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment June 13, 1902, authorizing 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 amended Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York, to an amount not exceeding three hundred and twenty thousand dollars (\$320,000), to provide means for the construction and equipping of interior public baths and the acquisition of sites therefor in The City of New York, as follows:

In the Borough of Manhattan.....	\$220,000 00
In the Borough of Brooklyn.....	100,000 00
	\$320,000 00

—and that when authority 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 the amount of three hundred and twenty thousand dollars (\$320,000), the proceeds thereof shall be applied to the purposes aforesaid."

Which were severally referred to the Committee on Finance.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Board of Estimate and Apportionment transmitting ordinance:

No. 769.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment,
Secretary's Office, No. 280 Broadway,
New York, June 16, 1902.

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

Sirs—In pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter, and by direction of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, I herewith transmit to you for your action thereon a resolution adopted by the said Board, at a meeting held on the 13th day of June, 1902, approving of and favoring a change in the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out Bonner place, in the block bounded by East One Hundred and Sixty-third street, Morris avenue, East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street and College avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

The said resolution was adopted by the said Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the petition of property owners, and on the recommendation of the Local Board, Morrisania District, and on the report of the Chief Engineer of this Board.

No objections were offered at a public hearing in the matter given by the Board. Should the resolution receive your approval, I inclose a form of ordinance approved by the Board for adoption.

Very respectfully,

J. W. STEVENSON, Secretary.

Be it Ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York, as follows: That, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted by that Board on the 13th day of June, 1902, be and the same hereby is approved, viz:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter, deeming it for the public interest to alter the Map or Plan of The City of New York by laying out Bonner Place in the block bounded by East One Hundred and Sixty-third street, Morris avenue, East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street and College avenue, running east from Morris avenue a distance of 225 feet, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, does hereby favor and approve of the same, so as to lay out the aforesaid street as follows:

Beginning at a point on the easterly line of Morris avenue distant 170.0 feet northerly to the north side of East One Hundred and Sixty-third street;

1. Thence easterly deflecting 90 degrees to the right for 225.0 feet;

2. Thence northerly deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 40.0 feet;

3. Thence westerly deflecting 90 degrees to the left for 225.0 feet to the easterly line of Morris avenue;

4. Thence southerly along said east line of Morris avenue for 40.0 feet to the point of beginning.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers.

Subsequently, on motion of Alderman Harnischfeger, the paper was referred to the Alderman of the district affected.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Board of Estimate and Apportionment transmitting ordinance:

No. 770.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment,
Secretary's Office, No. 280 Broadway,
June 16, 1902.

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

Sirs—In pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter, and by direction of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, I herewith transmit to you, for your action thereon, a resolution adopted by the said Board at a meeting held on the 13th day of June, 1902, approving of and favoring a change in the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out East One Hundred and Fiftieth street, from Brook avenue to St. Ann's avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

The said resolution was adopted by the said Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the petition of property-owners and on the recommendation of the Local Board of Morrisania, Borough of The Bronx, and on the report of the Chief Engineer of this Board.

No objections were offered at a public hearing in the matter given by the Board. Should the resolution receive your approval I inclose a form of ordinance, approved by this Board, for your adoption.

Very respectfully,

J. W. STEVENSON, Secretary.

Be it Ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York, as follows: That, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted by that Board on the 13th day of June, 1902, be and the same hereby is approved, viz:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter, deeming it for the public interest to alter the map or plan of The City of New York, by laying out East One Hundred and Fiftieth street, from Brook avenue to St. Ann's avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, does hereby favor and approve of the same so as to lay out the aforesaid street as follows:

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Brook avenue distant 175 feet northerly from the intersection of the easterly line of Brook avenue and the northern line of East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street; thence northerly along the eastern side line of Brook avenue for 60 feet; thence easterly deflecting 90 degrees to the right for 524.50 feet to the western side line of St. Ann's avenue; thence southerly on the western side line of St. Ann's avenue for 60 feet; thence westerly for 524.5 feet to the point of beginning.

Said street to be 60 feet wide.

Grades.

There is no change of grade on Brook avenue or St. Ann's avenue.

At the intersection of northern side line of East One Hundred and Fiftieth street and the western property line of the Port Morris branch of the New York and Hartford Railroad the elevation to be 27.0 feet above mean high water datum.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers,

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Board of Estimate and Apportionment transmitting resolution:

No. 771.

Department of Finance, City of New York,
June 17, 1902.

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

Sir—I send you herewith certified copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting held June 13, 1902, approving of the issue of \$200,000, Corporate Stock, for the purpose of providing means for the construction and installation of a new heating and lighting plant for the American Museum of Natural History, in the Borough of Manhattan; also form of Ordinance for adoption by the Board of Aldermen to indicate its concurrence therein.

Mr. Morris K. Jesup, President of the Museum, in his letter to the Mayor states

that this appropriation is absolutely necessary to make improvements in the heating and lighting of the buildings in order that they may be kept open to the public during the winter months.

Very respectfully,

J. W. STEVENSON, Deputy Comptroller.

AN ORDINANCE to provide for an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of two hundred thousand dollars (\$200,000), the proceeds to be used to provide means for the construction and installation of a new heating and lighting plant for the American Museum of Natural History, in the Borough of Manhattan.

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 13, 1902, authorizing 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 amended Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of bonds to an amount not exceeding two hundred thousand dollars (\$200,000), for the purpose of providing means to pay for the construction and installation of a new heating and lighting plant for the American Museum of Natural History, in the Borough of Manhattan, 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, as amended by Chapter 563 of the Laws of 1902, to an amount not exceeding two hundred thousand dollars (\$200,000), the proceeds thereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Local Board of the Borough of Queens:

No. 772.

Whereas, The sewerage system of the Fourth Ward of the Borough of Queens cannot be used until connected with the Disposal Plant in said Ward, and the public health requires its immediate connection therewith; therefore be it

Resolved, That in accordance with chapter 10, title 1, section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the President of the Borough of Queens be and he is hereby authorized to expend a sum of money not to exceed \$3,000 without public letting in the laying of a thirty-inch (30-inch) hermetically sealed iron pipe under the Brooklyn City Water Conduit, so as to connect the sewer in Lincoln Avenue in the Fourth Ward of the Borough of Queens with the Sewerage Disposal Plant in said Fourth Ward.

President Cassidy of the Borough of Queens moved that the resolution be adopted.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion.

Which was unanimously decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Alt, Baldwin, Behrmann, Bennett, Bill, Brenner, Bridges, Chambers, Coggey, Culkin, Devlin, Dietz, Doull, Dowling, Downing, Florence, Foley, Gaffney, Gass, Goldwater, Goodman, Haggerty, Harburger, Harnischfeger, Higgins, Holmes, Howland, James, Jones, Keely, Kenney, Leitner, Longfellow, Lundy, McCarthy, Malone, Maloy, Mathews, Meyers, Nehrbauer, Owens, Parsons, Porges, Richter, Schappert, Seebeck, Shea, Stewart, Sullivan, Tebbetts, Twomey, Wafer, Walkley, Ware, Wentz, Willett, President Cassidy, Borough of Queens; President Haffen, Borough of The Bronx; the Vice-Chairman of the Board of Aldermen and the President of the Board of Aldermen—60.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Local Board of the Borough of Queens:

No. 773.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of sub-division 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds to the amount of forty-five thousand dollars (\$45,000) for the building, construction, repairing and maintenance by the Fire Commissioner of The City of New York, of a fire alarm telegraph system for the Second, Third, Fourth and Fifth Wards of the Borough of Queens.

President Cassidy of the Borough of Queens moved that the resolution be adopted.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion.

Which was unanimously decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Alt, Baldwin, Behrmann, Bennett, Bill, Brenner, Bridges, Chambers, Coggey, Culkin, Devlin, Diemer, Dietz, Donohue, Doull, Dowling, Downing, Florence, Foley, Gaffney, Gass, Goldwater, Goodman, Haggerty, Harburger, Harnischfeger, Higgins, Holmes, Howland, James, Jones, Kenney, Leitner, Longfellow, Lundy, McCarthy, Malone, Maloy, Meyers, Nehrbauer, Owens, Parsons, Peck, Porges, Richter, Schappert, Seebeck, Shea, Stewart, Sullivan, Tebbetts, Wafer, Walkley, Ware, Wentz, Willett, Wirth; President Cassidy, Borough of Queens; President Haffen, Borough of The Bronx; the Chairman of the Board of Aldermen, and the President of the Board of Aldermen—61.

MOTIONS, ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS.

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

No. 774.

Whereas, During the past three weeks the use of bituminous or soft coal, which in its consumption gives forth great clouds of black smoke, has become very common in this city; and

Whereas, That smoke given forth by soft coal contains very large quantities of gases, which are detrimental to and are injuring the health of the people of The City of New York; and

Whereas, The use of such soft coal, which causes the filthy and unwholesome condition of the atmosphere, which the people of this city are compelled to breathe, greatly to the injury of their air passages and lungs, is in direct violation of section 134 of the Sanitary Code of the Board of Health of The City of New York, therefore be it

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York condemn the continued use of soft coal by the railroads and others within the city limits, and therefore be it further

Resolved, That the Mayor is hereby requested to direct the Commissioner of Health to prosecute the work already begun and immediately enforce section 134 of the Sanitary Code, against all violators of its provisions.

Alderman Behrmann moved that the resolution be referred to the Committee on Public Health.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion.

Which was decided in the negative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Alt, Behrmann, Bennett, Bill, Diemer, Downing, Goldwater, Holler, Holmes, Howland, James, Jones, Klett, Leitner, Mathews, Meyers, Parsons, Peck, Shea, Stewart, Tebbetts, Walkley, Ware, Wentz, Willett, Wirth, and the Vice-Chairman of the Board of Aldermen—27.

Negative—Aldermen Baldwin, Brenner, Bridges, Chambers, Coggey, Culkin, Devlin, Dietz, Donohue, Doull, Dowling, Florence, Foley, Gaffney, Gass, Haggerty, Harburger, Harnischfeger, Higgins, Kenney, Lundy, John T. McCall, McCarthy, Malone, Marks, Nehrbauer, Porges, Richter, Schappert, Seebeck, Sullivan, Twomey, Wafer; President Cassidy, Borough of Queens, and President Haffen, Borough of The Bronx—35.

The resolution of Alderman Sullivan was then adopted.

At this point the Vice-Chairman took the chair.

Alderman Bridges at this time raised the point of order that, under Rule 22, Resolution No. 686, which had been referred to the Joint Committees on Laws and Legislation and Salaries and Offices on June 3, 1902, with instructions to report at the next meeting, was now before the Board, the Joint Committees having failed to report within the specified time.

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

The resolution is as follows:

No. 686.

Resolved, That all Civil War veterans and Spanish War veterans and Veteran Firemen who are in the employ of The City of New York in any department, and whose salary has been reduced within the past year by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment or any other authority, shall have their salaries restored to the same figure as it was before said reduction, at once, and shall not be reduced unless said veteran or veterans shall have violated some law by which he or they shall have been convicted after due trial as provided by law.

Alderman Walkley moved that the resolution be amended by adding at the end thereof the following: "And the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and they are hereby respectfully requested to carry the provisions of this resolution into effect."

Which amendment was accepted by Alderman Bridges.

The resolution as amended was then adopted.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Report of Committee on Public Buildings and Markets—

No. 402.

The Committee on Public Buildings and Markets, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of renewing request to Board of Estimate and Apportionment to appropriate \$1,000 to be used in preparing estimate and structural designs for erection of flower market, etc., in Clinton Market (Minutes, April 1, 1902, page 1768), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed appropriation to be necessary.

They therefore recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and hereby is respectfully requested to carry out the purpose and spirit of the resolution adopted in the Council November 26, 1901, concurred in by the Board of Aldermen November 26, 1901, and which was received from his Honor the Mayor December 10, 1901, without his approval or disapproval thereof, and of which the following is a copy:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be requested to appropriate the sum of one thousand dollars (\$1,000) to be used in preparing an estimate and structural designs for the erection of a flower market and such other purposes as may be required on the ground now occupied as Clinton Market."

WILLIAM J. WHITAKER, NICHOLAS NEHRBAUER, PATRICK CHAMBERS, SAMUEL H. JONES, CHARLES ALT, Committee on Public Buildings and Markets.

Which report was received and the resolution adopted.

Report of Committee on Finance—

No. 666.

The Committee on Finance to whom was referred on , 1902 (Minutes, page) the annexed ordinance in favor of an issue of corporate stock to an amount not exceeding \$250,000, to provide for the construction and equipment of a court house in the Borough of The Bronx, respectfully

REPORT:

That they have examined the subject and are informed as follows:

The Legislature, by special act, chose a site for a court house in The Bronx, which site is bounded on the north by East One Hundred and Sixty-first street, on the west by Brook Avenue, on the east by Third Avenue, and on the south by the plaza between Brook and Third Avenues. The site is of irregular shape, being about 194 feet on East One Hundred and Sixty-first street and about 90 feet on the plaza. The City has acquired title to the site and is now paying the annual interest charge on the bonds issued to pay for acquiring the site. It is also paying rent for the various courts and offices which will be housed in this new building. They are the Municipal and Criminal courts, the Coroner's office, and a jail. It is also proposed to include in the new building a court room for the Supreme Court. The erection of the building will centralize all these offices and courts in one building and so be a convenience. There have been strong complaints of the inadequacy and ill-ventilation of the premises at present rented for court rooms.

Your Committee therefore recommend that the ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of two hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$250,000), the proceeds to be used for the construction and equipment of a court house in the Borough of The Bronx.

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 May 23, 1902, authorizing 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 amended Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of Corporate Stock to an amount not exceeding two hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$250,000) to provide means for the construction and equipment of a court house in the Borough of The Bronx, and that when authority shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen the Comptroller is hereby authorized to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York in the manner provided by section 169 of the amended Greater New York Charter to an amount not exceeding two hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$250,000), the proceeds thereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid."

HERBERT PARSONS, WILLIAM T. JAMES, JAMES H. McINNES, JOSEPH A. BILL, FREDERICK W. LONGFELLOW, JOHN L. FLORENCE, TIMOTHY P. SULLIVAN, JAMES E. GAFFNEY, JOHN T. McCALL, Committee on Finance.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Alt, Baldwin, Behrmann, Bennett, Bill, Brenner, Bridges, Chambers, Coggey, Culkin, Devlin, Dietz, Donohue, Doull, Dowling, Downing, Florence, Foley, Gaffney, Gass, Gillen, Goldwater, Goodman, Haggerty, Harburger, Harnischfeger, Higgins, Holmes, Howland, James, Jones, Kennedy, Kenney, Leitner, Lundy, John T. McCall, McCarthy, Malone, Maloy, Marks, Mathews, Meyers, Nehrbauer, Owens, Parsons, Peck, Porges, Richter, Schappert, Seebeck, Shea, Sullivan, Tebbetts, Twomey, Ware, Whitaker, Willett; President Cassidy, Borough of Queens; President Haffen, Borough of The Bronx; President Cantor, Borough of Manhattan, and the Vice-Chairman of the Board of Aldermen—61.

Negative—Alderman Stewart—1.

SPECIAL ORDERS.

The hour of 2.15 o'clock p. m. having arrived, Alderman Marks called up Special Order No. 23, being a report and ordinance, as follows:

No. 617.

The Committee on Street Cleaning, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of amending "An ordinance regulating the cleaning of streets and sidewalks and keeping them clean and removing the snow and ice therefrom, in The City of New York" (page 403, Minutes of May 20, 1902), respectfully

REPORT:

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

AN ORDINANCE amending an ordinance regulating the cleaning of streets and sidewalks and keeping them clean and removing the snow and ice therefrom in The City of New York.

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

Section 1. Section 2 of an ordinance adopted March 11, 1902, and approved March 18, 1902, entitled "An ordinance regulating the cleaning of streets and sidewalks and keeping them clean and removing the snow and ice therefrom in The City of New York is hereby amended by inserting in the last line thereof after the word 'or' and before the word 'in' the words 'at the curb.'"

Sec. 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

JOHN L. FLORENCE, ISAAC MARKS, JAMES COWDEN MEYERS, PATRICK H. MALONE, JOHN E. MCCARTHY, PHILIP HARNISCHFEGGER, Committee on Street Cleaning.

Commissioner John McG. Woodbury of the Department of Street Cleaning appeared before the Board and protested against the adoption of the ordinance.

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

Which was decided in the negative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Alt, Baldwin, Behrmann, Bridges, Chambers, Coggey, Devlin, Dietz, Donohue, Doull, Gass, Goldwater, Haggerty, Harburger, Harnischfeger, Leitner, Malone, Marks, Mathews, Metzger and Nehrbaue—21.

Negative—Aldermen Bennett, Bill, Brenner, Culin, Diemer, Dowling, Downing, Florence, Gaffney, Gillen, Goodman, Holler, Howland, James, Jones, Keely, Kennedy, John T. McCall, Meyers, Owens, Parsons, Peck, Richter, Stewart, Sullivan, Tebbetts, Ware, Wentz, Whitaker, Willett, Wirth; President Cassidy, Borough of Queens; President Cantor, Borough of Manhattan, and the Vice-Chairman of the Board of Aldermen—34.

Alderman Marks moved that the vote by which the above resolution was lost be reconsidered.

Which motion was lost.

The hour of 3 o'clock p. m. having arrived, Alderman Harburger called up Special Order 22, being a report and ordinance as follows:

No. 511.

The Committee on Buildings, to whom was referred on April 29, 1902 (Minutes, page 256), the annexed ordinance in favor of amending section 96 of the Building Code in regard to the inclosing walls of elevator shafts, respectfully

REPORT:

That they held a public hearing May 9, 1902, to which were invited all persons interested in the proposed amendment to the Building Code. Among others who attended and advocated the passage of the ordinance were representatives of the Building Department. There having developed no apparent opposition to the ordinance at the public hearing, the Committee therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE to amend section 96 of the Building Code, in regard to the inclosing walls of elevator shafts.

Be it Ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York as follows: Note—Matter underscored thus _____ is new matter; matter in brackets thus [] is old law to be omitted.

Section 1. Section ninety-six is hereby amended to read as follows: Section 96—Elevator Inclosures. All elevators hereafter placed in any building, except such fireproof buildings as have been or may be hereafter erected, shall be inclosed in suitable walls of brick or with a suitable framework of iron and burnt clay filling, or of such other fireproof material and form of construction as may be approved by the Department of Buildings, except that the inclosure walls in non-fireproof buildings over five stories high, used as warehouses [stores] or factories shall be of brick. If the inclosure walls are of brick, laid in cement mortar, and not used as bearing walls, they may be eight inches in thickness for not more than fifty feet of their uppermost height, and increasing in thickness four inches for each lower fifty feet portion or part thereof. Said walls or construction shall extend through and at least three feet above the roof. All openings in the said walls shall be provided with fireproof shutters or fireproof doors, made solid for three feet above the floor level, except that the doors used for openings in buildings intended for the occupancy of one family may be of wood covered on the inner surface and edges with metal, not including the openings in the cellar, nor above the roof in any such shaft walls. The roofs over all inclosed elevators shall be made of fireproof materials, with a skylight at least three-fourths the area of the shaft, made of glass set in iron frames. When the shaft does not extend to the ground the lower end shall be inclosed in fireproof material.

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

Sec. 3. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

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

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Baldwin, Behrmann, Bennett, Brenner, Chambers, Culin, Devlin, Donohue, Doull, Dowling, Florence, Gaffney, Gass, Gillen, Goldwater, Goodman, Haggerty, Harburger, Harnischfeger, Higgins, Holmes, Howland, James, Jones, Keely, Leitner, Lundy, Malone, Marks, Metzger, Owens, Parsons, Peck, Porges, Richter, Schappert, Seebeck, Shea, Sullivan, Tebbetts, Ware, Whitaker, Willett, and President Cantor, Borough of Manhattan—44.

Negative—Aldermen Downing, Meyers and Stewart—3.

The hour of 2.30 o'clock p. m. having arrived and passed, President Cantor of the Borough of Manhattan called up Special Order No. 25, being a resolution as follows:

No. 718.

Whereas, There being no contract for the purchase of coal in force in the office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan during the early part of the year 1902, and the supply of coal being exhausted; and

Whereas, A supply of coal was necessary for the use of the public buildings; therefore be it

Resolved, Pursuant to section 419 of the Charter, that the action of the President of the Borough of Manhattan in purchasing coal in the open market on orders, without a contract, to the amount of \$3,737.18, is hereby ratified.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Alt, Baldwin, Behrmann, Bennett, Bill, Brenner, Bridges, Culin, Devlin, Diemer, Dietz, Donohue, Doull, Dowling, Downing, Florence, Foley, Gaffney, Gass, Gillen, Gillies, Goodman, Haggerty, Harburger, Harnischfeger, Higgins, Holler, Holmes, Howland, James, Jones, Keely, Kennedy, Kenney, Lundy, John T. McCall, McCarthy, Malone, Marks, Mathews, Metzger, Meyers, Nehrbaue, Owens, Parsons, Peck, Porges, Richter, Schappert, Seebeck, Shea, Stewart, Sullivan, Tebbetts, Twomey, Wafer, Ware, Wentz, Whitaker, Willett, Wirth; President Cromwell, Borough of Richmond; President Cassidy, Borough of Queens; President Haffen, Borough of The Bronx; President Cantor, Borough of Manhattan; the Vice-Chairman of the Board of Aldermen and the President of the Board of Aldermen—67.

MOTIONS, ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS, RESUMED.

President Cantor, of the Borough of Manhattan, asked and received unanimous consent to introduce the following:

No. 775.

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 is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of three thousand dollars (\$3,000), the proceeds whereof are to be expended by the Justices of the Court of Special Sessions of the First Division in furnishing and supplying the several rooms set apart and assigned to the use of Children's part of said Court in the premises located at No. 66 Third Avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan.

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

Which was unanimously decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Alt, Baldwin, Behrmann, Bennett, Bill, Brenner, Bridges, Chambers, Culin, Devlin, Diemer, Dietz, Donohue, Doull, Dowling, Downing, Florence, Foley, Gaffney, Gass, Gillen, Gillies, Goodman, Haggerty, Harburger, Harnischfeger, Higgins, Holler, Holmes, Howland, James, Jones, Keely, Kennedy, Kenney, Klett, Leitner, Lundy, John T. McCall, McCarthy, Malone, Marks, Mathews, Metzger, Meyers, Nehrbaue, Owens, Parsons, Peck, Porges, Richter, Schappert, Seebeck, Shea, Stewart, Sullivan, Tebbetts, Twomey, Wafer, Ware, Wentz, Whitaker; President Cromwell, Borough of Richmond; President Cassidy, Borough of Queens; President Haffen, Borough of The Bronx; President Cantor, Borough of Manhattan; the Vice-Chairman of the Board of Aldermen and the President of the Board of Aldermen—68.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES RESUMED.

Reports of the Committee on Finance—

No. 668—(G. O. No. 95).

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred on June 3, 1902 (Minutes, page 481), the annexed ordinance in favor of the issue of \$1,000,000 of Corporate Stock for the Dock Department, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed authorization to be proper. Under the revised Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment may, upon recommendation of the Sinking Fund Commissioners, authorize the issue of \$5,000,000 of bonds for the Dock Department, but any amount in addition to that must come into the Board of Aldermen for consideration. The Sinking Fund Commissioners have recommended the issue of \$6,000,000 of bonds for the Dock Department and the Board of Estimate has authorized the \$5,000,000 which it can without our consideration. It has also authorized another \$1,000,000, which is now before us. Your Committee are informed that the \$5,000,000, which is not before this Board for consideration, will be used for the purpose of acquiring and improving the wharf property between Bloomfield street and West Twenty-third street, in which section there is great demand for wharfage accommodations, and also in improving the sections between Forty-second street and Forty-fourth street and One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street and One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street on the North river. The work between Bloomfield street and West Twenty-third street must be done in order that that part of the water front shall conform to the general plan of the water front on the North river. The \$1,000,000 which is before us for consideration will be used more particularly on the East river and for the general expenses of the Department, all of which are payable from the issue of bonds. The work on the East river consists of the improvement of the Broad street, Fulton street, Catherine street, Market street, Rutgers street and East Twenty-third street sections, and acquiring wharf property on the East river. Your Committee are of the opinion that the improvements to which the Dock Department proposes to devote these moneys are necessary. The City's piers are insufficient to meet the demand. The City receives by wharfage upon its dock property an amount which, in the course of not so very many years, will pay both principal and interest of the bonds issued to the Department. Of course, the commerce of the port requires that our dock facilities shall be as perfect and ample as possible.

They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of one million dollars (\$1,000,000), the proceeds to be used for the building of docks, wharves or piers, and for acquiring land by purchase or condemnation for said purpose.

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 May 23, 1902, authorizing the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified:

"That, pursuant to the provisions of sections 47 and 180 of the amended Greater New York Charter, and the recommendation of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund by resolution adopted May 21, 1902, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York, to an amount not exceeding one million dollars (\$1,000,000) to provide means for the building of docks, wharves or piers, and for acquiring land by purchase or condemnation for said purpose, and that when authority 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 Charter, to the amount of one million dollars (\$1,000,000), the proceeds thereof shall be applied to the purposes aforesaid."

HERBERT PARSONS, WILLIAM T. JAMES, JAMES N. McINNES, JOSEPH A. BILL, FREDERICK W. LONGFELLOW, JOHN T. McCALL, JAMES E. GAFFNEY, TIMOTHY P. SULLIVAN, Committee on Finance.

Which was laid over.

No. 726—(G. O. No. 96).

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred on June 10, 1902 (Minutes, page 638), the annexed resolution in favor of authorizing and requesting the Comptroller to draw a warrant for \$125 to pay the bill of Tiffany & Company for framing engrossed resolutions sent to the National Sculpture Society, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed authorization to be proper; that they find that this is a very old matter which was favorably passed upon in the Council of the old Municipal Assembly on July 10, 1900, reported on favorably by the Finance Committee of the previous Board of Aldermen on July 31, 1900, and became General Order No. 114, as which it died with the old Board of Aldermen as unfinished business. The resolutions which were framed were resolutions adopted by the old Municipal Assembly in the year 1899. Your Committee understand that there is still a balance available in the account of "City Contingencies for 1901," out of which this payment can be made.

They therefore recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized and requested to draw a warrant in the sum of one hundred and twenty-five dollars (\$125) to pay bill of Tiffany & Company for framed engrossed resolutions sent to the National Sculpture Society, adopted by the Council October 4, 1899, concurred in by the Board of Aldermen October 10, 1899, and approved by his Honor the Mayor October 14, 1899; said amount to be charged to the account "City Contingencies for 1901."

HERBERT PARSONS, WILLIAM T. JAMES, JOHN L. FLORENCE, JAMES H. McINNES, FREDERICK W. LONGFELLOW, JOSEPH A. BILL, TIMOTHY P. SULLIVAN, JAMES E. GAFFNEY, Committee on Finance.

Which was laid over.

No. 706—(G. O. No. 97).

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred on June 10, 1902 (Minutes, page 638), the annexed resolution providing for special revenue bonds for \$75,000 for the Department of Health and the annexed ordinance providing for an issue of bonds for \$425,000 for the Department of Health, respectfully

REPORT:

upon the said resolution and the said ordinance as follows:

The Board will recollect that at the meeting on June 3 the Board, upon the recommendation of the Committee on Finance, rejected a resolution which had come from the Board of Estimate authorizing \$500,000 of bonds for the Department of Health. The Board will notice that the amounts in the resolution and ordinance herein reported upon aggregate \$500,000. They relate to that same subject matter. The aggregate is divided into two amounts, as the Health Department wished, for the reason that it is as necessary to spend \$75,000 in repairs, which can only be done by special revenue bonds to be cared for in the budget next year, as it is \$425,000 in construction. The total of \$500,000 is to be used for the purposes specified in the resolution as to the \$75,000, and so far as possible for the following purposes:

In the Borough of Manhattan, at the Willard Parker and Reception Hospitals, one new pavilion.

In the Borough of The Bronx, a station for disinfection and ambulance service, and if there is sufficient money, some new pavilions.

In the Borough of Brooklyn, at the Kingston Avenue Hospital, one new pavilion.

In the Borough of Queens, a station for disinfection and ambulance service, and if there is sufficient money, some new pavilions.

In the Borough of Richmond, a station for disinfection and ambulance service, and if there is sufficient money, one pavilion.

At the Riverside Hospital, on North Brother Island, in the Borough of The Bronx, shelter house on dock and other shelters.

Additions—

In the Borough of Manhattan, an annex to the Willard Parker Hospital building, if there is sufficient money.

The Department originally asked the Board of Estimate for over a million dollars for all the foregoing and some other purposes. How far the amount allowed will go the Department cannot tell, but it hopes to spend it in the manner aforesaid. Your committee are informed that the repairs and alterations are absolutely neces-

sary, and the new buildings urgently needed. Your committee have also been furnished with the following statement of existing conditions:

The Boroughs of The Bronx (exclusive of North Brother Island), Queens and Richmond, are absolutely without hospital accommodations for cases of contagious diseases, and have no arrangements for carrying on proper disinfection. In the Boroughs of Manhattan and Brooklyn and at North Brother Island the present buildings are wholly inadequate, out of repair and of such a character as not to meet the requirements. The department has been greatly handicapped in caring for contagious diseases in the first three mentioned Boroughs on account of the lack of these facilities. Cases of smallpox have to be carried from Tottenville, S. I., to North Brother Island, a distance of over thirty miles. The long journey is considered very dangerous and detrimental to recovery in these cases. The Department is not able to care for all the cases of scarlet fever, diphtheria, measles, etc., which it should properly do, to stamp them out, in places where proper isolation can not be had. At present only the very worst cases can be cared for. As a result scarlet fever and diphtheria cases are always to be found in large numbers, and will be so until the Department can properly isolate them in its own hospitals.

The only additions to the plant in recent years have been three small frame pavilions at North Brother Island, and one small brick pavilion at the Kingston Avenue Hospital in Brooklyn. A year ago the Riverside Hospital at North Brother Island was overcrowded with smallpox patients, and cases of scarlet fever from The Bronx, Manhattan and Queens had to be taken to Kingston Avenue Hospital in Brooklyn. This necessitated long journeys for some of these cases, a very imprudent and dangerous arrangement in cases of this character. Last Summer the hospitals were all so crowded that it was necessary to erect tents at the Kingston Avenue Hospital in Brooklyn to care for all the cases that the Department was called upon to treat. At present all the hospital facilities are crowded to the limit, and it is contemplated erecting tents at Riverside Hospital and at Kingston Avenue Hospital should the same number of cases continue to be sent to the hospitals in the coming weeks as have been in the last month or so.

It is hoped under this new scheme to take care of the cases arising in any Borough at hospitals in that Borough. This will reduce the danger arising from carrying patients from their homes to the Hospital to a minimum, the distance carried being greatly reduced in comparison with the present service.

No. 714—(G. O. No. 98).

Resolved, That pursuant to the provisions of sub-division 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 seventy-five thousand dollars (\$75,000), for the following purposes of the Department of Health:

Alterations, repairs, etc., in the Department Building at Fifty-fifth street and Sixth avenue, including the construction of a fireproof vault for the preservation of the records of births, marriages and deaths	\$15,000 00
Repairs to steamboat "Franklin Edson"	5,000 00
Repairs, alterations, painting, etc., to Hospital Buildings, steam and disinfecting plants at the Riverside Hospital, North Brother Island	20,000 00
Repairs, alterations, painting, etc., to Hospital Buildings, steam and disinfecting plants at East Sixteenth street, Borough of Manhattan	20,000 00
Repairs, alterations, painting, etc., to Hospital Buildings, steam and disinfecting plants at Kingston Avenue Hospital, Borough of Brooklyn	15,000 00

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of four hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars (\$425,000), the proceeds to be used for the construction of new buildings under the jurisdiction of the Department of Health.

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 6, 1902, authorizing 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 amended Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York, to an amount not exceeding four hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars (\$425,000) for the purpose of providing means to pay for the construction of new buildings under the jurisdiction of the Department of Health, and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen, the Comptroller is authorized to issue said Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by section 169 of the amended Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding four hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars (\$425,000)."

HERBERT PARSONS, WILLIAM T. JAMES, JAMES H. McINNES, JOSEPH A. BILL, FREDERICK W. LONGFELLOW, JOHN T. McCALL, JAMES E. GAFFNEY, TIMOTHY P. SULLIVAN, Committee on Finance.

Which were severally laid over.

No. 713—(G. O. No. 99).

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred on June 10, 1902 (Minutes, page 617), the annexed resolution providing for the issue of Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of \$1,650 for the purpose of meeting the expense incurred and to be incurred for telephone service, ice, etc., in the several courts of the Board of City Magistrates, First Division, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed resolution to be necessary. These Special Revenue Bonds will be provided for in the Budget next year. An appropriation should have been placed in the Budget for 1902 covering these items. There seems to have been some misunderstanding on the part of the Board of City Magistrates as to whether they should request the appropriation or whether it would come under the appropriations to the Borough President. Because of the misunderstanding no provision was made. It is, of course, necessary that these things should be provided for the courts. The \$1,650 is to be used as follows:

\$1,100 for seven telephones, one for each of the courts; \$364 for supplying ice at the rate of \$1 per week for each court; and \$186 for directories, Penal Codes and Session Laws.

They therefore recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That pursuant to the provisions of subdivision 8, of section 188, of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of one thousand six hundred and fifty dollars (\$1,650), for the purpose of providing the amount necessary to meet the expense incurred and to be incurred for telephone service, ice, Penal Codes, directories and Session Laws, in the several courts of the Board of City Magistrates, First Division.

HERBERT PARSONS, WILLIAM T. JAMES, JOHN L. FLORENCE, JAMES H. McINNES, JOSEPH A. BILL, FREDERICK W. LONGFELLOW, TIMOTHY P. SULLIVAN, JAMES E. GAFFNEY, Committee on Finance.

Which was laid over.

No. 715—(G. O. No. 100).

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred on June 10, 1902 (Minutes, page 620), the annexed communication from the Board of City Record requesting that the Supervisor of the "City Record" be authorized to draw upon the Comptroller for contingent expenses, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed authorization to be proper, and that it is simply a resolution similar to many others which this Board has already passed providing for the advance of \$100 for petty cash expenses, each \$100 to be accounted for before the next \$100 is advanced.

They therefore recommend that the accompanying resolution be adopted:

Office of the City Record, No. 2 City Hall, New York.

New York City, June 10, 1902.

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

Gentlemen—By direction of the Board of City Record, I respectfully submit for

your consideration and action the following resolution adopted by said Board at a meeting held June 9, 1902.

Resolved, That for the purpose of defraying minor incidental expenses contingent to the office of the "City Record," the Supervisor of the "City Record" may, by a requisition, draw upon the Comptroller for a sum not exceeding one hundred dollars (\$100). The Supervisor may in like manner renew the draft as often as he may deem necessary to the extent of the appropriation set apart for "City Record" supplies and contingencies during the year 1902, 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 Supervisor of the "City Record" covering the expenditure of money paid thereon.

Resolved, That for the purpose of defraying minor incidental expenses contingent to the office of the City Record, the Supervisor of the City Record may, by a requisition draw upon the Comptroller for a sum not exceeding one hundred dollars (\$100). The Supervisor may, in like manner, renew the draft as often as he may deem necessary to the extent of the appropriation set apart for City Record supplies and contingencies during the year 1902, 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 Supervisor of the City Record covering the expenditure of money paid thereon.

Respectfully submitted,

PHILIP COWEN, Supervisor City Record.

HERBERT PARSONS, JOHN L. FLORENCE, WILLIAM T. JAMES, JOSEPH A. BILL, FREDERICK W. LONGFELLOW, TIMOTHY P. SULLIVAN, JAMES E. GAFFNEY, Committee on Finance.

Which was laid over.

No. 555—(G. O. No. 101).

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred on June 10, 1902 (Minutes, page 594), the annexed resolution to authorize and request the Comptroller to draw a warrant for \$75 for John Fennell for decorating the headquarters of the Fire Department, respectfully

REPORT:

That they have examined the subject and have been informed by the Fire Department that the Headquarters' building was decorated on that occasion, presumably authorizedly, that an exact report can not be made on the matter owing to the fact that the persons who then had to do with it are no longer connected with the Department, and that the claim appears to be a just one. Your Committee therefore recommend that the resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized and requested to draw a warrant for seventy-five dollars (\$75) in favor of John Fennell, the same to be payment in full for decorating the headquarters of the Fire Department on the occasion of the reception to Admiral Dewey by The City of New York in September, 1899.

HERBERT PARSONS, JOHN L. FLORENCE, WILLIAM T. JAMES, JAMES H. McINNES, FREDERICK W. LONGFELLOW, TIMOTHY P. SULLIVAN, JAMES E. GAFFNEY, Committee on Finance.

Which was laid over.

Report of Committee on Salaries and Offices—

No. 702.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to whom was referred on June 10, 1902, (Minutes, page 594), the annexed resolution in favor of fixing salaries of Topographical Draftsman and Transmitters, Borough of Queens, respectfully

REPORT:

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

Whereas, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting held June 6, 1902, adopted the following resolution:

"Resolved, That we, the members of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in accordance with section 56 of the Greater New York Charter as amended by chapter 435 of the Laws of 1902, do hereby recommend to the Board of Aldermen that the salaries of Robert T. Johnson, Topographical Draftsman in the Borough of Queens; Gardner L. Van Dusen, Transmittan in the Borough of Queens, and Frederick L. Greiffenberg, Transmittan in the Borough of Queens, be fixed at the rate of twelve hundred dollars (\$1,200) each per annum."

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salaries of Robert T. Johnson, Topographical Draftsman in the Borough of Queens; Gardner L. Van Dusen, Transmittan in the Borough of Queens, and Frederick L. Greiffenberg, Transmittan in the Borough of Queens, at twelve hundred dollars (\$1,200) per annum each.

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

President Cassidy moved the immediate consideration of above report, which was adopted.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Baldwin, Behrmann, Brenner, Bridges, Chambers, Culkin, Devlin, Doull, Dowling, Downing, Florence, Goodman, Haggerty, Harburger, Harnischfeger, Holler, Holmes, Jones, Keely, Kennedy, Kenney Klett, John T. McCall, Malone, Marks, Mathews, Metzger, Nehrbauser, Owens, Parsons, Peck, Richter, Schappert, Seebeck, Shea, Stewart, Sullivan, Tebbetts Twomey, Wafer, Ware, Wentz, Whitaker, Willett, Wirth; President Cromwell, Borough of Richmond; President Cassidy, Borough of Queens; President Hafien, Borough of The Bronx; President Cantor, Borough of Manhattan; the Vice-Chairman of the Board of Aldermen and the President of the Board of Aldermen—51.

MOTIONS, ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS AGAIN RESUMED.

Alderman John T. McCall asked for and obtained unanimous consent to introduce the following:

No. 776.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and they are hereby respectfully requested to inform this Board by what authority the issue of \$3,000,000 Corporate Stock for repaving the streets of The City of New York has been authorized, the consent of the Board of Aldermen to such issue not having been asked for or obtained.

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

Which was decided in the negative, a majority of all the members elected failing to vote in favor thereof.

Affirmative—Aldermen Alt, Baldwin, Brenner, Bridges, Chambers, Culkin, Devlin, Diemer, Doull, Foley, Gillen, Haggerty, Harnischfeger, Holler, Keely, Kennedy, Kenney, John T. McCall, Malone, Marks, Mathews, Metzger, Nehrbauser, Owens, Richter, Schappert, Sullivan, Twomey, Wafer; President Cromwell, Borough of Richmond, and President Cassidy, Borough of Queens—31.

Negative—Aldermen Behrmann, Dowling, Downing, Florence, Goodman, James, Jones, Klett, Leitner, Meyers, Parsons, Peck, Seebeck, Shea, Stewart, Tebbetts, Ware, Wirth; President Cantor, Borough of Manhattan; the Vice-Chairman of the Board of Aldermen and the President of the Board of Aldermen—21.

On motion of Alderman Stewart, the above vote was reconsidered.

Alderman John T. McCall was then granted permission to withdraw the resolution.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES AGAIN RESUMED.

Reports of Committee on Salaries and Offices—

No. 703.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to whom was referred on June 10, 1902 (Minutes, page 594), the annexed resolution in favor of fixing salaries of Superintendents of Outdoor Poor, Boroughs of Queens and Richmond, respectfully

REPORT:

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

Whereas, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment at meeting held June 6, 1902, adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Amended Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 435 of the Laws of 1902, that a correction be made in the salaries of the Superintendent of Out Door Poor, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, and the Superintendent of Out Door Poor, Borough of Richmond, and that said salaries be fixed as follows:

Superintendent of Out Door Poor, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.....	\$1,200 00
Superintendent of Out Door Poor, Borough of Richmond.....	1,950 00

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salaries of the Superintendent of Out Door Poor, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, and the Superintendent of Out Door Poor, Borough of Richmond, as follows:

Superintendent of Out Door Poor, Borough of Brooklyn and Queens.....	\$1,200.00
Superintendent of Out Door Poor, Borough of Richmond.....	1,950.00

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

On motion, the report received immediate consideration.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Alt, Baldwin, Behrmann, Bennett, Bill, Brenner, Chambers, Cullin, Devlin, Doull, Dowling, Downing, Florence, Foley, Gillen, Goldwater, Goodman, Harburger, Higgins, James, Jones, Kennedy, Kenney, Klett, Leitner, McCarthy, Malone, Maloy, Mathews, Metzger, Meyers, Nehrbauer, Owens, Parsons, Peck, Porges, Richter, Seebeck, Shea, Stewart, Sullivan, Tebbetts, Wafer, Ware, Wentz, Willett; President Cromwell, Borough of Richmond; President Cassidy, Borough of Queens; President Cantor, Borough of Manhattan, and the Vice-Chairman of the Board of Aldermen—50.

No. 704.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to whom was referred on June 10, 1902 (Minutes, page 595), the annexed resolution in favor of fixing salaries of all apothecaries in Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, respectfully

REPORT:

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

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment at meeting held June 6, 1902, adopted the following resolution:

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 435 of the Laws of 1902, that the salaries of all apothecaries now employed (or to be employed) in Bellevue and Allied Hospitals in positions which pay less than seven hundred and fifty dollars (\$750), be fixed at seven hundred and fifty dollars (\$750) per annum."

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution, and fixes the salaries of all apothecaries now employed (or to be employed) in Bellevue and Allied Hospitals in positions which pay less than seven hundred and fifty dollars (\$750) per annum, at seven hundred and fifty dollars (\$750) per annum.

ROBERT F. DOWNING, PATRICK H. MALONE, JOHN H. BEHRMANN, WEBSTER R. WALKLEY, WILLIAM D. PECK, SAMUEL H. JONES, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

On motion, the report received immediate consideration.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Baldwin, Behrmann, Bennett, Bill, Brenner, Bridges, Chambers, Cullin, Devlin, Doull, Dowling, Downing, Florence, Foley, Gillen, Goldwater, Goodman, Harburger, Harnischfeger, James, Jones, Klett, John T. McCall, Metzger, Meyers, Owens, Parsons, Richter, Schappert, Seebeck, Shea, Stewart, Sullivan, Tebbetts, Wafer, Ware, Willett; President Cromwell, Borough of Richmond; President Cassidy, Borough of Queens; President Haffen, Borough of The Bronx, and the Vice-Chairman of the Board of Aldermen—41.

At this point Alderman Meyers moved that all further reports be received and laid over.

Which was adopted.

The reports are as follows:

Reports of Committee on Salaries and Offices—

No. 631—(G. O. 102).

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to whom was referred, on May 27, 1902 (Minutes, page 445), the annexed resolution in favor of authorizing the Secretary of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to appoint a Stenographer and Typewriter at a salary of \$1,200 per annum, respectfully

REPORT:

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

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, at meeting held May 26, 1902, adopted the following resolution:

"Resolved, That the Secretary of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment is hereby authorized to appoint one Stenographer and Typewriter (male) to be employed in the office of the Chief Engineer of this Board; and be it further

"Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen that the salary for such position be fixed at the sum of twelve hundred dollars (\$1,200) per annum.

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution, and authorizes the Secretary of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to appoint one (1) Stenographer and Typewriter (male), and fixes the salary for such position at twelve hundred dollars (\$1,200) per annum.

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

No. 695—(G. O. 103).

The Committee on Salaries and Offices to whom was referred on June 10, 1902 (Minutes, page 591), the annexed resolution in favor of fixing salaries of William Snyder and Peter Shannon, Keepers in Central Park Menagerie respectfully

REPORT:

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

Whereas, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment at meeting held June 6, 1902, adopted the following resolution, as amended by chapter 435 of the Laws of 1902:

"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, as amended by chapter 435 of the Laws of 1902, and the request of the Commissioner of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, that the salaries of William Snyder and Peter Shannon, Keepers in the Central Park Menagerie, be fixed at the rate of ninety dollars (\$90) per month, each."

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby concurs in said resolution and fixes the salaries of William Snyder and Peter Shannon, Keepers in the Central Park Menagerie at the rate of ninety dollars (\$90) per month, each.

ROBERT F. DOWNING, JOHN H. BEHRMANN, PATRICK H. MALONE, WEBSTER R. WALKLEY, WILLIAM D. PECK, SAMUEL H. JONES, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

Report of Committee on Water Supply, Gas and Electricity—

No. 84—(G. O. 104).

The Committee on Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, to whom was referred on January 30, 1902 (Minutes, page 160) the annexed communication from the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity in favor of permitting the use of Standard Water Meter Company's meters in City of New York, respectfully

REPORT:

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

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, the pattern and price of water meters manufactured by the Standard Water Meter Company of this city is hereby approved for use in The City of New York.

Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity,
Commissioner's Office, 13-21 Park Row,
City of New York, June 5, 1902.

Hon. JAMES H. McINNES, Vice-Chairman, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 4th instant, concerning the application of the Standard Water Meter Company for the placing of their meters on the list of approved meters, and stating that the only thing you desire and have desired to know all along is whether that Company's meter is approved by this Department.

In reply I desire to say that under the Charter, the approval of water meters rests entirely with the Board of Aldermen, and I consider that the functions of this Department in the premises are fully discharged by having meters presented for approval thoroughly tested and presenting to the Board of Aldermen the result of the tests, which has been done in the case of the Standard Meter. I should be pleased, however, to have any further tests made that the Board or your Committee may desire and to promptly submit the results.

Very respectfully,

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

Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity,
Commissioner's Office, 13 to 21 Park Row,
City of New York, April 15, 1902.

JAMES H. McINNES, Esq., Chairman, Committee, Water, Gas and Electricity,
Board of Aldermen, New York City:

Dear Sir—I addressed a letter to Hon. Charles V. Fornes, President of the Board of Aldermen, on January 22 of this year, in which I made the following statement:

"I have the honor to recommend for your approval, in pursuance of section 475 of the Revised Charter of The City of New York, the pattern and price of water meters manufactured by the Standard Water Meter Company of this city. These meters have been tested by apparatus in the pipe yard of this Department and found reliable, accurate and durable."

The information which was before me at the time of writing this letter seemed to be sufficient to require, upon the application of the Standard Water Meter Company duly made to me, that I should give that company an opportunity to ask for the acceptance of their meter by the Board of Aldermen.

Since that time, however, other tests have been made of this meter which seemed to show that the meter is not entirely accurate.

In view of the inaccuracies of the tests referred to, the question was referred by me to the Chief Engineer of this Department, who reports to me as follows:

"I should recommend that the meter be tested under a destructive test of one million gallons, running free, to see what is the wear and tear of same."

I beg to transmit to you herewith the original reports under dates of March 20, March 21 and April 5, 1902, submitted to me by the foreman of the pipe yard, where the tests of meters are made.

I also beg to transmit the application from W. H. Marsh, Manager of the Standard Water Meter Company, dated January 20, 1902. These papers comprise all the original papers in my possession.

I shall gladly furnish any other information which I have and give any further opportunity that may be suggested for the testing of this meter. I have no opinion in regard to the meter other than is based on the reports made to me, and I can only suggest that an adequate test of the same be made in order that your Committee may be possessed of all possible information upon the subject. The co-operation of this Department may be relied upon in any steps you care to take in the matter along the lines of an investigation of this or any other meters which are presented for the consideration and approval of the Board of Aldermen.

Very truly yours,

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

Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity,
Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx,
New York, April 5, 1902.

Hon. WILLIAM A. DE LONG, Deputy Commissioner:

Dear Sir—In reply to yours of the 4th inst. would respectfully submit the following report:

That in the last 100-200 meters of all styles tested by the Inspector, P. Short, the same were found to register correct.

Respectfully,
EMIL DUHM Foreman.

Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity,
Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx,
New York, June 21, 1902.

Hon. WILLIAM A. DE LONG, Deputy Commissioner:

Dear Sir—There was tested this day, at the Meter Shop of the Pipe Yard, by P. Short, Inspector, one 3-inch standard current water meter, and the same showed that it ran one foot fast in 100 cubic feet.

Respectfully,
EMIL DUHM, Foreman.

The Standard Water Meter Company,
Office and Factory Nos. 22-26 Reade Street,
New York, January 20, 1902.

J. HAMPDEN DOUGHERTY, Esq., Commissioner of Water Supply, etc.:

Dear Sir—We request permission to sell our water meters to the City and its citizens at the following prices:

For 5/8-inch, \$10; 3/4-inch, \$15; 1-inch, \$20; 1 1/2-inch, \$40; 2-inch, \$50; 3-inch, \$100; 4-inch, \$150; 6-inch, \$300; 8-inch, \$500.

Discounts to plumbers, 10 to 20 per cent.; to the City, 20 to 25 per cent., with special discount for large lots.

Our meters have been tested and are in popular use in about five hundred cities and towns in the country and many in use in the private plants in this city. We submit copy of official tests for New York and Philadelphia and Jersey City.

Yours truly,
W. H. MARSH, Manager.

Department of Water Supply, Pipe Yard,
No. 437 East Twenty-fourth Street,
New York, March 20, 1902.

Hon. WILLIAM A. DE LONG, Deputy Commissioner:

Dear Sir—There was tested on March 19 inst., at the Meter Shop of the Pipe Yard, one 3/4-inch standard water meter, by Patrick Short, Inspector, and found the same to run one-half foot short in 100 cubic feet.

Mr. Marsh having brought only one meter.

Respectfully,
EMIL DUHM, Foreman, Pipe Yard.

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

Hon. JAMES H. McINNES, Chairman Committee on Water, Gas and Electricity,
Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—Referring to my letter to you of April 15 ultimo, in reference to the adoption, pursuant to section 475 of the revised Greater New York Charter, of the water meter manufactured by the Standard Water Meter Company of this city,

which matter is pending in your Committee, I desire to say that the test of the meter, referred to by me, has been made at the Department Pipe Yard, foot of East Twenty-fourth street, Manhattan, and for the information of the Committee I herewith inclose a copy of the report, giving the results of the tests.

Very respectfully,

J. HAMPDEN DOUGHERTY,

Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity,

Pipe Yard, No. 437 East Twenty-fourth Street,

New York, May 20, 1902.

Hon. WM. A. DE LONG, Deputy Commissioner Water Supply, Gas and Electricity:

Dear Sir—After a thorough practical test of five (5) Standard Disc Meters, the results were as follows:

Meter No. 9822, $\frac{5}{8}$ inch, found to register 1-10 foot short in 25 feet.

Meter No. 1750, $\frac{5}{8}$ inch, found to register 4-10 foot short in 25 feet.

Meters Nos. 1478-1757, $\frac{5}{8}$ inch, found to register O. K. in 25 feet.

Meter No. 26426, $\frac{3}{4}$ inch, found to register O. K. in 25 feet.

—and two (2) Standard Current Meters:

Meter No. 23382, $\frac{3}{4}$ inch, found to register 3-10 foot fast in 25 feet.

Meter No. 23383, 1 inch, found to register 4-10 foot fast in 25 feet.

These meters were tested by Patrick Short, Inspector and Tester of Meters at the Pipe Yard.

Respectfully,

(Signed) EMIL DUHM, Foreman Pipe Yard.

March 14, 1902.

Have written to Standard Meter Company to have new test made at pipe yard and send report to me for transmission to the committee.

W. A. DE LONG,

The Standard Water Meter Co.,

January 20, 1902.

J. HAMPDEN DOUGHERTY, Esq., Commissioner of Water Supply, etc.:

Dear Sir—We request permission to sell our water meters to the City and its citizens at the following prices:

For $\frac{5}{8}$ -inch, \$10; $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch, \$15; 1-inch, \$20; 1½-inch, \$40; 2-inch, \$50; 3-inch, \$100; 4-inch, \$150; 6-inch, \$300; 8-inch, \$500.

Discount to plumbers 10 to 20 per cent., to the City 20 to 25 per cent., with special discount for large lots.

Our meters have been tested and are in popular use in about 500 cities and towns in the country, and many in use in the private plants in this city. We submit copy of official tests for New York and Philadelphia and Jersey City. Yours truly,

(Signed) W. H. MARSH, Manager.

Department of Water Supply, Commissioner's Office, 13-21 Park Row,

City of New York, January 22, 1902.

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

Dear Sir—I have the honor to recommend for your approval, in pursuance of section 475 of the Revised Charter of The City of New York, the pattern and price of water meters manufactured by the Standard Water Meter Company of this city. These meters have been tested by apparatus in the pipe yard of this Department and found reliable, accurate and durable.

Respectfully,

J. HAMPDEN DOUGHERTY,

Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

JAMES H. McINNES, JAMES E. GAFFNEY, REGINALD S. DOULL, JOSEPH A. BILL, WILLIAM WENTZ, JOSEPH H. MALOY, CHARLES W. CULKIN, FRANK BENNETT, Committee on Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

Reports of Committee on Laws and Legislation—

No. 733—(G. O. No. 105).

The Committee on Laws and Legislation, to whom was referred on June 10, 1902 (Minutes, page 640), the annexed ordinance amending the revised ordinances of The City of New York in respect to contracts with The City of New York, respectfully

REPORT:

That section 356 of the Revised Ordinances of 1897 is in conflict with the provisions of section 418 of the revised Greater New York Charter, as appears from the opinion of the Corporation Counsel hereto annexed. The proposed ordinance remedies this defect.

They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE amending the Revised Ordinances of The City of New York in respect to contracts with The City of New York.

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

Section 1. Section 356 of the Revised Ordinances of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York is hereby amended by striking out the following language at the end thereof:

"Provided, however, that the head of any Department or officers aforesaid, by whom any such contract shall be made, may, on good and sufficient cause, extend for a reasonable time the period fixed for the completion thereof."

—and substituting in lieu thereof the following words:

"Provided, however, that the time for the performance of any such contract may be extended by resolution of the Board of Aldermen, preceded by the unanimous recommendation of such action by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment."

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

Sec. 3. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

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

No. 689—(G. O. No. 106).

The Committee on Laws and Legislation, to whom was referred on June 10, 1902 (Minutes, page 584) the annexed petition from residents of the Fourteenth and Fifteenth Wards, Borough of Brooklyn, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe this petition of citizens and tax payers of the Fourteenth and Fifteenth Wards of the Borough of Brooklyn, directs the attention of the Board to the fact that the suspensions of the fireworks ordinance in said wards have led to an increased fire hazard, and consequent increased insurance rates. Such suspensions of the ordinance are becoming more and more frequent, and resolutions therefor are passed without investigation, the Board relying solely upon the judgment of the Alderman introducing the resolution.

Your Committee believes that the complaint of the petitioners has a foundation in fact and the Committee therefore recommends that all members of the Board scrutinize with care applications made to them for suspensions of the fireworks ordinance.

The Committee further recommends that the petitioners' prayer for the revocation of permits now in force be referred to the Aldermen of the districts affected, with the request that they introduce rescinding resolutions if they deem them advisable.

To the Honorable SETH LOW, Mayor of The City of New York, and the Honorable Board of Aldermen of The City of New York:

Honorable and Dear Sirs—We, the undersigned petitioners, residents and property-owners and taxpayers of the Fourteenth and Fifteenth Wards of the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, respectfully request the revocation of all permits for the explosion of fireworks in the said wards, and further request the withholding of your consent to the further suspension of the ordinance prohibiting the explosion of fireworks, on the ground that the same is a nuisance, dangerous to life, limb and property in this section. A great majority of the dwelling houses and factories are frame structures, some of which are very old and easily ignited, particularly by the explosion of skyrockets, bombs and balloons, which are discharged in great numbers and in a most reckless manner. Certain societies in these wards, from time to time, procure a suspension of said ordinance for the purpose of celebrating certain feast days. The suspension of said ordinance increases the rate of insurance and

puts the property owners in said wards to the expense of hiring people to watch their buildings to prevent fire, and it is respectfully submitted that a fire from falling sparks would with certainty demolish nearly this entire section.

It is not the desire of the undersigned to in any way curtail or interfere with the celebration of the feast days of any body of citizens in said wards, only in so far as the same, by the discharge of fireworks, endangers the life, limb and property in this vicinity.

This request is of vast importance, particularly to the property-owners in said-mentioned districts, and we sincerely trust that the Honorable Mayor and the Board of Aldermen will recognize the necessity of withholding their consent to any further suspension of said ordinance, and trust that any and all permits now in operation allowing the use of fireworks as aforesaid be revoked forthwith.

Dated Brooklyn, N. Y., June 9, 1902.

Thomas Gregory, Galvanizing Works, Nos. 63 to 67 Frost street.

Michael Hallahan, No. 342 Lorimer street.

Henry Goodman, No. 338 Lorimer street.

Igoe Bros., No. 226 North 9th street.

Longman & Martinez, Roebling street, North Ninth and Tenth streets.

Phenix Tube Company, No. 182 North 11th street.

Dr. Wilhelm Schad, Chemist, with New York Quinine and Chemical Works, North Eleventh and Berry streets.

New York Stamping Company, North Eleventh and Berry streets.

S. E. & M. Vernon, North Eleventh and Berry streets.

F. R. & T. J. Vernon, Jr., North Tenth, near Driggs avenue.

Mary E. Hill, No. 227 Union avenue and North Tenth, near Driggs avenue.

Vogele & Lackman, Nos. 239 to 259 Union avenue.

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

Reports of Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers—

No. 492—(G. O. No. 107).

The Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers, to whom was referred on April 29, 1902 (Minutes, page 223), the annexed communication from the President of the Borough of The Bronx transmitting copy of resolution adopted by the Local Board of Morrisania, Twenty-fourth District, in favor of changing the name of Belmont place, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed change to be necessary.

They therefore recommend that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That the name of Belmont place, from Third to Arthur avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, be and the same is hereby changed to East One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street, and the President of the Borough is hereby authorized and directed to make the necessary changes on the maps and records of The City of New York in accordance therewith.

The City of New York,

Office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx,

Municipal Building, Crotona Park,

April 28, 1902.

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

Dear Sir—I hereby beg to notify you that at a meeting of the Local Board of Morrisania, Twenty-fourth District, held at this office on April 28, 1902, the following resolution was adopted, viz:

"Resolved, That the Local Board of Morrisania, Twenty-fourth District, Borough of The Bronx, respectfully recommends to the Board of Aldermen that the name of Belmont place, from Third avenue to Arthur avenue, be changed to East One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street, for the reason that these two blocks have always been known as East One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street."

Respectfully,

HENRY A. GUMBLETON, Secretary.

FRANK L. DOWLING, CHARLES ALT, PATRICK H. MALONE, WILLIAM J. WHITAKER, TIMOTHY P. SULLIVAN, DAVID M. HOLMES, Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers.

No. 611—(G. O. No. 108).

The Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers, to whom was referred on May 30, 1902 (Minutes, page 401), the annexed resolution in favor of rescinding a resolution changing the names of certain avenues in the Thirtieth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, respectfully

REPORT:

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

Whereas, A resolution was on the 1st day of April, A. D., 1902, presented to this Honorable Board changing the names of the Avenues in the Thirtieth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, to that of Streets, from Thirteenth Avenue to Twenty-eighth Avenue; from Eighty-sixth street to the Bay; and

Whereas, Said resolution was adopted by said Board, on said date; and

Whereas, Said resolution was approved by his Honor the Mayor, on the 15th day of April, A. D., 1902; and

Whereas, It is the desire of the people in said section that the said resolution be rescinded,

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by this Board on the 1st day of April, A. D., 1902, and approved by his Honor the Mayor, on the 15th day of April, A. D., as aforesaid, be and it is hereby rescinded.

FRANK L. DOWLING, CHARLES ALT, WILLIAM J. WHITAKER, PATRICK H. MALONE, TIMOTHY P. SULLIVAN, DAVID M. HOLMES, Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers.

No. 586—(G. O. No. 109).

The Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers, to whom was referred on May 20, 1902 (Minutes, page 370), the annexed communication from the Property Owners' Union of The City of New York, requesting that the sidewalks on the east side of Fifth avenue, from Eighty-sixth street to One Hundred and Tenth street, Borough of Manhattan, be flagged, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they recommend that the said communication be referred to the Local Board of the district affected.

Property Owners' Union of The City of New York,

No. 78 East Ninety-sixth street,

May 19, 1902.

To the President of the Honorable Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—A resolution was adopted at our last meeting directing me to make application to your honorable Board to have an ordinance passed by you, "That the sidewalks on the east side of Fifth avenue, from Eighty-sixth street to One Hundred and Tenth street be flagged the full width, wherever the same is not done."

This avenue has in the last five years become a very important thoroughfare and promenade, and the sidewalk and flagging in a great many places are in a disgraceful condition, so much so that many pedestrians are forced to walk in the roadway.

Our society has carefully considered this matter and thinks that this state of

affairs should be remedied at once, and sincerely and earnestly hopes your honorable Board will give this matter your earliest attention.

Trusting you will favor us with a reply, we are, most respectfully yours,
McLAREN QUACKENBUSH, Secretary.
FRANK L. DOWLING, CHARLES ALT, WILLIAM J. WHITAKER, PATRICK H. MALONE, TIMOTHY P. SULLIVAN, DAVID M. HOLMES, Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers.

No. 630—(G. O. No. 110).

The Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers, to whom was referred on May 27, 1902 (Minutes, page 422), the annexed ordinance in favor of changing the grade of East Fourteenth street, between Caton and Church avenues, Borough of Brooklyn, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed change to be necessary.

They therefore recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE to Change Grade in East Fourteenth Street, Borough of Brooklyn.

Be it Ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York, as follows: That, in pursuance of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted by that Board on the 23d day of May, 1902, be and the same hereby is approved, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter, deeming it for the public interest to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the grade of East Fourteenth street, between Caton avenue and Church avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, does hereby favor and approve of the same, so as to change the grade of the aforesaid street as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of East Fourteenth street and Caton avenue, the elevation to be 49.62 feet above mean high-water datum, as heretofore;

1. Thence southerly to a point 220 feet south of the centre line of Caton avenue, the elevation to be 50.29 feet above mean high-water datum;

2. Thence southerly to the intersection of East Fourteenth street and Caton avenue, the elevation to be 44.54 feet above mean high water datum as heretofore.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment,
Assistant Secretary's Office, City Hall,
New York, May 24, 1902.

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

Sirs—In pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter, and by direction of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, I herewith transmit to you, for your action thereon, a resolution adopted by the said Board at a meeting held on the 23d day of May, 1902, approving of and favoring a change in the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the grade of East Fourteenth street, between Caton avenue and Church avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York.

The said resolution was adopted by the said Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the petition of property owners, and on the recommendation of the Local Board of the Flatbush District, and on the report of the Chief Engineer of this Board.

No objections were offered at a public hearing in the matter given by the Board. Should the resolution receive your approval, I inclose a form of ordinance, approved by this Board, for your adoption.

Very respectfully,

JOHN H. MOONEY, Assistant Secretary.

FRANK L. DOWLING, CHARLES ALT, WILLIAM J. WHITAKER, PATRICK H. MALONE, TIMOTHY P. SULLIVAN, DAVID M. HOLMES, Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers.

No. 637—(G. O. No. 111).

The Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers, to whom was referred on May 27, 1902 (Minutes, page 401), the annexed resolution in favor of permitting John M. Ruhl to erect a retaining wall in front of No. 691 East One Hundred and Ninety-fourth street, Borough of The Bronx, respectfully

REPORT:

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

Resolved, That permission be and the same hereby is given to John M. Ruhl to place, erect and keep a two foot high retaining stone wall within the stoop line in front of his premises, No. 691 East One Hundred and Ninety-fourth street, in the Borough of The Bronx, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, and such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

FRANK L. DOWLING, CHARLES ALT, PATRICK H. MALONE, WILLIAM J. WHITAKER, TIMOTHY P. SULLIVAN, DAVID M. HOLMES, Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers.

No. 629 (G. O. No. 112).

The Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers to whom was referred on May 27, 1902 (Minutes, page 419), the annexed ordinance in favor of changing the grades in territory bounded by Stewart avenue, Johnson avenue, the Canal and Metropolitan avenue in the Eighteenth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed change to be necessary.

They, therefore, recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE to Change Grade in Stewart Avenue, Etc., Eighteenth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn.

Be it ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York, as follows: That, in pursuance of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter, the following resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted by that Board on the 23d day of May, 1902, be and the same hereby is approved, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter, deeming it for the public interest to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the grades in the territory bounded by Stewart avenue, Johnson avenue, the canal and Metropolitan avenue, in the Eighteenth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, does hereby favor and approve of the same, so as to change the grades in the aforesaid territory as follows:

"A"—Ten Eyck Street.

Beginning at the intersection of Ten Eyck street and Stewart avenue, the elevation to be 6.55 feet above mean high-water datum as heretofore;

1st. Thence westerly to the intersection of Varick avenue, the elevation to be 9.96 feet above mean high-water datum;

2d. Thence westerly to the intersection of the canal, the elevation to be 5.07 feet above mean high-water datum as heretofore.

"B"—Meadow Street.

Beginning at the intersection of Meadow street and Stewart avenue, the elevation to be 9.08 feet above mean high-water datum as heretofore;

1st. Thence westerly to the intersection of Varick avenue, the elevation to be 11.26 feet above mean high-water datum;

2d. Thence westerly to the intersection of the canal, the elevation to be 5.07 feet above mean high-water datum as heretofore.

"C"—Stagg Street.

Beginning at the intersection of Stagg street and Stewart avenue, the elevation to be 6.93 feet above mean high-water datum as heretofore;

1st. Thence westerly to the intersection of Varick avenue, the elevation to be 9.96 feet above mean high-water datum;

2d. Thence westerly to the intersection of the canal, the elevation to be 5.07 feet above mean high-water datum as heretofore.

"D"—Scholes Street.

Beginning at the intersection of Scholes street and Stewart avenue, the elevation to be 9.08 feet above mean high-water datum as heretofore;

1st. Thence westerly to a point distant 257 feet easterly from the eastern curb-line of Varick avenue, the elevation to be 9.95 feet above mean high-water datum;

2d. Thence westerly to the intersection of Varick avenue, the elevation to be 8.66 feet above mean high-water datum;

3d. Thence westerly to the intersection of the canal, the elevation to be 5.07 feet above mean high-water datum as heretofore.

"E"—Meserole Street.

Beginning at the intersection of Meserole street and Stewart avenue, the elevation to be 6.96 feet above mean high-water datum as heretofore;

1st. Thence westerly to a point distant 175 feet easterly from the eastern curb-line of Varick avenue, the elevation to be 8.24 feet above mean high-water datum;

2d. Thence westerly to the intersection of Varick avenue, the elevation to be 7.36 feet above mean high-water datum;

3d. Thence westerly to a point distant 117 feet westerly from the western curb-line of Varick avenue, the elevation to be 7.95 feet above mean high-water datum;

4th. Thence westerly to the intersection of the canal, the elevation to be 5.07 feet above mean high-water datum as heretofore.

"F"—Montrose Avenue.

Beginning at the intersection of Montrose avenue and Stewart avenue, the elevation to be 9.08 feet above mean high-water datum, as heretofore;

1st. Thence westerly to a point distant 252 feet easterly from the eastern curb-line of Varick avenue, the elevation to be 9.97 feet above mean high-water datum;

2d. Thence westerly to the intersection of Varick avenue, the elevation to be 8.71 feet above mean high-water datum;

3d. Thence westerly to the intersection of the canal, the elevation to be 5.07 feet above mean high-water datum as heretofore.

"G"—Randolph Street.

Beginning at the intersection of Randolph street and Stewart avenue, the elevation to be 6.57 feet above mean high-water datum as heretofore;

1st. Thence westerly to the intersection of Varick avenue, the elevation to be 10.06 feet above mean high-water datum.

"H"—Johnson Avenue.

Beginning at the intersection of Johnson avenue and Stewart avenue, the elevation to be 11.18 feet above mean high-water datum as heretofore;

1st. Thence westerly to a point distant 215 feet easterly from the eastern curb-line of Varick avenue, the elevation to be 12.26 feet above mean high-water datum;

2d. Thence westerly to the intersection of Varick avenue, the elevation to be 11.18 feet above mean high-water datum as heretofore;

3d. Thence westerly to a point distant 215 feet westerly from the western curb-line of Varick avenue, the elevation to be 12.26 feet above mean high-water datum;

4th. Thence westerly to the intersection of Johnson avenue and Porter avenue, the elevation to be 11.18 feet above mean high-water datum as heretofore.

"I"—Varick Avenue.

Beginning at the intersection of Varick avenue and Metropolitan avenue, the elevation to be 7.81 feet above mean high-water datum as heretofore;

1st. Thence southerly to the intersection of Varick avenue and Ten Eyck street, the elevation to be 9.96 feet above mean high-water datum.

All elevations refer to mean high-water datum as established by the Department of Highways, Borough of Brooklyn.

FRANK L. DOWLING, CHARLES ALT, PATRICK H. MALONE, WILLIAM J. WHITAKER, TIMOTHY P. SULLIVAN, DAVID M. HOLMES, Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers.

No. 384—(G. O. No. 113).

The Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers, to whom was referred on March 25, 1902 (Minutes, page 1714), the annexed resolution in favor of authorizing the Presidents of the various boroughs to issue permits for the construction, etc., of platform scales, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed issue of permits to be necessary, but that the authority to issue them should be vested in the several Aldermen of The City of New York. They therefore recommend that the substitute resolution hereto attached be adopted.

(Original.)

Resolved, That until a general ordinance be adopted authorizing the issue of permits for the construction, placing and keeping of platform scales on sidewalks within the limits of The City of New York, the several Presidents of the Boroughs constituting The City of New York, be and they are hereby authorized to issue permits for the construction, placing and keeping of such platform scales within the limits of their several boroughs.

(Substitute.)

Resolved, That until a general ordinance be adopted authorizing the issue of permits for the construction, placing and keeping of platform scales on sidewalks, the several Aldermen of The City of New York be and they are hereby authorized to issue permits within the limits of their several districts for the construction, placing and keeping of such platform scales.

FRANK L. DOWLING, PATRICK H. MALONE, TIMOTHY P. SULLIVAN, CHARLES W. CULPIN, CHARLES ALT, WILLIAM J. WHITAKER, Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers.

Report of Committee on Fire—

No. 450—(G. O. No. 114).

The Committee on Fire, to whom was referred on April 22, 1902 (Minutes, page 149) the annexed communication from Morten I. Christensen, complaining of wild fires at Woodlawn, in the Borough of The Bronx, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they offer the following resolution: Resolved, That the Committee on Fire be and they are hereby discharged from further consideration of the matter and that the same be placed on file.

April 18, 1902.

The Honorable Board of Aldermen of New York City:

Gentlemen—I, the undersigned, has lived many years in Woodlawn in the Borough of The Bronx. From the very first we came to live there, we have encountered all the troubles an outlying district can be burdened with: water floods, wildfires, etc. Many of these troubles have we been relieved of, but the wildfires are a persistent cause to anxiety to us. When any person desires to make a bonfire, there is no law to prevent him, according to what the President of The Bronx Borough has informed me. I have seen little tots amuse themselves by starting wildfires, and no grown person object. Often a laborer, who hardly is capable to write his own name, is considered intelligent enough and competent to judge whether property is in danger of being burned or not, when engaged in clearing some one's lot or lots from brush and other rubbish, and who often, when approached by fearing people, becomes brutal for interference with his work. When first the fire company was installed here in Woodlawn, we were glad to see the firemen smother the wildfires, but whether they were doing more than contracted for or not, I do not know: fact is, they do not trouble themselves about wildfires, but let it burn. When I go to my business, my women folk are called to go out, and in their long clothes and in greatest peril of losing their lives, to smother the flames, in order to save fences and buildings, while a fine, well represented fire station is established two blocks away. There certainly ought to be a restriction to this, and I believe that the necessity of a fire permit, especially if such permit demanded a fee to be paid, and to be used in a certain time under police supervision, would greatly improve the present conditions. As things now are, they certainly are a disgrace to a well-governed city.

With best wishes for New York City, which I love and admire, I sign myself as

Yours very respectfully,

MORTEN I. CHRISTENSEN,

274 Katonah avenue, Woodlawn, Bronx Borough, New York City.
JOHN WIRTH, PETER HOLLER, JAMES COWDEN MEYERS, JOHN L. GOLDWATER, Committee on Fire.

Which were severally laid over.

MOTIONS, ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS AGAIN RESUMED.

No. 777.

By the President—

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

By the President—

Robert C. Birkhahn, No. 1186 Madison avenue, Manhattan.
 Cornelius A. Boyle, No. 1049 Sixth avenue, Manhattan.
 John F. Casey, No. 183 West Eighty-fourth street, Manhattan.
 Frank Carey, No. 267 West Sixty-ninth street, Manhattan.
 John B. Dolan, No. 610 West One Hundred and Eleventh street, Manhattan.
 John T. Dwyer, Jr., No. 739 East One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, Bronx.
 Timothy F. Driscoll, No. 813 Park avenue, Manhattan.
 Cornelius Daly, Seventy-sixth and Amsterdam avenue, Manhattan.
 Charles P. Hofmann, No. 380 Potter avenue, Long Island City, Queens.
 Clifford C. Hadden, No. 965 Park avenue, Manhattan.
 Phoenix Ingraham, No. 13 West Ninth street, Manhattan.
 Ephraim Kohn, No. 203 Avenue B, Manhattan.
 Clarence McKenzie, No. 250 West Eighty-eighth street, Manhattan.
 Thomas McCord, No. 2062 Lexington avenue, Manhattan.
 John J. Morey, No. 208 West End avenue, Manhattan.
 C. B. Plante, No. 588 Willoughby avenue, Brooklyn.
 Benjamin Sprey, No. 125 East Eleventh street, Manhattan.
 David C. Sullivan, No. 119 East Eighty-sixth street, Manhattan.
 Frederick W. Schaefer, No. 306 West One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, Manhattan.

Winthrop Stearns, No. 241 Lorimer street, Brooklyn.

Louis Weber, No. 1123 Hancock street, Brooklyn.

By the Vice-Chairman—

William H. Moyer, Flatbush avenue and Avenue J., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Alt—

Edgar I. Hillai, No. 212 Hancock street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Bennett—

John T. Lang, No. 127 Central avenue, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Brenner—

Edward Rothschild, No. 124 Boerum street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Bridges—

George L. O'Neill, No. 224 Nassau street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Chambers—

John F. Ormond, No. 411 East Sixty-ninth street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Dietz—

Michael McFarland, No. 1600 Lexington avenue, Manhattan.

By Alderman Doull—

Albert E. Bunting, No. 357 West Thirty-second street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Downey—

Thomas D. Leahy, No. 427 West Thirty-sixth street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Donohue—

Joseph Henry Dodin, No. 419 East Houston street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Downing—

Abraham Oppenheimer, No. 183 Deane street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Florence—

W. B. Donihee, Jr., No. 147 West Sixty-first street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Gillen—

Edgar Freyer, No. 235 West One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Gillies—

John C. Strohm, No. 148 West Sixty-fourth street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Gass—

John McKee, No. 375 Van Brunt street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Goldwater—

Louis Stono, Seaside Post Office, Annadale, Staten Island, Richmond.

By Alderman Harburger—

Frederick M. Weiss, Main street, Westchester, Bronx.

By Alderman Holler—

Hugo Speyer, No. 306 Willis avenue, Manhattan.

By Alderman Holmes—

William J. Burke, No. 79 Second avenue, Manhattan.

By Alderman Higgins—

Louis Roos, No. 58 East One Hundred and Seventeenth street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Holler—

John J. Donohue, No. 307 Columbus avenue, Manhattan.

By Alderman Keely—

James J. Hagan, No. 201 West Sixtieth street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Kenney—

Geo. Fischer, No. 10 Wall street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Kennedy—

W. Dwight Teese, Nos. 134-136 Broadway, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Keely—

John Hendricks, No. 107 Varick street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Kenney—

Andrew T. Fitzsimmons, No. 163 North Sixth street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Malone—

Phillip Goodman, No. 120 Kent avenue, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Mathews—

Philip Fuchs, No. 600 East Twenty-eighth street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Metzger—

Francis A. Morris, No. 63 Henry street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Meyer—

James T. O'Neill, No. 26 Court street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Meyers—

Thomas F. Bradshaw, No. 423 Fifty-fourth street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Mathews—

Chas. T. Hatch, No. 246 Fifty-ninth street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman McCall—

Segonia T. Hatch, No. 246 Fifty-ninth street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman McCarthy—

James Watters, No. 375 Fulton street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Neuhauer—

Herman Arns, No. 659 West One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Owens—

Charles M. Eisig, No. 218 West One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Peck—

Michael M. Sussillo, No. 34 Amsterdam avenue, Manhattan.

By Alderman Peck—

Jerome Vostrovsky, No. 300 East Seventy-second street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Peck—

Walter J. Lake, Grand avenue, Corona, L. I., Queens.

By Alderman Peck—

Charles P. Hofmann, No. 380 Potter avenue, Long Island City, Queens.

By Alderman Peck—

Charles Weydig, No. 903 Steinway avenue, Long Island City, Queens.

By Alderman Peck—

Christian W. Schildwachter, No. 2061 Madison ave., Manhattan.

By Alderman Peck—

Henry C. Hirschberg, No. 302 Broadway, Manhattan.

By Alderman Peck—

F. Ferd. Petersen, Tottenville, N. Y., Richmond.

By Alderman Peck—

James J. Hagan, No. 201 West Sixtieth street, Manhattan.

By Alderman Peck—

John Denecke, No. 168 Montague st., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Peck—

Henry Cordts, No. 726A Quincy street, Brooklyn.

By Alderman Peck—

Adolph Herzog, Jr., Jamaica, N. Y., Queens.

By Alderman Peck—

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Alt, Baldwin, Behrmann, Bennett, Bill, Brenner,

Bridges, Chambers, Culin, Devlin, Diemer, Dietz, Doull, Downing, Downling,

Florence, Foley, Gillen, Gillies, Goldwater, Goodman, Harburger, Harnischfeger, James,

Jones, Keely, Kennedy, Kenney, Klett, Leitner, McCarthy, Malone, Maloy, Meyers,

Nehrbauer, Owens, Parsons, Peck, Richter, Seebeck, Shea, Stewart, Sullivan, Tebbets, Twomey, Wafer, Ware, Wentz, Whitaker, Willett; President Cromwell, Borough of Richmond; President Cassidy, Borough of Queens; President Haffen, Borough of The Bronx; President Cantor, Borough of Manhattan, and the Vice-Chairman of the Board of Aldermen—55.

No. 778.

By Alderman Parsons—

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor be and he is hereby respectfully requested to return to this Board for further consideration, a resolution now in his hands (No. 443), permitting B. I. Stern to construct a vault at No. 15 West Twenty-second street, Borough of Manhattan.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

Subsequently the paper was received from his Honor the Mayor, and is as follows:

No. 443.

The Committee on Bridges and Tunnels, to whom was referred on April 15, 1902 (Minutes, page 142), the annexed resolution in favor of permitting Benjamin I. Stern to construct a vault under the street at No. 15 West Twenty-second street, Manhattan, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they recommend that the resolution be amended by striking out the words "Municipal Assembly" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Board of Aldermen." They recommend that the said resolution, as amended, be adopted.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Benjamin I. Stern to construct and maintain a tunnel or vault, as shown on the accompanying diagram, underneath that part of West Twenty-second street between Fifth avenue and Sixth avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, which is between the properties owned by the said Benjamin I. Stern—to wit, No. 15 West Twenty-second street on the north side and No. 16 West Twenty-second street on the south side, the same being opposite; provided that the said Benjamin I. Stern shall pay to The City of New York as compensation for the privilege such amount as may be determined as an equivalent by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund; and provided, further, that the said Benjamin I. Stern shall stipulate with the President of the Borough of Manhattan to save The City of New York harmless from any loss that may be occasioned during the progress or subsequent to the completion of the work of constructing said tunnel; the work to be done and the materials supplied 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.

WILLIAM WENTZ, JOSEPH OATMAN, JACOB LEITNER, ROBERT F. DOWNING, WILLIAM DICKINSON, PETER HOLLER, FREDERICK BRENNER, Committee on Bridges and Tunnels.

Alderman Parsons moved a reconsideration of the vote by which the above resolution was adopted.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

On motion of Alderman Parsons, the paper was then placed on file.

No. 779.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Benjamin I. Stern to construct and maintain a tunnel or vault, as shown on the accompanying diagram, underneath that part of West Twenty-second street between Fifth and Sixth avenues, in the Borough of Manhattan, which is between the properties owned by the said Benjamin I. Stern, to wit, No. 15 West Twenty-second street, on the north side, and No. 16 West Twenty-second street, on the south side, the same being opposite; provided that the said Benjamin I. Stern shall pay to The City of New York, as compensation for the privilege, such amount as may be determined as an equivalent by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund; and provided, further, that the said Benjamin I. Stern shall stipulate with the President of the Borough of Manhattan to save The City of New York harmless from any loss that may be occasioned during the progress or subsequent to the completion of the work of constructing said tunnel; the work to be done and the materials supplied 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.

Which was adopted.

Alderman Goldwater moved that the above vote be reconsidered.

Which was adopted.

Alderman Sullivan moved that the resolution be referred to the Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers.

Alderman Wentz moved as an amendment that the paper be referred to the Committee on Bridges and Tunnels.

Which amendment was adopted.

No. 780.

By Alderman Doull—

Whereas, Labor unionism is the influence which has done most to improve the condition of the workingmen and has increased the rate of pay to men in the various departments of the city government, and

Whereas, It is essential that those who toil should be united in the efforts to obtain for the working classes a just share of the products of their labor, therefore be it

Resolved, That it is the sense of the Central Federated Union that the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York should by ordinance require that all city employees who are engaged in callings represented by organized labor shall be members of the unions of their respective crafts or trades.

Resolved, Further, That a copy of these resolutions be addressed to the Board of Aldermen and that the Central Federated Union hereby requests that such action be taken by the Board of Aldermen as will insure the employment of union men by the municipality and thus place The City of New York in a position of unquestioned harmony with organized labor.

Indorsed by the Central Federated Union June 15, 1902.

[Seal] JOHN J. PALLAS, Corresponding Secretary.

In connection therewith Alderman Doull offered the following:

No. 780.

Whereas, A resolution has been forwarded to the Board of Aldermen by the Central Federated Union requesting that action be taken to secure recognition by law of the labor unions and to insure the employment of union men only by The City of New York, and

Whereas, It was through the untiring efforts of the different labor unions, acting in union, that secured to all mechanics, workingmen and laborers throughout the State the present hours of labor and the present prevailing rate of wages, and

Whereas, It should be the duty of all men who are enjoying the benefits of the labor unions to become members thereof, so as to strengthen the said unions and to assist them still further to advance the cause of organized labor, be it

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York, believing the request of the Central Federated Union to be just and right, earnestly request the Legislature of the State of New York to amend chapter 385 of the Laws of 1870 and the acts amendatory thereto and the law known as the Civil Service Law in such a manner as will compel the employment of union men only by the municipal authorities of the State; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the Governor of the State, the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the Assembly of the State of New York.

Which was adopted.

Alderman Peck moved that the Board proceed to the order of business of General Orders.

Which was adopted.

GENERAL ORDERS.

Alderman Alt called up General Order No. 83, being a report and resolution, as follows:

No. 606.

The Committee on Public Buildings and Markets, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of permitting hucksters and peddlers to stand with their wagons and vend their wares on the west side of Amsterdam avenue, from Sixtieth street to Sixty-fifth street, respectfully

REPORT:

That having examined the subject, they believe the proposed permission should be granted.

They therefore recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to hucksters and peddlers to stand with their wagons and vend their wares on the west side of Amsterdam avenue, from the north side of Sixtieth street to the south side of Sixty-fifth street, in the Borough of Manhattan, on Saturday evenings, during the months of May, June and July, 1902.

WILLIAM J. WHITAKER, NICHOLAS NEHRBAUER, PATRICK CHAMBERS, SAMUEL H. JONES, CHARLES ALT, Committee on Public Buildings and Markets.

Which was accepted and the resolution adopted.

Alderman Alt called up General Order No. 85, being a report and resolution, as follows:

No. 522.

The Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of canceling assessment for grading Somers street, Borough of Brooklyn (Minutes May 6, 1902, page 279), respectfully

REPORT:

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

Whereas, By section 11 of title 19 of chapter 583 of the Laws of 1888, being the Charter of the City of Brooklyn, it is provided that the Common Council of said city may at any time before any contract shall be made for any local improvement referred to therein, cancel such assessment, and any and all proceedings had relating thereto, or to the improvement for which the same was laid, and that in case of such cancellation all moneys paid for or on account of such assessment shall be refunded to the person or persons who shall have paid the same, or to the legal representatives of such person or persons; and

Whereas, By section 46 of the Greater New York Charter, it is provided that all the powers and duties conferred or charged upon the Common Council of the City of Brooklyn, shall be exercised and performed by the Municipal Assembly of the City of New York, subject, nevertheless, to the power of approval or disapproval by the Mayor of said City as provided in said Charter; and

Whereas, The improvement known as the grading and paving of Somers street, from a point three hundred and seventy-five feet east of Stone avenue to Broadway, with trap block pavement, was such a local improvement as is referred to in the section of the Brooklyn Charter above cited; and

Whereas, By sections 7 and 8 of title 19 of said Charter, before any contract for such local improvement could be entered into, an assessment therefor must be laid and one-third of the amount thereof collected; and

Whereas, In said improvement of grading and paving Somers street, from a point three hundred and seventy-five feet east of Stone avenue to Broadway, with trap block pavement, such assessment was laid, but one-third thereof has never been collected and no contract has ever been entered into for such improvement, and no work has been done thereon.

Resolved, That the resolution of the Common Council of the City of Brooklyn, known as Resolution No. 54, of the meeting of June 21, 1897, relating to the grading and paving of Somers street, from a point three hundred and seventy-five feet east of Stone avenue to Broadway, with trap block pavement, and the resolution of said Common Council, known as Resolution No. 71, of the meeting of September 13, 1897, relating to the same subject, and the resolution known as Resolution No. 51, of the meeting of December 20, 1897, confirming the assessment for the said improvement, be and the same are each and every one rescinded; and that the said assessment for grading and paving Somers street, from a point three hundred and seventy-five feet east of Stone avenue to Broadway, and any and all proceedings had relating to said improvement be and the same are hereby canceled.

Resolved, That all moneys paid for and on account of said assessment be refunded to the person or persons who shall have paid the same or to the legal representatives of such person or persons.

FRANK L. DOWLING, WILLIAM J. WHITAKER, CHARLES ALT, PATRICK H. MALONE, CHARLES W. CULKIN, JAMES OWENS, Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Alt, Baldwin, Behrmann, Bennett, Bill, Brenner, Bridges, Culklin, Devlin, Diemer, Donohue, Doull, Dowling, Florence, Foley, Gillen, Gillies, Goldwater, Goodman, Haggerty, Harburger, Harnischfeger, James, Jones, Kenney, Klett, Leitner, John T. McCall, McCarthy, Maloy, Mathews, Metzger, Meyers, Nehrbauer, Owens, Parsons, Peck, Richter, Schappert, Seebeck, Shea, Stewart, Sullivan, Tebbetts, Twomey, Wafer, Wentz, Whitaker; President Cromwell, Borough of Richmond; President Haffen, Borough of The Bronx, and the Vice-Chairman of the Board of Aldermen—51.

Alderman Baldwin called up General Order No. 86, being a report and resolution, as follows:

No. 597.

The Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of permitting William Baumgarten to lay a pipe under and across East Forty-fourth street, Borough of Manhattan (Minutes of May 20, 1902, page 393), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed permission should be granted.

They therefore recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to William Baumgarten & Company to lay a pipe for the purpose of conducting steam under and across the carriageway of East Forty-fourth street, from their factory at Nos. 228 to 238, to their warehouse about to be erected at Nos. 227 and 229 East Forty-fourth street, in the Borough of Manhattan, provided that the said William Baumgarten & Company shall pay to The City of New York, as compensation for the privilege, such amount as may be determined as an equivalent by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund; and provided further, that the said William Baumgarten & Company shall stipulate with the President of the Borough of Manhattan to save The City of New York harmless from any loss or damage that may be occasioned during the progress or subsequent to the completion of the work of laying said pipe; the work to be done at the expense of the said William Baumgarten & Company, under the direction of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, and the permission hereby conveyed to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

FRANK L. DOWLING, JAMES OWENS, WILLIAM J. WHITAKER, CHARLES W. CULKIN, CHARLES ALT, PATRICK H. MALONE, Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers.

Which was adopted.

Alderman Behrmann called up General Order No. 88, being a report and resolution, as follows:

No. 638.

The Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of permitting Ernest Wenigman to regulate portions of Clay avenue and East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, Borough of The Bronx, (Minutes of May 27, 1902, page 461), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed permission should be granted.

They, therefore, recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Ernest Wenig-

man to regulate, grade, curb and flag Clay avenue from One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street to One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street, and to regulate, grade, curb and flag One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street from Webster avenue to Teller avenue, the work to be done at his own expense under the direction of the President of the Borough of The Bronx; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

FRANK L. DOWLING, JAMES OWENS, PATRICK H. MALONE, CHARLES ALT, WILLIAM J. WHITAKER, CHARLES W. CULKIN, Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers.

Which was adopted.

Alderman Behrmann called up General Order No. 89, being a report and resolution, as follows:

No. 639.

The Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of permitting Ernest Wenigman to pave with vitrified brick Clay avenue, from One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street to One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street, Borough of The Bronx (Minutes of May 27, 1902, page 461), respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed permission should be granted.

They therefore recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Ernest Wenigman to pave with vitrified brick that part of Clay avenue lying between the northerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and the southerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street, in the Borough of The Bronx, the work to be done at his own expense under the direction of the President of the Borough of The Bronx; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

FRANK L. DOWLING, JAMES OWENS, CHARLES W. CULKIN, WILLIAM J. WHITAKER, CHARLES ALT, Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers.

Which was adopted.

Alderman Bennett called up General Order No. 94, being a report and ordinance as follows:

No. 665.

The Committee on Finance, to whom was referred, on June 3, 1902 (Minutes, page 480), the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of providing for an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of two hundred thousand dollars, the proceeds to be used for the construction and equipment of the Borough Building in the Borough of Richmond, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they find the facts to be as follows:

At present the City, Borough and County offices in the Borough of Richmond are much separated. The President of the Borough is forced to have his office as President in one building, whereas the offices of the various departments under his jurisdiction are compelled to be in another building, distant not less than a mile from his. This causes delay in the City's work, as well as inconvenience to officials and the public. The converging point in the Borough of Richmond is St. George, where the ferries land and the railroads terminate. It is proposed to erect a municipal building there. At present the City owns a plot conveniently situated in St. George, near the ferry, located on Stuyvesant, Wall and Jay streets, containing 27.6 City lots, and purchased at a cost of \$65,418.12 for the Board of Education, for the purposes of a high school. While it would be well situated for the purposes of a borough building, it is not well situated for the purposes of a high school. It is near the railroad terminals; it is near the trolley tracks, and it has been practically determined that the Board of Education will not use the property, but that it will be returned to the Sinking Fund Commissioners for disposition, and that they will make it available as a site for a borough building in the Borough of Richmond, if the appropriation is forthcoming. There is little argument needed to show the advantages of having the City's work done in one office building. Such an arrangement will be a convenience and economy of time to both the City and the public.

The proposed expenditure will, however, also be an economy over future necessary expenditures. The Comptroller's engineers have estimated that the cost of a borough building of fire-proof construction, and furnishing 36,000 square feet, will be \$200,000 for the building, completely equipped with all modern appliances for heating, lighting and the construction of vaults. This will include everything except furnishing. The City, on April 30, was paying for 18,139 square feet of office space \$10,960 in rents. The Tax Department desires 5,000 square feet additional. There must be provision made for a topographical office in the near future, and the drafting space is inadequate for the present needs of the Bureaus of Highways and Sewers. At the present prices necessary for renting premises in the Borough of Richmond, there is needed at least an additional \$2,000 for present needs, which will make a total paid for rentals of about \$13,000. The cost of the new building, with the land upon which to erect it, will be not over \$266,000. It is evident that the City can pay its rate of interest on that amount and provide a sinking fund for considerably less than the total necessary rents will amount to, and that in so doing it will also provide space for future needs.

Your Committee accordingly recommend that the said resolution and ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of Corporate Stock in the sum of two hundred thousand dollars (\$200,000), the proceeds to be used for the construction and equipment of the Borough Building 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 May 23, 1902, authorizing 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 amended Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of bonds to an amount not exceeding two hundred thousand dollars (\$200,000), for the purpose of providing means for the construction and equipment of the Borough Building in the Borough of Richmond, and that when authority 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 amended Greater New York Charter to an amount not exceeding two hundred thousand dollars (\$200,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purpose aforesaid."

HERBERT PARSONS, FREDERICK W. LONGFELLOW, WILLIAM T. JAMES, JOHN L. FLORENCE, JAMES H. McINNES, JOSEPH A. BILL, TIMOTHY P. SULLIVAN, JOHN T. McCALL, Committee on Finance.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Alt, Baldwin, Behrmann, Bennett, Chambers, Culklin, Diemer, Doull, Downing, Florence, Foley, Gass, Gillen, Gillies, Goldwater, Goodman, Harnischfeger, James, Jones, Keely, Kennedy, Kenney, Klett, Leitner, John T. McCall, McCarthy, Thomas F. McCaul, Maloney, Mathews, Meyers, Nehrbauer, Owens, Parsons, Richter, Seebeck, Shea, Sullivan, Tebbetts, Wafer, Wentz, Whitaker, Willett; President Cromwell, Borough of Richmond; President Cassidy, Borough of Queens; President Haffen, Borough of The Bronx, and the Vice-Chairman of the Board of Aldermen—47.

At this point Alderman Foley moved that the order of Motions, Ordinances and Resolutions be resumed.

Which was adopted.

MOTIONS, ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS AGAIN RESUMED.

No. 781.

By the Vice-Chairman—

Resolved, That, for the purpose of defraying any minor or incidental expenses, contingent to the Department of Taxes and Assessments, as cannot be conveniently accounted for on separate vouchers, the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments may, by requisition, draw upon the Comptroller for a sum not exceeding five hundred dollars (\$500).

That the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments may, in like

manner, renew the drafts as often as may by him be deemed necessary, to the extent of the appropriation set apart for the contingencies of the Department of Taxes and Assessments, 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 President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments, covering the expenditure of the money paid thereon.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 782.

By the same—

A GENERAL ORDINANCE to provide for the public safety in and through streets opened on private property but used as public thoroughfares.

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

Section 1. The Laws and Ordinances of The City of New York affecting the use of the public highways, the construction of buildings and the regulation of the public health, shall extend to and include all streets, alleys, and roadways running in and through private property and opened by the consent of the property owners to public use as thoroughfares.

Sec. 2. All ordinances of the former municipal and public corporations consolidated into The City of New York inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

Sec. 3. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Which was referred to the Committee on Laws and Legislation.

No. 783.

By the President of the Borough of Manhattan—

AN ORDINANCE to amend the ordinance in relation to the right-of-way of, and other regulations regarding vehicles upon the public streets.

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

Article I.—On keeping to the right, stopping, turning and passing vehicles ahead going in the same direction.

Section 1. Vehicles shall keep to the right, and not only so when passing other vehicles going in the opposite direction, but always to the right, and as near the right-hand curbstone as vehicles at a standstill or going at a slower rate of speed will permit, thus leaving room in the middle of the street for those going in the same direction at a greater speed to pass to the left.

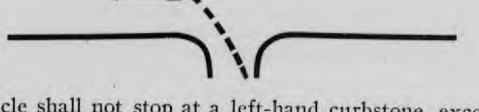
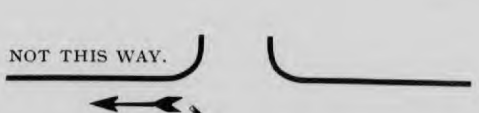
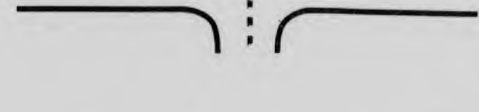
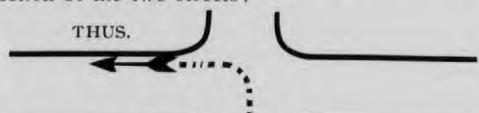
Sec. 2. A vehicle overtaking another shall pass on the left side of the overtaken vehicle.

Sec. 3. A vehicle turning into another street to the right should turn the corner as near the curb as practicable, and keep on to the right in the street into which it turns,

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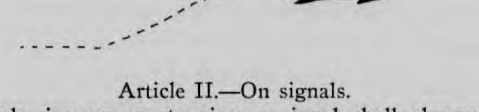
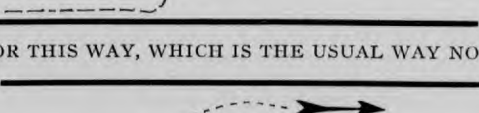


Sec. 4. In turning into another street to the left the vehicle should turn around the centre of intersection of the two streets;



Sec. 5. A vehicle shall not stop at a left-hand curbstone, except on licensed hack and truck stands.

Sec. 6. A vehicle crossing from one side of the street to the other shall do so thus:



Article II.—On signals.

Section 1. In slowing up or stopping, a signal shall always be given to those behind by raising the whip or hand.

Sec. 2. In turning, while in motion, or in starting to turn from a standstill, a signal shall be given by raising the whip or hand, and twirling it in the direction in which the turn is to be made.

Sec. 3. Unless in an emergency, or to allow another vehicle, equestrian or pedestrian to cross their path, no vehicle or equestrian shall stop in any public street or highway of this city, except near the right-hand curb thereof, and so as not to obstruct a crossing.

Article III.—On Right-of-Way.

Section 1. On the public streets or highways of the city all vehicles going in a northerly or southerly direction shall have the right of way over any vehicle going in an easterly or westerly direction.

Sec. 2. Right of Way of Certain Vehicles.—The officers and men of the Fire Department and Fire Patrol, with the fire apparatus of all kinds when going to, on duty at or returning from a fire, and all ambulances, and the officers and men and vehicles of the Police Department, and all physicians who have a police permit (as hereinafter provided) shall have the right of way in any street, and through any procession, except over vehicles carrying the United States mail. The Chief of Police or Manager of Street Traffic is hereby empowered to issue, upon application therefor, a permit for such right of way to any duly registered physician, which permit shall not be transferable.

Sec. 3. Street Cars.—Subject to the preceding section of this article, surface cars, running on tracks laid in the streets especially for their use, shall have the right of way along such tracks, between cross streets over all vehicles moving in the same direction at a less rate of speed than ten miles an hour.

Sec. 4. Surface cars shall stop on the near side of the street to discharge or take on passengers.

Sec. 5. Surface cars shall come to a full stop before crossing certain streets, and a list of these streets shall be obtained by the car companies from the Chief of Police or Manager of Street Traffic, and he shall notify the car companies of any additions to or changes in said list.

Article IV.—On Speed.

Section 1. Vehicles, whether loaded or unloaded, used for any other purpose than that of carrying passengers, shall not be driven at a greater speed than five miles an hour.

Sec. 2. Vehicles drawn by horses and used for the purpose of carrying passengers and their personal luggage, shall not be driven at a greater speed rate than eight miles an hour.

Sec. 3. Bicycles, tricycles and quadricycles, automobiles and street cars operated by power, used only for the purpose of carrying passengers and their personal luggage, shall not proceed at a greater speed than eight miles an hour.

Sec. 4. Vehicles and horsemen shall not cross any street running north and south, or make any turn, at a speed rate exceeding three miles an hour.

Sec. 5. Nothing in this article shall apply to the vehicles of the Fire, Fire Patrol and Police Departments or ambulances.

Article V.—Stop Automobile on Signal.

Every person driving an automobile or motor vehicle shall, at request or signal by putting up the hand, from a person driving or riding a restive horse or horses, or driving domestic animals, cause the automobile to immediately stop, and to remain stationary so long as may be necessary to allow said horses or domestic animals to pass. This provision shall apply to automobiles going either in the same or in an opposite direction.

Article VI.

Section 1. No horse shall be left unattended in any street unless he is securely fastened to a substantial and permanent hitching post or ring by a strap or rope passing around his neck and through the bit.

Sec. 2. No horse shall be unhitched in any street unless he is first secured by a halter.

Article VII.

For the purpose of this ordinance all avenues and streets with a parkway in the middle are to be considered as having been one roadway.

Article VIII.

The word vehicle, wherever used in these ordinances, shall be held to include everything on wheels or runners, and equestrians.

Article IX.—On Licenses.

Section 1. The driver of every numbered vehicle is required to hold a numbered card issued by the Bureau of Examination certifying that he has applied for it, and showing that he thoroughly understands the rules of the road, and can drive safely.

Sec. 2. No driver of a numbered vehicle shall be less than sixteen years of age.

Article X.

Section 1. No person shall drive, or back, or lead any horse or cart, or other wheeled carriage (except baby carriages), on the footpath or sidewalk of any street; nor shall it be lawful for any vehicle propelled by hand or foot, or any other power, to be ridden or driven upon the sidewalk of any street or avenue which has been flagged, curbed, guttered and paved.

Sec. 2. Bicyclists may lead their wheels along the sidewalk in single file, and bicycles may be stood on sidewalks, provided they cause no obstruction.

Sec. 3. Nothing contained in this article shall prevent the passage of vehicles from private property directly across the sidewalks to the roadway.

Article XI.—On Bells.

All rubber-tired vehicles shall carry bells; those drawn by horses a jingle bell properly attached to horse collar or pole crab; all others, gong bells not less than one and one-half inches nor more than three inches in diameter; and such bell or gong shall be sounded when turning corners, when passing another vehicle or an equestrian from behind, and to give timely warning when necessary. Automobiles may be provided with suitable horns, or other signals, instead of bells.

Article XII.—On Lights.

Each and every other vehicle using the public streets or highways of this city shall show, between sunset and sunrise, a light or lights, so placed as to be seen from the front and each side; if dash lantern is carried, it shall be placed on the left side; such light or lights to be of sufficient illuminating power to be visible at a distance of two hundred feet; said light or lights shall show white in front, but may be colored on the sides. Every automobile shall exhibit during the same period two lamps showing white lights visible at a distance of three hundred feet in the direction toward which the automobile is proceeding, and shall also exhibit a red light, visible in the reverse direction. The lamps shall be so placed as to be free from obstruction to light from other parts of said automobile.

Article XIII.

Every automobile shall be provided with a good and efficient brake.

Article XIV.

Section 1. Bicyclists shall not coast on any of the streets or avenues of this city south of One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street. The term coasting is hereby defined to mean proceeding by inertia or momentum, with the feet off the pedals; but the rider may use his feet as a brake, and have them off the pedals while used for this purpose.

Sec. 2. No bicyclist in The City of New York shall carry thereon any child under the age of five years.

Article XV.

No person shall ride on the back of any vehicle without first obtaining the consent of the driver thereof.

Article XVI.

The police of The City of New York are hereby empowered and directed to enforce these ordinances.

Article XVII.

Copies of these ordinances shall be kept at all police stations and issued on application.

Article XVIII.

These ordinances shall take effect immediately, and any person violating any of them shall be punished by a fine of not less than one nor more than fifty dollars for each offense, or an imprisonment of one day for each dollar fined.

Article XIX.

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers.

No. 784.

By the President of the Borough of Richmond—

Resolved, That pursuant to the provisions of sub-division 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of twenty-five thousand three hundred dollars (\$25,300) for the establishment, equipment and maintenance by the Fire Commissioner of The City of New York of a fire alarm telegraph system for the Borough of Richmond.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 785.

By the same—

AN ORDINANCE regulating the cleaning of streets and sidewalks and keeping them clean, and removing snow and ice, dirt and other materials therefrom in The City of New York.

Be it Ordained by the Board of Aldermen, as follows:

Section 1. No person or persons shall throw, cast or lay, or direct, suffer or permit any servant, agent or employee to throw, cast or lay any ashes, offal, vegetables, garbage, dross, cinders, shells, straw, shavings, paper, dirt, filth or rubbish of any kind whatsoever in any street in The City of New York, either upon the roadway or sidewalk thereof, except that in the morning before 8 o'clock or before the first sweeping of the roadway by the Department of Street Cleaning, in the

boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn and The Bronx, dust from the sidewalk may be swept into the gutter, if there piled, but not otherwise, and at no other time.

The wilful violation of any of the foregoing provisions of this section shall be and is hereby declared to be a misdemeanor and shall be punished by a fine of not less than one dollar nor more than ten dollars, or by imprisonment for a term of not less than one nor more than five days.

Sec. 2. No person other than an authorized employee or agent of the Department of Street Cleaning, or the Bureau of Street Cleaning in the boroughs of Queens and Richmond, shall disturb or remove any ashes, garbage or light refuse or rubbish placed by householders, or their tenants, or by occupants or their servants, within the stoop or area line, or in front of houses or lots, for removal, unless requested by residents of house.

Sec. 3. It shall be the duty of all persons and corporations engaged in sprinkling the streets of The City of New York to use on asphalt pavement a quantity of water sufficient thoroughly to wash off and clean the same, and on all other pavements to use not more water than shall be sufficient to lay the dust thereon.

Every street railroad corporation in the boroughs of Richmond and Queens shall sprinkle the pavement between its tracks and rails when and as often as directed so to do by the Superintendent of Highways. Water shall be furnished for this purpose free of charge by The City of New York.

Sec. 4. No one being the owner, driver, manager or conductor of any cart or other vehicle, or of any receptacle, shall scatter, drop or spill, or permit to be scattered, dropped or spilled, any dirt, sand, gravel, clay, loam, stone or building rubbish, or hay, straw, oats, sawdust, shavings or other light materials of any sort, or manufacturing, trade or household waste, refuse, rubbish of any sort, or ashes or manure, garbage or other organic refuse or other offensive matter therefrom, or permit the same to be blown off therefrom by the wind, in or upon any street, avenue or public place.

Sec. 5. No person shall throw, cast or distribute in or upon any of the streets, avenues or public places, or in front yards or stoops, any hand bills, circulars, cards or other advertising matter whatsoever.

Sec. 6. Every owner, lessee, tenant or occupant, or other person having charge of any building or lot of ground in the city abutting upon any (paved) street, avenue or public place, where the sidewalk is paved, shall, before 10 o'clock in the forenoon, after any snowfall, or after the deposit of any dirt or other material upon said sidewalk, remove the snow and ice, dirt or other material from the sidewalk (or) and gutter; provided, however, that such removal shall in all such cases be made before the removal of snow and ice from the roadway by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning or by the Borough President(s) of Queens (and) or Richmond, or subject to the regulations of said Commissioner of Street Cleaning, or of said Borough President of Queens or Richmond for the removal of snow and ice, dirt or other material, except that, in the boroughs of Queens and Richmond, any owner, lessee, tenant or occupant or other person who has charge of any ground abutting upon any paved street, avenue or public place, for a lineal distance of five hundred feet or more shall be considered to have complied with this ordinance, if such person shall have begun to remove the snow and ice from the sidewalk and gutter before 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and shall continue such removal, and shall complete it within a reasonable time.

Sec. 7. In case the snow and ice on the sidewalk shall be frozen so hard that it cannot be removed without injury to the pavement, the owner, lessee, tenant, occupant or other person having charge of any building or lot of ground as aforesaid, shall, within the time specified in the last preceding section, cause the sidewalk abutting on the said premises to be strewn with ashes, sand, sawdust, or some similar suitable material, and shall, as soon thereafter as the weather shall permit, thoroughly clean said sidewalk.

Sec. 8. Whenever any owner, lessee, tenant, occupant, or other person having charge of any building or lot of ground abutting upon any (paved) street or public place, where the sidewalk is paved, shall fail to comply with the provision of any ordinance of the City for the removal of snow and ice, dirt or other material, from the sidewalk (or) and gutter in the street, on the side of the street on which said building or lot abuts, the Commissioner of Street Cleaning or the Borough President(s) of Queens (and) or Richmond may cause such removal to be made and thereupon the expense of such removal as to each particular lot of ground shall be ascertained and certified by the said Commissioner of Street Cleaning or the Borough President(s) of Queens (and) or Richmond to the Comptroller of the City and the Board of Estimate and Apportionment may authorize such additional expenditures as may be required for the said removal of such ice and snow, dirt or other material to be paid out of any appropriation made for any purpose of the Department of Street Cleaning or the Bureau of Street Cleaning in the boroughs of Queens or Richmond; and the Comptroller shall raise the amount of such additional expenditure by the issue and sale of Revenue Bonds, as provided by law, and shall place the amount so raised to the credit of the Department of Street Cleaning or the Bureau of Street Cleaning in the boroughs of Queens or Richmond as the case may be, to supply the deficiency occasioned by such additional expenditure; the term "lot," as used in this section, shall intend and mean a space not to exceed 25 feet in width fronting on the street, avenue or public place upon which the violation is charged to have been permitted or committed.

Sec. 9. It shall be the duty of the Commissioner of Street Cleaning (or) and the Borough Presidents of Queens and Richmond, immediately after every snowfall or the formation of ice on the crosswalks or in the culverts or paved streets, avenues or public places, forthwith to cause the removal of said snow and ice from the said crosswalks and culverts, and to keep the crosswalks and culverts aforesaid clean and free from obstruction.

Sec. 10. Every street railroad corporation shall remove all the snow and ice from its tracks and the spaces between, and shall not throw the same on either side thereof, and shall immediately carry away and dispose of the same under the direction of the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, or the Borough President(s) of Queens (and) or Richmond under a fine of one hundred dollars for every city block in length, in which the said corporation shall fail to so remove and dispose of the same, as aforesaid; provided, however, that for the more speedy and effective removal of snow and ice from the paved streets, avenues and public places of the city, the Commissioner of Street Cleaning (or) and the Borough Presidents of Queens (or) and Richmond shall have power and authority in their respective boroughs to enter into agreements for the entire winter season, or part thereof, with any street surface railroad or other railroad having tracks in the city for the removal of snow and ice for the entire width of the street, avenue or public place, from house-line to house-line, at any part of the route of the said railroad, provided that nothing in said agreements shall be inconsistent with any law of the State of New York or with any right of The City of New York.

Sec. 11. It shall not be lawful for any surface railroad company or other company, or any corporation of persons whatever, or the officers, agents or servants thereof, to cause or allow any snow plow, sweeping machine or other similar instrument to pass over the tracks or lines used by them within the limits of the city unless by the written permit of the Commissioner of Street Cleaning or the Borough President(s) of Queens (and) or Richmond; any violation of this section shall be punished by a fine not exceeding one hundred dollars for each such offense.

(b) No such permit or renewal thereof shall be granted except upon the condition and agreement upon the part of the company applying for such permit or renewal that the party to whom the said permit has been granted shall and will, at his own expense, promptly remove and carry away the snow thrown up by such plow or machine, and that such snow plow, sweeping machine or other instrument shall be so constructed as not to throw any slush or snow upon the sidewalks or buildings, under a penalty of ten dollars for every house, or sidewalk in front thereof, upon which slush or snow shall be thrown.

No such permit or renewal shall be granted unless the party to whom granted shall expressly covenant, stipulate, and agree that in case of its failure, neglect or omission to promptly remove and carry away the snow and ice thrown up by such snowplow or other instrument, then the same may be removed under the direction of the Commis-

sioner of Street Cleaning or the Borough President(s) of Queens (and) or Richmond, and the expense of removing the same shall be paid by the said party to the said Commissioner or the Borough President(s) of Queens (and) or Richmond, on demand, and the Board of Estimate and Apportionment may authorize that the amount or amounts of money so paid shall be credited to the appropriation (of the Department of) for Street Cleaning, in the respective Boroughs, for the removal of snow and ice; but nothing herein contained shall be deemed to prohibit said Commissioner or Borough Presidents from demanding, before issuing said permit, and as a condition thereof, the deposit of such sum of money or other security as in their judgment may be necessary to pay the cost of property performing the work above mentioned, together with the expense of the inspection thereof.

(d) In case of neglect or refusal or omission of the party to whom such permit may be granted promptly to remove and to carry away the snow and ice thrown up by such plow or instrument, then the Commissioner of Street Cleaning or the Borough President(s) of Queens (and) or Richmond may forthwith cause the same to be removed at the public expense, and all expenditures made or incurred therefor shall be chargeable upon the party so neglecting, refusing or omitting to perform its agreement, and shall be recoverable by an action at law on behalf of The City of New York, and when so recovered shall be placed to the credit of the Department of Street Cleaning or the Bureau of Street Cleaning in the Boroughs of Queens or Richmond, as the case may be, to supply the deficiency occasioned by such additional expenditure.

Sec. 12. Any person violating any provision or regulation hereof shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof by any magistrate, either upon confession of the party or competent testimony, may be fined for such offense any sum not less than one dollar and not exceeding three dollars, except as herein otherwise provided; and in default of payment of such fine may be committed to prison by such magistrate until the same be paid, but such imprisonment shall not exceed one day.

Sec. 13. All ordinances of the former municipal and public corporations consolidated in The City of New York, regulating the cleaning of streets and keeping them clean, and the removal of snow and ice, dirt or other material from the streets in The City of New York, and all other ordinances, or parts thereof, inconsistent herewith, are hereby repealed.

Sec. 14. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Explanation—Matter underscored _____ is new; matter in parentheses () is old, to be omitted.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers.

No. 786.

By Alderman Sullivan—

Resolved, That the ordinance relating to the discharge of fireworks in The City of New York be and the same is hereby suspended so as to permit of a display by the Political Independent Laurantanese Society at Bromer Park, Borough of The Bronx, on July 16, 1902, under the direction of the Chief of Police.

Which was adopted.

No. 787.

By the same—

Resolved, That the ordinance relating to the discharge of fireworks in The City of New York be and the same is hereby suspended on Independence Day, Friday, July 4, 1902, such suspension to continue on that day and date only.

Which was adopted.

No. 788.

By the same—

Resolved, That the ordinance relating to the discharge of fireworks in The City of New York be and the same is hereby suspended so as to permit of a display by the St. Rocco Society in the Second and Sixth Assembly districts, New York County, on August 16, 1902, under the direction of the Commissioner of Police.

Which was adopted.

No. 789.

By the same—

Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel be and he is hereby respectfully requested to inform this Board at his earliest convenience whether section 39 of the Charter, relating to legislative acts of the Board of Aldermen, is intended to include resolutions of inquiry calling upon City Departments for information to be furnished to said Board and whether such resolutions of inquiry require for their adoption the votes of the majority of the members elected to said Board.

Which was adopted.

No. 790.

By Alderman John T. McCall—

Whereas, A fund has been created for the purpose of erecting a suitable memorial to the martyrs of the "Maine," and

Whereas, The custodians of said fund are desirous of beginning the work of constructing and erecting said memorial, and

Whereas, It has been determined that the most fitting place for the erection of said memorial is The City of New York, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the said design and location having been approved by the Art Commission of The City of New York, it is hereby agreed upon and recommended that Long Acre Square in the Borough of Manhattan be designated as the place for the location of the said memorial to the martyrs of the "Maine."

Which was adopted.

No. 791.

By the same—

Resolved, That the ordinance relating to the discharge of fireworks in The City of New York be and the same is hereby suspended so far as the same may apply to the parade of the Cherokee Club, on Tuesday, August 5, 1902, in the territory bounded by Seventy-sixth street, Lexington avenue, Eighty-fourth street and the East river, in the Borough of Manhattan; such suspension to continue only for the day and date above mentioned.

Which was adopted.

No. 792.

By Alderman Meyers—

Resolved, That the Comptroller of The City of New York be and he is hereby respectfully requested to furnish to this Board at his convenience a statement of all amounts expended by The City of New York during the year 1901 for rental of telephone instruments and for messages in excess of the limits fixed by the rental contracts.

Which was adopted.

No. 793.

By Alderman Goldwater—

Resolved, That the ordinance relating to the discharge of fireworks in The City of New York be and the same is hereby suspended so as to permit of a display by the Hitchcock Fish Mongers' Associations, in the Thirty-eighth Aldermanic District, Borough of The Bronx, on July 14, 1902, under the direction of the Commissioner of Police.

Which was adopted.

No. 794.

By the same—

Whereas, The physicians and nurses attendant upon smallpox patients on North Brother Island seem to go to and come from said island at will, and there is apparent danger of disease being transmitted to those with whom such physicians and nurses may come into contact; therefore

Resolved, That the Department of Health be and hereby is respectfully requested to inform this Board what precautions, if any, are taken against disease being carried by the said physicians and nurses from the said North Brother Island.

Which was adopted.

No. 795.

By Alderman James—

AN ORDINANCE in relation to standing in passage way of open cars.
Be it Ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York, as follows:
Section 1. No street railway company or elevated railroad company, owning, operating, managing, running or controlling, nor any company nor corporation carrying passengers in street railway cars in the streets or highways of The City of New York, shall allow any person or persons to stand upon the steps of the cars, nor in the passage ways in front of passengers seated upon any street car commonly

Culvert and stone drains cleaned and repaired, feet.....	130
Loads removed from sewers.....	217
Loads of stone used.....	5
Loads of earth used.....	5
Loads of sand used.....	3

Street Sweepings, Garbage, etc., Collected and Disposed Of.

Ashes, loads.....	483
Sweepings, loads.....	195 1/4
Garbage, loads.....	92 1/2
Rubbish, loads.....	29 1/4
Miles of streets swept.....	44.54

Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices.

Plumbing, carpenter work, painting, masonry, steam fitting, fixing up offices in the various public buildings throughout the borough.

Bureau of Topographical Surveys.

Field force engaged in making locations at Wyckoff Heights and Woodside, office force engaged in plotting location of Wyckoff Heights. Under way—Hoyt avenue damage map, Kouwenhoven street damage map; tracing tax maps, Halsey street. Field work completed Jamaica avenue. Surveying Pierce avenue and Delap place.

Statement of Force Employed Week Ending May 3, 1902.

BUREAU OF HIGHWAYS.

102 Mechanics, 170 Laborers, 32 Teams, 127 Horses and Carts.

BUREAU OF SEWERS.

15 Foremen, 4 Assistants, 2 Gas Makers, 1 Sounder, 3 Mechanic's Helpers, 7 Inspectors, 2 Mechanics, 32 Laborers, 15 Horses and Carts, 1 Hose Repairer.

BUREAU OF STREET CLEANING.

1 Section Foreman, 14 Assistant Foremen, 1 Foreman of Garbage Crematory Laborers and 4 Assistant Foremen, 6 Helpers, 33 Laborers, 14 Teams, 17 Horses and Carts.

BUREAU OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS AND OFFICES.

1 Foreman of Cleaners, 4 Assistant Foremen, 2 Carpenters, 9 Janitors, 8 Cleaners, 4 Stokers, 1 Elevator Man, 1 Fireman, 1 Engineer and Electrician, 5 Mechanic's Helpers, 1 Watchman, 2 Plumbers, 1 Laundress, 1 Mason, 4 Laborers.

BUREAU OF TOPOGRAPHICAL SURVEYS.

2 Assistant Engineers, 4 Draughtsmen, 3 Transmitters, 1 Axeman, 2 Chainmen, 8 Rodmen, 1 Computer, 7 Laborers, 1 Foreman.

CHANGES IN DEPARTMENTS.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

June 13.

On May 27, 1902, the following persons were appointed in this Department, but their names were omitted through error from the communication sent June 1, 1902.

Recreation Pier Attendants.

Daniel L. Foley and Christopher Weller; Margaret Bowman and Rachel Behman.

Recreation Pier Cleaners.

Charles A. Mayer, Charles Kaskel, Cornelius S. Nolan, James C. Donovan, Theodore Schoenstein and James McGhee.

Margaret Emerson, Nellie Brennan, Mary A. Reilly and Margaret Cocks.

All of the above persons, with the exception of Margaret Emerson and James McGhee, have resigned or declined appointment, or have been discharged for failure to report for duty. Notices of these discharges and resignations have been sent.

James McGhee is working as a Recreation Pier Cleaner in this Department and the notice that he had been discharged was an error.

BELLEVUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS.

The action of the President in the following appointments, dismissals, resignations, etc., was ratified and approved by the Board:

Dismissals.

June 3, Maggie More (not strong enough), Hospital Helper, \$120.

June 4, Nellie Lundy (own request), Hospital Helper, \$120.

June 5, Alice Smith (own request), Hospital Helper, \$120.

June 6, Nellie Walsh (own request), Hospital Helper, \$120.

June 6, Mary Reilly (own request), Hospital Helper, \$120.

June 6, Lucy Brennan (absence), Hospital Helper, \$120.

June 6, John McCarthy (absence), Hospital Helper, \$150.

June 5, John McAvoy (absence), Hospital Helper, \$150.

June 7, Michael Lally (absence), Hospital Helper, \$150.

June 7, Susan Kelly (own request), Hospital Helper, \$120.

June 7, Charlotte Truax (absence), Hospital Helper, \$120.

June 7, Nellie Haverty (absence), Hospital Helper, \$120.

June 7, Margaret Gallagher (absence), Hospital Helper, \$120.

June 7, Agnes Rogers (absence), Hospital Helper, \$120.

June 7, Bridget Gillespie (absence), Hospital Helper, \$120.

June 6, Michael Grimes (absence), Hospital Helper, \$150.

June 8, John G. Roeder (absence), Hospital Helper, \$150.

June 8, Lizzie Reilly (absence), Hospital Helper, \$120.

June 8, Jane Maher (incompetent), Hospital Helper, \$120.

June 8, Margaret Allen (absence), Hospital Helper, \$120.

June 8, Mary McGowan (own request), Hospital Helper, \$120.

June 9, Mary Fisher (absence), Hospital Helper, \$120.

June 9, Maggie Creagan (absence), Hospital Helper, \$120.

June 9, Mary Bradley (absence), Hospital Helper, \$120.

June 9, Annie Meade (intoxication), Hospital Helper, \$120.

June 9, Charles Smith (own request), Hospital Helper, \$150.

June 9, John Moran (absence), Hospital Helper, \$150.

June 9, Theophilus Y. Dabb (intoxication and neglect of duty), Hospital Helper, \$150.

June 11, John Garmstone (own request), Hospital Helper, \$150.

June 11, Michael O'Connor (absence), Hospital Helper, \$150.

June 8, Bernard Campion (own request), Head Pupil Nurse, \$360.

June 9, Edward O'Gorman (own request), Head Pupil Nurse, \$360.

June 6, A. B. Cannon (resigned), Apothecary, \$500.

June 11, Thomas F. Whalen (resigned), Clerk, \$750.

June 10, Patrick O'Brien (resigned), Stoker, \$360.

June 12, Albert E. Ellert (resigned), Head Pupil Nurse, \$360.

June 3, Joseph Dowling (granted leave of absence for one month without pay), Stableman, \$600.

Appointments.

June 4, Clarence O'Brien, Hospital Helper, \$150.

June 4, Delia Tice, Hospital Helper, \$120.

June 4, Kate Alexander, Hospital Helper, \$120.

June 4, Hannah Crosby, Hospital Helper, \$120.

June 4, Mary Tierney, Hospital Helper, \$120.

June 7, Bridget Dempsey, Hospital Helper, \$120.

June 7, Nellie Kane, Hospital Helper, \$120.

June 7, Nellie Murphy, Hospital Helper, \$120.

June 6, Annie Ryan, Hospital Helper, \$120.

June 6, Henry McGee, Hospital Helper, \$150.

June 7, John P. Regan, Apothecary, \$500.

June 9, John McAvoy, Hospital Helper, \$150.

June 9, John Barrett, Hospital Helper, \$150.

June 9, Albert E. Ellert, Head Pupil Nurse, \$360.

June 9, Bridget Seaman, Hospital Helper, \$120.

June 9, Sarah Link, Hospital Helper, \$120.

June 9, Betty Ryderson, Hospital Helper, \$120.

June 9, Mathilda Hanf, Hospital Helper, \$120.

June 9, Mary Judge, Hospital Helper, \$120.

June 10, Kate Quinn, Hospital Helper, \$120.

June 10, Alice McNally, Hospital Helper, \$120.

June 10, Margaret Waller, Hospital Helper, \$120.

June 10, Kate Brown, Hospital Helper, \$120.

June 10, James Beasley, Hospital Helper, \$150.

June 10, Frank McCullan, Hospital Helper, \$150.

June 10, William Tracy, Hospital Helper, \$150.

June 10, Patrick A. Lindsey, Head Pupil Nurse (promoted from Hospital Helper), \$360.

June 11, Martin Mann, Hospital Helper, \$150.

June 11, Benjamin Shepard, Hospital Helper, \$150.

June 11, Mary Gallagher, Hospital Helper, \$120.

June 11, Maggie Dunn, Hospital Helper, \$120.

June 12, Jennie Roberts, Hospital Helper, \$120.

June 12, Joseph Simon, Hospital Helper, \$150.

June 12, Robert Lee, Hospital Helper, \$150.

May 29, Joseph Petroni, Hospital Helper, \$150.

Gouverneur Hospital—Dismissals.

June 5, Hannah Mead (own request), Hospital Helper, \$144.

June 4, Daniel Boyle (incompetency), Hospital Helper, \$150.

Appointments.

June 6, Michael Carr, Hospital Helper, \$150.

Fordham Hospital—Dismissals.

June 5, Frank O'Calaghan (inefficiency), Hospital Helper, \$150.

June 7, Michael J. Hayes (resigned), Hospital Helper, \$150.

Appointments.

June 6, Otto Schmidt, Hospital Helper, \$150.

June 16.

Reinstated and appointed. Men as per list attached:

Carpenters—Reinstated.

Thomas McCormick, 243 East Eighty-third street.

William Clark, 488 Lenox avenue.

Germand Svenssen, 473 Lexington avenue.

John F. Farrell, 205 East Ninety-fourth street.

Gustav Weiss, 1623 Avenue A.

James Breen, 59 Monroe street.

Appointed.

William F. Honig, 497 West Fifty-fourth street.

Louis Stolz, 534 West Forty-seventh street.

James V. Fitzgerald, 1289 Columbus avenue.

John A. Kavanagh, 112 West One Hundred and Second street.

Painters—Reinstated.

Andrew J. Walsh, 117 East One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street.

James O'Neil, 418 West Fifty-seventh street.

Appointed.

Joseph L. McCord, 402 West Fifty-sixth street.

Drivers—Reinstated.

Francis Fox, 103 East One Hundredth street.

Borough of the Bronx.

June 17.

Changed, the title of Joseph Moss from Mower to Laborer.

Died, Michael O'Boyle, Laborer, in this department.

Charles Donohue, Morris Park avenue, Van Nest, has been transferred from the Department of Sewers, Bronx, to this Department as Transitman, at a compensation at the rate of \$1,350 per annum.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES.

June 18.

The compensation of the following named men, employed as Fitters and Rivetters on the Brooklyn Bridge, has been increased from 47 cents per hour to 50 cents per hour, to take effect June 11, 1902:

John Simpson, Rivetter, No. 337 Marion street, Brooklyn.

George Parker, Rivetter, No. 206 Avenue C, Manhattan.

Robert Sands, Rivetter, No. 182 Bridge street, Brooklyn.

August Dailey, Rivetter, No. 16 Underhill avenue, Brooklyn.

James O'Brien, Fitter, No. 29 Schaeffer street, Brooklyn.

W. C. Sterritt, Fitter, No. 1703 Third avenue, Manhattan.

George Snyder, Fitter, No. 303 Webster avenue, Long Island City.

The eligible list having been exhausted, the following named men have been appointed as Rivetters upon the Brooklyn Bridge, at a compensation of 50 cents per hour, commencing at the date set opposite their respective names, on condition that they file applications for the position of Rivetter at the office of the Municipal Civil Service Commission within one week from the time of such employment:

Peter R. Banta, No. 160 Weirfield street, Brooklyn, June 11, 1902.

Peter M. Jacobsen, No. 3918 Fort Hamilton avenue, Brooklyn, June 11, 1902.

John H. Fox, No. 385 Grand street, Manhattan, June 12, 1902.

Charles W. Orner, No. 225 South Fifth street, Brooklyn, June 12, 1902.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

APPOINTED BY MAYOR.

Under and pursuant to an ordinance adopted by the Board of Aldermen on May 13, 1902, and approved by the Mayor on May 19, 1902, the Mayor has appointed:

George O. Eaton, No. 10 Wall street.

Charles F. McKenna, No. 221 Pearl street.

J. Amory Haskell, No. 99 Cedar street.

William J. Charlton, No. 77 Chambers street.

members of the Municipal Explosives' Commission of the City of New York.

DESIGNATION OF STATIONARY SCALES.

City of New York, Office of the Mayor.

Know all men by these presents, that I, Seth Low, Mayor of the City of New York, pursuant to the authority vested in me by Chapter 327 of the Laws of 1900, entitled "An Act in relation to Cities, constituting chapter 22 of the General Laws," do hereby designate the stationary scales, located as follows and owned by the persons set opposite the respective locations, to-wit:

J. S. Conabear, No. 2395 Eighth avenue.

T. F. Tone, No. 515 West One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street.

S. Stewart, Twenty-eighth street and East River.

John Sander, No. 443 East Seventy-seventh street.

O. J. Stephens, Edgewater Road and West Farms Road, West Farms.

A. Barber's Son, No. 377 Water street.

as scales on which coal or coal vehicles, with or without coal, may be weighed, as in the said Law is provided.

This designation is made subject to compliance upon the part of the owners of said scales with the provisions of said Act, including therein the giving to the city of a bond in the sum of five hundred dollars, conditions as in said Act provided.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my

[Seal.] seal of office, this 17th day of June, A. D., one thousand

nine hundred and two.

SETH LOW, Mayor.

A true copy.

JOHN GUENBERG,

Chief Clerk.

CITY CLERK.

New York, June 16, 1902.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that the Committee on Affairs of Boroughs of the Board of Aldermen will hold a public hearing in the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, Manhattan, on FRIDAY, JUNE 20, 1902, at 2 o'clock p. m., on the proposed resolution in favor of striking from the map of the Borough of Queens the proposed canal connecting Flushing and Newtown Creek.

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

P. J. SCULLY,

City Clerk and Clerk of the Board of Aldermen.



OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

CITY OFFICERS.

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

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WILLIAM J. MORAN, Assistant Secretary
JOHN GRUENBERG, Chief Clerk.

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LAW DEPARTMENT.

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City Magistrates—JOHN CROAK, NATHANIEL MARSH.

First District—New Brighton, Staten Island.

Second District—Stapleton, Staten Island.

President of Board, ALFRED E. STEERS, No. 76 Clarkson street.

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

MUNICIPAL COURTS.

Borough of Manhattan.

First District—Third, Fifth and Eighth Wards, and all that part of the First Ward lying west of Broadway and Whitehall street, including Governor's Island, Bedloe's Island, Ellis Island, and the Oyster Islands. New Courthouse, No. 128 Prince street, corner of Wooster street.

DANIEL E. FINN, Justice. FRANK L. BACON, Clerk.

Clerk's office open from

24 noiseless man-hole covers.
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 \$7,000.
No. 2. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT BLOCK PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF RUSH STREET, FROM KENI AVENUE TO DIVISION AVENUE.

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

3,285 square yards of asphalt block pavement.
35 square yards of adjacent pavement.
500 cubic yards of concrete.
1,480 linear feet of new curb.
80 linear feet of old curb.
8 noiseless man-hole covers.

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 \$2,500.

No. 3. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT BLOCK PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF MAUER STREET, FROM FLORENCE STREET TO MORGAN AVENUE.

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

4,960 square yards of asphalt block pavement.
40 square yards of adjacent pavement.
780 cubic yards of concrete.
2,640 linear feet of new curb.
240 linear feet of old curb.
13 noiseless man-hole covers.

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 \$4,000.

No. 4. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF HERKIMER STREET, FROM NOSTRAND AVENUE TO ALBANY AVENUE.

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

11,070 square yards of asphalt pavement.
50 square yards of adjacent pavement.
1,860 cubic yards of concrete.
5,150 linear feet of new curb.
650 linear feet of old curb.
33 noiseless man-hole covers.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is forty-five (45) working days.

The amount of security required is \$10,000.

No. 5. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF LEFTERS PLACE, FROM ST. JAMES PLACE TO FRANKLIN AVENUE.

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

8,060 square yards of asphalt pavement.
40 square yards of adjacent pavement.
1,360 cubic yards of concrete.
4,170 linear feet of new curb.
100 linear feet of old curb.
23 noiseless man-hole covers.

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 \$8,000.

No. 6. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF THIRD AVENUE, FROM ATLANTIC AVENUE TO FLATBUSH AVENUE.

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

1,200 square yards of asphalt pavement.
20 square yards of adjacent pavement.
265 cubic yards of concrete.
1,260 linear feet of new curb.
120 linear feet of old curb.
2,750 square feet of old flagstone to be relaid.

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 \$1,500.

No. 7. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF WOLCOTT STREET, FROM CONOVER STREET TO RICHARDS STREET.

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

3,140 square yards of asphalt pavement.
40 square yards of adjacent pavement.
540 cubic yards of concrete.
1,720 linear feet of new curb.
150 linear feet of old curb.
5 noiseless man-hole covers.

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 \$3,000.

No. 8. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF HOWARD AVENUE, FROM BROADWAY TO MADISON STREET, AND MADISON STREET FROM HOWARD AVENUE TO 150 FEET WEST.

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

1,955 square yards of asphalt pavement.
70 square yards of adjacent pavement.
325 cubic yards of concrete.
690 linear feet of new curb.
200 linear feet of old curb.
4 noiseless man-hole covers.

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 \$2,000.

No. 9. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF MONROE STREET, FROM CLASON AVENUE TO FRANKLIN AVENUE, AND FROM BEDFORD AVENUE TO NOSTRAND AVENUE.

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

6,540 square yards of asphalt pavement.
25 square yards of adjacent pavement.
1,100 cubic yards of concrete.
3,170 linear feet of new curb.
170 linear feet of old curb.
19 noiseless man-hole covers.

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 \$6,000.

No. 10. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF FOURTH AVENUE, FROM FORTIETH STREET TO SIXTIETH STREET.

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

26,400 square yards of asphalt pavement.
400 square yards of adjacent pavement.
4,230 cubic yards of concrete.
8,600 linear feet of new curb.
1,000 linear feet of old curb.
5 noiseless man-hole covers.
5,338 cubic yards of excavation.
9,609 cubic yards of top soil, furnished and placed.

9,275 linear feet of concrete curb.

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 \$25,000.

No. 11. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF NELSON STREET, FROM SMITH STREET TO COLUMBIA STREET.

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

6,470 square yards of asphalt pavement.
120 square yards of adjacent pavement.
1,160 cubic yards of concrete.
4,100 linear feet of new curb.
510 linear feet of old curb.
2 noiseless man-hole covers.

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 \$6,000.

No. 12. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF SEIGEL STREET, FROM BROADWAY TO BUSHWICK AVENUE.

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

6,750 square yards of asphalt pavement.
90 square yards of adjacent pavement.
1,160 cubic yards of concrete.
3,870 linear feet of new curb.
100 linear feet of old curb.
23 noiseless man-hole covers.

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 \$6,000.

No. 13. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF MARCY AVENUE, FROM MACON STREET TO FULTON STREET.

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

6,750 square yards of asphalt pavement.
90 square yards of adjacent pavement.
1,160 cubic yards of concrete.
3,870 linear feet of new curb.
100 linear feet of old curb.
23 noiseless man-hole covers.

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 \$6,000.

No. 14. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF HART STREET, FROM BROADWAY TO CENTRAL AVENUE, AND CENTRAL AVENUE FROM HART STREET TO SUYDAM STREET.

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

1,380 square yards of asphalt pavement.
40 square yards of adjacent pavement.
230 cubic yards of concrete.
620 linear feet of new curb.
40 linear feet of old curb.
2 noiseless man-hole covers.

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 \$1,200.

No. 15. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF HART STREET, FROM BROADWAY TO CENTRAL AVENUE, AND CENTRAL AVENUE FROM HART STREET TO SUYDAM STREET.

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

5,870 square yards of asphalt pavement.
90 square yards of adjacent pavement.
1,040 cubic yards of concrete.
3,040 linear feet of new curb.
990 linear feet of old curb.
20 noiseless man-hole covers.

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 \$5,000.

No. 16. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF NEW YORK AVENUE, FROM PARK PLACE TO EASTERN PARKWAY.

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

8,310 square yards of asphalt pavement.
120 square yards of adjacent pavement.
1,380 cubic yards of concrete.
3,760 linear feet of new curb.
100 linear feet of old curb.
20 noiseless man-hole covers.

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 \$6,000.

No. 17. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF NEW YORK AVENUE, FROM PARK PLACE TO EASTERN PARKWAY.

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

4,570 square yards of asphalt pavement.
40 square yards of adjacent pavement.
760 cubic yards of concrete.
1,250 linear feet of new curb.
950 linear feet of old curb.
9 noiseless man-hole covers.

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 \$3,000.

No. 18. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF NOSTRAND AVENUE, FROM FLUSHING AVENUE TO WILLOUGHBY AVENUE.

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

4,425 square yards of asphalt pavement.
70 square yards of adjacent pavement.
840 cubic yards of concrete pavement.
3,650 linear feet of new curb.
300 linear feet of old curb.
7 noiseless man-hole covers.

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 \$4,000.

No. 19. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF PACIFIC STREET, FROM ALBANY AVENUE TO SCHENECTADY AVENUE.

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

5,820 square yards of asphalt pavement.
50 square yards of adjacent pavement.
920 cubic yards of concrete.
1,670 linear feet of new curb.
1,240 linear feet of old curb.
18 noiseless man-hole covers.

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 \$4,000.

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 or yard, or per cubic foot or yard, or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested.

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

Blank forms may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, Room 15, Municipal Department Building.

J. EDW. SWANSTROM,
President.

Dated, June 18, 1902. je19juz.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, ROOM 15, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

WEDNESDAY, JULY 2, 1902.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWERS IN DAHLGREN PLACE, BETWEEN NINETY-SECOND STREET AND FORT HILL PLACE; BATTERY PLACE, BETWEEN NINETY-SECOND STREET AND CROSEY AVENUE, AND OUTLET SEWERS IN FORT HILL PLACE, BETWEEN DAHLGREN PLACE AND BATTERY PLACE; BATTERY PLACE, BETWEEN CROSEY AVENUE AND ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTH STREET; ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTH STREET, BETWEEN BATTERY PLACE AND SEVENTH AVENUE, AND SEVENTH AVENUE, BETWEEN ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTH STREET AND NINETY-SECOND STREET, IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is 250 working days.

The amount of security required is \$15,000.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING JANITORS' SUPPLIES TO VARIOUS PUBLIC BUILDINGS IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before 30 days.

The amount of security required is one thousand dollars (\$1,000).

No. 3. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ENGINEERS' SUPPLIES TO VARIOUS PUBLIC BUILDINGS IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before 30 days.

The amount of security required is five hundred dollars (\$500).

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per pound, ton, dozen, gallon, yard or other unit of measure. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total. The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Assistant Commissioner of Public Works, Borough of Brooklyn, Room 15, Municipal Building.

J. EDWARD SWANSTROM,
President.

Dated, June 5, 1902. je17jyz

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

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DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES, ROOM NO. 1, 203, NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

THURSDAY, JUNE 19, 1902.

Borough of The Bronx.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE REMOVAL OF PIERS OR ABUTMENTS OF THE OLD BRIDGE FORMERLY CONNECTING PELHAM BAY PARK WITH CITY ISLAND, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is by or before the expiration of fifty working days.

The amount of security required is two thousand dollars.

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

2,500 CUBIC YARDS OF ROCK FRAGMENTS OR STONE FILLING OF CRIB PIERS OR ABUTMENTS OR STONE PILED AROUND THE PIERS, EXCAVATED, REMOVED AND PLACED ON OR AT THE FOOT OF THE SLOPES OF THE APPROACHES OF THE NEW CITY ISLAND BRIDGE.

65 CORDS OF ROUND OR SQUARE TIMBER EXCAVATED FROM PIERS OR ABUTMENTS AND REMOVED FROM THE WORK.

The plans and drawings may be seen, blank forms and other information obtained at the office of the Department, Nos. 13 to 21 Park Row, Borough of Manhattan.

GUSTAV LINDENTHAL,
Commissioner of Bridges.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, May 31, 1902.

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

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BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY HALL, THE CITY OF NEW YORK, June 19, 1902.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Manhattan at the City Hall, Room No. 16, until 2 o'clock p. m. on

MONDAY, JUNE 30, 1902.

TO FENCE VACANT LOT AT THE SOUTH-EAST CORNER OF FRANKFORT AND WILLIAM STREETS.

Engineer's estimate of amount of work to be done:

125 linear feet of fence.

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TO FENCE VACANT LOT IN FRONT OF NOS. 427 AND 429 WEST TWENTY-SEVENTH STREET.

Engineer's estimate of amount of work to be done:

41 linear feet of fence.

TO FENCE VACANT LOTS ON THE NORTH SIDE OF WEST ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-SECOND STREET, FROM 105 FEET EAST OF AMSTERDAM AVENUE TO A POINT 75 FEET FURTHER EAST.

Engineer's estimate of amount of work to be done:

85 linear feet of fence.

TO FENCE VACANT LOTS OPPOSITE NO. 256 WEST ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-THIRD STREET.

Engineer's estimate of amount of work to be done:

25.5 linear feet of fence.

TO FENCE VACANT LOTS AT THE SOUTH-EAST CORNER OF AUDUBON AVENUE AND ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-SIXTH STREET.

Engineer's estimate of amount of work to be done:

175 linear feet of fence.

TO FENCE VACANT LOTS ON BRADHURST AVENUE, BETWEEN ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-SECOND STREET AND ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-THIRD STREET.

Engineer's estimate of amount of work to be done:

240 linear feet of fence.

TO FENCE VACANT LOTS OPPOSITE NOS. 303-319 EAST NINETY-FIFTH STREET.

Engineer's estimate of amount of work to be done:

410 linear feet of fence.

TO FENCE VACANT LOTS ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTH STREET, BETWEEN BROADWAY AND RIVERSIDE DRIVE.

Engineer's estimate of amount of work to be done:

75 linear feet of fence;

50 cubic yards of filling to furnish.

TO FENCE VACANT LOTS ON THE NORTH SIDE OF SIXTY-FOURTH STREET, BETWEEN CENTRAL PARK WEST AND COLUMBUS AVENUE.

Engineer's estimate of amount of work to be done:

55 linear feet of fence.

TO FENCE VACANT LOTS ON EDGEcombe AVENUE, BETWEEN ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-SECOND STREET AND ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-THIRD STREET.

Engineer's estimate of amount of work to be done:

290 linear feet of fence;

80 cubic yards of filling.

FOR FENCING VACANT LOTS AT NO. 415 EAST SEVENTEENTH STREET.

Engineer's estimate of amount of work to be done:

100 linear feet of fence.

TO FENCE VACANT LOTS ON THE NORTH SIDE OF ONE HUNDRED AND SECOND STREET, BETWEEN COLUMBUS AVENUE AND AMSTERDAM AVENUE.

Engineer's estimate of amount of work to be done:

55 linear feet of fence.

TO FENCE VACANT LOTS ON THE SOUTH-EAST CORNER OF WEST END AVENUE AND EIGHTY-SECOND STREET, 102 FEET 2 INCHES BY 100 FEET.

Engineer's estimate of amount of work to be done:

220 linear feet of fence.

TO FENCE VACANT LOTS ON BOTH SIDES OF ONE HUNDRED AND FOURTEENTH STREET, FROM BROADWAY TO RIVERSIDE DRIVE.

Engineer's estimate of amount of work to be done:

300 linear feet of fence.

TO FENCE VACANT LOTS ON THE NORTH SIDE OF ONE HUNDRED AND FIRST STREET, BETWEEN THIRD AVENUE AND LEXINGTON AVENUE.

Engineer's estimate of amount of work to be done:

282 linear feet of fence.

TO FENCE VACANT LOTS ON THE NORTH SIDE OF NINETY-FOURTH STREET, BETWEEN FIRST AVENUE AND SECOND AVENUE.

AND EIGHTY-THIRD STREET, FROM ELEVENTH AVENUE TO BROADWAY.

Engineer's estimate of amount of work to be done:

200 square feet new flagging to furnish and lay.
2,020 square feet old flagging to relay.
185 cubic yards filling to furnish.

REPAIRING SIDEWALKS ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF SIXTY-THIRD STREET, FROM CENTRAL PARK WEST TO BROADWAY.

Engineer's estimate of amount of work to be done:

750 square feet new flagging, to furnish and lay.
1,315 square feet of old flagging, to relay.

REPAIRING SIDEWALKS ON THE NORTH SIDE OF ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-SECOND STREET, FROM 105 FEET EAST OF AMSTERDAM AVENUE TO A POINT 75 FEET FARTHER EAST.

Engineer's estimate of amount of work to be done:

300 square feet new flagging, to furnish and lay.
66 linear feet new curb, to set.
430 cubic yards filling, to furnish.

REPAIRING SIDEWALKS OPPOSITE PREMISES No. 256 WEST ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-THIRD STREET.

Engineer's estimate of amount of work to be done:

140 square feet new flagging, to furnish and lay.
65 square feet old flagging, to relay.

REPAIRING SIDEWALKS ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF NINETY-FIRST STREET, EAST OF COLUMBUS AVENUE.

Engineer's estimate of amount of work to be done:

190 square feet new flagging, to furnish and lay.
REPAIRING SIDEWALKS ON THE EAST SIDE OF ELEVENTH AVENUE, BETWEEN TWENTY-SIXTH AND TWENTY-SEVENTH STREETS.

Engineer's estimate of amount of work to be done:

1,581 square feet new flagging, to furnish and lay.
REPAIRING SIDEWALKS AT Nos. 427 AND 429 WEST TWENTY-SEVENTH STREET.

Engineer's estimate of amount of work to be done:

300 square feet new flagging, to furnish and lay.
REPAIRING SIDEWALKS NORTH SIDE OF ONE HUNDRED AND NINTH STREET, BETWEEN BROADWAY AND RIVERSIDE DRIVE.

Engineer's estimate of amount of work to be done:

1,070 square feet new flagging, to furnish and lay.
40 square feet old flagging, to relay.

REPAIRING SIDEWALKS IN FRONT OF Nos. 100, 102 AND 104 AMSTERDAM AVENUE.

Engineer's estimate of amount of work to be done:

620 square feet new flagging, to furnish and lay.
40 square feet old flagging, to relay.
40 linear feet new curb, to set.
45 linear feet old curb, to redress and reset.

REPAIRING SIDEWALKS ON THE NORTH SIDE OF SEVENTEENTH STREET, FROM CENTRAL PARK WEST TO No. 7.

Engineer's estimate of amount of work to be done:

1,090 square feet new flagging, to furnish and lay.
15 linear feet old curb, to reset and redress.
205 cubic yards filling to furnish.

REPAIRING SIDEWALKS IN FRONT OF No. 579 FIRST AVENUE.

Engineer's estimate of amount of work to be done:

410 square feet new flagging, to furnish and lay.
60 square feet old flagging, to relay.

REPAIRING SIDEWALKS WEST SIDE ELEVENTH AVENUE, BETWEEN ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-FIRST STREET AND ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-SEVENTH STREET.

Engineer's estimate of amount of work to be done:

2,080 square feet new flagging, to furnish and lay.
3,650 square feet old flagging, to relay.

REPAIRING SIDEWALKS EAST SIDE OF ELEVENTH AVENUE, BETWEEN ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-FIRST STREET AND ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-SEVENTH STREET.

Engineer's estimate of amount of work to be done:

1,980 square feet new flagging, to furnish and lay.
3,400 square feet old flagging, to relay.

REPAIRING SIDEWALKS ON THE WEST SIDE OF AMSTERDAM AVENUE, FROM ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTH STREET TO ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-THIRD STREET.

Engineer's estimate of amount of work to be done:

4,730 square feet new flagging, to furnish and lay.
4,140 square feet old flagging, to relay.

REPAIRING SIDEWALKS ON THE NORTH SIDE OF ONE HUNDRED AND SECOND STREET, FROM COLUMBUS AVENUE TO AMSTERDAM AVENUE.

Engineer's estimate of amount of work to be done:

140 square feet new flagging, to furnish and lay.
800 square feet old flagging, to relay.
90 linear feet new curb, to set.
53 linear feet of old curb, to reset and redress.

REPAIRING SIDEWALKS ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTH STREET, BETWEEN BROADWAY AND RIVERSIDE DRIVE.

Engineer's estimate of amount of work to be done:

600 square feet new flagging, to furnish and lay.
70 square feet old flagging, to relay.

REPAIRING SIDEWALK OPPOSITE No. 15 HAMILTON STREET.

Engineer's estimate of amount of work to be done:

280 square feet new flagging, to furnish and lay.
REPAIRING SIDEWALKS ON THE WEST SIDE OF BROADWAY, FROM ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SEVENTH STREET TO ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-EIGHTH STREET, AND ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-EIGHTH STREET, WEST OF BROADWAY.

Engineer's estimate of the amount of work to be done:

720 square feet of new flagging to furnish and lay.
2,040 square feet old flagging to relay.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is by or before October 1, 1902.

The amount of security required is two thousand dollars.

The bidder will state the price of each item or class of work contained in the specifications or schedules, per linear foot, or square foot or

cubic yard, or other unit of measure. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total.

The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for the entire work designated and described.

Blank forms, specifications and any further information can be obtained at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, Bureau of Highways, No. 21 Park row, Borough of Manhattan.

JACOB A. CANTOR,
Borough President.
THE CITY OF NEW YORK, June 19, 1902.

See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column of the "City Record."
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OFFICE OF PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, June 18, 1902.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORDANCE with section 432 of the Charter of The City of New York, that a petition signed by property owners and residents of the Murray Hill District for Local Improvements, requesting the repaving of the driveway of that portion of Seventeenth street between Fourth avenue and Third avenue with asphalt, has been filed in this office, and is now ready for public inspection, and that a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Murray Hill District for Local Improvements will be held in the Borough Office, City Hall, on the 1st day of July, 1902, at 11 a. m., at which meeting said petition will be submitted to the Board.

JACOB A. CANTOR,
President.
GEORGE W. BLAKE,
Secretary.
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OFFICE OF PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK, June 18, 1902.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORDANCE with section 432 of the Charter of The City of New York, that a petition signed by property owners and residents of the Harlem District for Local Improvements, requesting the paving of One Hundred and Eighth street, from First avenue to the East River, with granite blocks, has been filed in this office, and is now ready for public inspection, and that a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Harlem District for Local Improvements will be held in the Borough Office, City Hall, on the 1st day of July, 1902, at 12 m., at which meeting said petition will be submitted to the Board.

JACOB A. CANTOR,
President.
GEORGE W. BLAKE,
Secretary.
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OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY HALL, THE CITY OF NEW YORK, June 19, 1902.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Manhattan at the City Hall, Room No. 16, until 2 o'clock p. m., on

MONDAY, JUNE 30, 1902.

No. 1. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT BLOCK PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF NINTY-FOURTH STREET, FROM WEST END AVENUE TO RIVERSIDE DRIVE.

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

2,020 square yards of asphalt block pavement.
280 cubic yards concrete, including mortar bed.
900 linear feet new curbstone furnished and set on concrete foundation.

200 linear feet old curbstone redressed, re-joined and reset on concrete foundation.

Time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is 20 days.

The amount of security required is \$2,500.00.

No. 2. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT BLOCK PAVEMENT ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-NINTH STREET, FROM LENOX AVENUE TO SEVENTH AVENUE.

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

2,700 square yards of asphalt block pavement.
530 cubic yards concrete, including mortar bed.
1,000 linear feet new curbstone furnished and set on concrete foundation.

620 linear feet old curbstone redressed, re-joined and reset on concrete foundation.

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

The amount of security is \$3,000.00.

No. 3. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT BLOCK PAVEMENT ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF BROADWAY (FORMERLY KINGSBRIDGE ROAD), FROM A POINT 688 FEET, MORE OR LESS, NORTH OF ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-SEVENTH STREET TO THE NORTHERLY LINE OF DYCKMAN STREET.

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

26,808 square yards asphalt block pavement.
100 square yards macadam surface to be laid in approaches (not to be bid for).

5,124 cubic yards concrete, including mortar bed.
6,250 linear feet new curbstone furnished and set on concrete foundation.

1,250 linear feet old curbstone redressed, re-joined and reset on concrete foundation.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is 150 days.

The amount of security required is \$25,000.00.

No. 4. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT BLOCK PAVEMENT ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF AUDUBON AVENUE, FROM THE INTERSECTION OF KINGSBRIDGE ROAD AND WEST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIFTH STREET TO ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-THIRD STREET.

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

8,768 square yards asphalt block pavement.
1,636 cubic yards concrete.
1,500 linear feet new curbstone furnished and set on concrete foundation.

2,138 linear feet old curbstone redressed, re-joined and reset on concrete foundation.

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

The amount of security required is \$7,000.00.

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, square yard, cubic yard, or other unit of measure. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total, and awards made to the lowest bidder. The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.

Blank forms, specifications and any further information can be obtained at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, Bureau of Highways, No. 21 Park row, Borough of Manhattan.

JACOB A. CANTOR,
Borough President.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, June 19, 1902.

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

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

JAMES W. STEVENSON,
Deputy Comptroller, Secretary.

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

N. TAYLOR PHILLIPS,
Deputy Comptroller, Secretary.

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

THURSDAY, JULY 10, 1902.

Borough of Manhattan.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING, DELIVERING AND SETTING A FORTY-EIGHT INCH STOP-COCK ON A FORTY-EIGHT INCH WATER MAIN IN AMSTERDAM AVENUE, BETWEEN SIXTY-FIRST STREET AND SIXTY-SECOND STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is 100 days.

The amount of security required is one thousand dollars.

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

Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING, CONSTRUCTING AND ERECTING A PUMPING PLANT, WITH ALL APPLIANCES COMPLETE, AT THE MILLBURN ENGINE HOUSE, BALDWIN, L. I.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is 270 days.

The amount of security required is fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000).

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.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, the Borough of Manhattan, Nos. 13-21 Park Row, Room 1521.

J. HAMPDEN DOUGHERTY,
Commissioner.

Dated, June 17, 1902.

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

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

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

List 6929, No. 1. Sewer in One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street, between Amsterdam avenue and Kingsbridge road; and in Kingsbridge road, east and west sides, between One Hundred and Sixty-second street and One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street.

List 6971, No. 2. Sewer in Lexington avenue, west side, between Fifty-fifth street and Fifty-first street.

List 7062, No. 3. Sewers in Lexington avenue, east and west sides, between Seventy-fifth street and Seventy-sixth street.

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 Kingsbridge road, from One Hundred and Sixty-second street to One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street; both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street, from Amsterdam avenue to Broadway; block bounded by One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street and One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, Broadway and Kingsbridge road; and the Kingsbridge Railway Company, Third Avenue Railroad Company and Interurban Street Railway Company.

No. 2. Block bounded by Fifty-fifth street and Lexington avenue, Lexington avenue and Park avenue, Lexington avenue and Pavyonia Ferry Railroad Company, Metropolitan Street Railway Company and Interurban Street Railway Company.

No. 3. West side of Lexington avenue, from Seventy-fifth street to Seventy-sixth street; east side of Lexington avenue, extending about 102 feet north of Seventy-fifth street, Lexington Avenue and Pavyonia Ferry Railroad Company, Metropolitan Street Railway Company and Interurban Street Railway Company.

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 July 10, 1902, at 3 p. m., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

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

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

CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, June 7, 1902.
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DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Docks at the above office until 12 o'clock M., on

FRIDAY, JUNE 27, 1902.

Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 736. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR REPAIRING THE WOODEN PIER, WITH APPURTENANCES, AT THE FOOT OF SOUTH FIFTH STREET, EAST RIVER, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

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

The amount of security required is six thousand (\$6,000) dollars.

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

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

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

M'DOUGALL HAWKES,
Commissioner of Docks.

Dated, June 13, 1902.

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, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Docks at Pier "A," Battery Place, in The City of New York, on

FRIDAY, JUNE 20, 1902,

until 12 o'clock noon, for the right to dump and fill in at West One Hundred and Forty-ninth street and at West One Hundred and Fiftieth street, Harlem river, in the Borough of Manhattan, as follows:

Conditions of the right to dump and fill in at West One Hundred and Forty-ninth street and West One Hundred and Fiftieth street, Harlem river, in the Borough of Manhattan.

At West One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, Harlem river:

Extending from the end of the present fill, which is about 150 feet west of the easterly side of Seventh avenue, easterly or outshore, about 280 feet. Estimated amount, 5,500 cubic yards.

At West One Hundred and Fiftieth street, Harlem river:

Extending from the end of the present filling, which is about 150 feet east of the easterly side of Seventh avenue, easterly or outshore, about 120 feet. Estimated amount, 2,000 cubic yards.

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The grade in each case will be the same as it is at present end of the filling, and will be fixed at ten feet above Mean Low Water at its outshore end, and will be placed so that the foot of the bank on 1 to 1 slopes will not extend outside of the outside lines of the streets.

Filling shall be commenced within five days after receipt of notification from the Engineer that the work or any part of it is ready to be begun, and shall be carried on to the satisfaction of the Engineer.

If at any time during the progress of the work it shall be deemed necessary to order the suspension of the whole or any part of the filling, the purchaser shall immediately stop and not commence the filling until ordered so to do.

The privilege to fill in the said described area will be sold to the highest bidder, but the Commissioner reserves the right to reject all bids if deemed for the interest of the City so to do.

One-half the purchase price for such right of privilege must be paid at the time of award of privilege, and the remaining half when one-half of the work of filling in has been completed.

In case the purchaser at any time does not proceed with the work of filling in to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Docks, the said Commissioner will at once revoke the privilege of filling in and have the remainder of the filling in done by other parties in such a way as he deems proper.

The purchaser will be required to furnish a bond in double the amount of the purchase price as security for the satisfactory performance of the said work, in accordance with the terms and conditions hereof.

Dated, THE CITY OF NEW YORK, June 6, 1902.

M'DOUGALL HAWKES,
Commissioner of Docks.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Docks at Pier "A," Battery place, in The City of New York, on

FRIDAY, JUNE 20, 1902.

until 12 o'clock noon, for the right to dump and fill in behind the crib bulkhead recently built along Lexington avenue and One Hundred and Thirty-second street, on the westerly side of the Harlem river, between said crib work and the upland banks within the lines of said streets.

Conditions of the right to dump and fill in on westerly side of Harlem river, between Lexington avenue and One Hundred and Thirty-second street, in the Borough of Manhattan.

The filling will be put in to a height of about five feet or less above mean high water mark over the above described area.

The privilege to fill in the said described area will be sold to the highest bidder, but the Commissioner reserves the right to reject all bids if deemed for the interest of the City so to do.

One-half the purchase price for such right of privilege must be paid at the time of award of privilege, and the remaining half when one-half of the work of filling in has been completed.

The total estimated quantity to be filled in is about 16,500 cubic yards, more or less. This total estimated quantity is approximate only and is estimated without allowance for sinkage or settlement below the mud line. The Department is not bound in any way by such estimate and bidders must satisfy themselves of the actual quantity required to fill in the above described area by examination of the premises or such other means as they may prefer.

The intention of the Department being to fill in the whole of the said premises behind the crib bulkhead to the westerly line of Lexington avenue and to the southerly line of One Hundred and Thirty-second street,

and no allowance will be made to the purchaser from the purchase money on account of any discrepancy which may be found between the above estimated quantity and the actual amount of filling required. The purchaser will be required to place the filling in accordance with the specifications:

All the filling shall be placed directly in the rear of the crib and carried from the crib toward the shore until the bank of same has been carried out at the finished grade for a distance of about 40 feet from the face of the crib, at which time if so directed by the Engineer, the filling may be commenced from the shore toward the crib.

Owing to the fact that a portion of the crib work has already shown a movement, and that it is likely that it will settle further to some extent, the work of filling in will have to be conducted with much care, and for that reason the purchaser will estimate upon being delayed on the work, which it is not expected will be carried on continuously to completion from the time it is commenced.

All material must be dumped and filled in only in such manner, at such points and in such order of procedure and at such times and seasons as may from time to time be directed and the work of filling in may be entirely suspended for such periods of time as may be directed. The purchaser shall have no claim for damage or for any allowance from the purchase money on account of such suspension of the work.

All directions shall be given by the Engineer, and wherever the word Engineer is used in these specifications it refers to and designates the Engineer-in-Chief of the Department of Docks and Ferries, or such officer or employee as may be designated by him.

No filling shall be placed directly on the top of the crib until all the remainder of the filling is done, unless specially so directed by the Engineer.

All the filling except as otherwise specified herein shall be of ashes, cellar dirt, broken stone, etc., entirely free from garbage or any other organic matter objectionable in the opinion of the Engineer.

No piece of rip rap stone coming directly on or against the crib work shall be greater than about three feet in its largest dimension and must be deposited carefully in such manner as will not injure the crib work.

At any section of the crib the filling shall be brought up level with the under side of the backing log of the crib at such section and no higher unless otherwise directed.

The filling shall be commenced within five days after the date of the receipt of a notification from the Engineer that the work or any part of it is ready to be begun and shall be completed on or before November 1, 1902. If at any time during the progress of the work it shall be deemed necessary to order the suspension of the whole or any part of the filling, the time for completing said filling shall be extended so much as it may have been delayed by such suspension.

The purchaser shall, during the work of filling in and at all times until the completion thereof, take all necessary precautions and place proper guards for the prevention of accidents, and put up and maintain at night sufficient lights, and he shall indemnify and save harmless The City of New York from all damages and costs to which it may be put by reason of injury to the person or property of another resulting from negligence or carelessness in the performance of the work or guarding the same.

In case the purchaser at any time does not proceed with the work of filling in to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Docks, the said Commissioner will at once terminate the privilege of filling in and proceed to have the remainder of the filling in done by other parties in such way and manner as he deems proper.

The purchaser will be required to furnish a bond in double the amount of the purchase price, as security for the satisfactory performance of the said work, in accordance with the terms and conditions hereof.

Dated, The City of New York, June 6, 1902.

McDOUGALL HAWKES,
Commissioner of Docks.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

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

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

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

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

All notices of examination will immediately follow this notice. Such notices will contain the scope of the examination, but for more general information, application should be made in person at the office of the Commission.

GEORGE MCANENY,
Secretary.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 346 BROADWAY, NEW YORK, Thursday, June 12, 1902.

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

CORONER'S PHYSICIAN—Monday, July 7, 1902, at 10 o'clock a. m.

The receipt of applications for this examination will close on Wednesday, July 2, at 4 o'clock p. m.

The scope of the examination will be as follows:

Subjects.	Weights.
Technical knowledge.....	6
Experience.....	4

Candidates must be duly authorized to practice medicine in the State of New York, and must present their diplomas as evidence thereof.

DEPUTY TAX COMMISSIONER—Wednesday, July 9, 1902, at 10 o'clock a. m.

The receipt of applications for this examination will close on Thursday, July 3, at 4 o'clock p. m.

The scope of the examination will be as follows:

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

Attention is called to section 888 of the New York Charter concerning the appointment of Deputy Tax Commissioners.

No person shall be appointed to the office of Deputy Tax Commissioner unless he shall be at the time he is appointed, and shall have been for at least one year prior thereto, an elector and freholder in the borough for which he is appointed.

The salary attached to the position not being graded, persons who obtain a place upon the eligible list may be appointed at any salary for which a vacancy may exist.

CLERK—BUILDING DEPARTMENT (Third grade).—Friday, July 11, 1902, at 10 o'clock a. m.

The receipt of applications for this examination will close on Monday, July 7, at 4 o'clock p. m.

The scope of the examination will be as follows:

Subjects.	Weights.
Handwriting.....	30
Writing from dictation.....	15
English spelling.....	15
Arithmetic.....	20

Making a summary, or letter writing..... 20

Candidates will be required to obtain 80 per cent. on the foregoing.

In addition to the foregoing, there will be a "special" paper on reading building plans and knowledge of the principles of building construction, and the laws governing the same as provided in the New York Charter.

Candidates will be required to obtain 75 per cent. on the "special" paper.

The annual compensation is \$1,050.

S. WILLIAM BRISCOE,
Secretary.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, 346 BROADWAY, NEW YORK, June 5, 1902.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an open competitive examination will be held for the following position:

CHEMIST.—Friday, June 20, 1902, at 10 o'clock a. m.

The receipt of applications for this examination will close on Wednesday, June 18, at 4 o'clock p. m.

The scope of the examination will be as follows:

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

A candidate who receives less than 75 per cent. on the "technical" paper will not be placed upon the eligible list.

A candidate who receives 75 per cent. or more on the "technical" paper, and less than 70 per cent. on all will not be placed upon the eligible list.

This examination will be without reference to grade, and is intended to secure eligibles whose knowledge of chemistry is sufficiently comprehensive to cover analyses of asphalt and its combinations, and other special analyses.

The salary attached to this position will range from \$1,050 upward.

A vacancy at present exists in the office of the Borough President, Borough of the Bronx. The compensation attached to this position is \$2,000 per annum.

GEORGE MCANENY,
Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Buildings at the above office of the Department of Education, until 12 o'clock noon, on

MONDAY, JUNE 30, 1902.

Borough of Manhattan.

Contract No. 1. ALTERATIONS, REPAIRS, ETC., TO THE HALL OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION, PARK AVENUE AND FIFTY-NINTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

Time of completion, 45 working days.

Amount of security required is \$3,000.

Contract No. 2. ALTERATIONS, REPAIRS, ETC., PUBLIC SCHOOLS 5, 12, 39, 43, 46, 48, 52, 58, 68, 79, 120, 124, 137, 147, 151, 157, 158, 166, 169, 172, DE WITT CLINTON HIGH SCHOOL, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

Time of completion is 55 working days.

Amount of security required on Contract No. 2 is:

Public School 5, \$600.
Public School 12, \$700.
Public School 39, \$700.
Public School 43, \$500.
Public School 46, \$500.
Public School 48, \$500.
Public School 52, \$500.
Public School 58, \$600.
Public School 68, \$800.
Public School 79, \$800.
Public School 120, \$700.
Public School 124, \$900.
Public School 137, \$300.
Public School 147, \$1,800.
Public School 151, \$600.
Public School 157, \$400.
Public School 158, \$1,100.
Public School 166, \$300.
Public School 169, \$500.
Public School 172, \$300.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, by which the bids will be tested. On Contract No. 2 the extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total for each item and awards made to the lowest bidder on each item. On Contract No. 1 the bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum, according to law.

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 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.

Dated, June 19, 1902.

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

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Buildings at the above office until 12 o'clock noon on

TUESDAY, JULY 1, 1902.

Borough of Brooklyn.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING AND PLACING IN POSITION NEW FURNITURE AT PUBLIC SCHOOL 140, ON NORTHERLY SIDE OF SIXTIETH STREET, WEST OF FOURTH AVENUE.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before 60 working days from the date of execution of this contract.

Amount of security required on the several items of contract No. 3 is \$500 on item 1, \$200 on item 2, \$1,300 on item 3 and \$400 on item 4. The bidder will state the price of each 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 for each item and awards made to the lowest bidder on each item.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the 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.

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

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Buildings at the above office of the Department of Education, until 12 o'clock noon, on

THURSDAY, JULY 3, 1902.

Borough of Brooklyn.

CONTRACT No. 1. FOR THE GENERAL CONSTRUCTION OF NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 142, ON SOUTHERLY CORNER OF HENRY AND RAPEL-YEA STREETS, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time of completion is 300 working days.

Amount of security required is \$75,000.

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

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the 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.

Dated, June 20, 1902.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Buildings at the above office of the Department of Education, until 12 o'clock noon, on

FRIDAY, JUNE 27, 1902.

Borough of Brooklyn.

CONTRACT No. 1. FOR ERECTION OF THREE (3) NEW STAIRCASES AND OUTSIDE ALTERATIONS TO FRONT AND REAR OF No. 21 RED HOOK LANE (M. T. H. S. A.), No. 31 LIVINGSTON STREET, BROOKLYN.

Time of completion is 35 working days.

Security required is \$1,200.

CONTRACT No. 2. FOR IMPROVING THE SANITARY CONDITIONS IN AND ALTERATIONS TO PUBLIC SCHOOLS 16, 33, 37, 42, 85, COMMERCIAL HIGH AND TEACHERS' TRAINING SCHOOLS, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

Time of completion is 55 working days.

Amount of security required on the following jobs of Contract No. 2 is: \$3,000 on Public School 16, \$5,000 on Public School 33, \$500 on Public School 37, \$700 on Public School 42, \$1,500 on Public School 85, \$3,000 on Commercial High School and \$1,300 on Teachers' Training School.

CONTRACT No. 3. FOR NEW FURNITURE PUBLIC SCHOOL 129, ON SOUTHERLY SIDE OF QUINCY STREET, BETWEEN STUYVESANT AVENUE AND LEWIS AVENUE, BROOKLYN.

Time of completion is 60 working days.

Amount of security required on the several items of Contract No. 3 is \$900 on item 1, \$200 on item 2, \$1,400 on item 3, \$400 on item 4.

CONTRACT No. 4. NEW FURNITURE FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL 132, ON EASTERLY SIDE OF MANHATTAN AVENUE, BETWEEN METROPOLITAN AVENUE AND CONSELVEA STREET, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

Time of completion is 60 working days.

Amount of security required on the several items of Contract No. 4 is \$800 on item 1, \$150 on item 2, \$800 on item 3 and \$400 on item 4.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, by which the bids will be tested. On Contracts Nos. 2, 3 and 4 the extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total for each item and awards made to the lowest bidder on each item.

On Contract No. 1 the bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum, according to law.

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 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.

Dated, June 17, 1902.

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

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Buildings at the above office until 12 o'clock noon, on

THURSDAY, JUNE 26, 1902.

Borough of Manhattan.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING GRO-

Buildings at the above office of the Department of Education, until 12 o'clock noon, on

TUESDAY, JUNE 24, 1902.

Borough of Manhattan.

CONTRACT No. 1. FOR GENERAL CONSTRUCTION OF ADDITION TO AND ALTERATIONS IN PUBLIC SCHOOL 89, LENOX AVENUE, BETWEEN ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FOURTH STREET AND ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FIFTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time of completion is 200 working days.

The amount of security required is \$40,000.

CONTRACT No. 2. FOR NEW FURNITURE OF ADDITIONS TO PUBLIC SCHOOL 22, CORNER STANTON STREET AND SHERIFF STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time of completion is 60 days.

The amount of security required is \$700 on item 1, \$1,200 on item 2, \$1,200 on item 3, \$1,200 on item 4.

Borough of Brooklyn.

CONTRACT No. 3. FOR NEW FURNITURE OF ADDITION TO PUBLIC SCHOOL 92, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

Time of completion is 60 working days.

The amount of security required is \$200 on item 1, \$300 on item 2, \$300 on item 3, \$300 on item 4.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article 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 for each item and awards made to the lowest bidder, according to law, on each item; on Contract No. 1 the bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the 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, for their respective boroughs.

C. B. J. SNYDER,
Superintendent of School Buildings.

Dated, June 13, 1902.

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

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Buildings at the above office of the Department of Education, until 12 o'clock noon, on

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 25, 1902.

Borough of Manhattan.

FOR GENERAL CONSTRUCTION OF THE DEWITT CLINTON HIGH SCHOOL, FIFTEENTH STREET AND SIXTEENTH STREET, BETWEEN LIVINGSTON PLACE AND FIRST AVENUE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time of completion is 390 days.

The amount of security required is \$250,000.

The bids will be read and the award made to the lowest bidder, according to law.

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

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Superintendent, at Estimating Room, Hall of the Board of Education, Park Avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan.

C. B. J. SNYDER,
Superintendent of School Buildings.

Dated, June 12, 1902.

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

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Buildings at the above office of the Department of Education, until 12 o'clock noon, on

FRIDAY, JUNE 20, 1902.

CERIES, PROVISIONS, VEGETABLES, FLUID AND CONDENSED MILK, FRESH MEATS, FISH, FLOUR, COAL, FODDER, DRY GOODS, ETC., AND FOR OTHER MISCELLANEOUS SUPPLIES.

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

The amount of security required is fifty (50) per cent. of the amount of the bid or estimate. Samples will be on exhibition at the Storehouse, Flatbush, Borough of Brooklyn.

The bidder will state the price of each item contained in the specifications herein contained or hereto annexed, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total for each item and awards made to the lowest bidder on each.

HOMER FOLKS,
Commissioner.
The City of New York, June 12, 1902.

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

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES. Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

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

THURSDAY, JUNE 26, 1902.

- FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR
- (a) STAMPED METAL CEILINGS, KINGS COUNTY ALMSHOUSE.
 - (b) RELINING FURNACES, REPAIRING WELLS, FLUME PITS, BRIDGE WALLS, AND BRICK WORK OF FOUR BOILERS, KINGS COUNTY ALMSHOUSE.
 - (c) THREE GALVANIZED IRON CLOTHES CHUTES, KINGS COUNTY HOSPITAL.
 - (d) ONE 110 HORSE-POWER LOCOMOTIVE BOILER, KINGS COUNTY HOSPITAL.
 - (e) ONE NEW CEDAR TANK, CUMBERLAND STREET HOSPITAL.
 - (f) CONCRETE FLOOR, KINGS COUNTY ALMSHOUSE.

The time allowed for making and completing the repairs and alterations will be forty-five (45) working days on each job.

The surety required will be on job (a), \$1,000; on job (b), \$250; on job (c), \$250; on job (d), \$1,250; on job (e), \$250, and on job (f), \$600.

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

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Department of Public Charities, Borough of Manhattan.

HOMER FOLKS,
Commissioner.

Dated, June 12, 1902.

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

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OFFICIAL BOROUGH PAPERS.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

"Bronx Borough Record;" "North Side News."

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

For Long Island City and Newtown Districts—"Long Island City Star;" "Newtown Register."

For Flushing, Jamaica and the Rockaways—"Flushing Times;" "Jamaica Standard."

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

"Staten Islander;" "Staten Island World."

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

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

PUBLIC NOTICE.

SALE OF UNUSED HORSES AND OTHER PROPERTY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT IN pursuance of the provisions of section 541 of the Greater New York Charter I will, on Thursday, the 26th day of June, 1902, at 10 o'clock a. m., sell at public auction, at the Incumbence Yard of the Department of Street Cleaning, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in Atlantic avenue, near Utica avenue, the following:

- 25 horses, more or less.
- 2 sets, more or less, double truck harness.
- 44 more or less, pipe collars.
- 250 feet, more or less, garden hose.
- 50 feet, more or less, fire hose.
- 1 office clock.
- 9 pairs cart hames.
- 18 canvas cart covers.
- 24 canvas truck covers.
- 33 more or less, canvas horse covers.
- 2 more or less, hay forks.
- 1 or more driving harness saddles.
- 4 sets, more or less, single cart harness.
- 1 District Superintendent's carriage.
- 40 old can carriers.
- 1 blacksmith's bellows.
- 70 lbs., more or less, rubber bicycle tires and hose.
- 5,000 lbs., more or less, old iron.
- 100 lbs., more or less, paper and rubbish cans.
- 1,200 lbs., more or less, old towing hawser.

JOHN MCGAW WOODBURY,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

Dated, New York, June 12, 1902. je13,26
DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING, NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

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

THURSDAY, THE 26TH DAY OF JUNE, 1902.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

For furnishing 300 Combination Can and Bag Carriers.

Specifications for said Can and Bag Carriers shall be as follows, or equal thereto:

The frame is to be continuous, of 3/4-inch pipe, bent to form a handle, and also a support for can platform.

The platform is to be of malleable iron in one piece, and is to have a wheel at rear 5 1/2 inches diameter, and two projections on under side at the front, to prevent tipping forward. The axles are to be attached to the pipe frame.

The carrier is to have a spring steel band of about three-quarters of a circle, with notches on the under side and chain at the front to retain the can or bag in position. This band is to be adapted to raise or lower for use as can or bag carrier as desired.

The wheels are to be 2 feet 6 inches diameter, with 3/4-inch spokes and 1/4-inch by 3/4-inch tires. The axles are to be of malleable iron, and the axle boxes of cast iron.

The carrier is to have two coats of good paint and one coat of varnish.

All material is to be of first quality and finished in workmanlike manner.

Bidders are to submit a sample carrier for inspection.

The time for the delivery of the articles and the performance of the contract is sixty (60) days.

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

Any further information can be obtained at the office of the Department, Nos. 13 to 21 Park Row.

The bidder will state the price of each combination can and bag carrier contained in the specifications, 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.

JOHN MCG. WOODBURY,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.
The City of New York, June 12, 1902.

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

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

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

MONDAY, JUNE 23, 1902.

Borough of Brooklyn.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FORAGE.

The time for the delivery is three months.

The amount of the security required is \$3,000. The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Department of Street Cleaning, the Borough of Manhattan, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row, Room 1421.

JOHN MCG. WOODBURY,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.
Dated, June 9, 1902.

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

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

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

MONDAY, JUNE 23, 1902.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FOR-AGE.

The time for the delivery is three months.

The amount of security required is \$10,000.00. The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Department of Street Cleaning, the Borough of Manhattan, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row.

JOHN MCG. WOODBURY,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.
Dated, June 9, 1902.

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

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ASHES, ETC., FOR FILLING IN LANDS.

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

JOHN MCGAW WOODBURY,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF RICHMOND, FIRST NATIONAL BANK BUILDING, ST. GEORGE; NEW BRIGHTON, NEW YORK CITY.

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

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 25, 1902.
Borough of Richmond.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED TO REGULATE, GRADE AND PAVE WITH MACADAM PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF TYSEN AVENUE FROM AMBOY ROAD TO MILL ROAD, TOGETHER WITH ALL THE WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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:

- 4,000 cu. yds. excavation.
- 40 cu. yds. dry rubble masonry,
- 20 cement rubble masonry.
- 500 linear ft. four-inch tile drain,
- 6,500 sq. yds. macadam pavement,

30 sq. yds. new granite block pavement,
40 sq. ft. three-inch flagging,
1,000 ft. B. M. yellow pine timber cut and fastened in place.

40 lineal feet of twelve-inch culvert pipe.
The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is forty working days.

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

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED TO REGULATE, GRADE AND PAVE WITH MACADAM PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF HILLSIDE AVENUE FROM AMBOY ROAD TO THE BEACH, AND VILLA ROAD TO STATION 34, TOGETHER WITH ALL THE WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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:

- 5,500 cu. yds. excavation.
- 50 cu. yds. cement rubble masonry.
- 500 linear ft. 4-inch tile drain.
- 60 linear ft. 12-inch culvert pipe.
- 30 linear ft. 20-inch culvert pipe.
- 60 linear ft. 24-inch culvert pipe.
- 5,500 sq. yds. macadam pavement.
- 30 sq. yds. new granite block pavement.
- 220 sq. yds. new cobble gutter.
- 40 sq. ft. 3-inch flagging.
- 1,200 ft. B. M. yellow pine timber, cut and fastened in place.

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

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

No. 3. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED TO REGULATE, GRADE AND PAVE WITH MACADAM PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF ELTINGVILLE AVENUE FROM AMBOY ROAD TO SOUTHWICK BOULEVARD, TOGETHER WITH ALL THE WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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:

- 7,500 cu. yds. excavation.
- 15 cu. yds. cement masonry.
- 500 linear ft. 4-inch tile drain.
- 120 linear ft. 20-inch culvert pipe.
- 7,000 sq. yds. macadam pavement.
- 30 sq. yds. new granite block pavement.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is 50 working days.

The amount of security required is four thousand dollars (\$4,000).

No. 4. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED TO REGULATE, GRADE AND PAVE WITH MACADAM PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF BEACH AVENUE FROM NEWDORP LANE TO BURBANK'S, TOGETHER WITH ALL THE WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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:

- 4,000 cu. yds. fill.
- 120 cu. yds. dry rubble masonry.
- 3,050 sq. yds. macadam pavement.
- 40 sq. yds. new granite block pavement.
- 1,800 ft. B. M. yellow pine timber, cut and fastened in place.

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

The amount of security required is two thousand dollars (\$2,000).

No. 5. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED TO REGULATE, GRADE AND PAVE WITH MACADAM PAVEMENT THE ROADWAYS OF FLORIDA AVENUE FROM RICHMOND AVENUE TO ARROCHAR STATION; MADISON AVENUE FROM RICHMOND AVENUE TO CEDAR STREET; EGBERT PLACE FROM FINGERBOARD ROAD TO END OF STREET, TOGETHER WITH ALL THE WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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:

- 1,750 cu. yds. excavation.
- 2,200 sq. yds. macadam pavement.
- 160 sq. yds. new granite block pavement.
- 210 sq. ft. new bridge stone.
- 150 linear ft. new curb.

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

The amount of security required is fifteen hundred dollars (\$1,500).

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

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 inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form of approval 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 June 9, 1902.

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

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BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to alter the Map or Plan of The City of New York by changing the lines and grades of Northern avenue from the northerly line of West One Hundred and

Eighty-first street to points 784.30 feet and 756.23 feet northerly therefrom, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, on the 11th day of July, 1902, at 11:30 o'clock A. M., at which such proposed change of lines and grades will be considered by said Board, all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by said Board on the 13th day of June, 1902, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to alter the Map or Plan of The City of New York by changing the lines and grades of Northern avenue from the northerly line of West One Hundred and Eighty-first street to points 784.30 feet and 756.23 feet northerly therefrom, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the northerly line of West One Hundred and Eighty-first street distant 469.62 feet easterly from the northeasterly corner of West One Hundred and Eighty-first street and Boulevard Lafayette, as measured along the northerly line from Boulevard Lafayette.

1st. Thence northerly deflecting 13 degrees 51 minutes and 35 seconds to the right from the northerly prolongation of the radius drawn through the point of beginning for 784.30 feet.

2d. Thence easterly and deflecting to the right 105 degrees 10 minutes and 43 seconds for 62.17 feet.

3d. Thence southerly and deflecting to the right 74 degrees 49 minutes and 17 seconds for 756.23 feet to the northerly line of West One Hundred and Eighty-first street.

4th. Thence westerly along the northerly line of West One Hundred and Eighty-first street on the arc of a circle whose radius is 640 feet for 61.17 feet to the point or place of beginning.

GRADES.

Beginning at a point in the northerly line of West One Hundred and Eighty-first street and the centre line of Northern avenue, elevation 178.64 feet above city datum. Thence northerly along the centre line of said Northern avenue, distance 769.51 feet, elevation 221.00 feet.

All elevations above city datum.
Resolved, That the President of the Borough of Manhattan cause to be prepared for submission to this Board three similar maps or plans, for certification and filing in the manner required by law, showing as nearly as possible the nature and extent of the proposed change of lines and grades and the location of the immediate adjacent or of intersecting open or established public streets, avenues, roads, squares or places, sufficient for the identification and location thereof.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change of lines and grades of the above-named streets at a meeting of this Board, to be held in the Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 11th day of July, 1902, at 11:30 o'clock A. M.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby, that the proposed change of lines and grades of the above-named street will be considered at a meeting of this Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the "City Record" fourteen days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 11th day of July, 1902.

J. W. STEVENSON,
Secretary.

Attest:
JOHN H. MOONEY,
Assistant Secretary.

Je19, 30.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to alter the Map or Plan of The City of New York, by locating and laying out Shell Road, from Avenue X to Canal avenue, and extending West Sixth street, from Neptune avenue to Sheepshead Bay Road, in the Thirty-first Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, on the 11th day of July, 1902, at 11:30 o'clock A. M., at which such proposed change of lines and grades will be considered by said Board, all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions, adopted by said Board on the 13th day of June, 1902, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out Shell Road, from Avenue X to Canal avenue, and extending West Sixth street, from Neptune avenue to Sheepshead Bay Road, in the Thirty-first Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

The laying out of Shell Road consists in laying out a street 70 feet in width from Avenue X southerly to Canal avenue, covering and widening the existing Shell Road; the lines of Shell Road to be connected with West Sixth street at Canal avenue.

The extension of West Sixth street consists in laying out a street between Neptune avenue and Sheepshead Bay, 60 feet wide, making thereby West Sixth street a continuous street from Canal avenue to Sheepshead Bay Road.

Resolved, That the President of the Borough of Brooklyn cause to be prepared for submission to this Board three similar maps or plans, for certification and filing in the manner required by law, showing as nearly as possible the nature and extent of the proposed laying out, and the location of immediate adjacent or of intersecting open or established public streets, avenues, roads, squares or places, sufficient for the identification and location thereof.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed laying out of the above-named street at a meeting of this Board, to be held in the Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 11th day of July, 1902, at 11:30 o'clock A. M.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby, that the proposed laying out of the above-named street will be considered at a meeting of this Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the "City Record" and the Corporation newspapers, for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 11th day of July, 1902.

J. W. STEVENSON,
Secretary.

Attest:
JOHN H. MOONEY,
Assistant Secretary.

Je 19, 30.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public

interest so to do, proposes to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the lines of East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street, from Sedgwick avenue to Lee Taw avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 27th day of June, 1902, at 11.30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change of lines will be considered by said Board, all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions, adopted by said Board on the 6th day of June, 1902, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the lines of East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street, from Sedgwick avenue to Lee Taw avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street, between Sedgwick avenue and Lee Taw avenue, to be shifted northerly, and the south side of the changed East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street to be on the land of the Webb's Academy and nearly coincident with the division line of the properties of the Webb's Academy and the New York Orphan Asylum. The street to be 60 feet in width.

Resolved, That the President of the Borough of The Bronx cause to be prepared for submission to this Board three similar maps or plans for certification and filing in the manner required by law, showing as nearly as possible the nature and extent of the proposed change of lines of the above named street, and the location of the immediate adjacent or of intersecting open or established public streets, avenues, roads, squares or places, sufficient for the identification thereof.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change of lines of the above named street at a meeting of this Board to be held in the Old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 27th day of June, 1902, at 11.30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions, and a notice to all persons affected thereby, that the proposed change of lines of the above named street will be considered at a meeting of this Board, to be published in the "City Record" for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 27th day of June, 1902.

J. W. STEVENSON,
Secretary.

Attest:
JOHN H. MOONEY,
Assistant Secretary.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by widening Delancey street, from Norfolk street to the Bowery, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 27th day of June, 1902, at 11.30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed widening will be considered by said Board, all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions, adopted by said Board on the 6th day of June, 1902, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by widening Delancey street, from Norfolk street to the Bowery, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, more particularly described as follows: It is proposed to widen Delancey street, from Norfolk street to the Bowery, 75 feet on its south side, making it thereby 125 feet in width.

Resolved, That the President of the Borough of Manhattan cause to be prepared for submission to this Board three similar maps or plans for certification and filing in the manner required by law, showing as nearly as possible the nature and extent of the proposed widening of the above named street and the location of the immediate adjacent or of intersecting open or established public streets, avenues, roads, squares or places, sufficient for the identification or location thereof.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed widening of the above named street at a meeting of this Board to be held in the Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 27th day of June, 1902, at 11.30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions, and a notice to all persons affected thereby, that the proposed widening of the above named street will be considered at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the "City Record" for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 27th day of June, 1902.

J. W. STEVENSON,
Secretary.

Attest:
JOHN H. MOONEY,
Assistant Secretary.

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CHANGE OF GRADE DAMAGE COMMISSION.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF chapter 537 of the Laws of 1893, entitled "An act providing for ascertaining and paying the amount of damages to lands and buildings suffered by reason of changes of grade of streets or avenues, made pursuant to chapter 721 of the Laws of 1887, providing for the depression of railroad tracks in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, in The City of New York or otherwise," and the acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, notice is hereby given that public meetings of the Commissioners appointed pursuant to said acts will be held at Room 8, Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway, in The City of New York, on Monday, Wednesday and Friday of each week, at 2 o'clock P. M., until further notice.

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

LAMONT McLOUGHLIN,
Clerk.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS, FIRE DEPARTMENT, NOS. 157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK, JUNE 18, 1902.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Fire Commissioner at the above office of the Fire Department until 10 a. m. of

TUESDAY, JULY 1, 1902,

for furnishing and delivering the following supplies:

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

Title: Kindling Wood.
NINE THOUSAND (9,000) SACKS OF BEST QUALITY THOROUGHLY SEASONED NORTH CAROLINA PINE KINDLING WOOD, FOR USE IN APPARATUS HOUSES AND ON FIREBOATS, AS PER SPECIFICATIONS.

The time for furnishing the wood and completing the contract is one hundred and eighty (180) days.

The surety required will be eleven hundred (\$1,100) dollars.

Bidders will state the price per sack and per cord, and the aggregate price for the whole quantity of the wood called for, as the contract is to cover a complete delivery.

Blank forms of bid or estimate, and also the proper envelope in which to inclose the same, can be obtained and the form of agreement, including specifications, approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel, and showing the manner of payment, can be seen upon application therefor at the office of the Fire Department, as above.

THOMAS STURGIS,
Fire Commissioner.

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

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

CHARLES BUERMANN & COMPANY, Auctioneers, 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, 133-135 West Ninety-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan, on Tuesday, June 24, 1902, at 12 o'clock noon, seven (7) horses, no longer fit for service in this Department, and known as Nos. 396, 729, 849, 916, 946, 1316 and 1372.

THOMAS STURGIS,
Fire Commissioner.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT, NOS. 157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK, JUNE 13, 1902.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Fire Commissioner at the above office of the Fire Department until 10 a. m. of

THURSDAY, JUNE 26, 1902.

for the following:

Borough of Manhattan.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS FOR MAKING AND COMPLETING THE GENERAL REPAIRS AND ALTERATIONS TO THE QUARTERS OF ENGINE COMPANY NO. 1, LOCATED AT NO. 55 EAST BROADWAY, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed for making and completing the repairs and alterations will be one hundred and fifty days.

The surety required will be nine thousand dollars (\$9,000).

The bidder shall state one aggregate price for the whole work described and specified, as the contract is entire and for a complete job. Blank forms of bid or estimate, and also the proper envelope in which to inclose the same, can be obtained and the form of agreement, including specifications, approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel, and showing the manner of payment and the drawings or plans, can be seen upon application therefor at the office of the Fire Department, as above.

THOMAS STURGIS,
Fire Commissioner.

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

HEADQUARTERS, FIRE DEPARTMENT, NOS. 157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK, JUNE 10, 1902.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Fire Commissioner at the above office of the Fire Department until 11 a. m. of

TUESDAY, JUNE 24, 1902,

for furnishing and delivering the following supplies:

Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

Title: Kindling Wood.
THREE THOUSAND (3,000) SACKS OF BEST QUALITY THOROUGHLY SEASONED NORTH CAROLINA PINE KINDLING WOOD, FOR USE IN APPARATUS HOUSES, AND TEN CORDS OF NORTH CAROLINA PINE WOOD, FOR USE ON FIREBOATS, AS PER SPECIFICATIONS.

The time for furnishing the wood and completing the contract is one hundred and eighty (180) days.

The surety required will be four hundred and fifty (\$450) dollars.

Bidders will state the price per sack and per cord, and the aggregate price for the whole quantity of the wood called for, as the contract is to cover a complete delivery.

Blank forms of bid or estimate, and also the proper envelope in which to inclose the same, can be obtained and the form of agreement, including specifications, approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel, and showing the manner of payment, can be seen upon application therefor at the office of the Fire Department, as above.

THOMAS STURGIS,
Fire Commissioner.

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK, 1899.

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

CHAS. D. BLATCHFORD,
Property Clerk.

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

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

CHARLES D. BLATCHFORD,
Deputy Property Clerk.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Fifty-first Auction Sale of Police and Unclaimed property will be held at the Property Clerk's office, No. 300 Mulberry street, on the 23rd day of June, 1902, at 10 o'clock a. m., consisting of revolvers, tools, harness, blankets, etc.

CHARLES D. BLATCHFORD,
Property Clerk.

OFFICIAL PAPERS.

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

PHILIP COWEN, Supervisor.

January 9, 1902.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF BELLEVUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Board of Trustees of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals at the above office until 3.30 o'clock p. m. on

FRIDAY, JUNE 20, 1902,

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING BUTTER, EGGS, VEGETABLES AND DRY GOODS.

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

The amount of security required is fifty per cent. of the amount of the bid or estimate. The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per pound, ton, dozen, gallon, yard or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total for each item (class) and awards made to the lowest bidder on each item (class); or the bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.

Delivery will be required to be made at the time and in the manner and in such quantities as may be directed. Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Board, Bellevue Hospital, East Twenty-sixth street, Borough of Manhattan.

JOHN W. BRANNAN,
Chairman, Board of Trustees of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals.
Dated, June 9, 1902.

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

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DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND RICHMOND, ARSENAL, CENTRAL PARK, NEW YORK, JUNE 16, 1902.

AUCTION SALE.

THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS WILL sell at public auction at the Sheepfold, Sixty-sixth street and Central Park West, on

FRIDAY, JUNE 27, 1902,

at 11 o'clock a. m., the surplus sheep and wool of the Central Park flock and also surplus animals of the zoological collection, as follows:

- 4 Dorset Ewes,
- 11 Dorset Ram Lambs,
- 3 Buck Elks,
- 3 Doe Elks,
- 7 Fallow Does,
- 1 Fallow Buck,
- 1 Zebu Bull,
- 1 Zebu Cow,
- 6 Brazilian Ewes,
- 3 Brazilian Rams,
- 1 lot of Wool (about 1,142 pounds).

TERMS OF SALE.

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

Purchases will be required to be removed by the purchasers immediately after the sale.

WILLIAM R. WILLCOX,
Commissioner of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond.

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, JUNE 26, 1902.

FOR FURNISHING AND ERECTING WROUGHT IRON PICKET FENCE AROUND CONEY ISLAND PARK, IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is sixty consecutive working days.

The amount of security required is seven thousand dollars.

Bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum. Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Department of Parks, the Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, Litchfield Mansion, Prospect Park.

WILLIAM R. WILLCOX,
JOHN E. EUSTIS,
RICHARD YOUNG,
Commissioners of Parks.
Dated, June 14, 1902.

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

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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, JUNE 19, 1902.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS FOR THE ERECTION AND COMPLETION OF AN ANTELOPE HOUSE IN THE NEW YORK ZOOLOGICAL PARK, IN THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is one hundred and twenty-five consecutive working days.

The amount of security required is twenty 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 FOR THE ERECTION AND COMPLETION OF AN OSTRICH HOUSE IN THE NEW YORK ZOOLOGICAL PARK, IN THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is one hundred consecutive working 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. 3. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS FOR THE ERECTION AND COMPLETION OF THE IRON WORK FOR FOUR ENCLOSURES FOR BEARS IN THE NEW YORK ZOOLOGICAL PARK, IN THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is sixty consecutive working days.

The amount of security required is three thousand dollars.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Department of Parks, the Borough of The Bronx, Zbrowski Mansion, Claremont Park.

WILLIAM R. WILLCOX,
JOHN E. EUSTIS,
RICHARD YOUNG,
Commissioners of Parks.

Dated, June 9, 1902.

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

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DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, ARSENAL, CENTRAL PARK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Park Board at the above office until 3 o'clock p. m., on

THURSDAY, JUNE 19, 1902.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED TO COMPLETE THE CENTRE PAVILION OF THE EASTERN PARKWAY FRONT OF THE BROOKLYN INSTITUTE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is three hundred consecutive working days.

The amount of security required is one hundred thousand dollars.

The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum, or, in the alternative, as described in the contract.

Blank forms may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Department, in Prospect Park, the Borough of Brooklyn, and at the office of the Architects, McKim, Mead & White, No. 160 Fifth avenue, Manhattan.

WILLIAM R. WILLCOX,
JOHN E. EUSTIS,
RICHARD YOUNG,
Commissioners of Parks.

Dated, June 6, 1902.

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

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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, JUNE 19, 1902.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING OATS AND STRAW IN CLAREMONT AND BRONX PARKS, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is thirty consecutive working days.

The amount of security required is one hundred and fifty (\$150) 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 Department of Parks, the Borough of The Bronx, Zbrowski Mansion, Claremont Park.

WILLIAM R. WILLCOX,
JOHN E. EUSTIS,
RICHARD YOUNG,
Commissioners of Parks.

Dated, June 4, 1902.

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

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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, JUNE 19, 1902.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING PARK IMPLEMENTS AND TOOLS. ROAD MACHINERY, HYDRAULIC RAM, CARTS, HARDWARE, ETC., WHERE REQUIRED.

the Registered Bonds and Stock of The City of New York will be paid on that day by

the Comptroller, at his office, Room 39, Stewart Building, corner of Broadway and Chambers street.

The Transfer Books thereof will be closed from June 14, 1902, to July 1, 1902.

The interest due on July 1, 1902, on the Coupon Bonds and Stock of the former City of New York will be paid on that day by the Knickerbocker Trust Company, No. 66 Broadway.

The interest due on July 1, 1902, on the Coupon Bonds of the late City of Brooklyn will be paid on that day by the Nassau National Bank of Brooklyn, No. 26 Court street.

The interest due July 1, 1902, on the Coupon Bonds of Corporations in Queens and Richmond counties will be received on that day for payment by the Comptroller at his office, Room 39, Stewart Building, corner of Broadway and Chambers street.

EDWARD M. GROUT,

Comptroller.
THE CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, JUNE 2, 1902.
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IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1005 OF THE "Greater New York Charter," the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice of the confirmation by the Supreme Court, and the entering in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears, of the assessment for **OPENING AND ACQUIRING TITLE** to the following named avenue in the **BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN**:

TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 8.

HAVEN AVENUE—OPENING, between the southerly line of One Hundred and Seventieth street and a distance of 464.31 feet northerly therefrom. Confirmed May 19, 1902; entered June 13, 1902. Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate lying and being in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Beginning at the intersection of a lot line nearly parallel to the southerly line of West One Hundred and Seventieth street and distant about 206½ feet southerly therefrom with the middle line of the block between Haven avenue and Boulevard Lafayette; running thence northerly along said middle line to a line parallel to and distant 200 feet northerly from an old farm line which crosses Haven avenue at a point distant 464.31 feet northerly from the southerly line of West One Hundred and Seventieth street; thence easterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to and distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Fort Washington avenue; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the northerly line of West One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street; thence westerly along said northerly line to its intersection with the easterly line of Fort Washington avenue; thence westerly to the intersection of the westerly line of Fort Washington avenue with a lot line nearly parallel to the southerly line of West One Hundred and Seventieth street and distant about 206½ feet southerly therefrom; thence westerly along said lot line to the point or place of beginning.

The above-entitled assessment was entered on the date hereinabove given in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents." Unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1006 of the "Greater New York Charter."

Said section provides that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien as provided by section 159 of this act."

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

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, Room No. 85, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before August 12, 1902, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT,

Comptroller.
CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, JUNE 13, 1902.
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NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

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

TWENTY-THIRD WARD, SECTION 9.
SHERIDAN AVENUE—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING, LAYING CROSSWALKS, BUILDING APPROACHES, AND FENCING, from One Hundred and Fifty-third street to One Hundred and Sixty-first street. Area of assessment: Both sides of Sheridan avenue, between One Hundred and Fifty-third street and One Hundred and Sixty-first street, and to the extent of one-half the blocks on the intersecting, intervening and terminating streets.

TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS, SECTIONS 10 AND 11.
PROSPECT AVENUE—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING, LAYING CROSSWALKS AND FENCING, from Westchester avenue to Crotona Park South. Area of assessment: Both sides of Prospect avenue, between Westchester avenue and Crotona Park South, and to the extent of one-half the blocks on the intersecting, intervening and terminating streets, excepting One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street Freeman street and Jennings street and Boston road; also, including Lot No. 19 in Block No. 2,690.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Revision of Assessments in June 12, 1902, and entered on June 12, 1902, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter. Said section provides that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof on the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the

amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

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

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, corner of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue, Borough of The Bronx, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before August 11, 1902, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessments became a lien to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT,

Comptroller.
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, JUNE 12, 1902.
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NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

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

TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 2.

COURT STREET—SEWER, between Bryant street and the bulkhead line; also, **COURT STREET—OUTLET SEWER**, from Bryant street to Lorraine street. Area of assessment: Both sides of Court street from Bryant street to the bulkhead line; both sides of Court street from Bryant street to Lorraine street; both sides of Creamer street extending about 151 feet west of Court street; both sides of Bay street extending about 172 feet west of Court street; both sides of Sigourney street extending about 241 feet west of Court street; both sides of Halleck street extending about 281 feet west of Court street; both sides of Percival street extending about 349 feet west of Court street; both sides of Percival street, Halleck street, Sigourney street and Bay street, extending about 112 feet east of Court street.

ELIZABETH STREET—SEWER, between Van Brunt street and the street summit situated easterly from Van Brunt street. Area of assessment: Both sides of Elizabeth street, from Van Brunt to the street summit situated between Van Brunt street and Richards street.

TWENTY-SIXTH WARD.
SACKMAN STREET—GRADING, SETTING CEMENT CURB, LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALK, RESETTING OLD CURBSTONES, RELAYING OLD FLAGSTONES AND PAVING, between Pitkin and Liberty avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Sackman street, between Liberty avenue and a point situated about 200 feet south of Pitkin avenue, and to the extent of one-half the blocks on the intersecting and terminating avenues.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on June 5, 1902, and entered on June 6, 1902, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter. Said section provides that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof on the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

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

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before August 5, 1902, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessments became a lien to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT,

Comptroller.
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, JUNE 6, 1902.
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NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

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

FIRST WARD, SECTION 1.
PINE STREET—SEWER, between South street and Front street. Area of assessment: Both sides of Pine street, between South street and Front street, and east side of Front street and west side of South street, between Pine street and Wall street.

TWELFTH WARD, SECTIONS 6 AND 7.
ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-FOURTH STREET—BASIN, at the northeast and northwest corners of Lenox avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Lenox avenue, between One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street and One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, and north side of One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, from a point situated about 205 feet easterly from Lenox avenue to a point situated about 340 feet westerly from Lenox avenue.

TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 2.
ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTEENTH STREET—BASIN, at the southeast corner of Manhattan avenue. Area of assessment: Block bounded by One Hundred and Sixteenth street and One Hundred and Seventeenth street and Eighth avenue and Manhattan avenue, known as Block No. 1043.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on June 5, 1902, and entered on June 6, 1902, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter. Said section provides that "If any

such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof on the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

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

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau

for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, Room No. 85, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before August 5, 1902, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessments became a lien to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT,

Comptroller.
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, JUNE 6, 1902.
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PROPOSALS FOR \$4,667,000 OF THREE AND ONE-HALF PER CENT. CORPORATE STOCK OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

PRINCIPAL AND INTEREST PAYABLE IN GOLD.

EXEMPT FROM ALL TAXATION IN THE STATE OF NEW YORK, EXCEPT TAXATION FOR STATE PURPOSES.

EXECUTORS, ADMINISTRATORS, GUARDIANS AND OTHERS HOLDING TRUST FUNDS ARE AUTHORIZED BY SECTION 9 OF ARTICLE 1 OF CHAPTER 417 OF THE LAWS OF 1897, AS AMENDED, TO INVEST IN THIS STOCK.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, at his office, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, until

THURSDAY, THE 26TH DAY OF JUNE, 1902,

at 2 o'clock p. m., when they will be publicly opened in the presence of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, or such of them as shall attend, as provided by law, for the whole or a part of the following-described Registered Stock of The City of New York, bearing interest at the rate of three and one-half per cent. per annum, from and including the date of payment therefor, to wit:

Amount.	Title.	Authority.	Principal Payable.	Interest Payable Semi-annually on
\$3,000,000 00	Corporate Stock of The City of New York, for the Construction of the Rapid Transit Railroad	Authorized by chapter 4 of the Laws of 1891, as amended; sections 45, 169 and 170 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, as amended, chapter 7 of the Laws of 1900, and resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted March 1, 1900	Nov. 1, 1901	May 1 and Nov. 1
1,000,000 00	Corporate Stock of The City of New York, for the Repaving of Streets ..	Authorized by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, and a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted April 18, 1902	Nov. 1, 1902	May 1 and Nov. 1
167,000 00	Corporate Stock of The City of New York, for the Construction of Main Relief Sewers in the Borough of Brooklyn	Authorized by chapter 379 of the Laws of 1894; sections 169 and 170 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended; and a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted May 23, 1902	Nov. 1, 1902	May 1 and Nov. 1
500,000 00	Corporate Stock of The City of New York, for the New Aqueduct	Authorized by chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883; sections 169 and 170 of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897, as amended; and a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted June 13, 1902	April 1, 1902	April 1 and Oct. 1

The said stock is free and exempt from all taxation in the State of New York, except taxation for State purposes, pursuant to the provisions of section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended.

The principal of and interest on said stock are payable in gold coin of the United States of America, of the present standard of weight and fineness, pursuant to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted June 9, 1898.

CONDITIONS OF SALE.

As provided for by The Greater New York Charter.

- Proposals containing conditions other than those herein set forth will not be received or considered.
- No proposal for stock shall be accepted for less than the par-value of the same.
- Every bidder, as a condition precedent to the reception or consideration of his proposal, shall deposit with the Comptroller in money, or by a certified check drawn to the order of said Comptroller upon one of the State or National Banks of The City of New York, two per cent. of the par value of the stock bid for in said proposal.
- No proposal will be received or considered which is not accompanied by such deposit.
- All such deposits shall be returned by the Comptroller to the persons making the same within three days after the decision has been rendered as to who is or are the highest bidder or bidders, except the deposit made by the highest bidder or bidders.
- If said highest bidder or bidders shall refuse or neglect, within five days after service of written notice of the award to him or them, to pay to the City Chamberlain the amount of the stock awarded to him or them, at its par value, together with the premium thereon, less the amount deposited by him or them, the amount or amounts of deposit thus made shall be forfeited to and retained by said City as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal, and shall thereafter be paid into the Sinking Fund of The City of New York for the Redemption of the City Debt.
- Upon the payment into the City Treasury of the amounts due by the persons whose bids are accepted, respectively, certificates thereof shall be issued to them as authorized by law, and in such denominations as they may desire.
- It is required by the Charter of the City that "every bidder may be required to accept a portion of the whole amount of stock bid for by him at the same rate or proportional price as may be specified in his bid; and any bid which conflicts with this condition shall be rejected." Under this provision the condition that the bidder will accept only the whole amount of stock bid for by him and not any part thereof, cannot be inserted in any bid.
- It is also provided by the Charter that these bonds, being registered, may be issued in denominations of ten dollars or any multiple thereof; and that "preference shall, so far as practicable, and without pecuniary disadvantage to the City, be given to applicants for the smallest amounts and smallest denominations of said bonds in issuing the same."
- The proposals, together with the security deposits, should be inclosed in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Proposals for Bonds of The City of New York," and said envelope inclosed in another sealed envelope, addressed to the Comptroller of The City of New York.

EDWARD M. GROUT,

Comptroller.
The City of New York, Department of Finance—Comptroller's Office, June 13, 1902.
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NOTICE OF ASSESSMENTS FOR OPENING STREETS AND PARKS.

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

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 11.
EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-NINTH STREET—OPENING, from Jerome avenue to Anthony avenue. Confirmed May 29, 1902; entered June 12, 1902. Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the northerly side of Tremont avenue with the middle line of the block between Davidson avenue and Jerome avenue; thence northerly along said middle line to the southerly side of Burnside avenue; thence easterly along the southerly side of Burnside avenue to its intersection with the westerly side of Creston avenue; thence easterly on a straight line to the intersection of the easterly side of the Grand

Boulevard and Concourse with the southerly side of Burnside avenue; thence easterly along the southerly side of Burnside avenue to its intersection with the middle line of the block between Anthony avenue and Ryer avenue; thence southerly along said middle line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southerly side of East One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street and distant 100 feet southerly therefrom; thence westerly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the easterly side of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse and distant 100 feet easterly therefrom; thence southerly along said parallel line to the northerly side of Buckhout street; thence westerly along the northerly side of Buckhout street to the northerly side of Tremont avenue; thence northwesterly along the northerly side of Tremont avenue 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.

The above-entitled assessment was entered on the date hereinabove given in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents. Unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1006 of the Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

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

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, corner of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue, Borough of The Bronx, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon, on or before August 11, 1902, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

EDWARD M. GROUT,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, JUNE 12, 1902.

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BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

OFFICE OF PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS, NEW YORK, JUNE 16, 1902.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORDANCE with section 432 of the Charter of The City of New York, that petition signed by officers of the Continental Bucket Company, No. 1, of the Jamaica District for Local Improvements, for the flagging of the sidewalk its entire width from house front to curb line, and for the placing of a curb and gutter plank in front of and contiguous to premises occupied by said company on John street, Jamaica, Fourth Ward, has been filed in this office, and is now ready for public inspection, and that a meeting of the Board of Local Improvements of the Jamaica District for Local Improvements will be held in the Borough Office, Hackett Building, Long Island City, on the 30th day of June, 1902, at 10.30 a. m., at which meeting said petition will be submitted to the Board.

JOSEPH CASSIDY,
President.

GEO. S. JERVIS,
Secretary.

SUPREME COURT.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to FIFTY-FOURTH STREET from the former City Line to Fort Hamilton avenue, in the Thirtieth Ward in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT we, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court made and entered herein on the eleventh day of September, 1901, and duly filed in the office of the Clerk of Kings County, a copy of which order was filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings on the 10th day of September, 1901, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances in section 3, Blocks 818, 826; also section 17, Blocks 5665, 5672, 5666, 5673, 5667, 5674. Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate of the loss or damage, if any, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons entitled to or interested in the lands and premises to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, as particularly described in the petition of The City of New York, filed with said order in the office of the Clerk of Kings County, and for the purpose of making a just and equitable assessment of the benefit of said street or avenue so to be opened, to the respective owners, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands and premises and not required for the purpose of opening said street or avenue, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the district benefited by said assessment, and the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts and parcels of land participating in said benefit, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by Title 4 of Chapter XVII. of the Charter of The City of New York, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the lands and premises taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department, Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owner or claimants may desire, within twenty days after date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 15th day of July, 1902, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto; and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto, and examine proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, June 19, 1902.

GEO. J. MAY,
FRED K. I. PEARSELL,
JOHN B. REILLY,
Commissioners.

CHARLES S. TABER,
Clerk.

Je 19, Ju 12.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to AVENUE K, from East Sixteenth street to East Eighteenth street, in the Thirty-first and Thirty-second Wards, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT we, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court made and entered herein on the 11th day of September, 1901, and duly filed in the office of the Clerk of Kings County, a copy of which order was filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings on the 14th day of September, 1901,

and indexed in the Index of Conveyances in section 20, Blocks 6717, 6718, 6719, 6720, 6726, 6727, 6728, 6729, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate of the loss or damage, if any, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons entitled to or interested in the lands and premises to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, as particularly described in the petition of The City of New York, filed with said order in the office of the Clerk of Kings County, and for the purpose of making a just and equitable assessment of the benefit of said street or avenue so to be opened, to the respective owners, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands and premises and not required for the purpose of opening said street or avenue, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the district benefited by said assessment, and the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts and parcels of land participating in said benefit, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by Title 4 of Chapter XVII. of the Charter of The City of New York, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the lands and premises taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department, Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owner or claimants may desire, within twenty days after date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 15th day of July, 1902, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto; and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto, and examine proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, June 19, 1902.

BERTRAM M. MANNE,
JOS. F. TOBIN,
Commissioners.

CHARLES S. TABER,
Clerk.

Je19, Ju12.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to THIRTEENTH AVENUE, from Seventy-third street to Eighty-sixth street, in the Thirtieth Ward in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court made and entered herein on the 11th day of September, 1901, and duly filed in the office of the Clerk of Kings County, a copy of which order was filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings on the 14th day of September, 1901, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances in Section 19, Blocks 6255, 6256, 6243, 6244, 6232, 6233, 6221, 6222, 6210, 6211, 6199, 6200, 6338, 6339, 6321, 6322, 6308, 6309, 6302, 6303, 6291, 6292, 6279, 6280, 6267, 6268. Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate of the loss or damage, if any, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons entitled to or interested in the lands and premises to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, as particularly described in the petition of The City of New York, filed with said order in the office of the Clerk of Kings County, and for the purpose of making a just and equitable assessment of the benefit of said street or avenue so to be opened, to the respective owners, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands and premises and not required for the purpose of opening said street or avenue, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the district benefited by said assessment, and the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts and parcels of land participating in said benefit, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by Title 4 of Chapter XVII. of the Charter of The City of New York, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the lands and premises taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department, Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owner or claimants may desire, within twenty days after date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 15th day of July, 1902, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto; and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto, and examine proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, June 19, 1902.

FRANK GALLAGHER,
EDWARD A. DUBEY,
JOHN H. FARRELL,
Commissioners.

CHARLES S. TABER,
Clerk.

Je19, Ju12.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to BRIDGEWATER STREET, from Norman avenue to Meeker avenue, in the Seventeenth and Eighteenth Wards in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court made and entered herein on the 30th day of March, 1901, and duly filed in the office of the Clerk of Kings County, a copy of which order was filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings on the 8th day of April, 1901, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances in Section 2, Blocks 2635, 2638, 2661, 2665, 2666, 2667, 2668, 2669, 2662, 2663, 2664, and in Section 10, Blocks 2797 and 2800. Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate of the loss or damage, if any, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons entitled to or interested in the lands and premises to be taken for the purpose of opening the

said street or avenue, as particularly described in the petition of The City of New York, filed with said order in the office of the Clerk of Kings County, and for the purpose of making a just and equitable assessment of the benefit of said street or avenue so to be opened, to the respective owners, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands and premises and not required for the purpose of opening said street or avenue, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the district benefited by said assessment, and the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts and parcels of land participating in said benefit, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by Title 4 of Chapter XVII. of the Charter of The City of New York, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the lands and premises taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department, Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owner or claimants may desire, within twenty days after date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 15th day of July, 1902, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto; and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto, and examine proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, June 19, 1902.

FRANK R. DICKEY,
WILLIAM J. BOGENSHUTZ,
FRANK W. CUMMISKEY,
Commissioners.

CHARLES S. TABER,
Clerk.

Je 19, Ju 12.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening EIGHT AVENUE from Twentieth street to Fifteenth street, in the Twenty-second Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE supplemental and additional bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof, to be held for the hearing of motions at the County Courthouse, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 7th day of July, 1902, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said supplemental and additional bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 990 of title 4 of chapter 19, of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, New York, June 19, 1902.

JOHN A. CLARRY,
E. V. PARDESSUS,
SAMUEL SOLOMON,
Commissioners.

CHARLES S. TABER,
Clerk.

je19.30.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening EAST SEVENTEENTH STREET, from Albemarle road to Beverly road, in the Twenty-ninth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof, to be held for the hearing of motions at the County Courthouse, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 7th day of July, 1902, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 990 of title 4 of chapter 19, of chapter 378 of the Laws of 1897.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, New York, June 19, 1902.

BERNARD L. MINTZ,
EDWARD A. DUBEY,
JOHN A. CLARRY,
Commissioners.

CHARLES S. TABER,
Clerk.

je19.30.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening EAST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-SEVENTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from the Grand Boulevard and Concourse to Marion avenue, and also to STEVENS PLACE (although not yet named by proper authority), from East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street to East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street, as the same have been heretofore laid out and designated as first-class streets or roads in the Twenty-fourth Ward of The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held at the County Courthouse, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 3rd day of July, 1902, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of

the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, June 19, 1902.

CLIFFORD W. HARTRIDGE,
DANIEL F. SHEEHAN,
JOHN M. DELMOUR,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

je19.30

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 required for the purpose of the opening and extending of UNDERCLIFF AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), where the same adjoins Boscawen place, as laid out under chapter 640 of the Laws of 1897, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held at the County Courthouse in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 30th day of June, 1902, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter as amended by chapter 466 of the laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, June 16, 1902.

PETER A. WALSH,
JOHN H. G. VEHSAGE,
JOHN J. MEEHAN,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

je16.26

SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York relative to acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands situated on the westerly side of John street, one hundred feet north of Prospect place, in the Second Ward, of the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, duly chosen and determined as a site for school purposes by the school Board of the Borough of Queens and approved by the Board of Education as provided by law.

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

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

Second.—That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by the said estimate, or who may object to the same, or any part thereof, may, within ten days after the first publication of this notice, June 14, 1902, file their objections to such estimate in writing with us, at our office, Room 401, at No. 258 Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the said City, and we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, at our said office, on the 26th day of June, 1902, at 1.30 o'clock in the afternoon, and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Third.—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions in the County of Kings, at the County Courthouse, in the Borough of Brooklyn, on the 15th day of July, 1902, at the opening of the court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, June 13, 1902.

WILLIAM H. GREENE,
MAURICE V. FREUND,
JOHN CRAGEN,
Commissioners.

JOSEPH M. SCHENCK,
Clerk.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening WEST STREET, from Franklin avenue to Forty-third street, in the Twenty-ninth and Thirtieth Wards, in the Borough of Brooklyn, of The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objection thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office in the office of the Law Department, Room 20, Borough Hall, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on or before the 5th day of July, 1902, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 7th day of July, 1902, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Second.—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of The City of New York, in the Borough of Brooklyn, Room 20, Borough Hall, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, there to remain until the 14th day of July, 1902.

Third.—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at a point where the northerly side of Forty-third street intersects the westerly side of West street, and running thence westerly and at right angles to West street 100 feet; thence southerly and parallel with West street to the southerly line of Franklin avenue; running thence easterly along the southerly side of Franklin avenue to a point where said southerly side

of Franklin avenue intersects a line drawn parallel to West street and distant 100 feet easterly therefrom; running thence northerly along said line drawn parallel to West street to a point where said line will intersect a line drawn at right angles to West street from a point where the easterly side of West street will intersect the northerly side of Forty-third street if continued across West street; running thence westerly along said line drawn at right angles to West street to the point where the northerly line of Forty-third street intersects the easterly line of West street, and running thence westerly to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof for the hearings of motions, to be held in the County Courthouse, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, on the 24th day of July, 1902, at the opening of the court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, June 6, 1902.

JOHN H. DOUGLASS, Chairman;
DANIEL J. O'BRIEN,
JOS. P. O'ROURKE,
Commissioners.

CHAS. S. TABER, Clerk. je14-jui

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

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

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, together with our plans, improvements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objection thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office in the office of the Law Department, Room 20, Borough Hall, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, on or before the 5th day of July, 1902, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 7th day of July, 1902, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our plans, improvements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of The City of New York, in the Borough of Brooklyn, Room 20, Borough Hall, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, there to remain until the 14th day of July, 1902.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at a point on the westerly side of Third avenue distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly side of Seventy-first street; running thence westerly and parallel with Seventy-first street to the westerly side of Second avenue; running thence northerly along the westerly side of Second avenue to the middle line of the block between Seventieth and Seventy-first streets; running thence westerly along the center line of the block between Seventieth and Seventy-first streets, to the westerly side of First avenue; running thence southerly along the westerly side of First avenue to the center line of the block between Mackay place and Seventy-first street; running thence westerly and along the center line of the block between Mackay place and Seventy-first street to the easterly side of the Shore road, and running thence southerly along the easterly side of the Shore road to a point where the same will intersect a line drawn parallel to Seventy-first street and distant 100 feet southerly therefrom; and running thence easterly and along a line drawn parallel to Seventy-first street and distant southerly 100 feet therefrom to the westerly side of Third avenue; running thence northerly along the westerly side of Third avenue to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof for the hearings of motions, to be held in the County Courthouse, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, on the 24th day of July, 1902, at the opening of the court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, June 6, 1902.

ALFRED H. MARQUIS, Chairman;
JAMES GRAHAM,
W. A. FISCHER,
Commissioners.

CHAS. S. TABER, Clerk. je14-jui

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTIETH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Morris avenue to Clay avenue, in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, Borough of The Bronx, of The City of New York.

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

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, June 14, 1902.

JULIUS HEIDERMAN,
WILBER MERRIDE,
JAMES J. FRAWLEY,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. je14-jui

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 and premises required for the purpose of opening and extending of EAST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-SIXTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Third avenue to Park avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held at the County Courthouse, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 30th day of June, 1902, at 10.30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, June 14, 1902.

PATRICK A. McMANUS,
E. T. GREAVES,
THOS. C. T. CRAIN,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. je14-jui

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 PUBLIC PARK (although not yet named by proper authority), lying between Spuyten Duyvil road and the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad, extending from a point opposite Johnson avenue to about 650 feet in a southerly direction, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, of The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held at the County Courthouse, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 30th day of June, 1902, at 10.30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, June 14, 1902.

JOHN I. QUINLAN,
W. GARROW FISHER,
DANIEL F. McCANN,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. je14-jui

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to WEST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-FOURTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Amsterdam avenue to Kingsbridge road, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York.

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

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

RIGUAL T. WOODWARD,
WM. T. McGRATH,
JOHN McANDREW,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. je13-jui

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

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

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

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

JAMES FOSTER MILLIKEN,
JOHN F. MAHER,
CHARLES E. BENSEL, Jr.,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. je13-jui

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SECOND STREET (although not yet named by proper authority),

from Jerome avenue to Morris avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road in the Twenty-fourth Ward of The City of New York.

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

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

HORACE BARNARD, Jr.,
JAMES A. HOOPER,
JAMES R. ELY,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. je13-jui

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to EAST TWO HUNDRED AND THIRTY-EIGHTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Sedgwick avenue to Fort Independence street, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

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

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, June 12, 1902.

WILLIAM CLANCY,
T. J. CARLETON, Jr.,
AUGUST P. WINDOLPH,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

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

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

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, June 12, 1902.

CHARLES A. SKIDMORE,
JOHN H. VAN DYCK,
HERMAN ALSBERG,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of the LANE (although not yet named by proper authority) between Mott avenue and Walton avenue, from East One Hundred and Fiftieth street to the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

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

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, June 12, 1902.

JOHN A. DUNN,
HORATIO A. HARRIS,
PAUL HALPIN,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-SECOND STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Teller avenue to Park avenue, West, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, of The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of

the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held at the County Courthouse, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 27th day of June, 1902, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, June 12, 1902.

CHARLES H. GRIFFIN,
NATHANIEL LEVY,
PHINEAS LEWINSON,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to WEST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SECOND STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Amsterdam avenue to Fort Washington avenue, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan of The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held at the County Courthouse, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 26th day of June, 1902, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, June 11, 1902.

EUGENE H. POMEROY,
WM. H. RICKETTS,
URIAH W. TOMPKINS,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. je11-jui

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 purpose of an act entitled "An Act to provide for the extension of Broadway or Kingsbridge road from its present terminus in the Twelfth Ward of The City of New York, across the Harlem river at its junction with Spuyten Duyvil creek to the present terminus of Broadway, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of The City of New York," being chapter 399 of the Laws of 1896, as amended by chapter 86 of the Laws of 1897.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held at the County Courthouse, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 26th day of June, 1902, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, June 11, 1902.

JOHN QUINN,
ISAAC H. TERRELL,
EDWARD R. SULLIVAN,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. je11-jui

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held at the County Courthouse, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 26th day of June, 1902, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, June 11, 1902.

REGINALD H. ARNOLD,
ARTHUR INGRAHAM,
PETER F. MEYER,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk. je11-jui

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred

by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held at the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 26th day of June, 1902, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, June 11, 1902.

GEORGE M. VAN HOESEN,
PETER F. MEYER,
SAM'L SANDERS,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the construction of the BRIDGE OVER NEWTOWN CREEK, from Vernon avenue, in the Borough of Queens, to Manhattan avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn (re lands situated in the Borough of Brooklyn).

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, bearing date the 24th day of May, 1902, and filed and entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, on the 3d day of June, 1902, Andrew J. Perry, Reese B. Gwillim and George W. Palmer were appointed Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled proceeding.

Notice is further given that pursuant to the terms of the aforesaid order and the statute in such case made and provided that the said Andrew J. Perry, Reese B. Gwillim and George W. Palmer will attend at a Special Term of the said Court, to be held at the County Court House, in the City of New York, Borough of Queens, Long Island City, on the 21st day of June, 1902, 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 in interest in said proceeding, as to their qualifications to act as Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in this proceeding.

Dated, June 10, 1902.

GEORGE L. RIVES,
Corporation Counsel,
No. 2 Tryon Row,
Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the construction of the BRIDGE OVER NEWTOWN CREEK, from Vernon avenue, in the Borough of Queens, to Manhattan avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn (re lands situated in Borough of Queens).

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, bearing date the 24th day of May, 1902 and filed and entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, on the 27th day of May, 1902, John E. Van Nostrand, William Harrison and Frederick C. Trowbridge were appointed Commissioners of Estimate and Appraisal in the above entitled proceeding.

Notice is further given, pursuant to the terms of the aforesaid order and the statute in such case made and provided that the said John E. Van Nostrand, William Harrison and Frederick C. Trowbridge will attend at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at the County Court House, in the City of New York, Borough of Queens, Long Island City, on the 21st day of June, 1902, 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 in interest in said proceeding as to their qualifications to act as Commissioners of Estimate and Appraisal in this proceeding.

Dated, June 10, 1902.

GEORGE L. RIVES,
Corporation Counsel,
No. 2 Tryon Row,
Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

je10,21

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to WEST TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTY-NINTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Broadway to Riverdale avenue, the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held at the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan in the City of New York, on the 23d day of June, 1902, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said supplemental and additional bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the Office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of The Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, June 10, 1902.

BENNO LEWINSON,
Chairman;
BENEDICT S. WISE,
WM. P. BURR,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

je10,20

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held at the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 30th day of June, 1902, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as

County Courthouse, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 24th day of June, 1902, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, June 9, 1902.

JAMES R. TORRANCE,
WAUHOPE LYNN,
PATRICK F. FERRIGAN,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

je9,19.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE supplemental and additional bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held at the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 24th day of June, 1902, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, June 9, 1902.

JNO. H. JUDGE,
FIELDING L. MARSHALL,
PETER A. WALSH,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

je9,19.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held at the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 24th day of June, 1902, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, June 9, 1902.

RUFUS B. COWING, Jr.,
O. S. BAILEY,
WILLIAM J. CARROLL,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

je9,19.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held at the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan in the City of New York, on the 1st day of July, 1902, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the Office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, June 17, 1902.

THEODORE L. HERRMANN,
WM. PAKULSKI,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

je17,27

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held at the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 30th day of June, 1902, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as

required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, June 16, 1902.

GEORGE C. SCHNEIDER,
WILLIAM TAIT,
JOHN O'CONNELL,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

je16,26

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 EXTERIOR STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from the north side of Cromwell's creek to East One Hundred and Fiftieth street, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held at the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 30th day of June, 1902, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, June 16, 1902.

HENRY THOMPSON,
ARTHUR MAYER,
JOHN F. BOULLON,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

je16,26

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to EAST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-SECOND STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Park avenue, West, to Bassford avenue, and from Washington avenue to Third avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of The City of New York, in the Borough of The Bronx, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held at the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 24th day of June, 1902, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, June 9, 1902.

WM. E. VAN WYCK,
DANIEL M. CORCORAN,
JOHN J. BUCKLEY,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

je9,19.

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 JUMEL PLACE (although not yet named by proper authority) from West 167th street to Edgecombe Road, in the Twelfth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held at the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 30th day of June, 1902, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the Office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of Section 999 of the Greater New York Charter as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, June 16, 1902.

HENRY P. M'GOWN,
EDGAR M. LEVENTRITT,
MICHAEL CALLAHAN,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN, Clerk.

je16,26.

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 and premises required for the purpose of opening and extending LYMAN PLACE (although not yet named by proper authority), from East One Hundred and Sixty-third street and Stebbins avenue to Freeman street, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, of The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held at the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 30th day of June, 1902, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of the Greater New York Charter as amended by chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, New York, June 16, 1902.

MARTIN WALLACE,
TIMOTHY I. O'CONNELL,
MICHAEL J. KELLY,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUNN,
Clerk.

je16,26

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to BEDFORD AVENUE from Eastern parkway to Flatbush avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, the undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court made and entered herein on the 13th day of September, 1901, and duly filed in the office of the Clerk of Kings County, a copy of which order was filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings on the 16th day of September, 1901, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances in Section 5, Blocks 1266, 1267, 1273, 1274, 1280, 1281, 1287, 1288, 1294, 1295, 1303, 1304, 1306, 1307, 1313, 1314, 1319, 1327, 1328, also in Section 10, Blocks 5028, 5029, 5031, 5032, 5034, 5035, 5037, 5038, 5042, 5043, 5045, 5046, 5048, 5049, 5055, 5056, 5064, 5065, 5067, 5068, 5083, 5084, 5086, 5087, 5089, 5090, 5103, 5104, 5106, 5107, 5109, 5110, 5126, 5127, 5134, 5135, 5167, 5168, 5189, 5190, 5210, 5211, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate of the loss or damage, if any, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons entitled to or interested in the lands and premises to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, as particularly described in the petition of The City of New York, filed with said order in the office of the Clerk of Kings County, and for the purpose of making a just and equitable assessment of the benefit of said street or avenue, so to be opened, to the respective owners, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands and premises and not required for the purpose of opening said street or avenue, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the district benefited by said assessment, and the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts and parcels of land participating in said benefit, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by title 4 of Chapter XVII. of the Charter of The City of New York, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the lands and premises taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department, Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owner or claimants may desire, within twenty days after date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 23d day of June, 1902, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto; and at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto, and examine proofs of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, May 23, 1902.

JOHN M. ZURN,
JOHN H. DOUGLASS,
JOHN A. QUINNARD,
Commissioners.

CHAS. S. TABER,
Clerk.

m28, je20

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS AND ESTIMATES FOR THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

NOTICES 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 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.

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 contracts 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.