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PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION—FIRST DISTRICT.

No. 154 NASSAU STREET, NEW YORK CITY.

Weekly Calendar of Hearings.

The following hearings will be held during the remainder of the week commencing April 25, 1910:

Tuesday, April 26—2:00 p. m.—Room 305.—Case 1181.—THIRD AVE. RAILROAD CO.—“Application of Bondholders’ Committee for approval of issue of securities under second reorganization plan.”—Chairman Willcox and Commissioner Maltbie.

Friday, April 29—11:00 a. m.—Room 305.—CITY OF NEW YORK AND J. B. McDONALD CONTRACTING CO.—“Arbitration of determination of Henry B. Seaman, Chief Engineer.”—L. T. Harkness, of Counsel.

Regular meetings of the Commission are held every Tuesday and Friday at 11:30 a. m., in Room 310.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION—FIRST DISTRICT.

Proceedings of the Public Service Commission, April 1, 1910.

Present—Chairman William R. Willcox, Commissioners William McCarroll, Edward M. Bassett, Milo R. Maltbie, John E. Eustis.

(578)

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

On motion, the record of the proceedings of the Commission for January 17, 18, 19, 20, 21 and 22, 1910, as printed in the CITY RECORD of March 18, 1910, the proceedings for January 24, 25, 26, 27, 28 and 31, 1910, as printed in the CITY RECORD of March 25, 1910, the proceedings for February 1, 2, 3 and 4, 1910, as printed in the CITY RECORD of March 29, 1910, and the proceedings for February 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 14, 15, 16, 17 and 18, 1910, as printed in the CITY RECORD of April 1, 1910, was approved. [See Item No. 418.]

(579)

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE—NOTICES OF DEPOSIT, ETC.

The Secretary presented the following notices from the Department of Finance of the City of New York, which were ordered filed:

Dated	Authorized	Deposited	Amount	Title of Account
Notices of Deposit				
February 28, 1910	December 17, 1909	February 25, 1910	\$25,000 00	Revenue Bond Fund—Expenses of Public Service Commission for First District

Dated	Authorized	Deposited	Amount	Title of Account
March 18, 1910	December 17, 1909	March 15, 1910	5,000 00	Revenue Bond Fund—Expenses of Public Service Commission for First District
March 24, 1910	December 17, 1909	March 19, 1910	5,000 00	Revenue Bond Fund—Expenses of Public Service Commission for First District
March 28, 1910	December 17, 1909	March 17, 1910	5,000 00	Revenue Bond Fund—Expenses of Public Service Commission for First District
March 4, 1910	October 4, 1907	March 2, 1910	20,146 28	Rapid Transit Construction Fund—Manhattan-Bronx, 96th Street Improvements (R. T. 3004)
March 7, 1910	June 25, 1909	March 4, 1910	8,000 00	Rapid Transit Construction Fund—Manhattan-Bronx, 181st Street Station (R. T. 5018)
March 29, 1910	June 25, 1909	March 21, 1910	7,000 00	Rapid Transit Construction Fund—Manhattan-Bronx, 181st Street Station (R. T. 5018)
March 7, 1910	July 2, 1909	March 4, 1910	21,000 00	Rapid Transit Construction Fund—Manhattan-Bronx, 191st Street Station (R. T. 5017)
March 29, 1910	July 2, 1909	March 21, 1910	24,500 00	Rapid Transit Construction Fund—Manhattan-Bronx, 191st Street Station (R. T. 5017)
March 14, 1910	February 26, 1909	March 13, 1910	2,014 63	Rapid Transit Construction Fund—Brooklyn Loop Lines, Manhattan; Real Estate (R. T. 3080)
March 29, 1910	November 20, 1908	March 18, 1910	4,432 18	Rapid Transit Construction Fund—Brooklyn Loop Lines, Manhattan; Real Estate (R. T. 3080)
March 11, 1910	June 21, 1907	March 9, 1910	13,398 73	Rapid Transit Construction Fund—Brooklyn Loop Lines, Manhattan; Section 9-O-4 (R. T. 3005)
March 14, 1910	March 4, 1910	March 12, 1910	20,000 00	Rapid Transit Construction Fund—Fourth Avenue Subway, Real Estate (R. T. 6034)
February 28, 1910	October 29, 1909	February 26, 1910	500 00	Rapid Transit Construction Fund—Fourth Avenue Subway, Section 9-C-1 (R. T. 5072)
March 14, 1910	October 29, 1909	March 11, 1910	19,000 00	Rapid Transit Construction Fund—Fourth Avenue Subway, Section 9-C-1 (R. T. 5072)
March 14, 1910	October 29, 1909	March 11, 1910	13,000 00	Rapid Transit Construction Fund—Fourth Avenue Subway, Section 11-A-1, 11-E-1 (R. T. 5073)
March 3, 1910	October 29, 1909	March 1, 1910	1,300 00	Rapid Transit Construction Fund—Fourth Avenue Subway, Section 11-A-2 (R. T. 5074)
March 30, 1910	October 29, 1909	March 25, 1910	4,557 22	Rapid Transit Construction Fund—Fourth Avenue Subway, Section 11-A-2 (R. T. 5074)
March 3, 1910	October 29, 1909	March 1, 1910	4,100 00	Rapid Transit Construction Fund—Fourth Avenue Subway, Section 11-A-4 (R. T. 5076)
March 30, 1910	October 29, 1909	March 29, 1910	26,330 63	Rapid Transit Construction Fund—Fourth Avenue Subway, Section 11-A-4 (R. T. 5076)
March 24, 1910	March 18, 1910		\$25,000 00	Rapid Transit Construction Fund—Brooklyn Loop Lines, Manhattan; Real Estate (R. T. 3080)

[See Item No. 370.]

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C-3907

THIRD AVENUE RAILROAD COMPANY—ILLUMINATED SIGNS ON ELEVATED STRUCTURE—AGREEMENT WITH INTERBOROUGH RAPID TRANSIT COMPANY

The Secretary presented a communication dated April 1, 1910, from the Transportation Engineer, transmitting a proposed agreement between the Third Avenue Railroad Company and the Interborough Rapid Transit Company with respect to attaching illuminated signs to the elevated structure of the latter company at or near 42d Street and Park Avenue, one of the stipulations of the agreement being that the Interborough Rapid Transit Company should be duly authorized by the Commission to allow such attachment.

On motion, duly seconded, the Commission thereupon approved the attachment of signs as proposed between the two companies.

(581)

R. T. 4019

SECTION 9-O-2, BROOKLYN LOOP LINES—APPOINTMENT OF UMPIRE ON DETERMINATION No. 3 OF CHIEF ENGINEER

The Secretary presented a communication dated March 31, 1910, from the Counsel to the Commission, transmitting a copy of a communication dated March 30, 1910, from Sereno S. Pratt, Secretary of the Chamber of Commerce of the State of New York, together with a resolution adopted by the Chamber of Commerce on March 29, 1910, appointing Alfred P. Boller to act as umpire in the matter of determination No. 3 of the Chief Engineer of the Commission dated September 18, 1908, disapproving the claim of the Degnon Contracting Company for \$4889.70 extra compensation for the removal of peat from section 9-O-2 of the Brooklyn Loop Lines, the arbitrators in the said matter having failed to agree upon and make an award thereon. The papers were ordered filed. [See Item No. 442.]

(582)

R. T. 5040

SECTION M-R-X-1, FOURTH AVENUE SUBWAY—PROPERTY PURCHASED FROM CITY HOUSE MOVING COMPANY

The Secretary presented a communication dated March 28, 1910, from the Counsel to the Commission, transmitting policy No. 47,375 of the Title Insurance Com-

pany of New York, insuring the title of the city to the premises situated on the westerly side of Flatbush Avenue extension near the corner of Nassau Street, recently purchased from the City House Moving Company for section M-B-X-1 of the Fourth Avenue Subway. The papers were ordered filed. [See Item No. 421.]

(583) R. T. 6043
BROADWAY-LEXINGTON AVENUE SUBWAY—BIDS FOR TEST BORINGS—RESOLUTION AWARDING CONTRACT

The Secretary presented a communication dated March 17, 1910, from the Chief Engineer, stating that the following offers had been received for making test borings at Lexington Avenue and Irving Place for the Broadway-Lexington Avenue subway: Healey Sewer Machine and Construction Company:

For borings in earth, \$1.75 per linear foot for 3200 linear feet (estimated)	\$5,600 00
For borings in rock, \$7.00 per linear foot for 600 linear feet (estimated)	4,200 00
Total	\$9,800 00

The Snares and Triest Company:

For borings in both earth and rock, \$4.25 per linear foot for 3800 linear feet	\$16,150 00
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The adoption of the following resolution was thereupon moved, and duly seconded:

RESOLVED: That the bid of the Healey Sewer Machine and Construction Company, amounting to \$9,800.00, for making test borings on the Broadway-Lexington Avenue subway, be accepted and that the Chief Engineer of the Commission be authorized to notify the company to proceed with the work.

Ayes—Commissioners Willcox, McCarroll, Bassett, Maltbie, Eustis.
Nays—None.

Carried.
[See Item No. 397.]

(584) Case 391
INTERBOROUGH RAPID TRANSIT COMPANY—ESCALATOR AT 125TH STREET AND EIGHTH AVENUE—EXTENSION ORDER

The Secretary presented a communication dated March 30, 1910, from Frank Hedley, Vice-President and General Manager of the Interborough Rapid Transit Company, asking in behalf of that company for a further extension of time for constructing the escalator at the elevated station at 125th Street and Eighth Avenue, as directed by the Final Order in Case No. 391 adopted February 5, 1909.

On motion, duly seconded, an Order in Case No. 391 was thereupon unanimously adopted as to the Interborough Rapid Transit Company, granting the desired extension to April 16, 1910. [See Proceedings of 1909; Item No. 207.]

(585) Case 556
INTERBOROUGH RAPID TRANSIT COMPANY—EXTENSION OF BROADWAY LOCAL SUBWAY SERVICE TO DYCKMAN STREET—FINAL ORDER

On motion, duly seconded, an Order in Case No. 556 was unanimously adopted as to the Interborough Rapid Transit Company, directing the company (1) to operate through to Dyckman Street, daily except Saturdays, Sundays and holidays, every third Broadway local train leaving Brooklyn Bridge north bound between the hours of 5:20 P. M. and 6:30 P. M., and to stop such trains at all stations on said line, the total number of trains so operated to Dyckman Street to be not less than five on each day, and (2) to maintain the present south bound local service south of 96th Street; the Order to take effect April 4, 1910. [See Proceedings of 1908; Page No. 1207.]

(586) Case 1177
INTERBOROUGH RAPID TRANSIT COMPANY—LIGHTING OF SUBWAY STATIONS—EXTENSION ORDER

The Secretary presented a communication dated March 29, 1910, from Frank Hedley, Vice-President and General Manager of the Interborough Rapid Transit Company, asking in behalf of that company for an extension of its time for complying with that part of the Order modifying the Supplementary Order in Case No. 1177 adopted March 18, 1910, requiring the company to illuminate its subway stations in the manner therein prescribed.

On motion, duly seconded, an Order in Case No. 1177 was thereupon unanimously adopted as to the Interborough Rapid Transit Company, granting the desired extension to May 15, 1910. [See Item No. 488.]

(587) Case 1198
INTERBOROUGH RAPID TRANSIT COMPANY ET AL.—FILING OF FRANCHISE AND CORPORATE DOCUMENTS—EXTENSION ORDER

The Secretary presented communications dated respectively March 31, 1910, and March 30, 1910, from H. M. Fisher, Secretary of the Interborough Rapid Transit Company, and from J. M. Burnet, Assistant Secretary and Treasurer of the Manhattan Railway Company, requesting in behalf of their respective companies an extension of time for filing the franchise and corporate documents as required by the Filing Order in Case No. 1198 adopted December 24, 1909.

On motion, duly seconded, an Order in Case No. 1198 was thereupon unanimously adopted as to the Interborough Rapid Transit Company and the Manhattan Railway Company, granting the desired extension to May 4, 1910. [See Proceedings of 1909; Item No. 1948.]

(588) Case 1198
NEW YORK CITY INTERBOROUGH RAILWAY COMPANY—FILING OF FRANCHISE AND CORPORATE DOCUMENTS—EXTENSION ORDER

The Secretary presented a communication dated March 29, 1910, from Alfred Skitt, President of the New York City Interborough Railway Company, requesting in behalf of that company a further extension of time for filing the franchise and corporate documents as required by the Filing Order in Case No. 1198 adopted December 24, 1909.

On motion, duly seconded, an Order in Case No. 1198 was thereupon unanimously adopted as to the New York City Interborough Railway Company, granting the desired extension to May 1, 1910. [See Proceedings of 1909; Item No. 1948.]

(589) Case 1228
WHITE'S EXPRESS COMPANY—JURISDICTION OVER APPLICATION FOR APPROVAL OF ISSUE OF SECURITIES—OPINION

The Secretary presented a communication dated February 27, 1910, from White's Express Company, by E. M. Smith, stating that the company was incorporated under the laws of the State of New York and conducted a purely local business by transferring packages between various points in New York and Brooklyn for parties most of whom were regular patrons, but that the company did no forwarding, had no lines of communication outside of the city and did not operate over railroad lines, and asking whether the company was subject to the jurisdiction of the Commission so as to require its approval of an issue of stock which the company contemplated.

On motion, duly seconded, an Opinion in Case No. 1228 was thereupon unanimously rendered, deciding that the company was not a "common carrier" within the meaning of that term as used in the Public Service Commissions Law, which included express companies, as the company did not in some way use a railroad or railroads in the transaction of its business.

(590) R. T. 3074
BROADWAY-LAFAYETTE AVENUE CENTRAL COMMITTEE—REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF BROADWAY-LAFAYETTE AVENUE SUBWAY TO JAMAICA AVENUE

The Secretary presented an undated communication from Edward A. Richards, Chairman, and John F. Bloom, Secretary, of the Broadway-Lafayette Avenue Central Committee of Civic, Political and Religious Bodies, quoting a resolution adopted by that association on February 24, 1910, requesting that the Broadway-Lafayette Avenue subway route be extended to Jamaica Avenue. The communication was ordered filed.

(591) R. T. 3038
SHEEPSHEAD BAY BOARD OF TRADE—REQUEST FOR GENERAL LAY-OUT OF PLANS FOR RAPID TRANSIT

The Secretary presented a communication dated March 29, 1910, from George S. Dougherty, President of the Sheepshead Bay Board of Trade, requesting on behalf of that organization that the Commission proceed to lay out a general scheme of rapid transit routes for the City of New York. The communication was ordered filed.

(592) R. T. 3038
RIDGEWOOD BOARD OF TRADE OF BROOKLYN—REQUEST FOR GENERAL LAY-OUT OF PLANS FOR RAPID TRANSIT

The Secretary presented a communication dated March 26, 1910, from Paul A. Ajas, President of the Ridgewood Board of Trade of Brooklyn, endorsing the proposition of the Citizens' Committee for the laying out of rapid transit routes for the entire City of New York. The communication was ordered filed.

(593) EMPLOYEES—GENERAL RESOLUTION

The adoption of the following resolution was moved and duly seconded:

RESOLVED: That this Commission take the following action with respect to employees:

Appointments, Rule VIII-4 (Provisional)—

F. J. Dulude, Bridge Designer, monthly salary, \$150; to take effect April 1, 1910.

Paul Greenwald, Junior Bridge Draftsman, monthly salary, \$100; to take effect March 31, 1910.

Diedrich W. Krellwitz, Bridge Designer, monthly salary, \$150; to take effect April 4, 1910.

Elzear P. dePoix, Junior Bridge Draftsman, monthly salary, \$100; to take effect April 1, 1910.

Appointment from Civil Service List—

William H. Snow, Inspector of Masonry, \$4 per day; to take effect April 1, 1910.

Leave of Absence without Pay—

Andrew J. Sparrow, Inspector of Masonry, April 1-June 30, 1910.

Declination of Reinstatement—

William J. Gray, Inspector of Steel.

Declination of Appointment—

Burt C. Hayes, Chairman.

Thomas Fraher, Civil Engineering Draftsman.

A. J. Haire, Jr., Electrical Draftsman.

Declination of Transfer from Office of State Engineer and Surveyor—

Charles B. Magen, Chairman.

Transfer from Office of State Engineer and Surveyor—

Henry L. Kennedy, Inspector of Masonry.

Appointment—Exempt (Provisional)—

Thaddeus A. Judson, Cement Tester, monthly salary, \$125; to take effect April 1, 1910.

Ayes—Commissioners Willcox, McCarroll, Bassett, Maltbie, Eustis.

Nays—None.

Carried.

TRAVIS H. WHITNEY, SECRETARY.

Proceedings of the Public Service Commission, April 4, 1910.

Present: Chairman William R. Willcox, Commissioners William McCarroll, Edward M. Bassett, Milo R. Maltbie, John E. Eustis.

(594) Case 1211
INTERBOROUGH RAPID TRANSIT COMPANY—SERVICE ON SUBWAY LINES—EXTENSION ORDER

The Secretary presented a communication dated April 4, 1910, from Frank Hedley, Vice-President and General Manager of the Interborough Rapid Transit Company, asking in behalf of that company for a further extension of the time of the taking effect of the Final Order in Case No. 1211 adopted February 18, 1910, which directed the operation of certain express and local service on the subway lines, and of the time for the company to notify the Commission whether the terms of the said Order were accepted and would be obeyed.

On motion, duly seconded, an Order in Case No. 1211 was thereupon unanimously adopted as to the Interborough Rapid Transit Company, granting the desired extension to April 14, 1910. [See Item No. 552.]

HEARINGS

(595) Case 121
INTERBOROUGH RAPID TRANSIT COMPANY—BLOCK SIGNAL SYSTEM, LOCAL SUBWAY TRACKS

The adjourned hearing at 2:00 P. M., in regard to a block signal system on the local tracks of the subway of the Interborough Rapid Transit Company, was adjourned by Chairman Willcox to May 4, 1910, at 2:00 P. M. [See Item No. 414.]

(596) Case 1180
SECOND AVENUE RAILROAD COMPANY—APPLICATION FOR CHANGE OF MOTIVE POWER ON WORTH STREET LINE

An adjourned hearing was held at 2:30 P. M., Commissioner Maltbie presiding, upon the application of the Second Avenue Railroad Company for the approval of the exercise of the right to change the motive power on its line on Worth Street, between Chatham Square and Broadway, from horses to underground current of electricity. Appearances: H. M. Chamberlain for the Commission; Davies, Stone and Auerbach, by Brainard Tolles, for George W. Linch, Receiver of the company; Moen and Dwight, by Edward C. Moen, for abutting property owners. Mr. Chamberlain placed in evidence, at the request of the Corporation Counsel of the City of New York, a letter from the Secretary of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and a report of its Division of Franchises in regard to the application. Hearing closed. [See Item No. 576.]

(597) Case 1200
MANHATTAN BRIDGE THREE-CENT LINE—APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND A NECESSITY FOR STREET RAILROAD OVER MANHATTAN BRIDGE

An adjourned hearing was held at 2:30 P. M., Commissioner Bassett presiding, upon the application of the Manhattan Bridge Three-Cent Line for a certificate of public convenience and a necessity for a street railroad over the Manhattan Bridge and on certain streets in Manhattan and Brooklyn. Appearances: A. H. Walker for the Commission, A. R. Latson for the applicant, George D. Yeomans and Charles A. Collin for the Brooklyn Heights Railroad Company and the Nassau Electric Railroad Company. Frank R. Ford, a consulting engineer, recalled, further testified for the opposing companies as to his estimates of car service, revenues, expenses, track and surface construction, feeder system, power generators and car buildings for the proposed line, and as to the companies which employed him in connection with the proceeding. William Siebert, Superintendent of the surface lines of the Brooklyn Heights Railroad Company, testified for the opposing companies as to the routes of various existing lines of the Coney Island and Brooklyn Railroad Company and the companies of the Brooklyn Rapid Transit system, the routes over which the lines would be operated if extended across the Manhattan Bridge, and the car traffic passing at certain streets intersecting the applicant's proposed line. Adjourned to April 7, 1910, at 2:30 P. M. [See Item No. 577.]

TRAVIS H. WHITNEY, SECRETARY.

Proceedings of the Public Service Commission, April 5, 1910.

Present: Chairman William R. Willcox, Commissioners William McCarroll, Edward M. Bassett, Milo R. Maltbie, John E. Eustis.

(598)

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT—RESOLUTION EXTENDING BOUNDARY LINES OF HARRISON STREET COLD STORAGE COMPANY

The Secretary presented a communication dated April 1, 1910, from Joseph Haag, Secretary of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, transmitting a certified copy of a resolution adopted by that Board on March 18, 1910, granting permission to the Harrison Street Cold Storage Company to extend the boundary lines of the smaller district for which it was granted a franchise by contract dated December 27, 1909, to construct, maintain and operate conduits for the purpose of supplying refrigeration in the Borough of Manhattan. The papers were ordered filed. [See Proceedings of 1909; Item No. 1922.]

(599)

R. T. 6003

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT—RESOLUTION CHANGING STREET GRADE AT FLATBUSH AND DEKALB AVENUES

The Secretary presented a communication dated April 4, 1910, from William M. Lawrence, Assistant Secretary of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, transmitting a certified copy of a resolution adopted by that Board on March 11, 1910, changing the street grade of Flatbush Avenue between Fleet Street and Fulton Street, of DeKalb Avenue between Fleet Street and Hudson Avenue, and of Debevoise Place between Lafayette Street and Flatbush Avenue, Brooklyn. The papers were ordered filed. [See Item No. 271.]

(600)

R. T. 5105

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES—NOTICE OF OPENING OF PASSAGEWAY UNDER BROOKLYN BRIDGE

The Secretary presented a communication dated April 4, 1910, from Kingsley L. Martin, Commissioner of Bridges, stating that the proposed additional subpassage between North William Street and the Brooklyn Bridge station of the Manhattan-Bronx Rapid Transit Railroad had been completed and was open for public use. The communication was ordered filed.

(601)

BOARD OF ALDERMEN—RESOLUTION AS TO GAS MAINS OF BRONX GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY

The Secretary presented a communication dated March 31, 1910, from P. J. Scully, Clerk, transmitting a resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen on March 29, 1910, requesting the Commission to have the Bronx Gas and Electric Company install gas mains on Gleason Avenue from Olmstead Avenue to Pugsley Avenue. The communication was referred to Commissioner Maltbie.

(602)

R. T. 4045

BOARD OF ALDERMEN—RESOLUTION AS TO GUARD RAILS ON SUBWAY STATION PLATFORMS

The Secretary presented a communication dated March 22, 1910, from P. J. Scully, Clerk, transmitting a resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen on March 22, 1910, requesting the Commission to direct the Interborough Rapid Transit Company to establish guard rails on all station platforms of the subway similar to those in use at express stations. The communication was referred to the Transportation Engineer for consideration and report.

(603)

R. T. 3013

BOARD OF ALDERMEN—RESOLUTION AS TO ADDITIONAL EXIT AT 157TH STREET SUBWAY STATION

The Secretary presented a communication dated March 22, 1910, from P. J. Scully, Clerk, transmitting a resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen on March 22, 1910, requesting the Commission to have an additional exit constructed from the uptown platform of the 157th Street station of the Broadway branch of the Manhattan-Bronx Rapid Transit Railroad. The Secretary was directed to reply thereto.

(604)

BOARD OF ALDERMEN—RESOLUTION AS TO OPERATION OF OPEN CARS ON CENTRAL PARK WEST

The Secretary presented a communication dated March 22, 1910, from P. J. Scully, Clerk, transmitting a resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen on March 22, 1910, requesting the Commission to direct that open cars be used during the season of 1910 along Central Park West. The communication was referred to the Transportation Engineer for consideration and report.

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BOARD OF ALDERMEN—RESOLUTION AS TO OPERATION OF "PAY-AS-YOU-ENTER" CARS AT RAILROAD TERMINALS

The Secretary presented a communication dated March 22, 1910, from P. J. Scully, Clerk, transmitting a resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen on March 22, 1910, requesting the Commission to investigate and take steps to prevent the inconvenience arising from the delay in the collection of fares on "pay-as-you-enter" cars at the various terminals of the surface railroads, with particular reference to the terminal of the Union Railway Company at 155th Street and Eighth Avenue. The communication was referred to the Transportation Engineer for consideration and report.

(606)

R. T. 5062

SOUTHERN BOULEVARD AND WHITLOCK AVENUE RAPID TRANSIT ROUTE—COMMUNICATION FROM COUNSEL AS TO CONSENTS

The Secretary presented a communication dated April 1, 1910, from the Counsel to the Commission, stating that in his opinion sufficient valid and proper consents had been procured to validate the Southern Boulevard and Whitlock Avenue Rapid Transit Route. The Secretary was thereupon authorized and directed to have the consents properly recorded.

(607)

Case 1130

LONG ISLAND RAILROAD COMPANY—APPLICATION TO DISCONTINUE CALAMUS ROAD CROSSING—MODIFYING ORDER

On motion, duly seconded, an Order in Case No. 1130 was unanimously adopted as to the Long Island Railroad Company, amending, at its request, the Order adopted December 28, 1909, which granted the company's application for the closing of Calamus Road crossing and the diversion of traffic thereon to the overhead crossing at Grand Street by means of a new street, so as to grant the application upon condition, among other things, that the company should cause to be conveyed to the City of New York such lands, rights or easements as might be necessary or required for carrying out the provisions of that Order relating to the construction of the new street, instead of the condition in the Order of December 28, 1909, among other things, that the company should cause to be conveyed to the City of New York such lands, rights or easements as might be necessary for carrying out the provisions of that Order. [See Item No. 540.]

(608)

Case 1191

LONG ISLAND RAILROAD COMPANY—STATIONS AND STATION PLATFORMS—OPINION—FINAL ORDER

Commissioner Bassett presented an Opinion in Case No. 1191 in regard to the stations and station platforms on the electrically operated lines of the Long Island Railroad Company within the First District, jointly with Case No. 1192 in regard to car platform gates and vestibule, side and trap doors, recommending, as to Case No. 1191, that the company be required to reconstruct and maintain station platforms level with the car platforms at certain stations.

On motion, duly seconded, an Order in Case No. 1191 was thereupon unanimously adopted as to the Long Island Railroad Company, directing the company by June 30, 1910, to equip its stations at Railroad Avenue, Union Course, Woodhaven, Woodhaven Junction, Clarenceville and Morris Park on the Atlantic Avenue division, and at Cedar Manor, Locust Avenue, Higbie Avenue and Laurelton on the Old Southern division, with platforms of a length at least equal to the length of the longest electrically operated trains on its electric lines, and of the same height as the height of the plat-

forms of the company's electrically operated passenger cars and so located that the edges of the station platforms and car platforms should be in such close proximity as not to endanger the safety of passengers when stepping from one to the other, upon condition of the company's obtaining the consent of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of New York City in so far as the changes required encroachment upon the public highway; the Order to take effect immediately. [See Item No. 58.]

(609)

Case 1192

LONG ISLAND RAILROAD COMPANY—PLATFORM GATES AND VESTIBULE, SIDE AND TRAP DOORS—OPINION—FINAL ORDER

Commissioner Bassett presented an Opinion in Case No. 1192 in regard to car platform gates and vestibule, side and trap doors on the electrically operated cars of the Long Island Railroad Company within the First District, jointly with Case No. 1191 in regard to the company's station platforms, recommending the adoption of an Order in Case No. 1192, as to the opening and closing of such gates and doors and the complements of trainmen.

On motion, duly seconded, an Order in Case No. 1192 was thereupon unanimously adopted as to the Long Island Railroad Company, directing that all the company's electrically operated passenger cars on its lines within the First District should be equipped with platform gates of proper design or with vestibule doors, and that all such cars having platforms with steps should, in addition, be equipped with trap doors, and that platform gates or vestibule doors should not be opened nor trap doors raised until the train should stop and that such gates or doors should be closed and trap doors lowered before the signal should be given to start and should be kept closed and lowered, and that all electrically operated passenger trains within the First District should have a proper complement of men of at least one motorman and a guard for each train opening; the Order to take effect on April 20, 1910. [See Item No. 59.]

(610)

Case 1198

EIGHTH AVENUE RAILROAD COMPANY ET AL.—FILING OF FRANCHISE AND CORPORATE DOCUMENTS—EXTENSION ORDER

The Secretary presented a communication dated April 4, 1910, from Michel Kirtland, Attorney for the Eighth Avenue Railroad Company and the Ninth Avenue Railroad Company, asking in behalf of those companies for an extension of their time for filing the franchise and corporate documents as required by the Filing Order in Case No. 1198 adopted December 24, 1909.

On motion, duly seconded, an Order in Case No. 1198 was thereupon unanimously adopted as to the Eighth Avenue Railroad Company and the Ninth Avenue Railroad Company, granting the desired extension to April 10, 1910. [See Proceedings of 1909; Item No. 1948.]

(611)

Case 1199

BUSH TERMINAL RAILROAD COMPANY—APPLICATION FOR APPROVAL OF EXTENSION IN BROOKLYN—APPROVAL ORDER

On motion, duly seconded, an Order in Case No. 1199 was unanimously adopted as to the Bush Terminal Railroad Company, granting approval to the company to construct and operate an extension of its line, and to exercise a franchise, upon a route in Brooklyn, beginning at the Brooklyn terminus of the 39th Street municipal ferry, along the property of the City of New York and generally parallel with 39th Street, along private property and parallel with First Avenue, along private property and parallel with 41st Street, and along private property and parallel with First Avenue; also an extension from a point on 41st Street near First Avenue and thence over private property, and also an extension from First Avenue near 42d Street, thence along First Avenue and over private property, as described in the company's petition. [See Item No. 461.]

(612)

Case 1211

INTERBOROUGH RAPID TRANSIT COMPANY—SERVICE ON SUBWAY LINES—MODIFYING ORDER

On motion, duly seconded, an Order in Case No. 1211 was unanimously adopted as to the Interborough Rapid Transit Company, modifying the Final Order adopted February 18, 1910, so as to direct that the interval of time between all subway trains operated on the express tracks south bound past 96th Street should be daily, except on Sundays and holidays, (a) not more than two and one-half minutes from 6:46 A. M. to 6:41 P. M. and not more than three minutes from 6:41 P. M. to 11:59 P. M., instead of the direction that the interval of time between all subway trains operated both on express and local tracks south bound past 96th Street should be daily, except on Sundays and holidays, (a) not more than two minutes from 6:11 A. M. to 8:30 P. M., and (b) not more than three minutes from 8:30 P. M. to 12:39 A. M.; the Order to take effect on April 11, 1910. [See Item No. 594.]

(613)

Case 1217

INTERBOROUGH RAPID TRANSIT COMPANY—SERVICE ON ELEVATED LINES—FINAL ORDER

On motion, duly seconded, an Order in Case No. 1217 was unanimously adopted as to the Interborough Rapid Transit Company, directing (1) that the company operate, daily, on all its elevated express and local tracks, trains in both directions past every station so as to furnish during each half-hour period, beginning at the even hour or half hour, either (a) a number of seats at least equal to the number of passengers, or (b) the maximum number of trains and cars that can be operated with the elevated cars then and thereafter owned and equipped, and (2) that the interval of time between all trains operated on the Ninth Avenue, the Sixth Avenue, the Third Avenue and the Second Avenue lines daily, except on Sundays and holidays, should be not more than a certain number of minutes prescribed for each of said lines, respectively, during certain hours. [See Item No. 553.]

(614)

1153

BROOKLYN, QUEENS COUNTY AND SUBURBAN RAILROAD COMPANY—PROPOSED EXTENSION IN UTICA AVENUE—COMMUNICATION TO COMPANY

On motion, duly seconded, the Secretary was authorized and directed to transmit a communication to the Brooklyn, Queens County and Suburban Railroad Company, stating that the Franchise Bureau of the Commission considered that the rights of the company in connection with its proposed extension in Utica Avenue, Brooklyn, from Church Avenue to Avenue N were not complete, and advising the company that its legal status therein should be thoroughly settled before the commencement of construction.

(615)

Case 584

OCEAN ELECTRIC RAILWAY COMPANY—ALTERATIONS IN TEN TROLLEY CARS—APPROVAL OF COMMISSION

The Secretary presented a communication dated February 24, 1910, from Ralph Peters, President of the Ocean Electric Railway Company, submitting blue-print No. 5481-A showing certain proposed alterations in ten of their trolley cars so that they could be used as "pay-as-you-enter" cars, together with a communication dated February 28, 1910, from the Transportation Engineer of the Commission, recommending the approval of such alterations. The Secretary was thereupon directed to reply that the Commission saw no objection to the proposed alterations. [See Proceedings of 1908; Page No. 1264.]

(616)

R. T. 3038

EASTERN DISTRICT SUBWAY LEAGUE—RESOLUTION AS TO COMPREHENSIVE PLAN OF TRANSIT ROUTES

The Secretary presented a communication dated March 31, 1910, from Otto H. Von Damm, Secretary of the Eastern District Subway League, Brooklyn, suggesting a resolution adopted by that organization on March 30, 1910, urging the adoption of a comprehensive plan of transit routes for the entire City of New York. The papers were ordered filed.

(617)

R. T. 6055

CHARLES M. HIGGINS—REQUEST FOR PRESERVATION OF HISTORIC RELICS DISCOVERED IN EXCAVATING FOURTH AVENUE SUBWAY

The Secretary presented a communication dated April 5, 1910, from Charles M. Higgins of Brooklyn, suggesting that efforts be made to preserve any historic relics that might be discovered during the excavation of the Fourth Avenue Subway between 1st and 8th Streets as a result of the Battle of Brooklyn, which had taken place in that vicinity. The communication was referred to Commissioner McCarroll.

(618)

R. T. 5075

SECTION 11-A-3, FOURTH AVENUE SUBWAY—CONTRACTOR'S REQUISITION FOR FEBRUARY, 1910

The Secretary presented requisition No. 1 of the Tide-Water Building Company and Thomas B. Bryson dated March 28, 1910, and amounting to \$6755.40 for work done and materials furnished, less ten per cent, to February 28, 1910, on section 11-A-3 of the Fourth Avenue Subway, together with the certificate of Henry B. Seaman, Chief Engineer, approving the same, and a formal resolution also approving the requisition and directing that voucher No. 3926 be transmitted to the Comptroller of the City of New York for payment of the said amount, which was thereupon duly adopted.

(619)

R. T. 3045

VOUCHERS TO BE TRANSMITTED TO CITY COMPTROLLER FOR PAYMENT

The Secretary presented the following vouchers covering various bills which had been duly approved by Commissioner Bassett, as Committee on Audit for the month of April, 1910, whereupon the adoption of the following resolution was moved and duly seconded:

RESOLVED: That the vouchers enumerated below be approved by the Commission and forwarded to the Comptroller of the City of New York for payment:

Voucher No.	In Favor of	Services or Material	Amount
<i>Miscellaneous</i>			
3922	Harmanus B. Hubbard.....	Services as commissioner of appraisal relative to acquiring easements, etc., under Joralemon and other streets in the Borough of Brooklyn. Supreme Court taxed bill, March 5, 1910.....	\$750 00
3923	Thomas J. Redmond.....	Services as commissioner of appraisal relative to acquiring easements, etc., under Joralemon and other streets in the Borough of Brooklyn. Supreme Court taxed bill, March 5, 1910.....	760 00
3924	T. Ellett Hodgskin.....	Services as commissioner of appraisal relative to acquiring easements, etc., under Joralemon and other streets in the Borough of Brooklyn. Supreme Court taxed bill, March 5, 1910.....	290 00
3925	James J. Riley.....	Services as assistant clerk to commissioners of appraisal relative to acquiring easements, etc., in Eleventh, Naegle, Amsterdam or Tenth Avenue, etc., re Fort George and Van Cortlandt Park extension. Supreme Court taxed bill, April 1, 1910.....	125 00
Total			\$1,925 00
<i>Payrolls Approved by Chairman Willcox</i>			
3916	Inspectors of Masonry.....	Week ending March 23, 1910.....	\$990 97
3917	Gas Meter Testers.....	Week ending March 23, 1910.....	30 00
3920	Inspectors of Masonry.....	Week ending March 30, 1910.....	985 33
3921	Gas Meter Testers.....	Week ending March 30, 1910.....	36 00
Total			\$2,042 30

Ayes—Commissioners Willcox, McCarroll, Bassett, Maltbie, Eustis.
Nays—None.
Carried.

(620)

EMPLOYEES—GENERAL RESOLUTION

The adoption of the following resolution was moved and duly seconded:
RESOLVED: That this Commission take the following action with respect to employees:

Appointment from Civil Service List—

Harry Ferber, Page, monthly salary, \$30; to take effect April 2, 1910.

Appointments, Rule VIII-4 (Provisional)—

Lewis C. West, Bridge Designer, monthly salary, \$126; to take effect April 4, 1910.

Provisional Appointment Rescinded—

Lewis C. West, Bridge Draftsman, monthly salary, \$125; to take effect March 29, 1910.

Leave of Absence without Pay—

Henry Auerbach, Bridge Designer, to take effect April 4-30, 1910.

Sarah M. Andrews, Filing Clerk, to take effect April 1-17, 1910.

Resignations—

George Koplowitz, Page, to take effect March 31, 1910.

Jacob S. Hyman, Junior Bridge Draftsman, to take effect April 1, 1910.

H. P. Webb, Jr., Junior Bridge Draftsman (Provisional), to take effect April 1, 1910.

Henry F. LaBrequé, Junior Bridge Draftsman (Provisional), to take effect April 5, 1910.

Dismissal—

Joseph D. Kiernan, Stenographer, to take effect April 3, 1910.

Ayes—Commissioners Willcox, McCarroll, Bassett, Maltbie, Eustis.

Nays—None.

Carried.

HEARINGS

(621)

Case 1181

BONDHOLDERS' COMMITTEE, THIRD AVENUE RAILROAD COMPANY—SECOND APPLICATION FOR PLAN OF REORGANIZATION

The adjourned hearing at 2:00 P. M., upon the second application of the Bondholders' Committee of the Third Avenue Railroad Company for the approval of a plan of reorganization of the company, O. C. Semple appearing for the Commission, was adjourned by Chairman Willcox to April 12, 1910, at 2:00 P. M. [See Item No. 551.]

TRAVIS H. WHITNEY, SECRETARY.

Proceedings of the Public Service Commission, April 6, 1910.

HEARINGS

(622)

Case 1224

QUEENS BOROUGH GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY—RATE FOR GAS

The adjourned hearing at 2:45 P. M., upon the complaint of W. J. Spiegel *et al.* against the Queens Borough Gas and Electric Company in regard to the rate for gas, Arthur DuBois appearing for the Commission, Carleton Macy for the company, and Wilcox and Brodek, by C. A. Brodek, for the complainants, was adjourned by Commissioner Maltbie to April 11, 1910, at 3:30 P. M. [See Item No. 573.]

(623)

Case 1225

QUEENS BOROUGH GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY—RATE FOR ELECTRICITY

An adjourned hearing was held at 2:35 P. M., Commissioner Maltbie presiding, upon the complaint of S. A. Meyers *et al.* against the Queens Borough Gas and Electric Company, in regard to the rate for electricity. Appearances: Arthur DuBois for the Commission; Carleton Macy for the company; Wilcox and Brodek, by C. A. Brodek, for the complainants. Mr. Brodek made a statement in regard to the signing of the complaint by the complainants in this proceeding and in Case No. 1224 in regard to the rate for gas furnished by the company, and requested an adjournment. Hearing adjourned to April 11, 1910, at 3:00 P. M. [See Item No. 574.]

TRAVIS H. WHITNEY, SECRETARY.

Proceedings of the Public Service Commission, April 7, 1910.

HEARINGS

(624)

Case 430

LONG ISLAND RAILROAD COMPANY—APPLICATION OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK RELATIVE TO OPENING CHESTER STREET

An adjourned hearing was held at 2:30 P. M., Commissioner Bassett presiding, upon the application of the City of New York for a determination by the Commission as to the grade of Chester Street, to be opened between Riverdale Avenue and East 98th Street, Brooklyn, across the tracks of the Manhattan Beach branch of the Long Island Railroad Company. Appearances: Arthur DuBois for the Commission; Joseph F. Keane, by Mr. Ahearn, for the company; E. L. Bourke for the city. Mr. Bourke requested an adjournment on the ground of the pendency of an appeal in court proceedings affecting the matter. Hearing adjourned to June 8, 1910, at 2:30 P. M. [See Item No. 434.]

(625)

Case 1171

YONKERS RAILROAD COMPANY—REHEARING AS TO FENDERS AND WHEELGUARDS

The adjourned rehearing at 2:30 P. M., in regard to fenders and wheelguards on the cars of the Yonkers Railroad Company, was declared closed by Commissioner Maltbie. [See Item No. 575.]

(626)

Case 1200

MANHATTAN BRIDGE THREE-CENT LINE—APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND A NECESSITY FOR STREET RAILROAD OVER MANHATTAN BRIDGE

An adjourned hearing was held at 2:40 P. M., Commissioner Bassett presiding, upon the application of the Manhattan Bridge Three-Cent Line for a certificate of public convenience and a necessity for a street railroad over the Manhattan Bridge and on certain streets in Manhattan and Brooklyn. Appearances: A. H. Walker for the Commission, A. R. Latson for the applicant, George D. Yeomans and Charles A. Collin for the Brooklyn Heights Railroad Company and the Nassau Electric Railroad Company. Frank R. Ford, a consulting engineer, recalled, further testified for the opposing companies as to his estimate of the cost of certain track and surface construction, car service, revenues and expenses, feeder system and power generators of the proposed line, and as to the companies which had employed him in connection with the proceeding. Howard Abel, Comptroller of the Nassau Electric Railroad Company, testified for the opposing companies as to a statement of the cost of track construction on Livingston Street and Lafayette Avenue, Brooklyn, in connection with the testimony of Mr. Brackenridge, and as to certain bills against the Brooklyn Heights Railroad Company, showing the cost of track construction on Gold Street. Adjourned to April 11, 1910, at 2:30 P. M. [See Item No. 597.]

(627)

Case 1226

STATEN ISLAND RAILWAY COMPANY—APPLICATION FOR DISCONTINUANCE AND RELOCATION OF STATION AT ANNADALE

A hearing was held at 2:50 P. M., Commissioner McCarroll presiding, upon the application of the Staten Island Railway Company for approval of the discontinuance and relocation of its station at Annadale, in Richmond. Appearances: Arthur DuBois for the Commission, C. A. DeGersdorf and S. P. Kretzer for the company. William H. Milnor, Treasurer of the Wood-Harman Richmond Realty Company, testified for the applicant as to his company's present and contemplated realty development in the locality of the proposed train depot and its agreement with the railroad company for the erection and conveyance to it of a station at the junction of Jefferson Boulevard and Annadale Road, giving in evidence a plan of such station. Mr. Kretzer, Secretary of the applicant company, gave in evidence for it a map of the location of the existing station, of the proposed station and of the residences surrounding the station, and testified as to a contract which had been made by the company for the grant to it of the site of the existing station and the maintenance by it of a station thereon. Mr. DeGersdorf placed in evidence proof of publication and posting of notice of the hearing. Hearing closed. [See Item No. 521.]

TRAVIS H. WHITNEY, SECRETARY.

Proceedings of the Public Service Commission, April 8, 1910.

Present: Commissioner William McCarroll, Acting Chairman, Commissioners Edward M. Bassett, Milo R. Maltbie, John E. Eustis.

(628)

R. T. 6058

PIPE GALLERIES ALONG SUBWAY ROUTES—COMMUNICATION TO BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPOINTMENT

On motion, duly seconded, the Acting Chairman was authorized to transmit the following form of communication to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

April, 1910

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

In response to the request of the Transit Committee of your Board, I write a brief statement of the situation in regard to pipe galleries which was one of the matters discussed at the conference yesterday.

Section 6 of the Rapid Transit Act provides:

"the commission may, in its discretion, include in said plans (detailed plans) provisions for galleries, ways, subways or tunnels for sewers, gas or water pipes, electric wires and other subsurface structures and conductors proper to be placed underground, whenever necessary so to do, in order to permit of the proper construction of any railroad herein provided for in accordance with the plans and specifications of the board of rapid transit railroad commissioners or of the commission, or for any other purpose in furtherance of the public interest or convenience."

Acting under this provision the former Rapid Transit Board included provision for pipe galleries in the contracts for the portions of the Brooklyn Loop Lines now approaching completion and in the draft contracts prepared by it in the spring of 1907 for the Fourth Avenue line in Brooklyn. On the understanding that such action was in furtherance of the wishes of the city administration, this Commission has progressed plans for pipe galleries in conjunction with the detailed plans for the Lexington Avenue route.

Although the law authorizes the Commission to determine whether provision should or should not be made for pipe galleries in the contracts to be submitted to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for approval, the Commission feels that this is a matter so largely affecting the finances of the city and the future use of the streets that the wishes of your Board as the local authorities in control of the city's finances and streets, should be ascertained before additional work is done. Further, if the Commission may be now advised of your wishes, much time and expense may be saved, for if it is thought wise to omit them in whole or in part, the plans and contracts can be simplified. Upon the other hand, if they are omitted now, their insertion later will involve delay and expense. Accordingly this matter was brought to the attention of your Transit Committee.

The reason underlying the provision for pipe galleries in the Rapid Transit Act evidently arose from the idea that they could be constructed more conveniently when the streets were torn up for subway construction; and in the plans already prepared, the Commission has not provided for pipe galleries where the street surface is not to be disturbed.

Underneath the main streets of the city, there is a mass of pipes, mains and conduits. The building of galleries to contain them is in and of itself a work of considerable magnitude and expense. In subway construction alone there are many subsurface structures which would not be interfered with or else may be maintained during construction, but if pipe galleries are built in conjunction with the subway it means a substantial rearrangement and reconstruction of many subsurface structures. Hence, less money will be needed to build subways without pipe galleries than with them. This is important in view of the limited borrowing capacity of the city and the urgent need for subways. However, if subways are properly planned and space is left in the streets, pipe galleries may be added at a future time, even though omitted now.

Pipe galleries have no necessary connection with subways; either may be built and operated independently of the other.

The Commission will be glad to give your Board, your Committee or any engineers that may be appointed to examine into this question any information they desire in regard thereto.

Respectfully,

Acting Chairman.

(629) R. T. 6021
INTERBOROUGH RAPID TRANSIT COMPANY—LENGTHENING OF STATION PLATFORMS—RESOLUTION REQUESTING FREEL TRANSPORTATION FOR COMMISSION INSPECTORS

The Secretary stated that he had taken up with the Interborough Rapid Transit Company the matter of transportation of inspectors of the Commission engaged in the supervision of construction work in connection with the lengthening of the station platforms of the Manhattan-Bronx and the Brooklyn-Manhattan Rapid Transit Railroads, and presented a communication dated April 6, 1910, from Frank Hedley, Vice-President and General Manager of the company, stating that he preferred to have the Commission take formal action in the matter. The adoption of the following resolution was thereupon moved and duly seconded:

WHEREAS: Under the agreements modifying Contracts Nos. 1 and 2 for the construction and operation of the rapid transit railroads with respect to the lengthening of station platforms between the City of New York, by the Public Service Commission for the First District, and John B. McDonald and the Interborough Rapid Transit Company, dated January 18, 1910, it is necessary for representatives of the Commission to supervise the work during construction, necessitating passing from one station to another; it is

RESOLVED: That the Interborough Rapid Transit Company be and it hereby is requested to furnish, in such manner or form as it deems advisable, permits or cards of identification granting free transportation to such representatives of the Commission charged under the direction of the Chief Engineer with the inspection of the construction work under the contracts, as aforesaid, said permits or cards of identification to be used solely for inspection of the work and not otherwise; and it is also

RESOLVED: That the issuance of permits or cards of identification by the Interborough Rapid Transit Company for the aforesaid purpose be and the same hereby is approved.

Ayes—Commissioners McCarroll, Bassett, Maltbie, Eustis.

Nays—None.

Carried.

(630) R. T. 4007
MANHATTAN-BRONX RAPID TRANSIT RAILROAD—ADDITIONAL EXIT AT 116TH STREET AND BROADWAY STATION

The Secretary presented a communication dated April 4, 1910, from the Chief Engineer with reference to a proposed change in the additional exit from the Broadway and 116th Street station of the Manhattan-Bronx Rapid Transit Railroad, to be constructed in connection with the lengthening of the station platform, and the Secretary was directed to inform the Chief Engineer that the Commission approved constructing the exit so that it would face north between 115th and 116th Streets.

(631) R. T. 6059
BROOKLYN HEIGHTS RAILROAD COMPANY ET AL.—COMMUNICATION CONCERNING APPLICATION TO BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT FOR FRANCHISES OVER MANHATTAN BRIDGE

The Secretary presented a communication dated April 5, 1910, from T. S. Williams, Vice-President of the Brooklyn Heights Railroad Company, transmitting a copy of a communication sent to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment by the Brooklyn Heights Railroad Company and the Coney Island and Brooklyn Railroad Company relative to applications for franchises over Flatbush Avenue extension and the Manhattan Bridge in connection with their offer to extend the operation of their surface railroad cars to the proposed Canal Street subway. The papers were ordered filed.

(632) Case 1142
RAILROAD CORPORATIONS AND STREET RAILROAD CORPORATIONS—REPORTING OF ACCIDENTS—OPINION AS TO JURISDICTION OVER ACCIDENTS ON FERRY-BOATS.

Commissioner Eustis presented an opinion in regard to the question whether railroad corporations, whose business within the City of New York consisted only of the operation of ferry-boats across the Hudson River to bring passengers from their terminals on the New Jersey shore to the ferry-houses on the Manhattan side, could, under the Order in Case No. 1142 adopted August 27, 1909, requiring the filing of accident reports in a prescribed manner pursuant to the Public Service Commissions Law, be required to report to the Commission accidents occurring to and upon those ferry-boats, stating that the said companies were not required to make reports of such accidents, but that reports were required of accidents happening at the terminals or freight yards of said companies in New York.

On motion, duly seconded, the foregoing opinion was approved and ordered filed. [See Proceedings of 1909; Item No. 1305.]

(633) Case 1160
BRONX GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY—APPLICATION FOR APPROVAL OF \$1,500,000.00 BOND ISSUE—REQUEST FROM COMPANY FOR MODIFICATION OF ORDER

The Secretary presented a communication dated April 5, 1910, from E. H. Rosenquest, President of the Bronx Gas and Electric Company, asking in behalf of that company for a modification of the Order in Case No. 1160 adopted January 14, 1910, in the matter of its application for the approval of a \$1,500,000.00 bond issue, which authorized the issue by the company of \$643,000.00 bonds, so as to permit the company to issue bonds for refunding its existing outstanding issue of \$500,000.00 as soon as \$350,000.00 of outstanding bonds, instead of \$450,000.00 of such bonds as provided in the Order of January 14, 1910, should be retired. The communication was referred to Commissioner Maltbie. [See Item No. 68.]

(634) Case 1201
LONG ISLAND RAILROAD COMPANY—APPLICATION OF CITY OF NEW YORK RELATIVE TO OPENING SUYDAM STREET AND WILLOUGHBY AVENUE—OPINION—FINAL ORDER

Commissioner Bassett presented an opinion in the matter of the application of the City of New York for a determination by the Commission as to the grade of Suydam Street and Willoughby Avenue, to be opened from Irving Avenue to Wyckoff Avenue, Brooklyn, across the tracks of the Long Island Railroad Company, stating that the situation in the streets was, for the purpose of the proceeding, the same as that in the matter of the opening of Starr Street across the tracks of the company, and recommending the adoption of an order similar to that in the Starr Street proceeding.

On motion, duly seconded, the foregoing opinion was approved and an Order in Case No. 1201 was thereupon unanimously adopted as to the Long Island Railroad Company and the City of New York, directing that Suydam Street and Willoughby Avenue, when constructed across the tracks of the Evergreen branch of the company, should cross the same at grade, that if the crossing should be at the present grade of the tracks suitable gates should be erected on each side and operated by a watchman for every train in movement over the crossing, and that if the crossing should be at the established grade of the street and the tracks of the company raised to meet such grade, then such safety precautions need not be provided. [See Item No. 391.]

(635) Case 1202
LONG ISLAND RAILROAD COMPANY—APPLICATION OF CITY OF NEW YORK RELATIVE TO OPENING STARR STREET—OPINION—FINAL ORDER

Commissioner Bassett presented an opinion in the matter of the application of the City of New York for a determination by the Commission as to the grade of Starr Street, to be opened from Irving Avenue to Wyckoff Avenue, Brooklyn, across the tracks of the Long Island Railroad Company, recommending that the crossing be permitted at grade, and that safety precautions be provided thereat unless the city and the railroad company should arrange for the elevation of the tracks necessary to make a level grade crossing.

On motion, duly seconded, the foregoing opinion was approved, and an Order in Case No. 1202 was thereupon unanimously adopted as to the Long Island Railroad Company and the City of New York, directing that Starr Street, when constructed across the tracks of the Evergreen branch of the company, should cross the same at grade, that if the crossing should be at the present grade of the tracks suitable

gates should be erected on each side and operated by a watchman for every train in movement over the crossing, and that if the crossing should be at the established grade of the street and the tracks of the company raised to meet such grade, then such safety precautions need not be provided. [See Item No. 392.]

(636) Case 1226
STATEN ISLAND RAILWAY COMPANY—APPLICATION FOR DISCONTINUANCE AND RELOCATION OF STATION AT ANNADALE—APPROVAL ORDER

On motion, duly seconded, an Order in Case No. 1226 was unanimously adopted as to the Staten Island Railway Company, granting consent to the discontinuance by the company of its Annadale passenger station in Richmond, upon condition that the company erect and maintain a new passenger station at Annadale at a point on the north side of the track about 450 feet west of the present station, and directing that the present station be maintained for use until the new station should be in a satisfactory condition for use. [See Item No. 627.]

(637) 3308
BENJAMIN S. CATCHINGS—COMMUNICATION AS TO RESOLUTION IN CONNECTION WITH RAILWAY ACCIDENTS

The Secretary presented a communication dated April 5, 1910, from Benjamin S. Catchings, counselor-at-law, on behalf of the Tort Creditors' Committee of New York City Street Railways, calling attention to the necessity for suitable legislation to protect the public in connection with damage claims resulting from railway accidents. The communication was ordered filed.

(638) R. T. 3038
NORTH SIDE BOARD OF TRADE ET AL.—COMMUNICATIONS URGING ADOPTION OF COMPREHENSIVE RAPID TRANSIT SYSTEM

The Secretary presented communications dated March 23, 1910, from Charles E. Reed, Secretary of the North Side Board of Trade, April 6, 1910, from Walter I. Willis, Executive Secretary of the Fourth Ward Transit Committee of the Borough of Queens, and April 6, 1910, from H. C. Kloefkorn, Secretary of the New York Retail Grocers' Union, urging the adoption of a comprehensive system of rapid transit routes for the entire city. The communications were ordered filed.

(639) R. T. 5061
SOUTH SIDE BOARD OF TRADE OF BROOKLYN—RESOLUTION AS TO DISPOSITION OF EXCAVATED MATERIAL FROM FOURTH AVENUE SUBWAY

The Secretary presented a communication dated April 6, 1910, from L. H. Klugherz, Secretary of the South Side Board of Trade of Brooklyn, stating that a resolution had been adopted by that organization approving the removal of the material excavated from subway openings in Brooklyn to fill the swamp existing below Dyker Beach Park. The communication was ordered filed.

(640) R. T. 2049
FOURTH WARD TRANSIT COMMITTEE OF QUEENS—COMMUNICATION URGING CONSTRUCTION OF SUBWAY OUT JAMAICA AVENUE

The Secretary presented a communication dated April 5, 1910, from Walter I. Willis, Executive Secretary of the Fourth Ward Transit Committee of the Borough of Queens, transmitting a brief submitted by that committee to the Transit Conference Committee of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on April 4, 1910, urging the immediate preparation of plans for the construction of the Broadway-Lafayette Avenue rapid transit route out Broadway to Jamaica Avenue, and thence out Jamaica Avenue through Jamaica to Creed Avenue. The communication was ordered filed.

(641) DOWNTOWN INTERBOROUGH ASSOCIATION—REQUEST FOR HEARING AS TO SUBWAYS ON THE EAST SIDE OF MANHATTAN

The Secretary presented a communication dated April 5, 1910, from Charles A. Schieren, President, and Albert H. Frankel, Secretary, of the Downtown Interborough Association, requesting a hearing in the matter of securing rapid transit facilities for the east side of Manhattan south of Chatham Square. The communication was referred to Commissioner McCarroll.

(642) FEES COLLECTED DURING MARCH, 1910

The Secretary stated that the following moneys, collected as fees during the month of March, 1910, had been transmitted to the Comptroller of the City of New York to be accredited to the city treasury in accordance with the provisions of the Public Service Commissions Act:

Amount collected in payment for testing gas meters upon complaint....	\$142 50
Amount collected in payment for testing electric meters upon complaint.....	162 00
Amount received from the sale of maps, plans, prints, reports, official documents and records, etc.....	28 65
Amount collected in payment of subpoena and witness fees in various litigations	1 00
Total.....	\$334 15

[See Item No. 410.]

(643) 3045-L
GAS METERS—REPORT OF TESTING FOR MARCH, 1910

The Secretary stated that during the month of March, 1910, the Commission had tested 30,045 gas meters, of which 528 were complaint meters, 4,346 were new meters, and 25,171 were repaired and removed meters; that of the 528 complaint meters 195, or 37.0%, were between 2% fast and 2% slow, 58, or 11.0%, being absolutely correct; that 344, or 65.1%, were fast, 289, or 54.7%, being 2% or more fast; and that 126, or 23.9%, were slow, 44, or 8.3%, being 2% or more slow. [See Item No. 408.]

(644) 3045-L
ELECTRIC METERS—REPORT OF TESTING FOR MARCH, 1910

The Secretary stated that during the month of March, 1910, the Commission had tested 104 electric meters upon complaint, of which 96, or 92.4%, were between 4% fast and 4% slow, 2, or 1.8%, were 4% or more fast, and 6, or 5.8%, were 4% or more slow. [See Item No. 409.]

(645) EMPLOYEES—GENERAL RESOLUTION

The adoption of the following resolution was moved and duly seconded:

RESOLVED: That this Commission take the following action with respect to employees:

Appointments, Rule VIII-4 (Provisional)—James J. Hannigan, Junior Bridge Draftsman, monthly salary, \$75; to take effect April 6, 1910.

Gordon T. Whelton, Junior Bridge Draftsman, monthly salary, \$100; to take effect April 7, 1910.

A. Joseph Klein, Architectural Draftsman, monthly salary, \$80; to take effect April 1, 1910.

Sick Leave with Pay—Thomas R. Lucas, Gas Meter Tester, to take effect March 21-26, 1910.

Leave of Absence without Pay—E. J. Tighe, Axeman, to take effect April 4-July 2, 1910.

Reinstatements—George Schley, Inspector of Masonry, \$4.50 per day; to take effect April 8, 1910.

Henry C. Maguire, Stenographer, monthly salary, \$80; to take effect April 3, 1910.

Resignations—James M. Little, Axeman, to take effect April 2, 1910.

Saul S. Bernstein, Rodman, to take effect April 3, 1910.

Harry Hollander, Rodman, to take effect April 4, 1910.

Rescission of Transfer from Office of State Engineer and Surveyor—Henry L. Kennedy, Inspector of Masonry.

Ayes—Commissioners McCarroll, Bassett, Maltbie, Eustis.

Nays—None.

Carried.

TRAVIS H. WHITNEY, SECRETARY.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

Minutes, Meeting of Board of Estimate and Apportionment, City of New York, Held in Room 16, City Hall, Friday, April 22, 1910.

(FINANCIAL AND FRANCHISE MATTERS.)

The Board met in pursuance of an adjournment.

Present—William J. Gaynor, Mayor; William A. Prendergast, Comptroller; John Purroy Mitchel, President, Board of Aldermen; George McAneny, President, Borough of Manhattan; Alfred E. Steers, President, Borough of Brooklyn; Cyrus C. Miller, President, Borough of The Bronx; Lawrence Gresser, President, Borough of Queens; George Cromwell, President, Borough of Richmond.

The Mayor, Hon. William J. Gaynor, presided.

After disposing of the Public Improvements Calendar the following Financial and Franchise Matters were considered:

The minutes (Financial and Franchise Matters) of the meeting held April 15, 1910, were approved as printed in the CITY RECORD of April 20, 1910.

FRANCHISE MATTERS.

Pelham Park Railroad Company; City Island Railroad Company.

In the matter of the petitions of the Pelham Park Railroad Company and the City Island Railroad Company for an extension of time in which to complete the construction required by the change of motive power, from horsepower to electricity, on their respective lines in the Borough of The Bronx.

These petitions were presented to the Board at the meeting of April 15, 1910, and were referred to a Committee consisting of the President of the Board of Aldermen, the President of the Borough of The Bronx and the Comptroller, to report at to-day's meeting.

The Secretary presented the following:

April 19, 1910.

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

GENTLEMEN—Your Committee, to which was referred the application of the Pelham Park and City Island Railroad Companies for an extension of time of three months in which to finish the work of reconstruction, reports as follows:

The Committee has held a conference with representatives of the Company, at which there were exhibited to the Committee records establishing the fact that ample funds have been placed at the disposal of the Company to complete the work of constructing a monorail rapid transit road from Bartow to City Island.

The President of the Borough of The Bronx visited the scene of construction work, and, while he was by no means satisfied with the progress of the work, he reports to the Committee that some grading of the right of way has been done and that work is now under way.

Mr. Burrows, the president of the Company, assures the Committee that the grading of the right of way will be completed within the next ten days. He stated, and exhibited orders and acceptances of orders to establish, that materials to the value of upwards of twenty thousand dollars are in transit from factories and workshops and will be delivered upon the ground within the next few days.

While it does appear that an unwarrantable delay has taken place in the past, which is not excused by the fact that the Company has been unable to procure funds for its undertaking, it also appears that the Company intends to push construction work vigorously to a conclusion from this time forward.

Mr. Burrows has stated that he is prepared to undertake to complete all of that portion of the road between Bartow and the westerly approach to the City Island Bridge, which is the entire portion lying within the confines of Pelham Bay Park, on or before the 4th of July, and that he can guarantee the completion of the remainder of the road from the western end of City Island Bridge to the southern end of City Island on or before the 4th of September. He is willing to agree that if he fails to do this the right of his Company to change the motor power shall be forfeited.

Your Committee therefore recommends that an extension of time to July 4 be granted to the Pelham Park and City Island Companies, upon the distinct undertaking of the Companies that they will complete all of the new road and have the same in operation between Bartow Station and the westerly approach of City Island Bridge within that time.

The Committee further recommends that should the Companies fail to complete this work, as promised, the right to change their motor power be revoked.

The Committee further recommends that, should the Companies comply with this condition, a further extension of two months be made from July 4, upon the undertaking of the Companies to complete the entire road within that period of time; and recommends, as before, that should the companies fail to carry out this part of their agreement the right be revoked.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen;
CYRUS C. MILLER, President, Borough of The Bronx;
WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

Bion L. Burrows, President of both Companies, appeared and stated the terms proposed were satisfactory to his Companies.

The following was offered:

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment did, by resolutions adopted April 30, 1909, and approved by the Mayor May 4, 1909, consent to a change of motive power, from horse power to electricity, to be operated by the system known as the American Monorail system, on the existing narrow gauge street surface railways of the Pelham Park Railroad Company and the City Island Railroad Company, extending, respectively, from Bartow Station to Marshall's Corner and from Marshall's Corner to Belden Point, City Island, Borough of The Bronx; and

Whereas, section 9 of each of said consents provides as follows:

The said Company shall commence the construction of the railway for which this consent is given within six (6) months from the date of the approval of this resolution by the Mayor and shall complete the construction and place the same in full operation within one year from the date of such approval by the Mayor; otherwise this consent may be declared null and void by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment; provided, however, that such periods may be extended by the Board for a period or periods not exceeding in the aggregate three (3) months each; and

Whereas, The time for the completion of the work under the aforementioned consents will expire May 4, 1910; and

Whereas, The Pelham Park Railroad Company and the City Island Railroad Company, respectively, in petitions dated April 5, 1910, presented to this Board April 15, 1910, requested an extension of time in which to complete the work specified

in said consents and the matter was referred to a Committee consisting of the President of the Board of Aldermen, the President of the Borough of The Bronx and the Comptroller; and

Whereas, Said Committee has this day presented a report to this Board recommending that said Companies be granted an extension of time to July 4, 1910, subject to certain terms and conditions as fully set forth in said report; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Pelham Park Railroad Company and the City Island Railroad Company be and they are hereby granted an extension of time up to and including July 4, 1910, in which to comply with the provisions of section 9 of the aforesaid consent; provided, however, that said Companies shall complete all work and place the new road in operation between Bartow Station and the westerly approach of City Island Bridge within such time, and should said Companies fail or neglect to complete such work and place such railways in operation within such time, all rights and privileges granted under and by virtue of the aforesaid consents shall cease and determine, and said consents shall be null and void; and be it further

Resolved, That should said Companies complete said railway and place same in full operation between Bartow Station and the westerly approach of City Island Bridge on or before July 4, 1910, said Companies shall be and they are hereby granted an extension of time up to and including September 4, 1910, in which to complete the entire work authorized by both of the aforesaid consents and place in full operation the entire railway operated by the American Monorail System from Bartow Station to Belden Point, City Island, Borough of The Bronx; provided, however, that should said Companies fail or neglect to complete construction of the railway from Bartow Station to Belden Point, City Island, Borough of The Bronx, on or before September 4, 1910, all rights and privileges granted under and by virtue of said consents of April 30, 1909, approved by the Mayor May 4, 1909, shall cease and determine, and such consents shall be null and void; and be it further

Resolved, That this extension of time shall not become operative unless and until said Pelham Park Railroad Company and said City Island Railroad Company shall duly execute an instrument in writing, to the satisfaction of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and file the same in the office of the said Board within thirty days from the date of the approval of this resolution by the Mayor, wherein the said Companies shall promise, covenant and agree that the consent of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment so given to the extension of time shall not in any wise change, alter or amend any of the terms, conditions and requirements in the original consents of April 30, 1909, approved by the Mayor May 4, 1909, fixed and contained, and which said consents shall remain in full force and effect as herein and hereby expressly modified.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond—16.

FINANCIAL MATTERS.

The Secretary presented the following report of the Court House Board relative to proposed sites for the Court House in the County of New York, including the last site recommended by said Board. The sites are classified in groups in such manner as to bring to the attention of the Board their merits or demerits. Of the sites submitted, those classified under heading No. 7, it is suggested, are suitably located, are the only ones which may be reasonably considered, and are commented upon in said report. The Court House Board is of the unanimous opinion, however, that the site selected by it (City Hall Park) is under all the circumstances the most desirable.

Also petitions signed by approximately two hundred citizens protesting against the location of the Court House in City Hall Park, Manhattan.

(On March 11, 1910, the report of the Court House Board, dated March 2, 1910, selecting a site in City Hall Park, Manhattan, for the new Court House, was presented to the Board, and a resolution adopted fixing March 18, 1910, as the date for a public hearing in said matter.)

(At the close of the public hearing on March 18, 1910, the Board directed all those opposed to the plan of the Court House Board to submit alternative plans to said Board for its consideration.)

Court House Board,
Office of the Secretary, No. 141 Broadway,
New York, April 15, 1910.

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

The Court House Board, upon whom, by resolution of your Honorable Board, duly adopted at the close of a public hearing held on March 18, 1910, was imposed the duty of considering any alternative sites which might be submitted to it at any time, and of reporting thereon to your Board, begs leave to submit the following report:

Pursuant to notice duly given, a public hearing was held by this Board in the Council Chamber of the City Hall, on the 28th day of March, 1910, at which all persons there appearing were given a full and free opportunity to be heard and to present any alternative sites.

At said hearing there were heard orally the following persons, to wit:

1. Mr. Grosvenor Atterbury, Chairman of the Court House Site Committee of the American Institute of Architects.
2. Mr. Henry W. Jessup.
3. Mr. Robert S. Binkerd, Secretary of the City Club.
4. Dr. Charles H. Jaeger, of Columbia University.
5. Mr. A. R. Shattuck, representing the Committee on the Court House Site of the Municipal Art Society.
6. Mr. Charles Lamb, of the Municipal Art Society.
7. Mr. E. A. Henschel, Secretary of the Committee of the Representatives of Various Civic Associations.
8. Hon. Rastus S. Ransom.
9. Mr. William Z. Gold.
10. Mr. A. S. Bard, of the Citizens' Union, and also as Secretary of the Court House Committee of the Association of the Bar of The City of New York.
11. Mr. H. A. Caparn, representing the American Society of Landscape Architects.

There have been submitted to this Board, either at the hearing or since, twenty-five proposed sites for the Court House, including the site recommended by the Court House Board. These suggestions are transmitted herewith together with an index thereof and maps relating thereto, which this Board has caused to be prepared. For the purposes of convenience these sites may be classified in such manner as will bring to your attention in groups their merits or demerits, as follows:

Classification of Sites Suggested as to Their Desirability.

1. Sites suggested in connection with other large improvements not yet undertaken and over which the Court House Board has no control:

Site No. 15—Greenwich Site.

Site No. 16—Fourth Avenue Site.

2. Sites suggested which are not available either because of prior rejection or because of inability of the City to acquire:

- Site No. 5—Post Office Site.
- Site No. 8—Battery Park Site.
- Site No. 9—Criminal Courts Site.
- Site No. 17—Union Square Site.
- Site No. 18—Gramercy Park Site.
- Site No. 25—Astor Library Site.

3. Sites suggested primarily because they are on the market for sale and without any particular merit for Court House purposes:

- Site No. 7—Produce Exchange Site.
- Site No. 14—Bible House Site.
- Site No. 19—City College Site.
- Site No. 20—Madison Square Garden Site.

4. Sites suggested which in their entirety, although well located, would be too costly; but which in a modified form are not well located and do not have a dignified approach:

- Site No. 6—Church Street Site.
- Site No. 23—Fifth Avenue Site.

5. Sites suggested with a view to architectural effect only and without consideration of suitability of surroundings:

- Site No. 8—Battery Park site.
- Site No. 21—Pennsylvania site.
- Site No. 24—Jeanette Park site.

6. Sites suggested which are without merit as distinctive in location:

- Site No. 3—West Broadway site.
- Site No. 12—Canal street site.
- Site No. 13—West Broadway site.
- Site No. 22—Broadway site.

7. Sites suggested which are suitably located and which may reasonably be considered:

- Site No. 1—City Hall Park site.
- Site No. 2—Chambers street site.
- Site No. 4—Duane street site.
- Site No. 10—Mulberry Bend site.
- Site No. 11—Centre street site.

The sites suggested, which are classified under heading No. 6 above, are objectionable either because of their immediate proximity to the elevated railroad, or because the taking of these sites would require the removal of large commercial houses and place the Court House in the centre of the wholesale district, or because, in the case of one of them, it is proposed to be located in the heart of the theatre district.

The five sites classified under heading No. 7 above, which it is suggested are suitably located, and which of all of the twenty-five sites submitted are the only ones which may be reasonably considered, may be commented upon as follows:

Three of these sites which seem to be suitably located, Nos. 4, 10 and 11, are situated on Centre street; Nos. 10 and 11 are just north of the Criminal Courts Building; No. 4 is to the south of the Criminal Courts Building and just to the north of the site of the Municipal Building which is under construction. Of these three sites No. 11 is ill-shaped for the purposes of the Court House, it being 330 feet on Centre street by only 112 feet in depth. The shallowness of this plot would give no approach to the building whatever.

Site No. 10 lies between Centre street and Mulberry Bend Park. The taking of this site involves the closing of Franklin and Baxter streets. It would appear ill-advised to close Baxter street, as traffic demands all of the available streets running north and south. The site itself, although of sufficient size, it being 223 by 440 feet, lies adjacent to Mulberry Bend Park, which is a playground for a large number of children, and the site would be consequently very noisy for court purposes.

Site No. 4—Duane street site lies just north of the new Municipal Building. The advantage of taking this site is that the City owns a considerable portion of it. It might even be possible to follow the suggestion offered, to open through the plot a new street running north and south, thereby placing upon the property owners a large portion of the expense, and leaving a large plot to the east for commercial purposes. The balance of the site is of sufficient size, being somewhat larger than the site of the Municipal Building.

The taking of this site, however, involves the cutting through of a new street and the making of such other improvements as are beyond the control of this Board. The placing of the Court House on this proposed site would change the entire character of the grouping of public buildings, which instead of having their approaches from the City Hall, would have their approaches along Centre street; thereby entirely shifting the civic centre of these public buildings from City Hall Park to Centre street. The monumental character of these public buildings and the desirable approach to them from City Hall Park would be sacrificed thereby.

Your committee considers that the only sites of those submitted which are adapted to the present wants and true interests of The City of New York are the Chambers street site (No. 2) and the site which this Board has selected on City Hall Park (No. 1).

Site No. 2 at Chambers street is not feasible except in its entirety, the plot which would be required being the two blocks directly north of Chambers street, between Broadway and the Hall of Records. If a portion of this site were taken the building would not have a proper approach. It would not be desirable to place the building between the Stewart Building and the Hall of Records with a rear building on Duane street, and it would be ill-advised to place the Court House directly on the Broadway front without a suitable approach. There are great advantages in placing public buildings on Chambers street, between Broadway and Centre street, which are very well known, and the only objection to it seems to be the cost of the site.

Site No. 1—City Hall Park Site is the site recommended by the Court House Board. Objections are principally made to it because of the proposed encroachment on park area. These objections it would seem are best stated by the Committee of the Association of the Bar when it says that it opposes any encroachment on City Hall Park and urges that the use of park area should be limited to the least necessary area.

This Board was influenced to select the City Hall Park Site as a site for the Court House mainly for the following reasons:

First—Because the present Court House buildings are now located on that site, which after a test vote has been approved by a majority of the lawyers of the County as being nearest to the centre of business, in the midst of the civic centre of public buildings and most approachable by transit. The public buildings already located at this point have been so located largely with reference to the location of the Court House on said site.

Second—Because its location does not deprive the people of any park space that has heretofore been used for that purpose, but, on the contrary, the selection of any other site would undoubtedly deprive the people of the use of funds for parks to be located where they are most needed.

Third—Because it was understood, by reason of the rejection of costly sites previously recommended, that strict economy was required to be observed, and it was found that this site was the most economical site that could be selected, and upon it can be constructed without delay the much needed Court House building.

This Board is of the opinion that the civic centre, in regard to which there has been so much discussion, should be located at the point where it has come to be located by the demand of business interests and the plans already devised for the erection of public buildings. This civic centre is now located at or about the City Hall Park. Here have been erected the City Hall, the present Court House, the Hall of Records and the new municipal building. All of these buildings now face on City Hall Park. The present location of these buildings being near the large financial and business buildings of the City and on the direct lines of transit, near to the Post-Office and to the various public offices the records of which are often required to be produced in the courts, and being as easily accessible to all parts of the City as any spot that could be chosen, this Board is firmly of the belief that the Court House should still continue to be located at or about the City Hall Park.

Our predecessors on the Court House Board have heretofore selected other sites, to wit, the Union Square and Washington Park Sites. These sites have been rejected by the City among other reasons on account of the great expense involved in

acquiring the sites. As the present Act has been interpreted they cannot again be selected. The consensus of public opinion heretofore has been against such sites.

The main objection to the site as selected by the Court House Board on City Hall Park is that it required the taking of park space, which it is claimed should not be taken for other public purposes. This Board is not in favor of sacrificing park space for other public purposes where the space is of any use as a park for a recreation or breathing space for the people. In the present distribution of the population of The City of New York, City Hall Park has not since many years been used as a public park and is now only serviceable to the people as a public square and a thoroughfare. The use of the park for the Court House would not deprive the people of any park area which they now possess and use for park purposes, and the removal of the present Court House building would not give to the people any additional space which can suitably be used for a recreation or breathing space for the people. On the contrary, the placing of the Court House on another site would entail such great expense for the acquisition of a new site as would exhaust much of the City's resources, and thereby the people might be deprived of the use of large funds for park purposes in the denser sections of the City where recreation centres and breathing places are most essential. The only advantage there can be to the addition of this area to City Hall Park is to provide a plaza in front of any public buildings which may be located on Chambers street, so as to give to such buildings an approach which their magnificence in architecture might warrant.

A suitable new Court House building can be erected, as we are informed by competent persons, at a cost of not to exceed \$10,000,000. If this building is erected on the site selected by the Court House Board, the project would involve no additional cost. But if another site be selected the additional cost of the land would make the total project cost not less than \$25,000,000, and probably very much more. It is believed that The City of New York is in no condition financially to incur an expense so totally non-commensurate with the actual needs of the Court House, when it is already burdened to meet the pressing needs for rapid transit and other purposes.

A very important reason for the choice made by the Court House Board was to prevent the time and delay which would be occasioned by acquiring any site in condemnation proceedings.

The condition of the present Court House is shameful from a sanitary point of view. It is detrimental both to the health of the Judges and lawyers, as well as to the parties in the actions and the witnesses who congregate there each day. The interests of the general public and of all of the persons who are immediately concerned demand that there should be a suitable Court House without any unnecessary delay.

The Committee has been advised by competent architects that a building sufficient to accommodate all of the Courts for which provision was made by the act relating hereto, can be constructed on the site proposed in City Hall Park after an architectural design of such character as may enhance, but certainly will not impair, the beauty of the City Hall.

The attention of your honorable Board is called to the terms of the law, which provide that before any building plans shall be adopted for the Court House upon any site selected by the Court House Board these plans must be approved by your honorable Board, and also by a majority of the Justices of the Supreme Court. The adoption of any plans for the building is, therefore, a subject for your further consideration.

The Court House Board is, therefore, of unanimous opinion that the site selected by it in its report to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment dated March 2, 1910, is, under all the circumstances, the most desirable.

Assuming, however, that your honorable Board considers it desirable that other sites be considered, and deems it advisable and feasible to devote to this purpose, in addition to the estimated cost of the building of not over \$10,000,000, a sum of from \$15,000,000 to \$25,000,000 for the cost of land, in order to avoid occupying any part of the present City Hall Park for Court House purposes, and assuming that your Board considers that it is possible that this large expenditure can be made to give that additional area to City Hall Park, which, without any doubt, would very greatly increase the beauty of this group of public buildings and the architectural magnificence of their approaches, this Court House Board will have no objection to offer to the selection of the site known as the Chambers street site (No. 2), facing on the City Hall Park. It must be considered, however, that if the Chambers street site is to be so selected, the space directly north of Chambers street, consisting of the two blocks bounded by Broadway, Duane street, Elm street, the Hall of Records and Chambers street, will be fully required. The present assessed valuation of this site is placed on the tax book as follows:

Land	\$7,805,000 00
Improvements	2,533,000 00
Additional improvements now under way	1,000,000 00
Total valuation	\$11,338,000 00

The taking of this property would require the closing of Reade street and Manhattan place, and would doubtless require that damages be paid therefor. It may fairly be estimated, in the light of the experience of the City in acquiring similar properties, that the cost to the City of this site alone would amount to at least \$15,000,000.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

COURT HOUSE BOARD,

MORGAN J. O'BRIEN, Chairman.
EDWARD M. GROUT.
L. LAFLIN KELLOGG.
E. CLIFFORD POTTER.
CHARLES STRAUSS, Secretary.

Hon. Morgan J. O'Brien, Chairman of the Court House Board, appeared; also Hon. Rastus Ransom, representing a Committee of the Bar Association.

At the suggestion of the Chair, the matter was laid over.

The following transfers of appropriations were made upon the recommendation of the Comptroller:

\$15,077, as requested by the Commissioner of Public Charities within the appropriation made to said Department for the year 1910.

Department of Public Charities,
Foot of East Twenty-sixth Street,
March 26, 1910.

To the Honorable the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—I beg respectfully to request the transfer of fifteen thousand and seventy-seven dollars (\$15,077) from the appropriation to this Department for the year 1909, entitled Department of Public Charities, Code 1909, No. 273, Administration, Manhattan, Fuel, the same being in excess of the amount required therefor, to the appropriations:

Department of Public Charities, Code 1909, No. 271, Administration, Manhattan, Repairs and Replacements by Contracts or Open Orders.....	\$13,407 00
Department of Public Charities, Code 1909, No. 289, Administration, Brooklyn and Queens, Repairs and Replacements by Contracts or Open Orders.....	1,670 00
	\$15,077 00

—to this Department for the year 1909, the same being insufficient.

Respectfully yours,

M. J. DRUMMOND, Commissioner.

Department of Finance, City of New York,
Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics,
April 12, 1910.

The Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—In the matter of a communication from the Commissioner of the Department of Public Charities, dated March 28, 1910, requesting the transfer of \$15,077

within the appropriation made to said Department for the year 1909, I report as follows:

The Commissioner requests that \$15,077 be transferred from the appropriation entitled, Administration, Manhattan, No. 273, Fuel, to the following appropriations:

Administration, Manhattan and The Bronx—		
271. Repairs and Replacements by Contracts or Open Orders	\$13,407 00	
Administration, Brooklyn and Queens—		
289. Repairs and Replacements by Contracts or Open Orders	1,670 00	
		\$15,077 00

The amount allowed for item No. 273, Fuel, Borough of Manhattan, was \$150,000, which was subsequently increased by transfer to \$154,761, contracts for the latter amount having been awarded. The amount of fuel actually consumed calls for an expenditure of \$126,610.53, indicating a balance of \$28,750.47.

The amount appropriated for item No. 271, Repairs and Replacements by Contracts or Open Orders, Manhattan and The Bronx, was \$85,000, which was reduced by transfer to \$63,882, the sum of \$21,118 having been used to provide for a mechanical force. The total liabilities charged against this account amount to \$88,447, or \$24,565.10 in excess of the funds available. Included in this deficit are the following items:

New heating plant, fire engine house, Blackwells Island.....	\$990 00
New flooring, fire engine house, Blackwells Island.....	2,425 00
Painting exterior of ten buildings, Randalls Island.....	3,567 00
Repairs to steamboat "Thomas S. Brennan".....	6,425 00
	\$13,407 00

The work represented by these items is about completed and request is made that payment be provided for by a transfer from the surplus remaining to the credit of the appropriation allowed for fuel.

In connection with this proposed transfer it may be stated that in a report of the Comptroller dated February 1, 1910, recommending the issue of special revenue bonds to the amount of \$184,881.02, to meet deficiencies in the Department of Public Charities for the year 1909, which report was approved by your Board on February 18, 1910, the bills mentioned, although included in the statement of deficiencies furnished by the Department, were not provided for. The contracts for the work were entered into in the latter part of 1909, and as practically no work had been done at the time the report on the issue of special revenue bonds was prepared, they were eliminated in the amount allowed for deficiencies, with the recommendation that they be charged against the appropriation for 1910, or that the work be partially done by the mechanical force of the Department.

Subsequent to the preparation of the report referred to, a question arose in the Department of Finance relative to a contract executed by a contractor on December 29, 1909, and by the Commissioner of Public Charities on January 6, 1910, the Departmental certificate being changed, making the expense a charge against the appropriation for 1910, instead of 1909. The Law Department was requested for an opinion upon the following point:

"If the Commissioner of Public Charities found that he had exceeded his appropriation for 1909 and did not procure any appropriations of revenue bonds to cover the deficiency, can the Commissioner legally certify such charge against the 1910 appropriation which became available January, 1910?"

Under date of February 11, 1910, the Corporation Counsel writes:

"I advise you that if the Commissioner of Public Charities found that he has exceeded his appropriation for 1909, and did not procure any appropriation of revenue bonds to cover the deficiency, the Commissioner cannot legally certify such charge against 1910 appropriation which became available January 1, 1910."

* * * It is advisable that this contract entered into in good faith and awarded to the lowest bidder should be validated if possible. There should be ascertained the amount of money available as of the date of the award of this contract for the purposes of its payment, and, in the event of there being sufficient funds in the 1909 appropriation for that purpose, whether or not unexpended balances may not be transferred to supply funds for the contract."

It would seem from the opinion quoted that the contracts involved in the proposed transfer, which were entered into in 1909, cannot be charged against the appropriation for 1910, and as the appropriation for 1909 was not sufficient to meet the expense, it may be provided for by a transfer from the balance remaining to the credit of the appropriation made for fuel for the year 1909, a balance of which the Department of Finance had no knowledge at the time the report upon the issue of special revenue bonds was submitted.

It also appears that, with the exception of the painting of the buildings on Randalls Island, the work called for by the contracts was of such a nature that it could not be done by the mechanical force of the Department. As to the painting work, the statement is made that the Painters connected with the Department were engaged upon other necessary work, and could not be employed upon the work given out under contract.

The appropriation for item No. 289, Repairs and Replacements by Contracts or Open Orders, Brooklyn and Queens, was \$40,000, subsequently reduced by transfer to \$19,740. The liabilities charged against the account amounting to \$23,653.06, or \$3,916.06 in excess of the amount available, due to the transfer of \$4,000 to the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, for the construction of a sewer at the new Coney Island Hospital. Included in the deficit is a charge of \$1,670 for new roofs and repairs to old roofs, leaders and gutters at the Kings County Hospital, which it is proposed to pay from the surplus to the credit of fuel account.

In view of the fact that the transfers requested are for the purpose of meeting liabilities which appear to have been incurred to place the property of the Department in a proper condition, I recommend that the request of the Commissioner of the Department of Public Charities be approved, as per resolution attached hereto.

Respectfully,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the sum of fifteen thousand and seventy-seven dollars (\$15,077), be and the same is hereby transferred from the appropriation made to the Department of Public Charities for the year 1910, entitled, Administration, Manhattan and The Bronx, No. 273, Fuel, the same being in excess of the amount required for the purposes thereof, to the appropriation made to the said Department for the year 1910, entitled, and as follows:

Administration, Manhattan and The Bronx—		
271. Repairs and Replacements by Contracts or Open Orders	\$13,407 00	
Administration, Brooklyn and Queens—		
289. Repairs and Replacements by Contracts or Open Orders	1,670 00	
		\$15,077 00

—the amounts of said appropriation being insufficient.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond—16.

\$15,000, as requested by the President of the Borough of Queens, from the account No. 1612, Maintenance of Highways, Materials for Repairs and Replacements by Departmental Labor, to the account No. 1613, Maintenance of Highways, Repairs and Replacements by Contract or Open Order, within the appropriation for the year 1910.

The City of New York,
Office of the President of the Borough of Queens,
Long Island City, March 21, 1910.

Hon. WILLIAM J. Gaynor, Mayor, and Chairman of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

DEAR SIR—Our Engineer's estimates for the repairs to asphalt pavement in the Borough of Queens, necessary during the year 1910, approximates 16,400 square yards, at \$1.10 per square yard, which equals \$18,040. Inasmuch as our appropriation for work of this nature is only \$7,500, we are, therefore, compelled to request your Honorable Board to authorize the transfer of \$15,000 from Fund No. 1612, Bureau of Highways, Material for Repairs and Replacements by Departmental Labor, to Fund No. 1613, Bureau of Highways, Repairs and Replacements by Contract or Open Market Order.

The prompt attention of your Honorable Board will facilitate the letting of contracts for this work.

Respectfully yours,

LAWRENCE GRESSER, President, Borough of Queens.

Department of Finance, City of New York,
Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics,
April 18, 1910.

The Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—On April 12, 1910, the President of the Borough of Queens, addressed a communication to your Board requesting the approval of a transfer of funds amounting to \$15,000 within Budget appropriations for 1910, made to the Bureau of Highways. In connection therewith I submit the following:

The account from which it is proposed to take the funds is for materials for repairs and replacements by Departmental labor to make the same amount available for the item repairs and replacements by contract or open order.

The Budget allowance for repairs and replacements by contract or open order is \$7,500. On March 21, 1910, the President addressed a letter to your Board stating that the Engineer's estimates for repairs to asphalt pavement necessary for 1910 approximates 16,400 square yards, and the cost, based upon a flat estimate of \$1.10 per square yard, would therefore amount to \$18,040. Repairs to asphalt streets in the Borough of Queens are made by contract and not by Departmental labor. If the work is to be done a transfer of funds from the maintenance account, repairs and replacements by Departmental labor is necessary. I recommend that the request be approved as per the resolution attached hereto.

Respectfully,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the sum of fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000), be and the same is hereby transferred from the appropriation made to the office of the President of the Borough of Queens for the year 1910, entitled Maintenance of Highways, No. 1612, Materials for Repairs and Replacements by Departmental Labor, the same being in excess of the amount required for the purposes thereof, to the appropriation made to the said office for the year 1910, entitled, No. 1613, Repairs and Replacements by Contract or Open Order, the amount of said appropriation being insufficient.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond—16.

\$900, as requested by the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, from the account Water Supply, Borough of Richmond: Distribution, Maintenance—No. 475—Apparatus, Machinery, Vehicles, Harness, etc., to the account Water Supply, Borough of Richmond: Distribution, Maintenance—No. 479—Hired Teams, Horses and Carts, within the appropriation made for the year 1910.

Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity,
Commissioner's Office, 1321 Park Row,
New York, April 8, 1910.

Mr. JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

DEAR SIR—I respectfully request that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment transfer to the appropriation of 1910, No. 479, entitled Distribution, Maintenance, Hired Teams, Horses and Carts, \$900; from the appropriation of 1910, No. 475, entitled Distribution, Maintenance, Apparatus, Machinery, Vehicles, Harness, etc., including Care and Storage, from which account this amount can be spared.

Respectfully,

E. W. BEMIS, Deputy and Acting Commissioner.

Department of Finance, City of New York,
Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics,
April 19, 1910.

The Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—In the matter of a request, under date of April 8, 1910, from the Commissioner of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity for a transfer of the sum of \$900 within the appropriations made to such department for the year 1910, I present my report herewith as follows:

The requested transfer is:

Water Supply, Borough of Richmond, Distribution, Maintenance.

From No. 475, Apparatus, Machinery, Vehicles, Harness, etc., including care and storage	\$900 00
To No. 479, Hired Teams, Horses and Carts.....	\$900 00

From memoranda submitted by the Commissioner's representative it appears that the status of such accounts as of April 18, 1910, was as follows:

	Appropriation, 1910.	Audited Vouchers.	Cash Balance.	Outstanding Liabilities.	Unencumbered Balance.
No. 475.....	\$1,500 00	\$10 25	\$1,489 75	\$50 00	\$1,439 75
No. 479.....	500 00	.....	500 00	.....	500 00

The unexpended balances in such accounts, as reflected in the books of the Department of Finance on April 19, 1909, were: No. 475, \$1,489.75, and No. 479, \$500.

I am advised that it has been found necessary to provide additional horses and wagons for the use of the Inspectors, in order that the large territory may be fully covered, whereas only a portion of the amount allowed for apparatus, etc., will be needed for such purposes.

As there appears to be an ample unencumbered balance in account No. 475 to permit of the requested transfer, I recommend the adoption of the resolution herewith attached.

Respectfully,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the sum of nine hundred dollars (\$900) be and the same hereby is transferred from the appropriation made for the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity for the year 1910, entitled Water Supply, Borough of Richmond, Distribution, Maintenance, No. 475; Apparatus, Machinery, Vehicles, Harness, etc., Including Care and Storage, the same being in excess of the amount required for the purposes thereof, to the appropriation made to said Department for the year 1910, entitled Water Supply, Borough of Richmond, Distribution, Maintenance, No. 479; Hired Teams, Horses and Carts, the amount of said appropriation being insufficient.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond—16.

\$1,500, as requested by the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity from the account Water Supply, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx; Distribution, Maintenance, Croton and Bronx Systems, No. 162, Fuel, to the account General Administration, No. 141, Taxes, within the appropriation for the year 1909.

Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity,
Commissioner's Office, Nos. 13 to 21 Park Row,
New York, April 11, 1910.

Mr. JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

DEAR SIR—The appropriation made for this Department for the year 1909, No. 141, entitled General Administration, Taxes, is insufficient, and I respectfully request that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment transfer to said account the sum of \$1,500 from the appropriation of the same year, No. 162, entitled Water Supply, Manhattan and The Bronx, Croton and Bronx System, Fuel, which is in excess of the amount required in that appropriation.

Respectfully,

E. W. BEMIS, Deputy and Acting Commissioner.

Department of Finance, City of New York,
Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics,
April 19, 1910.

The Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—In the matter of a request, under date of April 11, 1910, from the Commissioner of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity for a transfer of the sum of \$1,500 within the appropriation made to said Department for the year 1909, I report as follows:

The requested transfer is—

From No. 162, Water Supply, Manhattan and The Bronx, Distribution, Maintenance, Croton and Bronx Systems, Fuel..... \$1,500 00
To No. 141, General Administration, Taxes..... \$1,500 00

From memoranda submitted by the Commissioner's representative, it appears that the status of such accounts, as of April 18, 1910, was as follows:

	Net Appropria- tion, 1909.	Audited Vouchers.	Cash Balance.	Outstanding Liabilities.	Unencumbered Balance.
No. 162.....	\$75,285 00	\$47,909 75	\$27,375 55	\$23,184 13	\$4,191 42
No. 141.....	60,000 00	59,327 43	672 57	1,454 25	*.....

* Deficit.

The unexpended balances in such accounts as reflected in the books of the Department of Finance on April 19, 1910, were:
No. 162, \$28,914.20, and No. 141, \$672.57.

It would therefore appear that there is an unencumbered balance in account No. 162 sufficient to permit of the requested transfer, whereas account No. 141 shows a present deficit, which, I am advised, will be somewhat increased when all the tax bills for 1909 covering the property under the jurisdiction of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity are received.

In view of the preceding statements, I recommend the adoption of the resolution herewith attached.

Respectfully,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the sum of fifteen hundred dollars (\$1,500) be and the same hereby is transferred from the appropriation made to the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity for the year 1909, entitled Water Supply, Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, Distribution, Maintenance of Croton and Bronx Systems, No. 162, Fuel, the same being in excess of the amount required for the purposes thereof, to the appropriation made to said Department for the year 1909, entitled General Administration, No. 141, Taxes, the amount of said appropriation being insufficient.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond—16.

The Secretary presented the following communications (2) from the Comptroller relative to issues of corporate stock to replenish the Fund for Street and Park Openings, as follows:

A—\$2,322.34 in the matter of widening Third avenue, opposite One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of The Bronx.

April 6, 1910.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—I am advised by the Corporation Counsel that the report of the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, in the matter of widening Third avenue opposite One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, was confirmed by an order of the Supreme Court dated January 26, 1910, and entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, February 3, 1910.

The title to the land taken in this proceeding became vested in The City of New York on the confirmation of the report of the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, to wit, February 3, 1910.

The total amount of the awards, is..... \$1,044 29
The total amount of taxed costs..... 5,822 84
The total amount of additional taxed costs..... 2,422 23

Total..... \$9,289 36

Pursuant to the provisions of a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted April 6, 1906, twenty-five per cent. (25%) of the cost and expense of this proceeding, is to be borne and paid by The City of New York, for

which corporate stock to the amount of two thousand three hundred and twenty-two dollars and thirty-four cents (\$2,322.34) should be issued.
A resolution for that purpose is herewith submitted.

Respectfully,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That pursuant to the provisions of section 174 of the Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller be and hereby 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 two thousand three hundred and twenty-two dollars and thirty-four cents (\$2,322.34) the proceeds whereof to be applied to replenish the Fund for Street and Park Openings for this amount to be paid therefrom, in the matter of widening Third avenue, opposite One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, pursuant to the provisions of a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted April 6, 1906.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond—16.

B—\$15,436.52 in the matter of opening and extending Jay street, westerly side, at its intersection with Richmond terrace, Borough of Richmond.

April 6, 1910.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—I am advised by the Corporation Counsel that the report of the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, in the matter of opening and extending Jay street at its westerly side at its intersection with Richmond terrace, in the First Ward, Borough of Richmond, was confirmed by an order of the Supreme Court, dated March 7, 1910, and entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Richmond, March 10, 1910.

The title to the land taken in this proceeding became vested in The City of New York on April 1, 1908, pursuant to the provisions of a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted March 27, 1908.

The total amount of the awards is..... \$11,595 55
The total amount of taxed costs is..... 3,840 97

Total..... \$15,436 52

Pursuant to the provisions of a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted July 15, 1903, the entire cost and expense of this proceeding is to be borne and paid by The City of New York, for which corporate stock to the amount of fifteen thousand four hundred and thirty-six dollars and fifty-two cents (\$15,436.52) should be issued.

A resolution for that purpose is herewith submitted.

Respectfully,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 174 of the Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller be and hereby 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 fifteen thousand four hundred and thirty-six dollars and fifty-two cents (\$15,436.52), the proceeds whereof to be applied to replenish the Fund for Street and Park Openings for this amount to be paid therefrom, in the matter of opening and extending Jay street at its westerly side at its intersection with Richmond terrace, in the First Ward, Borough of Richmond, pursuant to the provisions of a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted July 15, 1903.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond—16.

The Secretary presented the following communication from the Comptroller relative to an issue of \$394,382 for the purpose of providing means to pay the award and the interest thereon in the matter of acquiring title to certain lands, etc., for the construction of an extension of the westerly or Manhattan terminal of the New York and Brooklyn Bridge:

April 6, 1910.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—I am advised by the Corporation Counsel, under date of March 25, 1910, that the report of the Commissioners of Appraisal, in the matter of acquiring title to certain lands, etc., in the Sixth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, duly selected by the Commissioner of Bridges, approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to chapter 712 of the Laws of 1901, for the construction of an extension of the westerly or Manhattan terminal of the New York and Brooklyn Bridge, was confirmed in so far as the same relates to the award made for Parcel Damage No. 21, by an order of the Supreme Court, dated January 12, 1910, and entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, January 13, 1910.

The title to the land taken known as Parcel Damage No. 21, vested in The City of New York on December 24, 1906, pursuant to the provisions of a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted November 23, 1906.

The amount of the award for Parcel Damage No. 21, the title to which vested in The City of New York on December 24, 1906, is..... \$318,050 00
The amount of the interest thereon from December 24, 1906, to December 24, 1910, is..... 76,332 00

Total..... \$394,382 00

To provide means for the payment of this obligation, corporate stock should be issued, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 712 of the Laws of 1901, as amended by chapter 90 of the Laws of 1907.

A resolution for that purpose is herewith submitted.

Respectfully,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 712 of the Laws of 1901, as amended by chapter 90 of the Laws of 1907, the Comptroller be and hereby is authorized to issue corporate stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by subdivision 8 of section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to the amount of three hundred and ninety-four thousand three hundred and eighty-two dollars (\$394,382), for the purpose of providing means to pay the award and the interest thereon, in the matter of acquiring title to certain lands, etc., in the Sixth Ward, Borough of Manhattan, duly selected by the Commissioner of Bridges, approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to chapter 712 of the Laws of 1901, for the acquisition of land for the construction of an extension of the westerly or Manhattan terminal of the

New York and Brooklyn Bridge, as confirmed by an order of the Supreme Court, dated January 12, 1910.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond—16.

The Secretary presented communications, etc., as follows:

Resolutions (2) of the Board of Aldermen requesting issues of special revenue bonds (subdivision 8, section 188 of the Charter), as follows:

A—\$3,000 to provide means for the purpose of installing lighting systems in branch offices of the Department of Health, located at No. 425 First Avenue, Manhattan; No. 330 Throop Avenue, Brooklyn, and No. 490 St. Pauls place, The Bronx.

B—\$1,725 to provide means for the payment of rent of two additional rooms in the Park Building, Brooklyn, for the use of the Bureau of Substructures under the jurisdiction of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn.

Communication from the Board of Water Supply, requesting approval of the purchase for \$300 of parcel 317, section 5, Kensico Reservoir.

Communication from the Commissioner of Records, New York County, submitting for approval plans and specifications for furnishing and erecting additional steel file cases and other furnishings in the office of the County Clerk, Hall of Records, Manhattan, the estimated cost of which work is \$7,500.

Communication from Clarence M. Lowes, Treasurer of the Dime Savings Bank of Williamsburgh, referring to the establishment of a public playground on land loaned for that purpose at Flushing, Borough of Queens, the equipment and maintenance thus far being raised by voluntary contributions, stating that the effort appears to be one which the late Betsey Head intended to help by her bequest to The City of New York of the sum of \$187,746.84, to be used for the purchase and improvement of grounds for the purposes of health and recreation, and suggesting that the Board either allow the organization represented by Mr. Lowes a part of this income for maintenance or towards the maintenance of this playground, or appropriate a part of the sum for the improvement thereof.

Resolution of the Board of Education requesting authority to enter into a contract for the construction and fitting up of a grandstand upon the Brooklyn Athletic Field, at a cost not to exceed \$45,000.

Resolution of the Board of Aldermen requesting the Board to include in the corporate stock Budget now under consideration an item of \$60,000 for the construction of a shelter and public comfort station in McLaughlin Park, Brooklyn, in accordance with designs approved by the Municipal Art Commission.

Resolution of the Board of Aldermen requesting the Board to appropriate the sum of \$480,000 for the erection of a high school in the East New York section of Brooklyn.

Resolution of the Board of Aldermen requesting the Board to grant an appropriation of \$495,000 to the Board of Education for the erection of a high school in the Bay Ridge section of the Borough of Brooklyn.

Communication from the Commissioner of the Department of Docks and Ferries, requesting authority to advertise and award contracts for reconstructing the ferry structures at the foot of Broadway, East River, Borough of Brooklyn, divided into two classes as follows:

Class 1—For the removal of all existing ferry racks in the three slips, construction of new racks, repairing crib work and the construction of a platform and coal pocket north of the northerly slip, at an estimated cost of \$53,000.

Class 2—For the removal of the northerly waiting room and toilets, repairing the southerly waiting room and toilets, repairing and renewing boiler and steam heating plant and water supply system, the installation of new electric lighting system, concrete drains and the installation of machinery for coal hoisting plant on the platform north of the northerly slip, at an estimated cost of \$10,500.

Resolution of the Board of Aldermen, requesting the issue of \$1,182.50 Special Revenue Bonds (subdivision 8, section 188 of the Charter) to provide means for the purchase by the County Clerk of Queens County of ten new book typewriting machines.

Petition of the property owners in and around Devoe Park, Borough of The Bronx, requesting the Board to grant an appropriation for the improvement of said park.

Which were referred to the Comptroller.

The Secretary presented communications, etc., relative to the establishment of new positions and additional grades of positions, as follows:

Resolution of the Board of Aldermen requesting the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to fix the salary of the City Librarian in the office of the City Clerk and Clerk of the Board of Aldermen at \$3,000 per annum.

Resolution of the Board of Aldermen requesting the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to fix the salary of Charles A. Glaser, Clerk in the office of the City Clerk and Clerk of the Board of Aldermen, at \$2,500 per annum.

Communications (2) from the Fire Department requesting the establishment of the following positions:

Foreman of Stables at \$2,500 per annum.

Electrical Engineer at \$5,000 per annum.

Which were referred to the Committee on Salaries and Grades, consisting of the Comptroller and the President of the Board of Aldermen.

The Secretary presented a communication from the Comptroller referring to the resolution adopted by the Board on February 4, 1910, relative to the keeping of time records of all employees of The City of New York and the Counties therein, except the Justices of the Supreme Court, and stating that Certificate No. 2 on the payrolls calls for the fulfillment of said resolution, the certificate to be signed by the official preparing each payroll, and stating that an examination of the payrolls for February, 1910, shows that Certificate No. 2 was not signed in twenty-four different instances, but that payment was made on all the payrolls so affected in order that no hardship might be imposed upon the different employees; however, a communication was sent by the Comptroller to each official requesting the reason for failure of certification, to be made known for the information of this Board. Nineteen replies to said communication are summarized in the report.

Which was referred to the Corporation Counsel with the request that he advise the Board as to its authority to require the affixing to all payrolls a certificate to the effect that there is a time record on file in said Board, office, etc., showing the character of the service and the exact time of employment of the persons named on the payrolls, pursuant to a resolution adopted in connection with the Budget for the year 1910 and a further resolution adopted on February 4, 1910, and also what remedy may be applied to enforce such requirement.

The Secretary presented a communication from the Secretary, South Side Board of Trade, Brooklyn, submitting resolution adopted by said Board relative to the establishment of an emergency hospital and ambulance station in the Thirtieth Ward, Brooklyn.

Which was referred to the Comptroller and to the Commissioner of the Department of Public Charities.

The Secretary presented a communication from the Board of Aldermen submitting copy of communication from the Eastern District Subway League urging upon the Board the necessity of adopting a comprehensive plan of transit routes for the entire City which shall make provision for the future.

Which was referred to the Transit Committee appointed January 14, 1910.

The Secretary presented a communication from Edward M. Grout and Paul Grout, on behalf of the East Coast Equipment and Construction Company, relative to the proposition submitted to the Commissioner of Street Cleaning for cleaning Districts Nos. 5 and 7, in the Borough of Manhattan, by the use of flushing machines.

Which was referred to the Comptroller and to the Commissioner of the Department of Street Cleaning.

The Secretary presented a communication from the Secretary of the Municipal Art Society transmitting copy of resolution adopted by said society recommending that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment make no appropriation for any expenses which may be incurred by or for the support of the Bronx River Parkway Commission.

Which was referred to the Comptroller and the President of the Borough of The Bronx.

(On January 21, 1910, the report of the former Comptroller relative to improvements to be made by the Bronx River Parkway Commission was presented to the Board and referred to a Select Committee, consisting of the Comptroller and the President of the Borough of The Bronx, for a report on the general proposition.)

The Secretary presented the following communication from the Commissioner of the Department of Docks and Ferries, requesting authority to enter into a contract for the construction of railings, gates, stairways, etc., in the ferryhouse at St. George, S. I., at an estimated cost of \$14,000, which contract had previously been authorized to be entered into at a cost not to exceed \$7,200, and report of the Comptroller recommending that the Commissioner be authorized to execute said contract at the increased cost, in view of the fact that the work now intended to be carried out has numerous advantages over that heretofore approved.

(On April 8, 1910, the above matter was referred to the Comptroller.)

Department of Docks and Ferries,
Pier "A," North River,
New York, April 1, 1910.

Hon. WILLIAM J. GAYNOR, Mayor, Chairman of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

SIR—On February 18, 1910, a resolution was adopted authorizing Contract No. 1213, for construction of railings, gates, stairway, etc., at the ferryhouse at St. George, Borough of Richmond, at an estimated cost of \$7,200. A further examination of the premises shows additional work to be necessary in order to obtain the desired results with reference to the proper handling of the ferry traffic, and the estimated cost of the work has accordingly been changed to \$14,000.

I respectfully request that this contract be authorized at the said estimated cost of \$14,000.

Yours respectfully,

CALVIN TOMKINS, Commissioner.

City of New York, Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office,
April 15, 1910.

To the Honorable the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—Hon. Calvin Tomkins, Commissioner, Department of Docks and Ferries, in communication dated April 1, 1910, requests the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to permit him to enter into a contract for the construction of railings, gates, stairways, etc., at the ferry house at St. George, Borough of Richmond, at an estimated cost of \$14,000.

From an investigation that I have caused to be made by the Chief Engineer of this Department, I am advised that this request was originally made for authority to award and let a contract for the construction of these railings, gates, etc., by Hon. Allen N. Spooner, former Commissioner of Docks and Ferries, on December 21, 1909, in response to which a resolution was passed by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on February 18, 1910, authorizing the said contract, at an estimated cost of \$7,200.

It is now explained by Commissioner Tomkins that a further examination of the premises shows additional work to be necessary in order to obtain the desired results with reference to the proper handling of the ferry traffic.

As regards the reauthorization of this contract at a considerable increase in cost over that originally proposed, I would say that the plans, in accordance with which it is intended the work shall now be carried out, present numerous advantages over those heretofore approved on which the estimate of cost was \$7,200.

The present plans not only prevent free rides by passengers, who, upon leaving an incoming boat may now mingle with those outgoing and take the return trip free of cost, but they also present numerous advantages, one of the principal of which, I think, is the admission of the public to the main waiting room or concourse without being compelled to purchase a ticket. At the present time, persons coming with friends who are going out, or to meet those coming in, are compelled to purchase trip tickets to get inside the building, and under the plans as now proposed this injustice to the public at large would be obviated. The facilities for leaving the boat from the lower deck are also to be greatly increased by the construction of wide stairways leading to the platform outside of the building.

These numerous advantages, in my opinion, more than offset the proposed increase in cost of the improvement.

I therefore recommend that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment suspend the application of the resolution of January 14, 1910, in so far as to permit the Commissioner of Docks and Ferries to enter into a contract for the construction of railings, gates, stairways, etc., at the ferry house at St. George, Borough of Richmond, at an estimated cost not to exceed \$14,000.

Respectfully,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

The following was offered:

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting held January 14, 1910, adopted a resolution directing the heads of the various City Departments and offices to refrain from incurring any further obligations or executing any contracts chargeable to corporate stock, other than water bonds, except for salaries, wages and supplies properly chargeable to such corporate stock accounts, without the express authorization thereto by this Board after the passage of said resolution; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Commissioner of the Department of Docks and Ferries be and is hereby authorized to enter into a contract for the construction of railings, gates, stairways, etc., at the ferryhouse at St. George, Borough of Richmond, at an estimated cost not to exceed fourteen thousand dollars (\$14,000).

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond—16.

The Secretary presented the following resolution of the Board of Aldermen requesting, and report of the Comptroller recommending, an issue of \$4,917.72 special revenue bonds (subdivision 8, section 188 of the Charter), to meet the deficit in the expenses of the general City election of 1909 and advertising in connection therewith; and further recommending for the purpose of liquidating the other outstanding liabilities of the Board of Elections for 1909, that the sum of \$10,000.28 be transferred from the account "No. 530—For Employment of Temporary Clerks," to the account "No. 531—Advertising," within the appropriation made to the Board of Elections for the year 1909.

(On March 11, 1910, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen requesting the above issue of special revenue bonds was referred to the Comptroller.)

In the Board of Aldermen.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds to the amount of four thousand nine hundred and seventeen dollars and seventy-two cents (\$4,917.72), the proceeds whereof to be used by the Board of Elections for the purpose of meeting a deficit in the 1909 account.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen February 8, 1910, three-fourths of all the members elected voting in favor thereof.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, March 1, 1910, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

P. J. SCULLY, Clerk.

Department of Finance, City of New York,
Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics,
April 14, 1910.

The Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—At a meeting of your Board held March 11, 1910, a resolution presented from the Board of Aldermen requesting the authorization of the issue of \$4,917.72 special revenue bonds to be used for the purpose of meeting a deficit in the 1909 account of the Board of Elections was referred to me for consideration. The facts in connection therewith are as follows:

Request was made by John T. Dooling, President, Board of Elections, to the Board of Aldermen, under date of January 12, 1910, for an issue of special revenue bonds in the sum of \$16,768.62 to supplement the appropriation and special revenue bond issue made to the Board of Elections for the year 1909. Of this sum \$11,850.90 was to defray the cost of a special election in the Seventh Senate District, County of Kings, and \$4,917.72 was to defray part of the expense incurred in publishing the City canvass for the year 1909. The total expense for this publication was \$14,024.91. Commissioner Dooling stated that the reason he asked for only \$4,917.72 was due to the fact that previous to this request he had applied to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for the transfer of the sum of \$15,916.66 from unexpended balance of appropriation for 1909 to Revenue Bond Fund for Board of Elections Advertising and Election Expenses, 1909, which he assumed at that time would be granted.

At a meeting of the Board of Aldermen held January 18, 1910, a resolution was offered requesting the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to authorize the issue of special revenue bonds to the amount of \$16,768.62 for the purpose as heretofore stated, which was referred to the Committee on Finance. Commissioner Dooling appeared before the Committee on Finance and submitted in detail a statement of the expenditures made from the special revenue bond account for the year 1909, in which he shows a deficit of \$4,917.72, after including the transfer of \$15,916.66 previously mentioned, and exclusive of the charge for the cost of the special election in the Seventh Senate District, County of Kings, which was not estimated at the time of the previous bond issue, the call not having been issued by the Governor at this time.

The Committee on Finance quotes Commissioner Dooling as stating before them in his explanation of this deficit "that it was caused by an arbitrary increase in rates of advertising charges by the newspapers of from 20 to 40 per cent." The Committee in its report to the Board of Aldermen stated that it believed the advance in the rates charged to the City by the newspapers immediately after election was a matter which required further investigation and consideration, but felt that the expenses of the special election was legitimate and could not be foreseen, and should be paid, and therefore recommended that the Board of Aldermen adopt a resolution requesting the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds to the amount of \$11,850, the proceeds whereof to be used by the Board of Elections for the purpose of meeting a deficit on account of extra expense incurred in 1909. This resolution was adopted. At the next meeting, February 8, 1910, however, the Board of Aldermen took favorable action upon the remainder of the issue and requested concurrence of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment in the additional issue of \$4,917.72. This is the matter before me.

When asked to explain the alleged advance in the rates charged to the City by the newspapers immediately after election, as quoted by the Committee on Finance, Commissioner Dooling said "that the Committee misapprehended his statement; that this deficit was chiefly caused by the increase in bulk in the advertising of the City Canvass due to the increased number of parties having a column on the ballot and the consequent increase in the number of candidates nominated by the different parties for office, the publication of whose names is required by law together with the total number of votes received by each. In consequence an increase in the amount of space to be used in the newspaper columns was necessary, which meant a corresponding increase in the cost of the publication of the City Canvass."

The following is a statement furnished an Examiner of this Department by Commissioner Dooling. It represents the cost of the publication of the City Canvass for each year it was published since 1901:

City Canvass, December 30, 1901.

Name of Paper.	Number of Ems.	Rate Per Thousand.	Amount.
Daily News	160,590	\$12 40	\$1,991 32
Mail and Express.....	161,760	12 80	2,070 52
North Side News.....	161,760	6 25	1,011 00
Bronx Record and Times.....	159,330	6 50	1,035 64
Brooklyn Citizen	161,760	5 00	808 80
Brooklyn Standard Union.....	161,760	5 00	808 80
Jamaica Standard	161,760	6 50	1,051 44
Long Island Star	161,670	6 50	1,048 90
Staten Islander	161,760	7 20	1,164 67
Staten Island Star.....	161,070	6 67	1,074 34
	1,613,220	\$74 82	\$12,065 43

City Canvass, December 30, 1903.

Name of Paper.	Number of Ems.	Rate Per Thousand.	Amount.
Daily News	128,905	\$12 40	\$1,598 42
Mail and Express.....	134,550	13 80	1,856 79
Bronx Record and Times.....	127,800	6 50	830 70
The Union	135,000	6 50	874 77
Brooklyn Standard Union.....	130,680	5 33½	688 32
Brooklyn Times	130,200	5 33½	683 20
Brooklyn Daily Eagle.....	130,200	5 33½	685 44
Jamaica Standard	128,460	6 50	831 48
Long Island Farmer.....	128,460	6 50	831 48
Staten Islander	127,800	6 50	830 70
Staten Island Star.....	127,800	6 50	830 70
	1,429,855	\$81 20	\$10,542 00

City Canvass, December 30, 1905.

Name of Paper.	Number of Ems.	Rate Per Thousand.	Amount.
Mail and Express.....	174,600	\$13 80	\$2,409 48
New York Daily News.....	166,534	13 40	2,232 90
Bronx Record and Times.....	173,440	6 50	1,127 36
North Side News.....	173,440	6 25	1,084 00
Brooklyn Daily Eagle.....	159,240	5 33½	849 28
Brooklyn Daily Union.....	150,960	5 33½	805 12
Jamaica Standard	159,240	6 50	1,035 06
Long Island Farmer.....	159,240	6 50	1,035 06
Staten Islander	157,028	6 50	1,020 68
Staten Island Star.....	157,028	6 50	1,020 68
	1,630,750	\$76 61½	\$12,619 62

City Canvass, December 30, 1907.

Name of Paper.	Number of Ems.	Rate Per Thousand.	Amount.
New York Times.....	63,780	\$13 33½	\$850 40
New York Globe.....	61,320	13 33½	817 60
Bronx Independent	22,140	6 50	143 91
Westchester Globe	22,140	6 50	143 91
Brooklyn Standard Union.....	37,380	8 33½	311 50
Brooklyn Daily Eagle.....	37,620	8 93	335 94
Long Island Star.....	8,040	6 50	52 26
Jamaica Standard	9,360	6 50	60 84
Richmond County Herald.....	5,760	6 50	37 44
Staten Islander	5,760	6 50	37 44
	273,300	\$82 93	\$2,791 24

City Canvass, December 30, 1909.

Name of Paper.	Number of Ems.	Rate Per Thousand.	Amount.
New York American.....	148,680	\$16 66½	\$2,487 50
New York Globe.....	160,200	13 33½	2,136 00
Bronx Record and Times.....	160,260	6 50	1,041 69
Bronx Star	157,680	6 50	1,042 92
Brooklyn Daily Eagle.....	158,700	8 93	1,417 19
Brooklyn Standard Union.....	186,750	8 33½	1,556 25
Jamaica Standard	163,200	6 50	1,060 80
Flushing Journal	163,200	6 50	1,060 80
Staten Islander	172,290	6 50	1,119 88
Staten Island World.....	172,290	6 50	1,119 88
	1,643,250	\$86 26	\$14,024 91

It can be readily seen upon examination of the foregoing statement that the rates charged by the different newspapers for the publication of the City Canvass in the year 1907 are identical with those charged by the same newspapers for the publication of the City Canvass for the year 1909.

The request made by Commissioner Dooling for the transfer of the sum of \$15,916.66 previously referred to was not in accord with the law and consequently still remains a deficit of \$10,000.28 after allowing the special revenue bond issue of \$4,917.72 herein under consideration. I have submitted an alternative transfer with this report to provide for this deficiency.

The total deficit in the 1909 account of the Board of Elections, exclusive of the expenses of the special election previously noted, was \$14,917.10. Of this amount \$14,024.91 was to meet the expenses of the publication of the City Canvass, and there remained an outstanding liability of \$3,693.54, as against a balance of account of \$2,801.35, thereby leaving a deficit in account of \$892.19.

In explanation of this deficit Commissioner Dooling says that after the appropriation allowed in the Budget for 1909 for advertising and election expenses had become exhausted it was necessary to apply to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for an issue of revenue bonds in the sum of \$55,545 to defray the extra heavy election expenses. This amount was an underestimate of the liabilities to the extent of \$892.19. The expenses for the publication of the City Canvass at this time could not be estimated.

In view of the facts I would recommend that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment approve of the resolution hereto appended, authorizing the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds in the sum not exceeding \$4,917.72. I would also recommend, for the purpose of liquidating the other outstanding liabilities of the Board of Elections for 1909, that a transfer of the sum of \$10,000.28 from the account entitled, "No. 530—For Employment of Temporary Clerks" (this account having an unexpended balance of \$10,441.50, against which there are no outstanding liabilities), to the account entitled, "No. 531—Advertising," for the purpose of meeting the deficiency incurred therein.

Respectfully,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of and concurs in the resolution of the Board of Aldermen adopted February 8, 1910, in relation to an appropriation of \$4,917.72 to meet the deficit in the expenses of the general City election of 1909, and advertising in connection therewith, and that for the

purpose of providing means therefor the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized, pursuant to the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, to issue special revenue bonds of The City of New York to the amount of \$4,917.72 redeemable from the tax levy of the year succeeding the year of their issue.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond—16.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the sum of \$10,000.28 be and the same is hereby transferred from the appropriation made to the Board of Elections for the year 1909, entitled, No. 530, For Employment of Temporary Clerks, the same being in excess of the amount required for the purposes thereof, to the appropriation made for the said Board for year 1909, entitled, No. 531, Advertising, the amount of said appropriation being in sufficient.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond—16.

The Secretary presented a report of the Comptroller, referring to a communication from the Wyckoff Heights Taxpayers' Association, requesting the Board to make an appropriation for the conveyance of deaf mutes and crippled children to Public School 162, Borough of Brooklyn, and stating that the sum of \$2,784.50 was appropriated in the Budget for the year 1910, for the transportation of children to and from public schools in the Borough of Brooklyn. The selection of the particular locality for this service would seem to be a matter within the jurisdiction of the Board of Education; and suggesting, therefore, that the communication be referred to the Board of Education and a copy of the report sent to the above association.

Which was referred to the Board of Education, and the Secretary directed to transmit a copy thereof to the Wyckoff Heights Taxpayers' Association.
(On April 1, 1910, the above matter was referred to the Comptroller.)

The Secretary presented the following communication from the Police Department requesting, and report of the Comptroller recommending, a modification of the schedules of Salaries supporting the appropriation made in the Budget for the year 1910 for said Department, to provide for an increase in the number of Firemen employed at Police Headquarters from two to three, and the reduction of Coal Passers from three to two, involving no additional appropriation.

Police Department, }
January 20, 1910 }

To the Honorable the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

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

Whereas, In the Budget of the Police Department for the year 1910, provision has been made for the employment at Police Headquarters of two Firemen at \$3 per diem, and three Coal Passers at \$2.50 per diem; and

Whereas, The service at Police Headquarters requires the employment of three Firemen;

Ordered, That in order to permit the employment of one additional Fireman at \$3 per diem for 344 days, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and is hereby respectfully requested to amend the salary schedules of the Police Department Budget for the year 1910, under Code No. 643, Mechanics and Laborers, Salaries and Wages, by transferring the sum of \$1,032 from line number 19 to line number 18, so that they shall read as follows:

No. 18. 3 Firemen, not to exceed \$3 per diem..... \$3,222 00
No. 19. 2 Coal Passers at \$2.50 per diem..... 1,705 50

Respectfully,

WM. F. BAKER, Police Commissioner.

Department of Finance, City of New York, }
Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, }
April 18, 1910.

The Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—In the matter of a communication from the Police Commissioner under date of January 20, 1910, requesting a revision of the schedule supporting the salaries and wages appropriation in the 1910 Budget entitled: No. 643, Mechanics and Laborers, to provide for the increase of the number of Firemen employed at Police Headquarters from two to three and the reduction of Coal Passers from three to two, which was referred to me for consideration, I submit the following report:

The delay in submitting a report in this matter is due to the fact that the requested modification could not be made effective until the resolution establishing the grades of positions of Firemen and Coal Passers employed in the new Headquarters Building of the Police Department was amended so as to permit the use of Firemen and Coal Passers in accordance with the conditions of work. The necessary amendment providing for the striking out of the number of incumbents therein was adopted March 8, 1910. The change will increase the labor cost to the amount of \$182.50 per annum only. I recommend the approval of the Commissioner's request.

Respectfully,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby modifies and amends the schedule supporting the appropriation made in the Budget for 1910 for the Police Department, City of New York, to read as follows:

Administration.

Mechanics and Laborers—

643. Salaries and Wages:

Foreman of Mechanics.....	\$1,500 00
Carpenters, not to exceed \$5 a day.....	12,520 00
Plumbers, not to exceed \$5 a day.....	6,260 00
Painters, not to exceed \$4 a day.....	3,756 00
Roofers (Metal), not to exceed \$4.50 a day.....	4,225 50
Foreman Printer	1,820 00
Elevatormen, 2 at \$75 per month each.....	1,800 00
Laborers	8,212 50
Cleaners, Headquarters, 13 at \$45 a month each....	7,020 00
Male Cleaners, Station Houses, 25 at \$600 each....	15,000 00
Building Inspector	3,000 00
Matron, Central Park Station.....	600 00
Job Compositors, not to exceed \$3.50 per day.....	6,573 00
Pressman, not to exceed \$4 a day.....	1,252 00
Feeder, \$2.66½ a day.....	834 67

New Headquarters Building.

Chief Engineer	1,500 00
Assistant Engineers, 3 at \$1,200 each.....	3,600 00
Firemen, not to exceed \$3 a day.....	3,222 00
Coal Passers, at \$2.50 a day.....	1,705 50
Electrician	1,200 00
Elevatormen, 4 at \$900 each.....	3,600 00
	<u>\$89,201 17</u>

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond—16.

The Secretary presented the following communication from the County Court of Kings County requesting, and report of the Comptroller recommending, a modification of the schedules of Salaries supporting the appropriation made in the Budget for the year 1910 for said Court, providing for the additional positions of Telephone Operator and Messenger, at \$900 each per annum, by eliminating the position of one Interpreter at \$2,500 per annum.

County Court, Kings County, }
Brooklyn, April 15, 1910. }

Hon. WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller, New York City:

DEAR SIR—I would most respectfully request the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to make the following changes in the Salary account, County Court, Kings County, for the year 1910:

Make Budget Schedule, Interpreters, 3 at \$2,500 each, Interpreters, 2 at \$2,500 each. Add a new Budget Schedule, Messenger, \$900.

Add a new Budget Schedule, Telephone Operator, \$900.

Transfer \$1,800 from Interpreters, 3 at \$2,500 each, to the new schedules, as above.

Hoping that the above changes will meet with your approval, I am,

Very respectfully,

CHARLES S. DEVOY.

Department of Finance, City of New York, }
Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, }
April 18, 1910.

The Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—In reference to a communication from the Chief Clerk of the County Court, Kings County, dated April 15, 1910, requesting a modification of the salary schedule in the Budget for the year 1910, for that office, I report thereon as follows:

The County Judges of Kings County desire to add the position of Messenger at \$900 per annum and Telephone Operator at \$900 per annum to the present salary schedule of the office. To provide for the payment of the salaries of the Messenger and Telephone Operator, \$1,800, and keep within the appropriation for the year 1910, County Judges propose to eliminate the position of one Interpreter at \$2,500 per annum, having the Budget schedule line now reading Interpreters, 3 at \$2,500—\$7,500, read Interpreters, 2 at \$2,500—\$5,000, and to add an additional line entitled, unassigned balance \$700. No additional appropriation will be required.

In view of the facts as herein stated, I would recommend the approval of the request in accordance with the resolution hereto appended.

Respectfully,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the revision and modification of the schedule supporting the appropriation in the Budget for 1910, for the County Court, Kings County, entitled:

1854. Salaries—	
County Judges, 2 at \$10,000 each.....	\$20,000 00
Chief Clerk	7,500 00
Deputy Clerk	3,600 00
Confidential Clerks, 2 at \$2,000 each.....	4,000 00
Stenographer	3,600 00
Stenographer	3,000 00
Clerks, 2 at \$3,400 each.....	6,800 00
Clerks, 2 at \$3,300 each.....	6,600 00
Clerk	3,100 00
Clerk	2,900 00
Clerk	2,600 00
Clerks, 3 at \$2,400 each.....	7,200 00
Chief Court Attendant.....	3,300 00
Warden, Grand Jury	3,000 00
Interpreters, 2 at \$2,500 each.....	5,000 00
County Detectives, 2 at \$2,400 each.....	4,800 00
Probationary Officers, 2 at \$2,500 each.....	5,000 00
Court Attendants, 21 at \$1,800 each.....	37,800 00
Messenger	900 00
Telephone Operator	900 00
Unassigned balance	700 00
	<u>\$132,300 00</u>

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond—16.

The Secretary presented the following communication from the President of the Borough of Richmond requesting, and report of the Comptroller recommending, a modification of the Schedules of Salaries supporting the appropriation made in the Budget for the year 1910 for said Borough President, providing for an increase in salary of \$150 each for a Clerk, two Stable Inspectors and seven Section Foremen in the Bureau of Street Cleaning, involving no additional appropriation:

The City of New York, }
Office of the President of the Borough of Richmond, }
New Brighton, New York City, April 1, 1910.

JOSEPH HAAG, Esq., Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, No. 277 Broadway, New York:

DEAR SIR—On February 11 the Board of Estimate and Apportionment revised the Budget appropriations for the Bureau of Street Cleaning in the office of the President of the Borough of Richmond for the year 1910 and set aside certain sums for reassignment at a later date. I would now ask that the Board assign the sums so designated, changing the appropriations as follows:

	Appropriated Feb. 11, 1910.	Requested Revision.
Administration—		
1699. Salaries and Wages:		
Assistant Engineer (Acting Superintendent)	\$3,000 00	\$3,000 00
Assistant Superintendent	1,500 00	1,500 00
Clerks, 2 at \$1,650 each	3,300 00	3,300 00
Clerk	1,320 00	1,320 00
(a) Clerk	1,050 00	1,200 00
Unassigned	150 00	.....
	<u>\$10,320 00</u>	<u>\$10,320 00</u>
Maintenance and Final Disposition—		
1700. Salaries:		
District Inspectors	\$4,500 00	\$4,500 00
(b) Stable Inspectors	2,700 00	3,000 00
Unassigned	300 00	.....
	<u>\$7,500 00</u>	<u>\$7,500 00</u>
1701. Wages:		
(c) Foremen	\$11,550 00	\$12,600 00
Assistant Foremen	900 00	900 00
Laborers	31,772 00	31,772 00
Sweepers	68,400 00	68,400 00
Drivers	35,640 00	35,640 00
Hostlers	10,540 00	10,540 00
Stationary Engineer	1,650 00	1,650 00
Stoker	1,280 00	1,280 00
Painter	1,000 00	1,000 00
Unassigned	1,050 00	.....
	<u>\$163,782 00</u>	<u>\$163,782 00</u>

The remainder of the funds in the Bureau of Street Cleaning to continue as revised February 11, 1910, by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

In explanation of the foregoing changes I beg to state:

(a) In Fund 1699 it is proposed to increase the salary of one Clerk to the extent of \$150, for efficiency, and to equalize salaries, on the ground that the man concerned is relatively underpaid for the character and amount of work performed.

(b) It is proposed to increase the salaries of two Stable Inspectors each \$150 per annum, on account of efficiency and to equalize salaries, as the two men concerned deserve the promotion.

(c) It is proposed to increase the salaries of seven Section Foremen from \$1,050 per annum to \$1,200 per annum, on the ground of efficiency, length of service and responsibility.

The foregoing modifications will not entail any additional appropriation.

Yours very truly,

GEORGE CROMWELL, President of the Borough.

Department of Finance, City of New York,
Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics,
April 18, 1910.

The Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—On April 10, 1910, the President of the Borough of Richmond addressed a communication to your Board requesting the approval of the modification of certain schedules supporting Budget appropriations made for 1910 in Bureaus of the Bureau of Street Cleaning under his jurisdiction. In connection therewith, I submit the following report:

The request contemplates making provision for increases in salaries amounting in all to \$1,500, but no additional funds beyond those already appropriated are asked for. It is proposed to make the following increases:

One Clerk from \$1,050 to \$1,200, \$150 increase.
Two Stable Inspectors from \$1,350 to \$1,500, \$150 each, \$300 increase.
Seven Section Foremen from \$1,050 to \$1,200, \$150 each, \$1,050 increase.

The Funds have been provided in the Budget schedules as modified and appear in the existing schedules as "Balance unassigned" for the amounts respectively required in the several accounts.

In connection with the employees attached to the Bureau of Street Cleaning there is maintained a record of efficiency from which at the end of a given time an individual receives a rating upon work performed. Promotions are made in the Bureau strictly in accordance with this efficiency record. This system is applied to the office force as well as the labor forces, and has worked satisfactorily because employees have learned from experience that salary or wage increases come as the result of good work and not through preference. The request under consideration is made in order to continue the system.

In view of the facts as stated, I recommend that the request be approved as per the resolution attached hereto.

Respectfully,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the following modification of the schedules supporting the Budget appropriations for 1910, made to the Department of the President of the Borough of Richmond, entitled:

Bureau of Street Cleaning.

Administration—		
1699. Salaries and Wages:		
Assistant Engineer (Acting Superintendent)	\$3,000 00	
Assistant Superintendent	1,500 00	
Clerks, 2 at \$1,650 each	3,300 00	
Clerk	1,320 00	
Clerk	1,200 00	
	<u>\$10,320 00</u>	
Maintenance and Final Disposition—		
1700. Salaries:		
District Inspectors, 3 at \$1,500 each	\$4,500 00	
Stable Inspectors, 2 at \$1,500 each	3,000 00	
	<u>\$7,500 00</u>	
1701. Wages:		
Foremen	\$12,600 00	
Assistant Foremen	900 00	
Laborers	31,772 00	
Sweepers	68,400 00	
Drivers	35,640 00	
Hostlers	10,540 00	
Stationary Engineer	1,650 00	

Stoker	1,280 00
Painter	1,000 00
	<u>\$163,782 00</u>

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond—16.

The Secretary presented the following communication from the Commissioner of the Fire Department requesting, and report of the Comptroller recommending, the purchase at private sale, at a price not exceeding \$4,000, of the property located on the west side of Irving place, 187.69 feet north of Broadway, measuring 25.03 feet by 100.43 feet by 25.40 feet by 104.78 feet, in the Dunton section of Jamaica, Borough of Queens, for the use of the Fire Department.

(On April 1, 1910, the request of the Fire Commissioner for the acquisition of the above property was referred to the Comptroller.)

Headquarters, Fire Department, City of New York,
Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh Street,
March 22, 1910.

Hon. WILLIAM J. GAYNOR, Mayor, Chairman of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

SIR—Since July 5, 1907, premises located on the west side of Irving place, about 200 feet north of Broadway, Jamaica, Borough of Queens, have been leased for the use of this Department at an annual rental of \$420, being occupied by Hook and Ladder Company 76. The lease and renewals have contained a clause giving the City the right to purchase the property for \$4,000 at any time during the life thereof, upon giving sixty days' notice of its intention so to do. The last renewal will expire July 5, 1910, and the lessor, The Irving Place Association, declines to renew the same. As the property is needed for the purposes of this Department, I have the honor to request that it be acquired at private sale, otherwise condemnation proceedings will be necessary. Funds for the purchase of the property are available from appropriation entitled Boroughs of Richmond and Queens, Sites, Erection of and Additions and Alterations to Buildings for an Extension of Paid System, 1905.

I inclose copy of communication from the president of said association, dated March 17, 1910, and of resolution therein referred to.

Respectfully,

R. WALDO, Fire Commissioner.

New York, March 17, 1910.

Hon. RHINELANDER WALDO, Fire Commissioner, No. 157 East Sixty-seventh Street, City:

DEAR SIR—Replying further to yours of March 10, I inclose resolution adopted at a meeting held by the Irving Place Association last evening.

The association will not, under any circumstances, renew the lease to the Fire Department, which expires July 5, 1910.

The City has the option of purchasing the property in question for the sum of \$4,000, provided said option is taken advantage of by May 5.

If the City does not state its intention to purchase by May 5, we will withdraw our offer at this price.

Respectfully yours,

H. W. LYALL, President, Irving Place Association, Jamaica, N. Y.

Irving Place Association,
Irving Hall, Irving Place, near Broadway,
Jamaica, N. Y., March 17, 1910.

Whereas, Fire Commissioner Waldo has written our President asking that he advise the Fire Commissioner of the action of our association as to the renewal of our lease with the City for time beyond July 5, 1910; be it

Resolved, That the action of our president in refusing to renew the lease beyond July 5, 1910, be indorsed by this Board and that the president so advise the Commissioner and ask the Fire Commissioner to advise us what action the City will take in the matter of purchase before May 5, 1910.

The above resolution was duly made, seconded and carried at a meeting of the Board of Directors, held March 16, 1910.

EDWARD W. WADE, Secretary.

City of New York, Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office,
April 20, 1910.

The Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—The Hon. Rhinelander Waldo, Fire Commissioner, in a communication to your Honorable Board under date of March 22, 1910, requests that the fire house property located on the west side of Irving place, about 200 feet north of Broadway, in the Dunton Section of Jamaica, Borough of Queens, be purchased by the City at the option price of \$4,000 named in the present existing lease, as the property is needed for the purposes of his Department. He says that funds for the purchase of the property are available from the appropriation entitled Boroughs of Richmond and Queens, Sites, Erection of and Additions and Alterations to Buildings for an Extension of Paid System, 1905.

He also incloses with his letter a communication from H. W. Lyall, President of the Irving Place Association, owner of the property, in which Mr. Lyall says that the association will not under any circumstances renew the lease to the Fire Department which expires on July 5, 1910, and if the City does not state its intention to purchase by May 5, the association will withdraw its offer at the price of \$4,000.

This is a two-story frame fire house, 20 by 46 feet, on a lot 25.03 by 100.43 by 25.40 by 104.78, located on the west side of Irving place, 187.69 feet north of Broadway, Jamaica, Borough of Queens. The house was built about five years ago and is in excellent condition. It has a concrete floor down stairs, and the lower floor is sealed; the upper floor is plastered. The building has steam heat, gas, two toilets, two basins, and there is also a cellar about 12 by 20 feet under the rear of the building which is used for coal and for the steam heating apparatus. There is also a one-story frame building about 10 by 10 feet in the rear, which is used for the storage of fodder. The street is macadamized and has gas and electric light, water and sewer.

The Fire Department has occupied the building since July 5, 1907, at a rental of \$420 a year. The property is assessed for the year 1910:

Lot	\$400 00
Building	2,400 00
	<u>\$2,800 00</u>

For comparison, a plot 150 by 75.83 by 153.62 by 109.35 feet, in the rear of the fire house, and fronting on Napier place, a street only one block long and not macadamized, was reported sold recently at an average of \$600 for each 25 foot lot. Another lot, vacant, 25 by 175.91 by 25.37 by 180.22 feet, located on the same side of Irving place as the fire house, and about one block further north, being 160.16 feet north of Beaufort avenue, was also reported sold recently for \$1,000 to the owner of the adjoining property.

The present fair market value of the fire house property is:

Lot	\$700 00
Building	3,300 00
	<u>\$4,000 00</u>

The Department of Taxes states that the present fair market value of the property is \$4,000, but does not give an appraisal of land and building separately.

Deeming the option price of \$4,000 for this property reasonable and just, and the purchase being for the best interests of the City, I respectfully recommend to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment that it authorize the purchase at private sale of the property located on the west side of Irving place, 187.69 feet north of Broadway, measuring 25.03 by 100.43 by 25.40 by 104.78 feet, in the Dunton Section of Jamaica, Borough of Queens, together with the buildings thereon, for the use of the Fire Department, from the owners, the Irving Place Association of Jamaica, Borough of Queens, at a price not to exceed \$4,000, and that notice of the City's intention to avail itself of the option contained in existing lease be given to H. W. Lyall, President of the Irving Place Association, before May 5, 1910.

Respectfully,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the action of the Commissioner of the Fire Department in the selection of the property located on the west side of Irving place 187.69 feet north of Broadway, measuring 25.03 feet by 100.43 feet by 25.40 feet by 104.78 feet, in the Dunton section of Jamaica, Borough of Queens, together with the buildings thereon, for the use of said Department, and the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to enter into a contract for the acquisition of said property and buildings thereon, at private sale at a price not exceeding four thousand dollars (\$4,000), said contract to be submitted to the Corporation Counsel for approval as to form.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond—16.

The Secretary presented the following communication from the Commissioner of the Fire Department requesting authority, and report of the Comptroller, recommending that said Commission be authorized, pursuant to resolution adopted January 14, 1910, to award a contract for the construction of Pier 25 at the foot of Oliver street, East River, Borough of Manhattan, at a cost not to exceed \$30,000.

(On April 1, 1910, the request of the Commissioner of the Department of Docks and Ferries for authority, as above, was referred to the Comptroller.)

Department of Docks and Ferries,
Pier "A," North River,
New York, March 17, 1910.

Hon. WILLIAM J. GAYNOR, Mayor, Chairman of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

SIR—A contract has been prepared by this Department for the construction of Pier 25, at the foot of Oliver street, East River, and for the construction of a bulkhead platform westerly thereof. This contract was authorized at a meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held June 25, 1909, at a cost not to exceed \$35,250. No work was done under the contract, however, pending the completion of the construction of the bulkhead wall thereat.

The work on the wall is now so far completed as to permit the construction of the pier and platform referred to. The premises are under lease to the Long Island Railroad Company and it is advisable that the work be carried on as soon as possible and that the improvement be completed in order that there may be no loss in rental.

After reconsideration of the matter, it is estimated that the work under the contract will cost about \$30,000.

I respectfully request that the contract be now reauthorized at the estimated cost of \$30,000.

Yours respectfully,

CALVIN TOMKINS, Commissioner of Docks.

Department of Docks and Ferries,
Pier "A," North River,
New York, April 14, 1910.

Hon. WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller:

SIR—On the 17th ult. I forwarded to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, for reauthorization at an estimated cost of \$30,000, contract No. 1147 for construction of a new pier and platform at Oliver street, East River, Borough of Manhattan. This matter was referred at a meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment April 1, 1910.

This property is under lease to the Long Island Railroad Company. The Department has now completed the bulkhead wall and the property is in condition to permit the immediate commencement of the work of building the platform and pier. Any delay in proceeding with the work, it will be seen, will necessarily result in a loss of rental to the City, and in view of this fact I respectfully urge that the contract be returned to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment by you with recommendation for reauthorization as soon as possible.

Yours respectfully,

CALVIN TOMKINS, Commissioner.

April 12, 1910.

To the Honorable the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—Hon. Calvin Tomkins, Commissioner, Department of Docks and Ferries, in communication dated March 17, 1910, requests the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to grant him permission to reauthorize and award the contract for the construction of Pier 25, at the foot of Oliver street, East River, Borough of Manhattan, at a cost not to exceed \$30,000.

From an investigation which I have caused to be made, I am advised by the Chief Engineer of this Department that the construction of a pier at the foot of Oliver street was originally authorized by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on June 25, 1909, on which date a resolution was passed in which provision was made that the Commissioner of Docks and Ferries be empowered to let and award a contract for the work at a cost not to exceed \$35,250.

The contract for the work was not let during the year 1909 for the reason that the bulkhead wall being built at that point was not sufficiently advanced.

The bulkhead wall is now nearing completion, and, as the pier is under lease to the Long Island Railroad Company, to be occupied when completed, in order that there may be no loss in rental, the construction of the pier should be proceeded with at as early a date as possible.

The building of the pier and platform, and the filling in of dock property westerly thereof, will result in the widening of South street at this point, and will be of great benefit to traffic, which is heavy on this water-front street.

The contract will embrace the construction of a pier 300 feet long by 40 feet wide, with a deck of reinforced concrete 10½ inches in thickness, and also a platform 75 feet westerly therefrom.

The original estimate of cost was \$35,250, but, upon reconsideration, it is now estimated that the cost of the work will not exceed \$30,000, this amount being based on a carefully prepared statement of quantities of work and material necessary and estimated unit prices therefor.

The new pier, I consider, is urgently needed, and the amount named is in accordance with the requirements for the work to be performed.

I therefore recommend that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment suspend the application of the resolution of January 14, 1910, in so far as to permit the Commissioner of the Department of Docks and Ferries to authorize and award a contract for the construction of Pier 25, at the foot of Oliver street, East River, Borough of Manhattan, at a cost not to exceed \$30,000.

Respectfully,

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

The following was offered:

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting held January 14, 1910, adopted a resolution directing the heads of the various City departments and offices to refrain from incurring any further obligations or executing any contracts chargeable to corporate stock, other than water bonds, except for salaries, wages and supplies properly chargeable to such corporate stock accounts, without the express authorization thereto by this Board after the passage of said resolution; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Commissioner of the Department of Docks and Ferries be and is hereby authorized to award a contract for the construction of Pier 25, at the foot of Oliver street, East River, Borough of Manhattan, at a cost not to exceed thirty thousand dollars (\$30,000).

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond—16.

The Secretary presented the following communication from the Department of Education requesting, and report of the Comptroller recommending, a modification of the schedules of "Salaries" supporting the appropriation made in the Budget for the year 1910, for said Department, providing for increases in salaries of Clerks and for changes in titles of certain positions, involving no additional appropriation:

Board of Education,
Park Avenue and Fifty-ninth Street,
New York, April 19, 1910.

MR. JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

DEAR SIR—In accordance with a resolution adopted by the Board of Education on January 12, 1910, the undersigned beg leave to submit the following requests for modifications in salary schedules:

No. 980, Office of the Secretary.

Strike out	
Typewriting Copyists, 2 at \$1,050 each.....	\$2,100 00
Unassigned balance.....	60 00
—and insert	
Typewriting Copyist.....	1,050 00
Stenographer and Typewriter.....	600 00
Unassigned balance.....	510 00

No. 981, Office of the Auditor.

Strike out	
Clerks, 5 at \$600 each.....	\$3,000 00
Clerk.....	540 00
Clerks, 4 at \$400 each.....	1,600 00
Clerks, 8 at \$300 each.....	2,400 00
Clerk (Cataloguer).....	600 00
Unassigned balance.....	150 00
—and insert	
Clerks, 4 at \$600 each.....	2,400 00
Clerks, 3 at \$540 each.....	1,620 00
Clerks, 6 at \$400 each.....	2,400 00
Clerks, 6 at \$300 each.....	1,800 00
Unassigned balance.....	70 00

No. 985, Office of the Superintendent of School Buildings.

Strike out	
Cleaner.....	\$900 00
—and insert	
Messenger.....	900 00

No. 987, Office of the Supervisor of Lectures.

Strike out	
Stenographer and Typewriter.....	\$900 00
Librarian.....	900 00
—and insert	
Stenographers and Typewriters, 2 at \$900 each.....	1,800 00

The above requests involve no increase in appropriations.

Copies of the schedules, as modified, are inclosed.

Respectfully yours,

A. E. PALMER, Secretary, Board of Education.

HENRY R. M. COOK, Auditor, Board of Education.

980. Office of the Secretary—

Secretary.....	\$5,500 00
Assistant Secretary.....	3,500 00
Chief Clerk.....	3,000 00
Clerk.....	2,250 00
Clerk.....	2,100 00
Clerks, 4 at \$1,950 each.....	7,800 00
Clerk.....	1,500 00
Clerk.....	1,200 00
Clerk.....	1,050 00
Clerks, 2 at \$750 each.....	1,500 00
Clerk.....	600 00
Clerk.....	480 00
Clerk.....	420 00
Stenographer and Typewriter.....	2,500 00
Stenographers and Typewriters, 2 at \$1,500 each.....	3,000 00
Stenographer and Typewriter.....	1,350 00
Stenographer and Typewriter.....	600 00
Typewriting Copyist.....	1,050 00
Telephone Switchboard Operator.....	900 00
Telephone Switchboard Operator.....	480 00
Telephone Switchboard Operator.....	750 00
Librarian.....	1,050 00
Messenger.....	1,200 00
Unassigned balance.....	510 00
	<u>\$44,290 00</u>

981. Office of the Auditor—

Auditor.....	\$5,500 00
Clerk.....	3,000 00
Clerk.....	2,100 00
Clerk.....	1,800 00
Clerk.....	1,500 00
Bookkeeper.....	1,950 00
Examiners of Claims, 8 at \$1,500 each.....	12,000 00
Examiner of Claims.....	1,200 00
Clerks, 3 at \$1,350 each.....	4,050 00
Clerks, 4 at \$1,200 each.....	4,800 00
Clerks, 2 at \$1,050 each.....	2,100 00

Clerks, 6 at \$900 each.....	5,400 00
Clerk	660 00
Clerks, 4 at \$600 each.....	2,400 00
Clerks, 3 at \$540 each.....	1,620 00
Clerks, 6 at \$400 each.....	2,400 00
Clerks, 6 at \$300 each.....	1,800 00
Stenographer and Typewriter.....	1,350 00
Typewriter Accountants, 3 at \$900 each.....	2,700 00
Unassigned balance.....	70 00
	<u>\$58,400 00</u>

985. Office of the Superintendent of School Buildings—	
Superintendent	\$10,000 00
Deputy Superintendents, 3 at \$4,500 each.....	13,500 00
Deputy Superintendent.....	3,500 00
Assistants to Superintendent, 2 at \$2,550 each.....	5,100 00
Sanitary Assistant.....	3,250 00
Chief Clerk	3,500 00
Clerk	2,250 00
Clerk	1,350 00
Clerks, 2 at \$1,200 each.....	2,400 00
Clerk	1,050 00
Clerk	750 00
Clerks, 2 at \$600 each.....	1,200 00
Clerk	540 00
Clerk	420 00
Clerk	300 00
Stenographer and Typewriter.....	1,650 00
Stenographer and Typewriter.....	1,500 00
Stenographers and Typewriters, 6 at \$1,350 each.....	8,100 00
Stenographer and Typewriter.....	900 00
Stenographer and Typewriter.....	750 00
Stenographers and Typewriters, 2 at \$600 each.....	1,200 00
Typewriter	1,350 00
Typewriting Copyist.....	750 00
Typewriting Copyists, 2 at \$600 each.....	1,200 00
Telephone Switchboard Operator.....	750 00
Messenger	900 00
Unassigned balance.....	60 00
	<u>\$71,220 00</u>

987. Office of the Supervisor of Lectures—	
Clerk	\$1,950 00
Clerk	300 00
Stenographer and Typewriter.....	1,200 00
Stenographers and Typewriters, 2 at \$1,050 each.....	2,100 00
Stenographers and Typewriters, 2 at \$900 each.....	1,800 00
Stenographer and Typewriter.....	750 00
	<u>\$8,100 00</u>

Department of Finance, City of New York.
Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics.
April 19, 1910.

The Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—I am in receipt of a communication from the Board of Education requesting sundry minor modifications in Schedules No. 980, No. 981, No. 985 and No. 987, supporting the corresponding Budget appropriations for salaries and wages for 1910, which has been referred to me by the Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and would report thereon as follows:

The proposed changes are as follows:

No. 980, Office of the Secretary.

Strike out	
Typewriting Copyists, 2 at \$1,050 each	\$2,100 00
Unassigned balance	60 00
—and insert	
Typewriting Copyist	1,050 00
Stenographer and Typewriter.....	600 00
Unassigned balance	510 00

No. 981, Office of the Auditor.

Strike out	
Clerks, 5 at \$600 each.....	\$3,000 00
Clerk	540 00
Clerks, 4 at \$400 each.....	1,600 00
Clerks, 8 at \$300 each.....	2,400 00
Clerk (Cataloguer).....	600 00
Balance unassigned	150 00
—and insert	
Clerks, 4 at \$600 each.....	2,400 00
Clerks, 3 at \$540 each.....	1,620 00
Clerks, 6 at \$400 each.....	2,400 00
Clerks, 6 at \$300 each.....	1,800 00
Unassigned balance	70 00

No. 985, Office of the Superintendent of School Buildings.

Strike out	
Cleaner	\$900 00
—and insert	
Messenger	900 00

No. 987, Office of the Supervisor of Lectures.

Strike out	
Stenographer and Typewriter.....	\$900 00
Librarian	900 00
—and insert	
Stenographers and Typewriters, 2 at \$900 each.....	1,800 00

A Typewriting Copyist in the office of the Secretary at \$1,050 per annum has taken two months' leave of absence. The proposed change in schedule No. 980 is for the purpose of putting a Stenographer and Typewriter at \$600 per annum in her place. Those in Schedule No. 981 are to provide for the promotion of several \$300 and \$400 Clerks to \$400 and \$540 grades, their places being filled by new recruits at the minimum rate, which promotions are feasible within the allowance made owing to vacancies which have occurred in higher salaried positions in the Auditor's staff. In the schedule of the Superintendent of School Buildings it is proposed to change the title of Cleaner at \$900 to Messenger at the same salary and in the schedule of the Supervisor of Lectures, to change Librarian at \$900 to Stenographer and Typewriter at \$900, in order to provide for corresponding changes in employees.

Inasmuch as no additional appropriations are required, I would recommend that the schedules be modified as requested, according to the resolution submitted herewith.

Respectfully,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the following schedules as revised for the Department of Education for the year 1910 be and hereby are approved:

Special School Fund, General Administration, Salaries and Wages—

980. Office of the Secretary:	
Secretary	\$5,500 00
Assistant Secretary	3,500 00
Chief Clerk	3,000 00
Clerk	2,250 00
Clerk	2,100 00
Clerks, 4 at \$1,950 each.....	7,800 00
Clerk	1,500 00
Clerk	1,200 00
Clerk	1,050 00
Clerks, 2 at \$750 each.....	1,500 00
Clerk	600 00
Clerk	480 00
Clerk	420 00
Stenographer and Typewriter.....	2,500 00
Stenographers and Typewriters, 2 at \$1,500 each.....	3,000 00
Stenographer and Typewriter.....	1,350 00
Stenographer and Typewriter.....	600 00
Typewriting Copyist	1,050 00
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Telephone Switchboard Operator.....	480 00
Telephone Switchboard Operator.....	750 00
Librarian	1,050 00
Messenger	1,200 00
Unassigned balance	510 00
	<u>\$44,290 00</u>

Special School Fund, General Administration, Salaries and Wages—

981. Office of the Auditor:	
Auditor	\$5,500 00
Clerk	3,000 00
Clerk	2,100 00
Clerk	1,800 00
Clerk	1,500 00
Bookkeeper	1,950 00
Examiners of Claims, 8 at \$1,500 each.....	12,000 00
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Clerks, 6 at \$300 each.....	1,800 00
Stenographer and Typewriter.....	1,350 00
Typewriter Accountants, 3 at \$900 each.....	2,700 00
Unassigned balance	70 00
	<u>\$58,400 00</u>

Special School Fund, Administration, Salaries and Wages—

985. Office of the Superintendent of School Buildings:	
Superintendent	\$10,000 00
Deputy Superintendents, 3 at \$4,500 each.....	13,500 00
Deputy Superintendent	3,500 00
Deputy Superintendent	3,000 00
Assistants to Superintendent, 2 at \$2,550 each.....	5,100 00
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Typewriting Copyist	750 00
Typewriting Copyists, 2 at \$600 each.....	1,200 00
Telephone Switchboard Operator.....	750 00
Messenger	900 00
Unassigned balance	60 00
	<u>\$71,220 00</u>

Special School Fund, Administration, Salaries and Wages—

987. Office of the Supervisor of Lectures:	
Clerk	\$1,950 00
Clerk	300 00
Stenographer and Typewriter.....	1,200 00
Stenographers and Typewriters, 2 at \$1,050 each.....	2,100 00
Stenographers and Typewriters, 2 at \$900 each.....	1,800 00
Stenographer and Typewriter.....	750 00
	<u>\$8,100 00</u>

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond—16.

The Secretary presented the following communication from the Board of Assessors requesting, and report of the Select Committee, consisting of the Comptroller and President of the Board of Aldermen, recommending, the establishment of the position of Stenographer to the Board of Assessors, with salary at the rate of \$2,250 per annum, for one incumbent.

(On April 1, 1910, the request of the Board of Assessors for the establishment of the above position was referred to said Select Committee.)

Office, Board of Assessors, No. 320 Broadway, }
New York, March 28, 1910. }

Hon. WILLIAM J. GAYNOR, Chairman, Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

SIR—I respectfully request, on behalf of the Board of Assessors, that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in pursuance of section 56 of the Charter, recommend to the Board of Aldermen the creation of the position of Stenographer to the Board of Assessors, with salary of \$2,250 per annum, for one incumbent. Should this position be created, it is the intention of the Board of Assessors to apply to the Municipal Civil Service Commission to place the same in the exempt class. Provision is made in the salary schedule for this office accompanying the Budget for the year 1910 for a Stenographer at the compensation aforesaid, which place is now vacant, due to the resignation of Mr. George C. Sutton on March 8, 1910. Should this place be created application will be made to your Honorable Board to modify the salary schedule accordingly.

The reasons for this application are as follows:

The chief duty of the former incumbent in the position of Stenographer was to report hearings upon claims for damages arising under special legislative acts, and to render such assistance as might be otherwise required in relation to such matters, such as in returns on writs of certiorari and keeping a record of the proceedings. It is the intention of the present Board to employ the Stenographer in a similar capacity, and in such other work as it might deem proper to assign to him. Taking into consideration the importance of the position, the Board is of the opinion that the Stenographer should be regarded as a confidential employee and therefore placed in the exempt class. The Board feels that it should have some freedom of selection in the appointment, not only with a view of making the position a confidential one, but securing a person of special fitness, one who would have some law training as well as being a stenographer.

Before making application to the Civil Service Commission to have the position declared exempt it appears necessary, in the first place, to ask your Honorable Board to consent to the establishment of the new position of Stenographer to the Board, at a salary now fixed for a Stenographer in the office, and for which appropriation has been duly made, namely, at the rate of \$2,250 per annum, thus involving no change of grade nor additional outlay for the position.

There is also employed in this office another Stenographer, at a grade or salary of \$1,650 per annum, who is employed in general stenographic work taking minutes, and more particularly employed in regular or ordinary hearings, and making transcripts thereof in practically every case for the use of the Board of Revision of Assessments.

The request made herein is not intended to affect this position in any way.

Yours truly,

JOSEPH P. HENNESSY, President.

Department of Finance, City of New York, }
Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, }
April 19, 1910. }

The Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—In the matter of the request of the Board of Assessors made through its President, Joseph P. Hennessy, for the establishment of the position of "Stenographer to the Board of Assessors" at a salary of \$2,250 per annum, for one incumbent, which was referred by your Board to the Select Committee on Salaries and Grades, we would report as follows:

The present position of Stenographer in the office of the Board of Assessors at the annual salary of \$2,250 is now vacant through resignation. It is the desire of the President of the Board of Assessors to establish the position requested in the exempt class in lieu of the present position in the classified service at the same salary, because of the confidential character of the work performed by the employee.

In view of the facts stated in the communication from the President of the Board of Assessors before the Committee, and from further statements made by President Hennessy at the hearing granted by the Committee on the application, we recommend the granting of the request as per the resolution attached hereto.

Respectfully,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller;
JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen;
Select Committee.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of the position of Stenographer to the Board, in the office of the Board of Assessors, with salary at the rate of \$2,250 per annum, for one incumbent.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond—16.

The Secretary presented the following communication from the Chairman, Finance Committee of the Board of Aldermen, requesting, and report of the Select Committee consisting of the Comptroller and President of the Board of Aldermen, recommending, the establishment of the position of Stenographer and Committee Clerk at an annual salary of \$3,000 in the Administrative Staff of the Board of Aldermen for the present incumbent, Albert E. Hull.

(On April 1, 1910, a communication from the Chairman, Committee on Finance, Board of Aldermen, requesting the establishment of the above position, was referred to said Select Committee.)

City of New York, }
Board of Aldermen, }
City Hall, March 17, 1910. }

To the Honorable the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—The Stenographer in this Department, who has been employed here since January, 1897, and has been in the service of the city since 1890, is now in receipt of a salary of \$2,500 per annum. His last increase was in 1905. In addition to his duties as Stenographer he performs other important work, particularly that of Committee Clerk to most of the standing committees of the Board of Aldermen, including the Committee on Finance, the Chairman of which is a member of the Sinking Fund Commission, and in connection with which there is a great deal of detail and a necessity for expert knowledge which the present incumbent of this position is especially well equipped to furnish owing to his long experience in this and other departments of the City government.

In consideration of the facts above set forth I respectfully request your Honorable Body to make the Budget line for this employee read as follows:

The Board of Aldermen and City Clerk, General Administration, 14, Salaries, Stenographer and Committee Clerk, \$3,000, for the present incumbent, Albert E. Hull, only, and to establish such position accordingly.

Respectfully,

FRANK L. DOWLING, Chairman.

Department of Finance, City of New York, }
Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, }
April 19, 1910. }

The Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—In the matter of the request of the Chairman of the Committee on Finance of the Board of Aldermen for the establishment of the position of "Stenographer and Committee Clerk" at a salary of \$3,000 per annum for Albert E. Hull, now employed at a salary of \$2,500 per annum under the title of "Stenographer to the Board," which matter was referred by your Board to a Select Committee on Salaries and Grades, consisting of the Comptroller and the President of the Board of Aldermen, we would report as follows:

The statement made to your Committee by Chairman Dowling, of the Committee on Finance of the Board of Aldermen, is to the effect that Mr. Hull is a valued employee of the Committee who has become an expert in the work of the Committee on Finance and of the procedure of the Sinking Fund Commission, of which Mr. Dowling is an ex officio member. He is also well versed generally in matters pertaining to the work of the Board of Aldermen and of the various City departments. The Committee also has other testimony of the efficiency of Mr. Hull and recommend approval of the request for the establishment of the new position in accordance with the resolution attached hereto.

Respectfully,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller;
JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen;
Select Committee.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of the position of Stenographer and Committee Clerk at an annual salary of three thousand dollars (\$3,000) in the Administrative Staff of the Board of Aldermen, for one incumbent, Albert E. Hull.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond—16.

The Secretary presented the following communication from the Surrogate, Queens County, requesting, and report of the Select Committee, consisting of the Comptroller and President of the Board of Aldermen recommending, the establishment of the grade of position of Assistant Clerk in the office of the Surrogate of Queens County, with salary at the rate of \$1,500 per annum.

(On February 25, 1910, the request of the Surrogate of Queens County for the establishment of the above grade of position was referred to said Select Committee.)

Office of the Surrogate, }
Queens County, N. Y., }
Jamaica, February 18, 1910. }

Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment, No. 277 Broadway, New York:

GENTLEMEN—I have for several years past made application in my regular departmental estimate for each year for an additional Assistant Clerk, at a salary of \$1,500 per year, but such applications were not granted.

Probably due to the fact of the great pressure of business and work at the time of the adoption of the Budget, the matter did not receive the attention from your Board which its importance deserved.

I find that with the present force it is almost impossible for my Clerks to do the work of this Court and office in the manner in which it should be done, and I therefore hereby make application, under section 56 of the Charter of The City of New York for the creation of another position of Assistant Clerk, at a salary of \$1,500 per annum.

To demonstrate how the business of this Court has grown, I give you the following figures showing the number of cases handled annually since the year 1900, when I adopted a system of numbering each case as it came into the office:

1900, number of cases.....	933
1901, number of cases.....	990
1902, number of cases.....	989
1903, number of cases.....	1,059
1904, number of cases.....	1,081
1905, number of cases.....	1,166
1906, number of cases.....	1,220
1907, number of cases.....	1,436
1908, number of cases.....	1,393
1909, number of cases.....	1,465

Showing an increase of 64 per cent. in ten years.

During that period there has been no increase in the number of Clerks employed. I have made changes in the system of copying and filing, which have simplified the searching of records, but increased the work of the Clerks, as have also the rules adopted by your Board for keeping accounts, payment of bills, etc.

The population of the County of Queens has, during my term of office, increased from less than 120,000 in 1900, to an estimated population of over 250,000 at the present time, and with the completion of the Blackwells Island Bridge and the Pennsylvania Railroad tunnels, a great increase in population is looked for during the next year or two.

It frequently happens that the records are subpoenaed from this Court to the Supreme Court and other Courts in this and adjoining counties, and often two Clerks may be away with papers attending other Courts for two or three days at a time. I have also been hampered by vacancies occurring occasionally and delay in filling same because there were no civil service lists from which to make appointments.

This Court is the only Court in Greater New York in which no official Stenographer has been provided. The duties of Court Stenographer have been performed by my personal Clerk, with a view to saving expenses. This Clerk also performs the duties of Assistant Clerk in the office, because it would be impossible for the force of Clerks to get along without his assistance, and the consequence has been that I am practically without a personal Clerk or Secretary.

I have, up to the present time, by hard work and constant pushing, been able to keep the records of the office about up to date. For the foregoing reasons it is becoming increasingly difficult to do so, and unless relief is obtained by the appointment of another Clerk, the work in this office will be seriously hampered.

I therefore trust you will give the matter your consideration, and if you will name a day for a hearing, I shall be glad to attend before you and give you any further information you may require.

Yours very truly,

DANIEL NOBLE, Surrogate.

Department of Finance, City of New York, }
Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, }
April 1, 1910. }

The Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—In reference to a communication from the Surrogate of Queens County, dated February 18, 1910, requesting the establishment of the grade of position of Assistant Clerk with salary at the rate of \$1,500 per annum, which was referred to a Select Committee consisting of the Comptroller and the President of the Board of Aldermen for consideration, we would report thereon as follows:

The Surrogate states that with the force he has at present he finds it impossible for his Clerks to do the office work in a satisfactory manner, and shows the increase in the number of cases for the last ten years to have been 64 per cent., as follows:

1900, number of cases.....	933
1901, number of cases.....	990
1902, number of cases.....	989
1903, number of cases.....	1,059
1904, number of cases.....	1,081
1905, number of cases.....	1,166
1906, number of cases.....	1,220
1907, number of cases.....	1,436
1908, number of cases.....	1,393
1909, number of cases.....	1,465

During this period the number of Clerks has remained the same, the population of Queens County in 1900 was less than 120,000, and it is estimated that the population in 1909 was over 250,000. The present force of the Surrogate's office and compensation paid is as follows:

Surrogate	\$5,000 00
Clerk of Surrogate's Court.....	3,000 00
Clerk and Stenographer.....	2,100 00
Assistant Clerk	1,500 00
Index Clerk	1,500 00
Copyist	1,200 00
Copyist	720 00
Court Attendant.....	1,500 00
	<u>\$16,520 00</u>

The Surrogate's office, Kings County, during the year 1909, had 5,693 cases at a salary cost of \$86,980. The Surrogates' office, New York County, in the same year had 8,234 cases at a salary cost of \$165,450, making the following average salary cost:

Manhattan	\$20 08
Kings	15 27
Queens	11 27

In view of the facts as herein stated, we would recommend the approval of the request of the Surrogate in accordance with the resolution hereto appended.

Respectfully,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller;
JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen;
Select Committee.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen, the establishment of the following grade of position in the office of the Surrogate of Queens County, in addition to those already existing therein:

Assistant Clerk, at \$1,500 per annum.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond—16.

The Secretary presented a report of the Select Committee, consisting of the Comptroller and President of the Board of Aldermen, recommending the establishment of the position of Engineer of Street Cleaning, to be attached to the Engineering Staff of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, with a salary at the rate of \$6,000 per annum.

Which was laid over for two weeks, and the Secretary directed to transmit copies of the report of the above Select Committee to each member of the Board.

(On February 25, 1910, the proposal of the President of the Borough of Richmond for the establishment of the above position was referred to said Select Committee and to the Chief Engineer of the Board.)

The Secretary presented the following communication from the Permanent Census Board relative to, and report of the Select Committee consisting of the Comptroller and President of the Board of Aldermen recommending, the establishment of the following positions and grades of positions in the office of the Permanent Census Board:

	Incumbents.	Per Annum.
Assistant Secretary	1	\$1,800 00
Clerk	1	750 00
Clerk	1	600 00
Clerk	3	540 00
Clerk	4	480 00
Clerk	9	420 00
Clerk	3	300 00

(On April 1, 1910, this matter was referred to the above Select Committee.)

Permanent Census Board,
No. 500 Park Avenue, Third Floor,
March 22, 1910.

Mr. JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, No. 277 Broadway, New York:

DEAR SIR—I beg to transmit to you for the action of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment a copy of a resolution adopted by the Permanent Census Board supplementary to a resolution transmitted to you under date of March 9, 1910, concerning the amendment of the schedule of salaries in the office of the Permanent Census Board. It appears that in order to amend this schedule in the manner then requested it will be necessary to request the establishment of certain grades of salaries, as indicated in the accompanying resolution.

Very truly yours,

GEORGE H. CHATFIELD, Secretary.

Permanent Census Board,
No. 500 Park Avenue, Third Floor,
March 21, 1910.

To the Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—At a meeting of the Permanent Census Board, held on March 8, 1910, a resolution was adopted and transmitted to your Honorable Board requesting that it recommend to the Board of Aldermen the amendment of the schedule of salaries in certain particulars. It has since appeared that such resolution, inasmuch as it requires the establishment of certain grades of positions, should be revised in form in order to be properly made a subject of recommendation to the Board of Aldermen. Therefore the Permanent Census Board respectfully .

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it hereby is requested, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, to recommend to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of positions in the office of the Permanent Census Board, as follows:

	Incumbents.	Per Annum.
Assistant Secretary	1	\$1,800 00
Clerk	1	750 00
Clerk	1	600 00
Clerk	3	540 00
Clerk	3	480 00
Clerk	6	420 00
Clerk	6	390 00
Clerk	1	330 00

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE H. CHATFIELD, Secretary.

City of New York, Department of Finance,
Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics,
April 9, 1910.

The Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—In the matter of a communication from the Secretary, Permanent Census Board, requesting the establishment of sundry new grades of positions in this Board, which was referred to a Select Committee consisting of the Comptroller and the President of the Board of Aldermen, at a meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held April 1, 1910, we would report as follows:

The estimate for the Permanent Census Board for the current year, which was prepared prior to the appointment of a secretary and the subsequent outlining of definite plans for the proposed work of establishing a permanent census of the school children of the city, requested provision for a Secretary, a Stenographer and 20 Clerks, at an aggregate cost of \$26,050, as follows:

1 Secretary	\$4,000 00
1 Stenographer	1,200 00
6 Clerks, at \$1,200 each.....	7,200 00
7 Clerks at \$1,050 each.....	7,350 00
7 Clerks at \$900 each.....	6,300 00
	<u>\$26,050 00</u>

The Budget schedule conforms with the estimate, but it is now claimed that the clerical force provided for therein is inadequate. It is therefore proposed to decrease the number of Clerks with salaries ranging from \$900 to \$1,200 per annum and thereby provide for increasing the size of the staff to 30 by making additions thereto at salaries ranging from \$330 to \$750 per annum, and also to provide for an Assistant Secretary at \$1,800 per annum, as indicated below.

1 Secretary	\$4,000 00
1 Assistant Secretary	1,800 00
1 Stenographer	1,200 00
2 Clerks at \$1,200 each.....	2,400 00
5 Clerks at \$1,050 each.....	5,250 00
2 Clerks at \$900 each.....	1,800 00
1 Clerk	750 00
1 Clerk	600 00
3 Clerks at \$540 each.....	1,620 00
3 Clerks at \$480 each.....	1,440 00
6 Clerks at \$420 each.....	2,520 00
6 Clerks at \$390 each.....	2,340 00
1 Clerk	330 00
	<u>\$26,050 00</u>

Of the 10 additional Clerks, 4 are to be stationed at Ellis Island to obtain the names of immigrant children, 2 at the Health Department to keep a record of birth, and the remainder to assist in the main office at Fifty-ninth street and Park avenue.

The proposed new grades include one at \$390 per annum and one at \$330 per annum, neither of which is included in the official list of salaries for first grade Clerks, as prescribed by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for all City Departments. It is, however, feasible to substitute 4 Clerks at \$480 per annum, 9 at \$420 and 3 at \$300 for 3 at \$480, 6 at \$420, 6 at \$390 and 1 at \$330, and still keep within the appropriation, which arrangement is satisfactory to the Secretary of the Census Board.

It appears necessary to have a larger clerical force than was originally provided for in order to do the work of the Board, and practicable to employ Clerks at lower salaries to operate the counting and adding machines and so keep within the appropriation. We would therefore recommend the establishment of new grades as proposed, according to the resolution submitted herewith.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller;

JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen;
Select Committee.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen, the establishment of the position of Assistant Secretary in the office of the Permanent Census Board, with salary at the rate of \$1,800 per annum, for one incumbent, and the establishment of the following grades of position in said office, in addition to those already existing therein:

	Incumbents.	Per Annum.
Clerk	1	\$750 00
Clerk	1	600 00
Clerk	3	540 00
Clerk	4	480 00
Clerk	9	420 00
Clerk	3	300 00

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond—16.

Report of the Committee on Corporate Stock Budget, consisting of the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen and the President of the Borough of Manhattan, recommending, in view of the urgent necessity for the immediate letting of contracts for repaving, that the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx be authorized, pursuant to resolution adopted January 14, 1910, to enter into contracts for repaving streets and avenues in the respective Boroughs, as follows:

Borough of Manhattan	\$185,000 00
Borough of The Bronx	160,000 00
	<u>\$345,000 00</u>

—and that the Board authorize the issue of corporate stock in the sum of \$1,415,000 for repaving streets and avenues in The City of New York, as follows:

Borough of Manhattan	\$615,000 00
Borough of Brooklyn	800,000 00
	<u>\$1,415,000 00</u>

Department of Finance, City of New York,
Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics,
April 19, 1910.

The Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—In view of the urgent necessity for the immediate letting of contracts for repaving, your Sub-Committee on the corporate stock Budget has decided to make a recommendation for authorization and reauthorization of corporate stock for repaving in advance of the corporate stock Budget, as follows:

Borough of Manhattan.

The unencumbered corporate stock authorized for Repaving Fund in the Borough of Manhattan on April 19, 1910, as shown on the books of the Department of Finance and the President of the Borough, taking into account contracts released by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, was \$185,000. Your Committee recommends the release of this amount from the operation of the resolution of this Board adopted January 14, 1910; also a new authorization of corporate stock to the amount of \$615,000, making a total for the Borough of Manhattan of reauthorization and new authorization of \$800,000.

Borough of The Bronx.

The corporate stock for Repaving Fund, Borough of The Bronx, unencumbered, on March 31, 1910, as per the books of the Department of Finance, was \$444,756.05. Your Committee recommends that \$160,000 of this amount be released from the operation of the resolution of January 14, 1910.

Borough of Brooklyn.

On March 31, 1910, there was no unencumbered authorization in the Repaving Fund of the Borough of Brooklyn, taking into consideration the contracts offered for certification, as approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment at its meeting of March 4, 1910, on a report of the Comptroller, under date of February 23, 1910. Your Committee recommends a new authorization of \$800,000 for this Borough.

Borough of Queens.

Under date of February 23, 1910, the Comptroller, in a communication to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, previously referred to, requested the release of \$151,556.60 of corporate stock authorizations from the operation of the resolution of January 14, 1910, for the Borough of Queens, this being the amount of contracts for repaving let by the President of the Borough of Queens, but not certified by the Comptroller. This recommendation was approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment at its meeting of March 4, 1910. These contracts have not yet been returned to the Department of Finance for registration, and there would therefore appear to be no extraordinary emergency at this time for funds to provide for additional work.

Borough of Richmond.

The President of the Borough of Richmond at the meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of March 11, 1910, offered a resolution releasing the unencumbered authorization for Repaving Fund for said Borough from the operation of the resolution of January 14, 1910. This resolution was adopted. The unencumbered authorization in this fund as of March 31, 1910, was \$182,866.76, as shown on the books of the Department of Finance, but no contracts up to the date of the report of your Committee had been transmitted to the Comptroller for certification under the resolution of March 11, 1910. In view of the fact that all the corporate stock authorized but unencumbered was released for this Borough at the meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of March 11, 1910, and in view of the fact that no contracts thereunder have been presented to the Comptroller for certification, it appears to your Committee that the present emergency needs of the Borough have been taken care of by the action of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of March 11, 1910, and that no new authorization is required at this time.

We therefore offer the following resolutions for adoption.

Respectfully,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller;
JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen;
GEORGE McANENY, President, Borough of Manhattan;
Sub-Committee on Corporate Stock Budget

The following resolution was offered:

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, at a meeting held January 14, 1910, adopted a resolution directing the heads of the various City Departments and offices to refrain from incurring any further obligations or executing any contracts chargeable to corporate stock, other than water bonds, except for salaries, wages and supplies properly chargeable to such corporate stock accounts, without the express authorization thereto by said Board after the passage of said resolution; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx be and are hereby authorized to enter into contracts in the sum of three hundred and forty-five thousand dollars (\$345,000) for repaving streets and avenues in the respective boroughs, apportioned as follows:

Borough of Manhattan.....	\$185,000 00
Borough of The Bronx.....	160,000 00
	<u>\$345,000 00</u>

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond—16.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 563 of the Laws of 1902, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby authorizes the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York, in the manner provided by said section 169, to the amount of one million four hundred and fifteen thousand dollars (\$1,415,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the repaving of streets and avenues in The City of New York, as follows:

Borough of Manhattan.....	\$615,000 00
Borough of Brooklyn.....	800,000 00
	<u>\$1,415,000 00</u>

—provided, however, that no contract shall be made for repaving any street or avenue unless the Borough President having charge thereof submits to the Comptroller with such contract evidence showing that the original pavement on such street or avenue was laid at the expense of the abutting property owners or by local taxation, or by bond issues paid by the locality before consolidation, unless the Board of Estimate and Apportionment shall otherwise determine upon presentation of the facts and circumstances affecting such street or avenue.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond—16.

The Secretary presented the following communication from the Secretary pro tem., Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, transmitting certified copy of resolution authorizing, subject to approval of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, an exchange of

property owned by The City of New York in the bed of Barretto street, between Garrison avenue and Lafayette avenue, Borough of The Bronx (discontinued and closed by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment), for property owned by the United Bank Note Company in the new Barretto street, as laid out at a point north and east of the old location; also transmitting the reports of the Appraisers appointed showing the value of the property owned by the United Bank Note Company to be greater than that of the property owned by the City; also report of the Comptroller recommending the same.

Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, }
April 20, 1910. }

JOSEPH HAAG, Esq., Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

DEAR SIR—I transmit herewith a certified copy of resolution adopted by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at meeting held this day authorizing, subject to the approval of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, an exchange of property owned by The City of New York in the bed of Barretto street, between Garrison avenue and Lafayette avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, discontinued and closed by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, for property owned by the United Bank Note Company in the new Barretto street, as laid out at a point north and east of the old location.

I also transmit herewith copies of the reports of the appraisers appointed by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, showing the value of the property owned by the United Bank Note Company to be greater than that of the property owned by The City of New York, also a copy of the report of the Comptroller recommending same.

These resolutions and action of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund must be presented to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment at its first meeting.

Very truly yours,

JNO. KORB, JR.,

Secretary pro tem. Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

James L. Wells Company,
Real Estate,
Auctioneers, Brokers and Appraisers,
No. 141 Broadway, Corner of Liberty Street.

State of New York, City and County of New York, ss.:

James L. Wells, being duly sworn, deposes and says that he resides at No. 306 Tremont avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, that his office is at No. 141 Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, both in the City and County of New York, and that for the past thirty-five years and more he has been actively engaged as a real estate auctioneer and broker in the purchase, sale and appraisal of lands and buildings in said City and especially in the Borough of The Bronx.

Deponent says that he is familiar with the value of real estate in the Borough of The Bronx and knows the value of the properties hereinafter described and the value of land in the Hunts Point section of The Bronx, in which said parcels are situated.

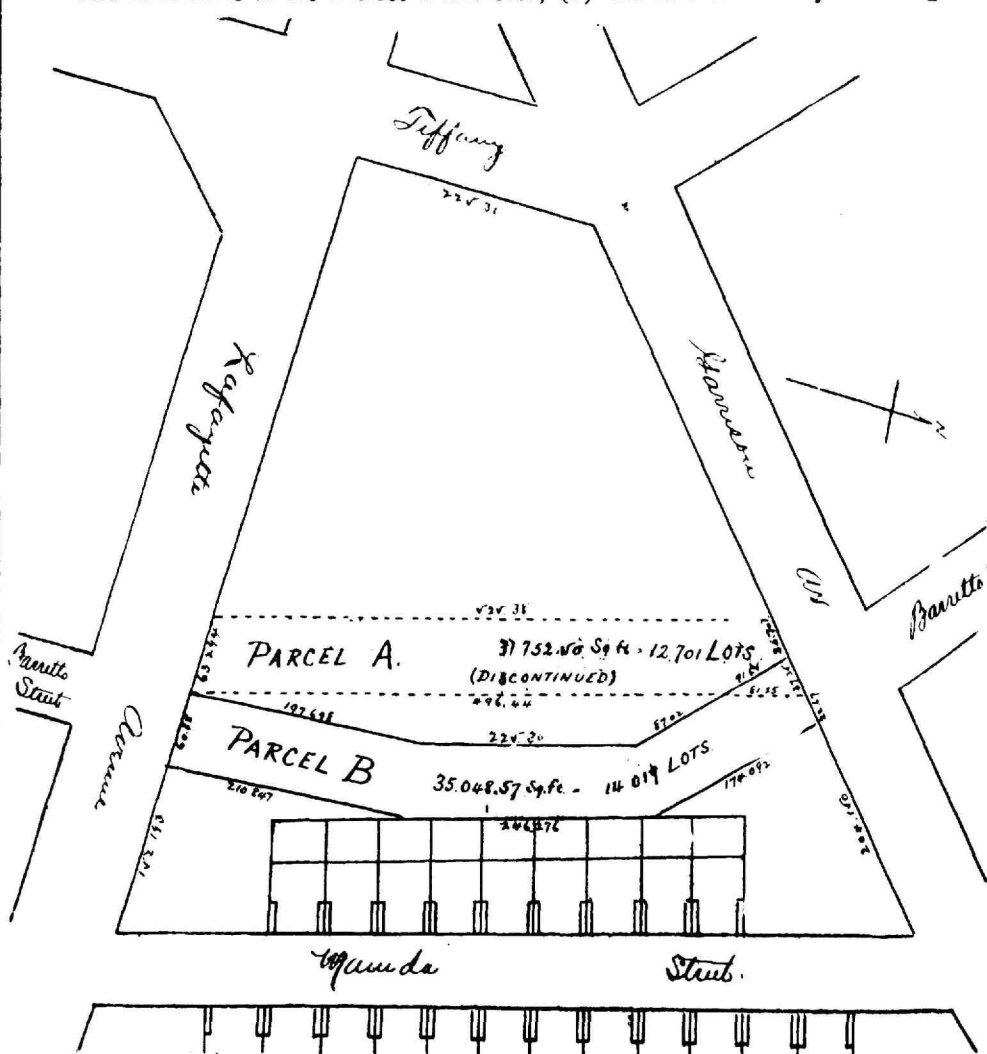
Deponent further says that pursuant to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, adopted February 16, 1910, Edward Polak, John H. Whittle and himself were appointed as disinterested Appraisers to determine the value of the land belonging to The City of New York, being the portion of Barretto street, discontinued and closed, between Garrison avenue and Lafayette avenue, and designated on the diagram hereto annexed as Parcel A, and colored red, and the land of the United Bank Note Company, offered to be exchanged for the aforesaid Parcel A, and situated northerly therefrom and between Garrison avenue and Lafayette avenue, designated on said diagram as Parcel B, and colored blue.

Said parcel of land designated A is more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the northern line of Lafayette avenue distant 404.18 feet easterly from the intersection of the said line with the eastern line of Tiffany street; (1) thence easterly along the northern line of Lafayette avenue 61.70 feet (sixty-one and seventy one-hundredths feet); (2) thence northerly deflecting 96 degrees 26 minutes 45 seconds to the left for seven and one hundred and ninety-six one-thousandths (7.196) feet; (3) thence northerly deflecting 12 degrees 7 minutes 15 seconds to the left for four hundred and eighty-eight and eighty-five one-hundredths (488.85) feet; (4) thence northwesterly deflecting 27 degrees 21 minutes 40 seconds to the left for seventy-one and six hundred and thirty-eight-thousandths (71.638) feet to the eastern line of Garrison avenue; (5) thence southwesterly along the last mentioned line for thirty and seventy one-hundredths (30.70) feet; (6) thence southerly five hundred and twenty-five and thirty-eight one-hundredths (525.38) feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said parcel of land designated B is more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the northern line of Lafayette avenue distant 467.48 feet easterly from the intersection of said line with the eastern line of Tiffany street; (1) thence easterly along the northern line of Lafayette avenue for 58.79 feet; (2) thence northerly deflecting 96 degrees 26 minutes and 45 seconds to the left for 210.847 feet; (3) thence northerly deflecting 12 degrees 7 minutes and 15 seconds to the left for 246.276 feet; (4) thence northwesterly deflecting 27 degrees 21 minutes and 40 seconds to the left for 174.092 feet to the eastern line of Garrison avenue; (5) thence southwesterly along last mentioned line for 22.67 feet; (6) thence southerly deflecting 61 degrees 51 minutes and 20 seconds to the left for 87.028 feet; (7) thence southeasterly deflecting 27



degrees 21 minutes and 40 seconds to the left for 87.028 feet; (8) thence southerly deflecting 27 degrees 21 minutes and 40 seconds to the right for 225.30 feet; (9) thence southerly deflecting 12 degrees 7 minutes and 15 seconds to the right for 190.50 feet; (10) thence southerly for 7.54 feet to the point of beginning.

Deponent also says that on several occasions he has personally examined each of said parcels of land for the purpose of ascertaining and determining the value of the same and that he has also had several conferences with his associate Appraisers at his office at No. 141 Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, for the purpose of considering the value of the lands hereinbefore described.

Deponent also says that the value of the land designated as Parcel A, being the portion of Barretto street discontinued and closed by a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, January 15, 1909, and containing 31,752.50 square feet or 12,701 city lots, is, in his opinion, twenty-five thousand four hundred and two dollars (\$25,402).

Deponent further says that the value of the land designated as Parcel B, being the proposed new or relocated portion of Barretto street, offered in exchange for Parcel A, and containing 35,048.57 square feet, or 14,019 city lots, is, in his opinion, twenty-eight thousand and thirty-eight dollars (\$28,038).

JAMES L. WELLS.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of April, 1910.

ALBERT M. GEROW, Notary Public, New York County.

J. H. Whittle,
No. 2 West One Hundred and Twenty-fifth Street,
New York, N. Y., April 7, 1910.

State of New York, City of New York, County of New York, ss.:

John H. Whittle, being duly sworn, deposes and says: I reside at No. 293 East Two Hundred and First street, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York; I have been actively engaged as real estate agent, broker and appraiser in the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx continuously for the past twenty-four years, with offices at No. 2 West One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street.

I am familiar with the values of real estate in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, and pursuant to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, dated February 16, 1910, by which James L. Wells, Edward Polak and the deponent were appointed disinterested appraisers to appraise the value of the land owned by The City of New York in Barretto street, between Garrison avenue and Lafayette avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, marked "Parcel A," colored red, and the land now owned by the United Bank Note Company between the above mentioned avenues, through which it is proposed to lay out Barretto street, marked "Parcel B," colored blue, as shown on a diagram hereto annexed.

Individually and together with the other appraisers I have visited and examined the properties in question for the purpose of ascertaining their values, and in my opinion the bed of Barretto street, "Parcel A," which was closed by a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting held January 15, 1909, containing 31,752.50 square feet, is worth the sum of \$25,402; that the bed of the proposed Barretto street, "Parcel B," containing 35,048.57 square feet, is worth the sum of \$25,585.

JOHN H. WHITTLE.

Subscribed to and sworn to before me this 7th day of April, 1910.

[Seal.]

FREDERICK A. BLACK, Notary Public (No. 94), New York County.

Edward Polak, No. 4030 Third Avenue.

State of New York, City and County of New York, ss.:

Edward Polak, being duly sworn, deposes and says that he resides at No. 1806 Arthur avenue, Borough of The Bronx, and has an office at No. 4030 Third avenue, in said Borough. Deponent further says that he has been actively engaged in the real estate business, as agent, broker and appraiser, continuously for the past twenty-four years, and that he is familiar with the values of real estate in the Borough of The Bronx.

That pursuant to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, dated February 16, 1910, he, together with James L. Wells and John H. Whittle, were appointed disinterested appraisers to appraise the value of land owned by The City of New York in the bed of Barretto street, between Garrison avenue and Lafayette avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, which was closed by a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting held January 15, 1909, and more particularly bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the northern line of Lafayette avenue distant 404.18 feet easterly from the intersection of the said line with the eastern line of Tiffany street; (1) thence easterly along the northern line of Lafayette avenue 61.70 feet (sixty-one and seventy one-hundredths) feet; (2) thence northerly, deflecting 96 degrees 26 minutes 45 seconds to the left, for seven and one hundred and ninety-six one-thousandths (7.196) feet; (3) thence northerly, deflecting 12 degrees 7 minutes 15 seconds to the left, for four hundred and eighty-eight and eighty-five one-thousandths (488.085) feet; (4) thence northwesterly deflecting 27 degrees 21 minutes 40 seconds to the left, for seventy-one and six hundred and thirty-eight one-thousandths (71.638) feet to the eastern line of Garrison avenue; (5) thence southwesterly along the last mentioned line for thirty and seventy one-hundredths (30.70) feet; (6) thence southerly five hundred and twenty-five and thirty-eight one-hundredths (525.38) feet to the point or place of beginning.

—and referred to on the annexed diagram as Parcel A; and

The land in new Barretto Street as laid out at a point north and east of the old location between the above mentioned avenues to be acquired by the City from the United Bank Note Company in exchange for the above described property, and more particularly bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the northern line of Lafayette avenue distant 467.48 feet easterly from the intersection of said line with the eastern line of Tiffany street; (1) thence easterly along the northern line of Lafayette avenue for 58.79 feet; (2) thence northerly, deflecting 96 degrees 26 minutes and 45 seconds to the left, for 210.847 feet; (3) thence northerly, deflecting 12 degrees 7 minutes and 15 seconds to the left, for 246.276 feet; (4) thence northwesterly, deflecting 27 degrees 21 minutes and 40 seconds to the left, for 174.092 feet to the eastern line of Garrison avenue; (5) thence southwesterly along last mentioned line for 22.67 feet; (6) thence southerly, deflecting 61 degrees 51 minutes and 20 seconds to the left, for 81.238 feet; (7) thence southeasterly, deflecting 27 degrees 21 minutes and 40 seconds to the left, for 87.028 feet; (8) thence southerly, deflecting 27 degrees 21 minutes and 40 seconds to the right, for 225.30 feet; (9) thence southerly, deflecting 12 degrees 7 minutes and 15 seconds to the right, for 190.50 feet; (10) thence southerly for 7.54 feet to the point or beginning.

—and referred to on the annexed diagram as Parcel B.

Deponent further says that he has personally inspected said premises and has carefully computed the area thereof for the purpose of ascertaining their respective values, and he states that the land owned by the City in the bed of Barretto street and referred to on the annexed diagram as "Parcel A," contains 31,752.50 square feet; he appraises the same at a value of \$25,402; and that the land in new Barretto street to be acquired from the United Bank Note Company, and referred to on the annexed diagram as "Parcel B," contains 35,048.57 square feet, and at the same unit of value per square foot as that of the closed street is worth \$28,038, but on account of its irregularity and because it has less frontage on Garrison avenue and Lafayette avenue than the City's property, he values the land of the United Bank Note Company at \$25,600.

EDWARD POLAK.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of April, 1910.

[Seal.]

SAMUEL S. FRIEDMAN, Notary Public, New York County, No. 1006.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

GENTLEMEN—At a meeting of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund held February 16, 1910, the following was adopted:

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment at meeting held January 15, 1909, pursuant to the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, deeming it for the public interest, changed the map or plan of The City of New York by closing Barretto street, between Garrison avenue and Lafayette avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, as heretofore laid out, and opened Barretto street at a point north of the old location; and

Whereas, The President of the Borough of The Bronx, in a communication dated February 18, 1910, has transferred to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund as being no longer required the bed of Barretto street, between Garrison avenue and Lafayette avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, as heretofore laid out and discontinued and closed by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment by resolution adopted January 15, 1909, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the northern line of Lafayette avenue distant 404.18 feet easterly from the intersection of the said line with the eastern line of Tiffany street; (1) thence easterly along the northern line of Lafayette avenue sixty-one and seventy one-hundredths (61.70) feet; (2) thence northerly deflecting 96 degrees 26 minutes and 45 seconds to the left for seven and one hundred and ninety-six one-thousandths (7.196) feet; (3) thence northerly deflecting 12 degrees 7 minutes and 15 seconds to the left for four hundred and eighty-eight and eighty-five one-hundredths (488.85) feet; (4) thence northwesterly deflecting 27 degrees 21 minutes and 40 seconds to the left for seventy-one and six hundred and thirty-eight one-thousandths (71.638) feet to the eastern line of Garrison avenue; (5) thence southwesterly along the last mentioned line for thirty and seventy one-hundredths (30.70) feet; (6) thence southerly five hundred and twenty-five and thirty-eight one-hundredths (525.38) feet to the point or place of beginning—and makes application that the land in new Barretto street as laid out at a point north and east of the old location, and hereinafter described, be acquired by the City from the United Bank Note Company, in exchange for the lands transferred to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

Beginning at a point in the northern line of Lafayette avenue distant 467.48 feet easterly from the intersection of said line with the eastern line of Tiffany street; (1) thence easterly along the northern line of Lafayette avenue for 58.79 feet; (2) thence northerly deflecting 96 degrees 26 minutes and 45 seconds to the left for 210.847 feet; (3) thence northerly deflecting 12 degrees 7 minutes and 15 seconds to the left for 246.276 feet; (4) thence northwesterly deflecting 27 degrees 21 minutes and 40 seconds to the left for 174.092 feet to the eastern line of Garrison avenue; (5) thence southwesterly along last mentioned line for 22.67 feet; (6) thence southerly deflecting 61 degrees 51 minutes and 20 seconds to the left for 81.238 feet; (7) thence southeasterly deflecting 27 degrees 21 minutes and 40 seconds to the left for 87.028 feet; (8) thence southerly deflecting 27 degrees 21 minutes and 40 seconds to the right for 225.30 feet; (9) thence southerly deflecting 12 degrees 7 minutes and 15 seconds to the right for 190.50 feet; (10) thence southerly for 7.54 feet to the point of beginning; therefore be it

Resolved, That, in accordance with the provisions of section 205-A of the Greater New York Charter as amended, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund determine that the land turned over by the President of the Borough of The Bronx and hereinabove described, is no longer required for departmental purposes, and they further determine that the lands of the private owners herein in this resolution described are needed for public purposes; and be it further

Resolved, That, to determine the value of the land of The City of New York and the land of the United Bank Note Company to be exchanged therefore, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby appoint Edward Polak, No. 4030 Third avenue; James L. Wells, No. 396 East Tremont avenue, and John H. Whittle, Two Hundred and Third street and Bainbridge avenue, Borough of The Bronx, three discreet and disinterested appraisers residing in the Borough of The Bronx, who are hereby authorized and directed to appraise the value of the land owned by The City of New York and the land owned by the United Bank Note Company, which it is proposed to exchange, and which are hereinabove described.

The three appraisers in separate communications have reported that they have examined the property and make the values on both properties as follows:

	Appraiser.		
	John H. Whittle.	James L. Wells.	Edward Polak.
Land owned by the City (present bed of Barretto street).	\$25,402 00	\$25,402 00	\$25,402 00
Land owned by United Bank Note Company (proposed bed of Barretto street).....	25,038 00	25,235 00	25,038 00

Each appraiser stated that while the proposed bed of Barretto street owned by the United Bank Note Company was greater in area, and if valued at the same unit as the City's land would exceed it in value, but owing to the physical condition of the land they valued it at less than the City's land.

Since that time the United Bank Note Company has spent considerable money in grading the land. The appraisers have again examined the land and report as follows:

	Appraiser.		
	John H. Whittle.	James L. Wells.	Edward Polak.
Land owned by the City (present bed of Barretto street).	\$25,402 00	\$25,402 00	\$25,402 00
Land owned by United Bank Note Company (proposed bed of Barretto street).....	25,585 00	28,038 00	25,600 00

The reports of the appraisers showing the value of the property owned by the United Bank Note Company to be greater than the value of the property owned by the City, I would respectfully recommend that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, in accordance with the provisions of section 205a of the Charter, adopt a resolution authorizing the exchange of the property owned by the City in the bed of Barretto street, between Garrison avenue and Lafayette avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, hereinabove described, for the property not owned by the City in the new Barretto street, also hereinabove described, and I further recommend that the resolution when adopted by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund be presented to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for approval at its next meeting, as required by section 205-A of the Charter, and if the Board of Estimate and Apportionment approves of the exchange, that the Corporation Counsel be requested to prepare the necessary papers, approve the same and transmit them to the Comptroller for his approval; when so approved, the deed from the City is to be transmitted to the Mayor to execute, and the City Clerk to attest the same. The Comptroller to be directed to examine the title, at the expense of the United Bank Note Company, and to make the exchange in accordance with the resolutions and the provisions of the Charter, and that when the exchange is made, the property in the new Barretto street be turned over to the President of the Borough of The Bronx for street purposes.

Respectfully submitted,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

Whereas, The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, at meeting held February 16, 1910, adopted the following:

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment at meeting held January 15, 1909, pursuant to the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, deeming it for the public interest, changed the map or plan of The City of New York by closing Barretto street, between Garrison avenue and Lafayette avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, as heretofore laid out, and opened Barretto street at a point north of the old location; and

Whereas, The President of the Borough of The Bronx in a communication dated February 18, 1910, has transferred to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund as being no longer required, the bed of Barretto street, between Garrison avenue and Lafayette avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, as heretofore laid out and discontinued and closed by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment by resolution adopted January 15, 1909, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the northern line of Lafayette avenue distant 404.18 feet easterly from the intersection of the said line with the eastern line of Tiffany street; (1) thence easterly along the northern line of Lafayette avenue sixty-one and seventy one-hundredths (61.70) feet; (2) thence northerly deflecting 96 degrees 26 minutes and 45 seconds to the left for seven and one hundred ninety-six one-thousandths (7.196) feet; (3) thence northerly deflecting 12 degrees 7 minutes and 15 seconds to the left for four hundred eighty-eight and eighty-five one-hundredths (488.85) feet; (4) thence northwesterly deflecting 27 degrees 21 minutes and 40 seconds to the left for seventy-one and six hundred and thirty-eight one-thousandths (71.638) feet to the eastern line of Garrison avenue; (5) thence southwesterly along the last mentioned line for thirty and seventy one-hundredths (30.70) feet; (6) thence southerly five hundred twenty-five and thirty-eight one-hundredths (525.38) feet to the point or place of beginning.

—and makes application that the land in new Barretto street as laid out at a point north and east of the old location, and hereinafter described, be acquired by the City from the United Bank Note Company, in exchange for the lands transferred to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Beginning at a point in the northern line of Lafayette avenue distant 467.48 feet easterly from the intersection of said line with the eastern line of Tiffany street; (1) thence easterly along the northern line of Lafayette avenue for 58.79 feet; (2) thence northerly deflecting 96 degrees 26 minutes and 45 seconds to the left for 210.847 feet; (3) thence northerly deflecting 12 degrees 7 minutes and 15 seconds to the left for 246.276 feet; (4) thence northwesterly deflecting 27 degrees 21 minutes and 40 seconds to the left for 174.092 feet to the eastern line of Garrison avenue; (5) thence southwesterly along last mentioned line for 22.67 feet; (6) thence southerly deflecting 61 degrees 51 minutes and 20 seconds to the left for 81.238 feet; (7) thence southeasterly deflecting 27 degrees 21 minutes and 40 seconds to the left for 87.028 feet; (8) thence southerly deflecting 27 degrees 21 minutes and 40 seconds to the right for 225.30 feet; (9) thence southerly deflecting 12 degrees 7 minutes and 15 seconds to the right for 190.50 feet; (10) thence southerly for 7.54 feet to the point of beginning;

—therefore, be it

Resolved, That in accordance with the provisions of section 205A of the Greater New York Charter as amended, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund determine that the land turned over by the President of the Borough of The Bronx and hereinabove described, is no longer required for departmental purposes, and they further determine that the lands of the private owners herein in this resolution described are needed for public purposes; and be it further

Resolved, That to determine the value of the land of The City of New York, and the land of the United Bank Note Company to be exchanged therefor, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby appoint Edward Polak, No. 4030 Third avenue; James L. Wells, No. 306 East Tremont avenue, and John H. Whittle, Two Hundred and Third street and Bainbridge avenue, Borough of The Bronx, three discreet and disinterested Appraisers residing in the Borough of The Bronx, who are hereby authorized and directed to appraise the value of the land owned by The City of New York and the land owned by the United Bank Note Company, which it is proposed to exchange, and which are hereinabove described; and

Whereas, The said Appraisers have submitted the following:

By John H. Whittle—	
Value of the property owned by The City of New York in the bed of Barretto street (Parcel A).....	\$25,402 00
Value of the property owned by the United Bank Note Company in the new Barretto street (Parcel B).....	25,585 00
By James L. Wells—	
Value of the property owned by The City of New York in the bed of Barretto street (Parcel A).....	25,402 00
Value of the property owned by the United Bank Note Company (Parcel B)	28,038 00
By Edward Polak—	
Value of the property owned by The City of New York in the bed of Barretto street (Parcel A).....	25,402 00
Value of the property owned by the United Bank Note Company in the new Barretto street (Parcel B).....	25,600 00

—therefore, be it

Resolved, That pursuant to the provisions of section 205A of the amended Greater New York Charter, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by unanimous vote, subject, however, to the approval of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, hereby authorize a conveyance to the United Bank Note Company, of the hereinabove described property owned by The City of New York, in consideration of a conveyance by the United Bank Note Company to The City of New York, of the property owned by the United Bank Note Company in the Borough of The Bronx which is also hereinabove described, free and clear of all incumbrances, including taxes, assessments, water charges and sales for the same; and be it further

Resolved, That when these resolutions and action of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund have been approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, the Corporation Counsel be and is hereby requested to prepare the legal instruments on the part of The City of New York, to effect such exchange, and upon said instruments having been prepared and approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel and approved by the Comptroller of The City of New York, it shall be the duty of the Mayor of The City of New York to execute, the City Clerk to attest, and the Comptroller to deliver to the United Bank Note Company, the deed of the property owned by The City of New York, upon receiving at the same time, the deed of the property owned by the United Bank Note Company.

The report was accepted and the resolution unanimously adopted.

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund April 20, 1910.

JNO. KORB, JR., Secretary pro tem.

The following resolution was offered:

Whereas, The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, at a meeting held April 20, 1910, adopted the following resolution:

Whereas, The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, at meeting held February 16, 1910, adopted the following:

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment at meeting held January 15, 1909, pursuant to the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, deeming it for the public interest, changed the map or plan of The City of New York by closing Barretto street, between Garrison avenue and Lafayette avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, as heretofore laid out, and opened Barretto street at a point north of the old location; and

Whereas, The President of the Borough of The Bronx in a communication dated February 18, 1910, has transferred to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund as being no longer required, the bed of Barretto street, between Garrison avenue and Lafayette avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, as heretofore laid out and discontinued and closed by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment by resolution adopted January 15, 1909, bounded and described as follows:

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—therefore be it

Resolved, That in accordance with the provisions of section 205A of the Greater New York Charter as amended, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund determine that the land turned over by the President of the Borough of The Bronx and hereinabove described, is no longer required for departmental purposes, and they further determine that the lands of the private owners herein in this resolution described are needed for public purposes; and be it further

Resolved, That to determine the value of the land of The City of New York, and the land of the United Bank Note Company to be exchanged therefor, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby appoint Edward Polak, No. 4030 Third avenue; James L. Wells, No. 306 East Tremont avenue, and John H. Whittle, Two Hundred and Third street and Bainbridge avenue, Borough of The Bronx, three discreet and disinterested Appraisers residing in the Borough of The Bronx, who are hereby authorized and directed to appraise the value of the land owned by The City of New York and the land owned by the United Bank Note Company, which it is proposed to exchange, and which are hereinabove described; and

Whereas, The said Appraisers have submitted the following:

By John H. Whittle—	
Value of the property owned by The City of New York in the bed of Barretto street (Parcel A).....	\$25,402 00
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Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 205A of the amended Greater New York Charter, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by unanimous vote, subject, however, to the approval of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, hereby authorize a conveyance to the United Bank Note Company, of the hereinabove described property owned by The City of New York, in consideration of a conveyance by the United Bank Note Company to The City of New York, of the property owned by the United Bank Note Company in the Borough of The Bronx which is also hereinabove described, free and clear of all incumbrances, including taxes, assessments, water charges and sales for the same; and be it further

Resolved, That when these resolutions and action of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund have been approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, the Corporation Counsel be and is hereby requested to prepare the legal instruments on the part of The City of New York, to effect such exchange, and upon said instruments having been prepared and approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel and approved by the Comptroller of The City of New York, it shall be the duty of the Mayor of The City of New York to execute, the City Clerk to attest and the Comptroller to deliver to the United Bank Note Company, the deed of the property owned by The City of New York, upon receiving at the same time the deed of the property owned by the United Bank Note Company.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in accordance with the provisions of section 205a of the Greater New York Charter, hereby approves of the above resolution and the action of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, and consents to the exchange of the above described property.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond—16.

The Secretary presented the following communication from the Comptroller, recommending transfer of unexpended balances of appropriations made to various charitable institutions for the years 1909 and 1910 to other charitable institutions for the same years, together with a report of the Chief Examiner of Accounts, Charitable Institutions, Department of Finance, relative thereto:

City of New York,
Department of Finance,
April 19, 1910.

Hon. WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller:

SIR—In conformity with the custom whereby the accounts of institutions with the City are finally adjusted at the close of the year, your attention is herewith directed to a series of proposed transfers from institutions having a surplus in their accounts to institutions having a deficiency, to adjust the accounts of 1909.

It is respectfully recommended that you request the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, at its next session, Friday, the 22d, to pass a resolution authorizing these transfers to be made. The Secretary of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment is familiar with this proceeding and generally draws the necessary resolution.

Respectfully submitted,

D. C. POTTER, Chief Examiner of Accounts of Institutions.

Approved:

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, Charitable Institutions Bureau,
April 20, 1910.

Hon. WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller:

SIR—Herewith are the names of certain private charitable institutions having an unexpended balance in their accounts with the City for 1909-1910:

From—

1048. Association for Befriending Children and Young Girls (House of the Holy Family).....	\$992 53
1054. Beth Israel Hospital.....	19 95
1056. Brooklyn Hospital.....	2,569 35
1064. Brooklyn Hebrew Orphan Asylum.....	119 61
1066. Brooklyn Eastern District Dispensary and Hospital.....	174 57
1069. Columbus Hospital.....	1,714 83
1070. Church Charity Foundation of Long Island, Home for the Blind.....	162 29
1071. Church Charity Foundation of Long Island, Orphan House.....	70 25
1072. Church Charity Foundation of Long Island, St. John's Hospital.....	414 74
1073. Children's Aid Society.....	1,911 98
1078. Five Points' House of Industry.....	3,120 82
1082. German Hospital and Dispensary.....	2,473 64
1083. Good Counsel Training School for Young Girls.....	568 28
1084. Hebrew Infant Asylum of The City of New York.....	814 40
1085. Hebrew Sheltering Guardian Society.....	415 68
1086. Hebrew Orphan Asylum.....	278 45
1088. House of Mercy.....	1,135 52
1090. House of St. Giles the Cripple.....	106 92
1091. House of the Good Shepherd.....	577 16
1093. Industrial School Association of Brooklyn, Eastern District.....	28 82
1094. International Sunshine Society.....	8 68
1095. Jamaica Hospital.....	752 42
1096. Lebanon Hospital Association.....	1,383 84
1099. Lutheran Hospital Association (City of New York and Vicinity).....	398 40
1100. Lincoln Hospital and Home.....	3,867 94
1102. Missionary Sisters, Third Order of St. Francis.....	4,342 15
1106. Mary Immaculate Hospital.....	164 78
1107. Misericordia Hospital.....	155 44
1108. Manhattan Eye, Ear and Throat Hospital.....	248 80
1115. New York Post Graduate Medical School and Hospital.....	2,153 64
1118. New York Polyclinic Medical School and Hospital.....	934 45
1149. St. Joseph's Hospital (Queens).....	2,060 76
1121. New York Ophthalmic Hospital.....	976 98
1128. Orphan Home (Brooklyn).....	2,142 07
1132. Prospect Heights Hospital and Brooklyn Maternity.....	379 45
1133. Roman Catholic Orphan Asylum Society, St. Joseph's Female Orphan Asylum.....	.....
..... Roman Catholic Orphan Asylum Society, St. John's Home.....	5,795 82
1137. St. Mary's Maternity and Infants' Home.....	6,689 27
1140. St. Peter's Hospital.....	546 10
1143. St. John's Long Island City Hospital.....	1,000 97
1144. St. Zita's Home for Friendless Women.....	225 98
1147. St. Vincent's Hospital of The City of New York.....	820 06
1150. St. Gregory's Emergency Hospital.....	750 50
1151. Sydenham Hospital.....	174 75
1153. St. Francis' Hospital.....	1,087 95
1154. Sacred Heart Orphan Asylum.....	2,024 01
1155. St. Agatha Home for Children.....	1,094 18
1156. St. Michael's Home.....	693 75
1157. St. Joseph's Asylum.....	1,661 50
1159. St. Malachy's Home.....	1,154 64
1160. Sheltering Arms Nursery of Brooklyn.....	151 31
1161. Sloane Maternity Hospital.....	2,859 80
1163. St. Agnes' Hospital for Crippled and Atypical Children.....	4,805 91
1168. The New York Society for the Relief of the Ruptured and Crippled.....	2,009 39
1169. The Ozanam Home for Friendless Women.....	1,757 13
1171. The Babies' Hospital of The City of New York.....	241 50
1173. The Society of the Lying-in Hospital of The City of New York.....	2,576 75
1174. The Mount Sinai Hospital of The City of New York.....	6,000 30
1175. The J. Hood Wright Memorial Hospital.....	215 61
1183. The Swedish Hospital in Brooklyn.....	106 03
1180. The S. R. Smith Infirmary.....	1,645 68
1184. Williamsburg Hospital.....	400 52
1185. Washington Square Home for Friendless Girls.....	504 17
1188. Wayside Home.....	301 83
1189. Washington Heights Hospital.....	279 33
1190. Yorkville Dispensary and Hospital for Women and Children.....	1,420 04
1299. The Hospital of the Holy Family, for 1910.....	\$86,654 37
.....	12,000 00
New York County, 1909.	
1522. Institution for the Improved Instruction of Deaf Mutes.....	5,556 58
Kings County, 1909.	
1658. New York Institution for the Instruction of the Deaf and Dumb.....	415 58
Queens County, 1909.	
1709. New York Institution for the Instruction of Deaf Mutes.....	\$11 23
1710. New York Institution for the Instruction of Deaf Mutes.....	79 97
1706. Institution for the Improved Instruction of Deaf Mutes.....	122 39
1707. Institution for the Improved Instruction of Deaf Mutes.....	83 84
1705. Syracuse State Institution for Feeble-minded Children.....	20 00
1708. New York Institution for the Blind.....	112 90
1701. Supplies for County Offices.....	430 33
.....	22 65

Richmond County, 1909.

1754. Institution for the Improved Instruction of Deaf Mutes.....	505 98
.....	\$105,585 49

It is therefore respectfully requested that these unexpended balances be transferred to the following named institutions having deficiencies in their accounts:

To—

1046. Asylum of the Sisters of St. Dominic.....	\$2,502 54
1047. Asylum of St. Vincent de Paul.....	571 58
1049. American Female Guardian Society and Home for the Friendless.....	1,139 42
1050. Brooklyn Howard Colored Orphan Asylum.....	1,737 93
1051. Brooklyn Training School and Home for Young Girls.....	21 98
1053. Brooklyn Industrial School Association and Home for Destitute Children.....	2,351 60
1055. Brooklyn Nursery and Infants' Hospital.....	866 70
1060. Brooklyn Home for Consumptives.....	276 00
1061. Brooklyn Children's Aid Society.....	892 89
1068. Colored Orphan Asylum and Association for Benefit of Colored Children.....	38 27
1076. Dominican Convent of Our Lady of the Rosary.....	1,033 34
1077. Flushing Hospital and Dispensary.....	1,057 96
1087. House of Calvary.....	694 40
1097. Low Maternity (Branch of Brooklyn Hospital).....	387 86
1092. Institution of Mercy.....	291 99
1098. Long Island College Hospital.....	1,346 70
1105. Maternity of the Long Island College Hospital.....	61 56
1110. New York Juvenile Asylum.....	4,665 87
1113. Nursery and Child's Hospital.....	12 93
1125. New York Magdalen Benevolent Society.....	233 49
1129. Orphan Asylum Society of the City of Brooklyn.....	1,010 88
1130. Ottilie Orphan Asylum.....	124 15
1131. Peabody Home for Aged and Indigent Women.....	66 40
1135. Roman Catholic House of the Good Shepherd.....	1,142 21
1136. St. Mark's General Hospital, New York City.....	606 12
1138. St. Christopher's Hospital for Babies.....	287 25
1139. St. Mary's General Hospital of the City of Brooklyn.....	462 33
1142. Society for the Aid of Friendless Women and Children.....	448 66
1158. St. Ann's Home for Destitute Children.....	881 53
1162. Seton Hospital, New York City.....	3,279 23
1164. St. Vincent's Hospital, Borough of Richmond.....	5,224 12
1166. Samaritan Hospital of Brooklyn.....	317 48
1167. The Convent of the Sisters of Mercy.....	6,167 04
1177. The Jewish Hospital.....	1,712 22
1179. The Brooklyn Eye and Ear Hospital.....	486 05
1182. The Jewish Protectory and Aid Society.....	183 13
1194. Brooklyn Home for Blind, Crippled and Defective Children.....	309 90
1057. Bushwick Hospital.....	137 96
1074. Catholic Home Bureau.....	1,001 25
1080. German Hospital of Brooklyn.....	416 79
1081. German Odd Fellows' Home and Orphan Asylum.....	244 09
1089. Hope Farm.....	198 83
1103. Mission of the Immaculate Virgin for the Protection of Homeless and Destitute Children.....	3,494 79
1104. Methodist Episcopal Hospital in the City of Brooklyn.....	259 83
1109. New York Catholic Protectory.....	2,351 94
1111. New York Infant Asylum.....	2,988 33
1112. New York Foundling Hospital.....	19,646 41
1114. New York Eye and Ear Infirmary.....	1,133 40
1119. New York Homeopathic Medical College and Hospital.....	2,569 77
1123. Norwegian Lutheran Deaconesses' Home and Hospital.....	397 28
1141. St. Catharine's Hospital.....	1,469 46
1152. St. Joseph's Hospital (New York City).....	6,647 30
1120. New York Infirmary for Women and Children.....	337 50
1191. Hospital for Deformities and Joint Diseases.....	465 73
1219. Good Counsel Training School for Young Girls, for 1910.....	\$86,654 37
.....	12,000 00
New York County, 1909.	
1525. St. Joseph's Institute for the Improved Instruction of Deaf Mutes.....	5,556 58
Kings County, 1909.	
1660. St. Joseph's Institute for the Improved Instruction of Deaf Mutes.....	415 58
Queens County, 1909.	
1711. St. Joseph's Institute for the Improved Instruction of Deaf Mutes.....	\$434 58
1712. St. Joseph's Institute for the Improved Instruction of Deaf Mutes.....	18 40
.....	452 98
Richmond County, 1909.	
1758. St. Joseph's Institute for the Improved Instruction of Deaf Mutes.....	505 48
1759. St. Joseph's Institute for the Improved Instruction of Deaf Mutes.....	50
.....	\$105,585 49

Respectfully submitted,

D. C. POTTER, Chief Examiner of Accounts of Institutions.

City of New York, Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, Charitable Institutions Bureau,
April 8, 1910.

Hon. WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller:

SIR—We are enabled to present you herewith a summary statement of the unsettled accounts of private institutions for 1909 and a single item for 1910.

In the attached statement we are asking for the transfer of a series of funds from the accounts of institutions having a surplus to those institutions whose bills have exhausted their apportionments.

In making up a budget for a coming year, it is our practice to make a statement of the business of an institution for the six months preceding the time of making our estimates. If an institution is increasing its business, and we know of an enlargement of its plant; or if an institution is decreasing because of inadequate accommodations or epidemic or for any other reason, we note these facts. There is also the item of increase in population, and as carefully as we can, on a series of percentages, increase or decrease, if there should be any; or if an institution has reached its capacity and is stationary, we estimate the amount of moneys to be required and as a whole, over a period of years, we have had reasonable success.

There are two elements liable to destroy any forecast which we may make. One is a severe winter in which grippe, pneumonia and diseases of the throat and lungs are common or epidemic. The other is a period of financial depression. Both of these will flood the institutions with a population not anticipated.

Another element preventing accuracy in determining how much money shall be apportioned to an institution is the impossibility to guess what the action of the Judges in the Courts will be. It sometimes happens that for special reasons, such as an institution being quarantined or damaged by fire or water, a population which would have gone to it will be diverted to other institutions. It happens that a committing magistrate having the name of an institution frequently in mind, will unconsciously send more children to that than to the others, and so in this particular matter we can do no more than guess. An institution that seemed to receive a large

number of children last year may receive fewer this, or may receive many more than before.

Experience has demonstrated that in the main, in the budget as a whole, we have made complete provision except as changes may arise because of epidemics in the community or financial difficulties.

The correction of all these peculiarities has been found in transferring funds from an institution which has a surplus to an institution which is found not to have enough. The private charitable institutions budget is a family affair, at least it is peculiar to itself, and funds from the general budget are rarely transferred from the charitable institutions budget to other Departments. And if there remains a surplus in the appropriation it is returned to or remains in the City Treasury on closing the accounts for the year.

Since 1901 the practice has been in line with the papers presented herewith. We call the attention of the Comptroller to the exact conditions and he, in his discretion, passes on our recommendation to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and they cover the situation by a resolution, after which transfers are made in the books in this Department and we proceed to send forward to the Auditor the bills already prepared for payment.

There is one item of 1910. This is wholly exceptional. The Good Counsel Training School, about the beginning of the year completed some improvements in its plant at White Plains and is now so exceptionally desirable that both the Charity Department and the Courts are doubling and trebling its population, so that its entire appropriation for 1910, based on the business of 1909, will be exhausted by April.

The Hospital of the Holy Family, Dean street, Brooklyn, which was carried on for many years as St. Mary's Maternity, is much delayed in renovating and rebuilding its plant. Their contractors have so held them up that it is doubtful if they will begin work for the present year before July. It is, therefore, entirely feasible to transfer a large part of their apportionment to the account of the Good Counsel Training School. This is a situation that has not arisen before.

Very respectfully submitted,

D. C. POTTER, Chief Examiner of Accounts of Institutions.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the sum of one hundred and five thousand five hundred and eighty-five dollars and forty-nine cents (\$105,585.49) be and the same is hereby transferred from the appropriations made to the following charitable institutions for the years 1909 and 1910, viz.:

1909.		
1048. Association for Befriending Children and Young Girls (House of the Holy Family)...	\$992	53
1054. Beth Israel Hospital.....	19	95
1056. Brooklyn Hospital.....	2,569	35
1064. Brooklyn Hebrew Orphan Asylum.....	119	61
1066. Brooklyn Eastern District Dispensary and Hospital.....	174	57
1069. Columbus Hospital.....	1,714	83
1070. Church Charity Foundation of Long Island, Home for the Blind.....	162	29
1071. Church Charity Foundation of Long Island, Orphan House.....	70	25
1072. Church Charity Foundation of Long Island, St. John's Hospital.....	414	74
1073. Children's Aid Society.....	1,911	98
1078. Five Points' House of Industry.....	3,120	82
1082. German Hospital and Dispensary.....	2,473	64
1083. Good Counsel Training School for Young Girls.....	568	28
1084. Hebrew Infant Asylum of The City of New York.....	814	40
1085. Hebrew Sheltering Guardian Society.....	415	68
1086. Hebrew Orphan Asylum.....	278	45
1088. House of Mercy.....	1,135	52
1090. House of St. Giles the Cripple.....	106	92
1091. House of the Good Shepherd.....	577	16
1093. Industrial School Association of Brooklyn, Eastern District.....	28	82
1094. International Sunshine Society.....	8	68
1095. Jamaica Hospital.....	752	42
1096. Lebanon Hospital Association.....	1,383	84
1099. Lutheran Hospital Association (City of New York and Vicinity).....	398	40
1100. Lincoln Hospital and Home.....	3,867	94
1102. Missionary Sisters, Third Order of St. Francis.....	4,342	15
1106. Mary Immaculate Hospital.....	164	78
1107. Misericordia Hospital.....	155	44
1108. Manhattan Eye, Ear and Throat Hospital.....	248	80
1115. New York Post Graduate Medical School and Hospital.....	2,153	64
1118. New York Polyclinic Medical School and Hospital.....	954	45
1149. St. Joseph's Hospital (Queens).....	2,060	76
1121. New York Ophthalmic Hospital.....	976	98
1128. Orphan Home (Brooklyn).....	2,142	07
1132. Prospect Heights Hospital and Brooklyn Maternity.....	379	45
1133. Roman Catholic Orphan Asylum Society, St. Joseph's Female Orphan Asylum.....	5,795	82
..... Roman Catholic Orphan Asylum Society, St. John's Home.....		
1137. St. Mary's Maternity and Infants' Home.....	6,689	27
1140. St. Peter's Hospital.....	546	10
1143. St. John's Long Island City Hospital.....	1,000	97
1144. St. Zita's Home for Friendless Women.....	225	98
1147. St. Vincent's Hospital of The City of New York.....	820	06
1150. St. Gregory's Emergency Hospital.....	750	50
1151. Sydenham Hospital.....	174	75
1153. St. Francis' Hospital.....	1,087	95
1154. Sacred Heart Orphan Asylum.....	2,024	01
1155. St. Agatha Home for Children.....	1,094	18
1156. St. Michael's Home.....	693	75
1157. St. Joseph's Asylum.....	1,661	50
1159. St. Malachy's Home.....	1,154	64
1160. Sheltering Arms Nursery of Brooklyn.....	151	31
1161. Sloane Maternity Hospital.....	2,859	80
1163. St. Agnes' Hospital for Crippled and Atypical Children.....	4,805	91
1168. The New York Society for the Relief of the Ruptured and Crippled.....	2,009	39

1169. The Ozanam Home for Friendless Women.....	1,757	13
1171. The Babies' Hospital of The City of New York..	241	50
1173. The Society of the Lying-in Hospital of The City of New York.....	2,576	75
1174. The Mount Sinai Hospital of The City of New York.....	6,000	30
1175. The J. Hood Wright Memorial Hospital.....	215	61
1183. The Swedish Hospital in Brooklyn.....	135	03
1180. The S. R. Smith Infirmary.....	1,645	68
1184. Williamsburg Hospital.....	400	52
1185. Washington Square Home for Friendless Girls..	504	17
1188. Wayside Home.....	301	83
1189. Washington Heights Hospital.....	279	33
1190. Yorkville Dispensary and Hospital for Women and Children.....	1,420	04
1299. The Hospital of the Holy Family, for 1910.....	\$86,654	37
..... New York County, 1909.	12,000	00
1522. Institution for the Improved Instruction of Deaf Mutes.....	5,556	58
..... Kings County, 1909.		
1658. New York Institution for the Instruction of the Deaf and Dumb.....	415	58
..... Queens County, 1909.		
1709. New York Institution for the Instruction of Deaf Mutes.....	\$11	23
1710. New York Institution for the Instruction of Deaf Mutes.....	79	97
1706. Institution for the Improved Instruction of Deaf Mutes.....	122	39
1707. Institution for the Improved Instruction of Deaf Mutes.....	83	84
1705. Syracuse State Institution for Feeble-minded Children.....	20	00
1708. New York Institution for the Blind.....	112	90
1701. Supplies for County Offices.....	430	33
..... Richmond County, 1909.	22	65
1754. Institution for the Improved Instruction of Deaf Mutes.....	505	98
	\$105,585	49

—the same being in excess of the amounts required for the purposes thereof, to the appropriations made to the following charitable institutions for the years 1909 and 1910, viz.:

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1051. Brooklyn Training School and Home for Young Girls.....	21	98
1053. Brooklyn Industrial School Association and Home for Destitute Children.....	2,351	60
1055. Brooklyn Nursery and Infants' Hospital.....	866	70
1060. Brooklyn Home for Consumptives.....	276	00
1061. Brooklyn Children's Aid Society.....	892	80
1068. Colored Orphan Asylum and Association for Benefit of Colored Children.....	38	27
1076. Dominican Convent of Our Lady of the Rosary.....	1,033	34
1077. Flushing Hospital and Dispensary.....	1,057	96
1087. House of Calvary.....	694	40
1097. Low Maternity (Branch of Brooklyn Hospital).....	387	86
1092. Institution of Mercy.....	291	99
1098. Long Island College Hospital.....	1,346	70
1105. Maternity of the Long Island College Hospital..	61	56
1110. New York Juvenile Asylum.....	4,665	87
1113. Nursery and Child's Hospital.....	12	93
1125. New York Magdalen Benevolent Society.....	233	49
1129. Orphan Asylum Society of the City of Brooklyn.....	1,010	88
1130. Ottilie Orphan Asylum.....	124	15
1131. Peabody Home for Aged and Indigent Women..	66	40
1135. Roman Catholic House of the Good Shepherd....	1,142	21
1136. St. Mark's General Hospital, New York City...	606	12
1138. St. Christopher's Hospital for Babies.....	287	25
1139. St. Mary's General Hospital of the City of Brooklyn.....	462	33
1142. Society for the Aid of Friendless Women and Children.....	448	66
1158. St. Ann's Home for Destitute Children.....	881	53
1162. Seton Hospital, New York City.....	3,279	23
1164. St. Vincent's Hospital, Borough of Richmond..	5,224	12
1166. Samaritan Hospital of Brooklyn.....	317	48
1167. The Convent of the Sisters of Mercy.....	6,167	04
1177. The Jewish Hospital.....	1,712	22
1179. The Brooklyn Eye and Ear Hospital.....	486	05
1182. The Jewish Protectory and Aid Society.....	183	13
1194. Brooklyn Home for Blind, Crippled and Defective Children.....	309	90
1057. Bushwick Hospital.....	137	96
1074. Catholic Home Bureau.....	1,001	25
1080. German Hospital of Brooklyn.....	416	79
1081. German Odd Fellows' Home and Orphan Asylum	244	09
1089. Hope Farm.....	198	83
1103. Mission of the Immaculate Virgin for the Protection of Homeless and Destitute Children.....	3,494	79
1104. Methodist Episcopal Hospital in the City of Brooklyn.....	259	83
1109. New York Catholic Protectory.....	2,351	94

1111. New York Infant Asylum.....	2,988 33
1112. New York Foundling Hospital.....	19,646 41
1114. New York Eye and Ear Infirmary.....	1,133 40
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1660. St. Joseph's Institute for the Improved Instruction of Deaf Mutes	415 58
<i>Queens County, 1909.</i>	
1711. St. Joseph's Institute for the Improved Instruc- tion of Deaf Mutes.....	\$434 58
1712. St. Joseph's Institute for the Improved Instruc- tion of Deaf Mutes.....	18 40
	<u>452 98</u>
<i>Richmond County, 1909.</i>	
1758. St. Joseph's Institute for the Improved Instruction of Deaf Mutes	505 48
1759. St. Joseph's Institute for the Improved Instruction of Deaf Mutes	50
	<u>\$105,585 49</u>

—the amounts of said appropriations being insufficient.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond—16.

The following matters not upon the calendar for this day were considered by unanimous consent:

The Comptroller presented the following communication from the President of the Borough of Manhattan, requesting a modification of the schedules of "Salaries" accompanying the Budget for the year 1910, for his office, to provide for a readjustment of salaries, involving a transfer of \$15,450 but no additional appropriation.

City of New York,
Office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan,
City Hall, April 15, 1910.

JOSEPH HAAG, Esq., Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, No. 277 Broadway, New York:

DEAR SIR—Request is hereby made that the supporting schedule of salaries attached to the Budget of the President of the Borough of Manhattan for the year 1910, be amended in the manner shown in the accompanying statement. These changes are required for the readjustment of salaries as explained in my letter of March 11, 1910. Under date of March 18, the Board recommended to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of the necessary grades. The changes are kept within the total amount of the schedule and require no additional appropriation.

Inclosed you will find form of resolution for the necessary transfer of funds.

Yours very truly,

GEORGE McANENY, President, Borough of Manhattan.

President, Borough of Manhattan.

General Administration—

1426. Salaries:	
Borough President	\$7,500 00
Commissioner of Public Works.....	7,200 00
Assistant Commissioner of Public Works.....	6,000 00
Consulting Engineer	7,200 00
Secretary of the Borough.....	5,000 00
Secretary to the President.....	4,000 00
Secretary to Commissioner of Public Works.....	3,300 00
Auditor	4,000 00
Cashier	2,400 00
Clerks, 6 at \$2,400 each.....	14,400 00
Clerks, 3 at \$2,100 each.....	6,300 00
Clerk	1,800 00
Clerks, 6 at \$1,500 each.....	9,000 00
Clerk	1,350 00
Clerk	1,200 00
Clerk	1,050 00
Clerk	900 00
Clerk	720 00
Stenographer and Typewriter.....	2,100 00
Stenographer and Typewriter to Borough President	2,100 00
Stenographer and Typewriter, 2 at \$1,500 each....	3,000 00
Stenographer and Typewriter.....	1,050 00
Messenger	1,500 00
Telephone Operator	1,050 00
Attendants, 2 at \$1,050 each.....	2,100 00
Attendant	900 00
Custodian	900 00
Assistant Custodian	720 00
Automobile Engineman	1,500 00
Automobile Engineman	1,200 00
	<u>\$101,440 00</u>

Bureau of Highways, Administration—

1430. Salaries, Superintendent, Clerks and Office Force:	
Clerk	2,400 00
Clerk	2,350 00
Clerk	1,800 00
Clerks, 6 at \$1,500 each.....	9,000 00
Clerks, 4 at \$1,200 each.....	4,800 00
Clerk	1,050 00
Clerks, 4 at \$900.....	3,600 00
General Inspector	3,000 00
General Inspector	2,550 00
Confidential Inspector	1,800 00
Inspector	1,800 00
Inspectors of Vaults, 3 at \$1,500 each.....	4,500 00
Inspector of Complaints.....	1,500 00
Inspector of Complaints.....	1,200 00

Foreman of Street Signs.....	2,250 00
Foreman	1,500 00
Foremen, 3 at \$1,200 each.....	3,600 00
Stenographer and Typewriters, 3 at \$1,200 each....	3,600 00
Stenographer and Typewriter.....	1,050 00
Messengers, 4 at \$1,200 each.....	4,800 00
Messengers, 3 at \$1,050 each.....	3,150 00
Messenger	900 00
Automobile Enginemen, 2 at \$1,200 each.....	2,400 00
Attendant	900 00
	<u>\$65,500 00</u>

Bureau of Incumbrances—

1450. Salaries and Wages:	
Clerk	\$2,100 00
Inspectors, 7 at \$1,200 each.....	8,400 00
Foreman	1,200 00
Keeper	900 00
Foreman	1,095 50
Laborers	1,975 00
	<u>\$15,670 50</u>

Bureau of Sewers—

1452. Salaries, Superintendent, Clerks and Office Force:	
Secretary	\$2,850 00
Bookkeeper	2,550 00
Clerk	1,800 00
Clerk	1,500 00
Clerk	900 00
Permit Clerk	1,500 00
Stenographer and Typewriters, 2 at \$1,200.....	2,400 00
Messengers, 2 at \$1,500.....	3,000 00
Messenger	1,050 00
General Inspector	3,000 00
Inspector of Connections, 2 at \$1,500.....	3,000 00
Inspector of Connections, 3 at \$1,200.....	3,600 00
Inspector of Masonry.....	2,100 00
Cleaner	720 00
Attendant	1,200 00
Automobile Enginemen, 2 at \$1,200.....	2,400 00
	<u>\$33,570 00</u>

Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, Administration—

1462. Salaries, Superintendent, Clerks and Office Force:	
Superintendent	\$5,000 00
Clerk	2,400 00
Clerk	1,800 00
Clerks, 2 at \$1,500 each.....	3,000 00
Stenographer and Typewriter.....	1,050 00
Mechanical Engineer	1,800 00
Architectural Draftsman	1,500 00
Clerk	900 00
Clerk	720 00
Typewriting Copyist	720 00
Messenger	1,200 00
Automobile Engineman	1,200 00
	<u>\$21,290 00</u>

Bureau of Buildings, Administration—

1497. Salaries, Superintendent, Clerks and Office Force:	
Superintendent	\$6,000 00
Assistant Superintendent	4,000 00
Secretary to Superintendent.....	2,500 00
Chief Clerk	3,000 00
Assistant Chief Clerk.....	2,000 00
Clerk	3,000 00
Clerk	2,400 00
Clerk	2,350 00
Clerks, 4 at \$1,800 each.....	7,200 00
Clerks, 7 at \$1,500 each.....	10,500 00
Clerks, 2 at \$1,350 each.....	2,700 00
Clerks, 10 at \$1,200 each.....	12,000 00
Clerks, 2 at \$1,050 each.....	2,100 00
Clerks, 7 at \$900 each.....	6,300 00
Stenographers and Typewriters, 3 at \$1,500 each...	4,500 00
Stenographer and Typewriter.....	1,200 00
Stenographers and Typewriters, 2 at \$1,050 each...	2,100 00
Cleaners, 5 at \$400 each.....	2,000 00
Telephone Operator	900 00
Watchmen, 3 at \$600 each.....	1,800 00
Automobile Engineman	1,200 00
	<u>\$79,750 00</u>

Field and Inspection Force—

1498. Salaries and Wages, Chief Inspector, Inspectors, Engineers, etc.:	
Chief Inspector of Buildings.....	\$5,000 00
Confidential Examiner	1,200 00
Messenger	1,500 00
Messengers, 8 at \$1,200 each.....	9,600 00
Messengers, 8 at \$1,050 each.....	8,400 00
Assistant Engineer	4,000 00
Assistant Engineers, 2 at \$2,550 each.....	5,100 00
Assistant Engineer	2,400 00
Inspectors of Masonry and Carpentry, 2 at \$2,400 each	4,800 00
Inspectors of Masonry and Carpentry, 54 at \$1,500 each	81,000 00
Inspector of Masonry and Carpentry.....	1,200 00
Inspectors of Masonry and Carpentry, 9 at \$1,200 each	10,800 00
Inspectors of Iron and Steel Construction, 7 at \$1,500 each	10,500 00
Inspectors of Elevators, 11 at \$1,500 each.....	16,500 00
Inspectors of Elevators.....	1,350 00
Inspectors of Elevators, 5 at \$1,200 each.....	6,000 00
Inspector of Plumbing.....	2,550 00
Inspectors of Plumbing, 17 at \$1,500 each.....	25,500 00
Inspectors of Plumbing, 3 at \$1,350 each.....	4,050 00
Inspectors of Plumbing, 4 at \$1,200 each.....	4,800 00
Unassigned	100 00
	<u>\$206,350 00</u>

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of modification of the schedules accompanying the appropriation made to the office of the President, Borough of Manhattan, in the Budget for the year 1910, as follows:

President, Borough of Manhattan.

General Administration—

1426. Salaries:	
Borough President	\$7,500 00
Commissioner of Public Works.....	7,200 00

Assistant Commissioner of Public Works.....	6,000 00	Messenger	1,200 00
Consulting Engineer	7,200 00	Automobile Engineman	1,200 00
Secretary of the Borough.....	5,000 00		<u>\$21,290 00</u>
Secretary to the President.....	4,000 00		
Secretary to Commissioner of Public Works.....	3,300 00		
Auditor	4,000 00		
Cashier	2,400 00		
Clerks, 6 at \$2,400 each.....	14,400 00		
Clerks, 3 at \$2,100 each.....	6,300 00		
Clerk	1,800 00		
Clerks, 6 at \$1,500 each.....	9,000 00		
Clerk	1,350 00		
Clerk	1,200 00		
Clerk	1,050 00		
Clerk	900 00		
Clerk	720 00		
Stenographer and Typewriter.....	2,100 00		
Stenographer and Typewriter to Borough President.....	2,100 00		
Stenographer and Typewriter, 2 at \$1,500 each....	3,000 00		
Stenographer and Typewriter.....	1,050 00		
Messenger	1,500 00		
Telephone Operator	1,050 00		
Attendants, 2 at \$1,050 each.....	2,100 00		
Attendant	900 00		
Custodian	900 00		
Assistant Custodian	720 00		
Automobile Engineman	1,500 00		
Automobile Engineman	1,200 00		
	<u>\$101,440 00</u>		
Bureau of Highways, Administration—			
1430. Salaries, Superintendent, Clerks and Office Force:			
Clerk	\$2,400 00		
Clerk	2,350 00		
Clerk	1,800 00		
Clerks, 6 at \$1,500 each.....	9,000 00		
Clerks, 4 at \$1,200 each.....	4,800 00		
Clerk	1,050 00		
Clerks, 4 at \$900.....	3,600 00		
General Inspector	3,000 00		
General Inspector	2,550 00		
Confidential Inspector	1,800 00		
Inspector	1,800 00		
Inspectors of Vaults, 3 at \$1,500 each.....	4,500 00		
Inspector of Complaints.....	1,500 00		
Inspector of Complaints.....	1,200 00		
Foreman of Street Signs.....	2,250 00		
Foreman	1,500 00		
Foremen, 3 at \$1,200 each.....	3,600 00		
Stenographer and Typewriters, 3 at \$1,200 each....	3,600 00		
Stenographer and Typewriter.....	1,050 00		
Messengers, 4 at \$1,200 each.....	4,800 00		
Messengers, 3 at \$1,050 each.....	3,150 00		
Messenger	900 00		
Automobile Enginemen, 2 at \$1,200 each.....	2,400 00		
Attendant	900 00		
	<u>\$65,500 00</u>		
Bureau of Incumbrances—			
1450. Salaries and Wages:			
Clerk	\$2,100 00		
Inspectors, 7 at \$1,200 each.....	8,400 00		
Foreman	1,200 00		
Keeper	900 00		
Foreman	1,095 50		
Laborers	1,975 50		
	<u>\$15,670 50</u>		
Bureau of Sewers—			
1452. Salaries, Superintendent, Clerks and Office Force:			
Secretary	\$2,850 00		
Bookkeeper	2,550 00		
Clerk	1,800 00		
Clerk	1,500 00		
Clerk	900 00		
Permit Clerk	1,500 00		
Stenographer and Typewriters, 2 at \$1,200.....	2,400 00		
Messengers, 2 at \$1,500.....	3,000 00		
Messenger	1,050 00		
General Inspector	3,000 00		
Inspector of Connections, 2 at \$1,500.....	3,000 00		
Inspector of Connections, 3 at \$1,200.....	3,600 00		
Inspector of Masonry.....	2,100 00		
Cleaner	720 00		
Attendant	1,200 00		
Automobile Enginemen, 2 at \$1,200.....	2,400 00		
	<u>\$33,570 00</u>		
Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, Administration—			
1462. Salaries, Superintendent, Clerks and Office Force:			
Superintendent	\$5,000 00		
Clerk	2,400 00		
Clerk	1,800 00		
Clerks, 2 at \$1,500 each.....	3,000 00		
Stenographer and Typewriter.....	1,050 00		
Mechanical Engineer	1,800 00		
Architectural Draftsman	1,500 00		
Clerk	900 00		
Clerk	720 00		
Typewriting Copyist	720 00		
	<u>\$21,290 00</u>		
Bureau of Buildings, Administration—			
1497. Salaries, Superintendent, Clerks and Office Force:			
Superintendent	\$6,000 00		
Assistant Superintendent	4,000 00		
Secretary to Superintendent.....	2,500 00		
Chief Clerk	3,000 00		
Assistant Chief Clerk.....	2,000 00		
Clerk	3,000 00		
Clerk	2,400 00		
Clerk	2,350 00		
Clerks, 4 at \$1,800 each.....	7,200 00		
Clerks, 7 at \$1,500 each.....	10,500 00		
Clerks, 2 at \$1,350 each.....	2,700 00		
Clerks, 10 at \$1,200 each.....	12,000 00		
Clerks, 2 at \$1,050 each.....	2,100 00		
Clerks, 7 at \$900 each.....	6,300 00		
Stenographers and Typewriters, 3 at \$1,500 each...	4,500 00		
Stenographer and Typewriter.....	1,200 00		
Stenographers and Typewriters, 2 at \$1,050 each...	2,100 00		
Cleaners, 5 at \$400 each.....	2,000 00		
Telephone Operator	900 00		
Watchmen, 3 at \$600 each.....	1,800 00		
Automobile Engineman	1,200 00		
	<u>\$79,750 00</u>		
Field and Inspection Force—			
1498. Salaries and Wages, Chief Inspector, Inspectors, Engineers, etc.:			
Chief Inspector of Buildings.....	\$5,000 00		
Confidential Examiner	1,200 00		
Messenger	1,500 00		
Messengers, 8 at \$1,200 each.....	9,600 00		
Messengers, 8 at \$1,050 each.....	8,400 00		
Assistant Engineer	4,000 00		
Assistant Engineers, 2 at \$2,550 each.....	5,100 00		
Assistant Engineer	2,400 00		
Inspectors of Masonry and Carpentry, 2 at \$2,400 each	4,800 00		
Inspectors of Masonry and Carpentry, 54 at \$1,500 each	81,000 00		
Inspector of Masonry and Carpentry.....	1,200 00		
Inspectors of Masonry and Carpentry, 9 at \$1,200 each	10,800 00		
Inspectors of Iron and Steel Construction, 7 at \$1,500 each	10,500 00		
Inspectors of Elevators, 11 at \$1,500 each.....	16,500 00		
Inspectors of Elevators.....	1,350 00		
Inspectors of Elevators, 5 at \$1,200 each.....	6,000 00		
Inspector of Plumbing.....	2,550 00		
Inspectors of Plumbing, 17 at \$1,500 each.....	25,500 00		
Inspectors of Plumbing, 3 at \$1,350 each.....	4,050 00		
Inspectors of Plumbing, 4 at \$1,200 each.....	4,800 00		
Unassigned	100 00		
	<u>\$206,350 00</u>		
Which was adopted by the following vote:			
Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond—16.			
The following resolution was offered:			
Resolved, That the sum of fifteen thousand four hundred and fifty dollars (\$15,450) be and the same is hereby transferred from the appropriation made to the office President of the Borough of Manhattan for the year 1910, entitled and as follows:			
Bureau of Highways, Administration, 1430, Salaries, Superintendent, Clerks and Office Force	\$6,725 00		
Bureau of Sewers, Administration, 1452, Salaries, Superintendent, Clerks and Office Force	8,725 00		
	<u>\$15,450 00</u>		
—the same being in excess of the amounts required for the purposes thereof, to the appropriations made to the said office for the year 1910, entitled and as follows:			
General Administration, 1426, Salaries	\$14,000 00		
Bureau of Buildings, Administration, 1497, Salaries, Superintendent, Clerks and Office Force	725 00		
Field and Inspection Force, 1498, Salaries and Wages, Chief Inspector, Inspectors, Engineers, etc.	725 00		
	<u>\$15,450 00</u>		
—the amounts of said appropriations being insufficient.			
Which was adopted by the following vote:			
Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond—16.			
The Comptroller presented the following resolution of the Board of Aldermen requesting, and report recommending, an issue of \$10,575 Special Revenue Bonds (subdivision 8, section 188, of the Charter) for the purpose of providing for maintenance of public bath at Fourth avenue and President street, Brooklyn, for the year 1910, under the jurisdiction of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn.			
On April 1, 1910, a resolution of the Board of Aldermen requesting the issue of Special Revenue Bonds, as above, was referred to the Comptroller.			
In the Board of Aldermen.			
Resolved, That in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds to the amount of ten thousand five hundred and seventy-five dollars (\$10,575), the proceeds whereof to be used by the President of the Borough of Brooklyn for the purpose of providing for maintenance of public bath at Fourth avenue and President street, Borough of Brooklyn, for 1910.			

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, March 15, 1910, three-fourths of all the members elected voting in favor thereof.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, March 29, 1910, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

P. J. SCULLY, Clerk.

April 21, 1910.

The Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—In the matter of the resolution of the Board of Aldermen recommending the authorization of an issue of special revenue bonds to the amount of \$10,575 to be used for the purpose of providing for the maintenance of a public bath at Fourth avenue and President street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, for the remainder of the year 1910, I report as follows:

The request for this issue of special revenue bonds is made by the President of the Borough of Brooklyn because of the fact that no provision was included in the Budget for 1910 for the maintenance of this bath. Upon the statement of the Superintendent of Public Buildings and Offices, of the Borough of Brooklyn, made to an examiner of the Department of Finance, to the effect that the maintenance cost of this bath cannot be provided through economies elsewhere in the administration of the office of the Superintendent of Public Buildings and Offices, I recommend approval of the request as per the resolution attached hereto.

Respectfully,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of and concurs in the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted March 15, 1910, in relation to an appropriation of ten thousand five hundred and seventy-five dollars (\$10,575) to be expended by the President of the Borough of Brooklyn for maintenance of public bath at Fourth avenue and President street, Borough of Brooklyn, for the year 1910, and that for the purpose of providing means therefor the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized, pursuant to the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, to issue special revenue bonds of The City of New York to the amount of ten thousand five hundred and seventy-five dollars (\$10,575), redeemable from the tax levy of the year succeeding the year of their issue.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond—16.

The Comptroller presented the following report recommending a modification of the schedules of Salaries supporting the appropriation made in the Budget for the year 1910, for the office of the President of the Borough of Queens, Bureau of Sewers, providing for the substitution of the item "Inspectors of House Connections, 4 at \$1,500 each, \$6,000," for the item "Inspectors of House Connections, 5 at \$1,200 each, \$6,000," said modification to be retroactive to January 1, 1910.

April 21, 1910.

The Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—I transmit herewith a communication under date of April 1, 1910, from the President of the Borough of Queens, requesting the modification of Nos. 1657, 1610, 1619 and 1668, for the year 1910. I would report on No. 1619, withholding the report on Nos. 1657, 1610 and 1668, to go with a report on requests for other modifications to your Board at an early meeting. The requested change, under No. 1619, is:

Bureau of Sewers, Administration, No. 1619, Salaries.

For line item now reading "Inspectors of House Connections, 5 at \$1,200 each, \$6,000," substitute line item reading "Inspectors of House Connections, 4 at \$1,500 each, \$6,000."

The four Inspectors indicated in the revised line item were permanently employed in the Bureau of Sewers up to December 31, 1909, at a salary of \$1,500 each. Owing to an error in preparing the Budget schedule for the President of the Borough of Queens, five Inspectors were listed instead of four, the salary of each of the said four Inspectors actually on the payroll was listed at \$1,200. As a result the said Inspectors have received no salary since January 1, 1910, and I would, therefore, recommend that the request be approved, and that salary payment under the rate of \$1,500 per annum be retroactive to January 1, 1910, through the adoption of the resolution hereunto attached.

Respectfully,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the following modification (to take effect from January 1, 1910) of the schedule supporting the budget appropriation made to the office of the President of the Borough of Queens for the year 1910, entitled:

Bureau of Sewers.

Administration—

1619. Salaries:

Superintendent	\$3,000 00
Chief Clerk	2,500 00
Cashier	1,500 00
Clerks, 3 at \$1,500 each.....	4,500 00
Inspectors of House Connections, 4 at \$1,500 each.	6,000 00
Inspectors of Sewers.....	1,200 00
	<u>\$18,700 00</u>

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond—16.

The Comptroller presented the following communication from the Police Commissioner requesting, and report of the Select Committee, consisting of the Comptroller and the President of the Board of Aldermen recommending, the establishment of the following grades of positions in the Police Department:

	Per Annum.
Second Deputy Police Commissioner.....	\$6,000 00
Third Deputy Police Commissioner.....	6,000 00
Fourth Deputy Police Commissioner.....	6,000 00
Secretary to Police Commissioner.....	3,500 00
First Deputy Clerk.....	3,500 00

(On February 4, 1910, the request of the Police Commissioner for the establishment of the above grades of positions was referred to said Select Committee.)

Police Department of The City of New York, }
January 26, 1910. }

To the Honorable the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—The Police Commissioner this day

Ordered, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and is hereby respectfully requested, in pursuance of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, to recommend to the Board of Aldermen to establish the following grades and fix the compensation of the following positions for the Police Department of The City of New York:

Second Deputy Commissioner, from.....	\$4,000 00	to	\$6,000 00
Third Deputy Commissioner, from.....	4,000 00	to	6,000 00
Fourth Deputy Commissioner, from.....	4,000 00	to	6,000 00
Secretary to Police Commissioner, from.....	3,000 00	to	3,500 00
First Deputy Clerk, from.....	3,000 00	to	3,500 00
Assistant Bookkeeper, from.....	2,700 00	to	3,000 00
Complaint Clerk, from.....	2,000 00	to	2,500 00
Messenger, from	900 00	to	1,200 00

Respectfully,

WM. F. BAKER, Police Commissioner.

Department of Finance, City of New York, }
Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, }
March 8, 1910. }

The Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—At a meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held February 4, 1910, a communication was presented from the Police Commissioner requesting the establishment of the following additional grades of positions in the Police Department:

	Per Annum.
Second Deputy Commissioner.....	\$6,000 00
Third Deputy Commissioner.....	6,000 00
Fourth Deputy Commissioner.....	6,000 00
Secretary to Police Commissioner.....	3,500 00
First Deputy Clerk.....	3,500 00
Assistant Bookkeeper	3,000 00
Complaint Clerk	2,500 00
Messenger	1,200 00

--which communication was referred to a Select Committee, consisting of the Comptroller and President of the Board of Aldermen, for consideration. In connection therewith your Committee submits the following report:

The request of the Police Commissioner, if granted, will result in a net annual increase of \$8,100 in the expenditures for salaries in the Police Department. The following schedule gives the position, name of incumbent, present salary, the proposed salary and the amount of annual increase in salaries as requested:

Position.	Name of Incumbent.	Present Salary.	Proposed Salary.	Amount of Increase.
Second Deputy Commissioner..	Charles W. Kirby.....	\$4,000 00	\$6,000 00	\$2,000 00
Third Deputy Commissioner...	John J. Walsh.....	4,000 00	6,000 00	2,000 00
Fourth Deputy Commissioner..	Louis H. Reynolds.....	4,000 00	6,000 00	2,000 00
Secretary to Commissioner....	Thomas Carroll.....	3,000 00	3,500 00	500 00
First Deputy Clerk.....	Arthur Blot.....	3,000 00	3,500 00	500 00
Assistant Bookkeeper.....	George E. Hawthorne.....	2,700 00	3,000 00	300 00
Complaint Clerk.....	Robert B. Saul.....	2,000 00	2,500 00	500 00
Messenger.....	William W. Spencer.....	900 00	1,200 00	300 00
Total.....		\$23,600 00	\$31,700 00	\$8,100 00

On March 22, 1907, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted a resolution requesting the Board of Aldermen to establish the positions of Deputy Police Commissioners at an increased salary rate. The Aldermen concurred with the resolution in so far as it related to the First Deputy Police Commissioner, whose salary was thereby fixed at \$6,000 per annum. No action was taken on that part of the resolution increasing the salaries of the other Deputy Police Commissioners. The result is that the First Deputy Police Commissioner is receiving \$2,000 more per annum than the Second, Third and Fourth Deputy Police Commissioners.

Duties of the Deputy Police Commissioners.

The duties of the Deputy Police Commissioners whose salaries it is proposed to increase from \$4,000 to \$6,000 per annum each are summed up as follows:

Second Deputy Commissioner—He acts as executive officer to the Police Commissioner; has direct cognizance of and control over the administration and discipline of the Department and entire force; is especially charged with the enforcement of the laws and ordinances in the Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx and Richmond; holds trials in any of the Boroughs when assigned thereto. Has supervision over the Chief Inspector's office and the entire uniformed force, the Police Surgeons, the Bureau of Electrical Service, the regulation of traffic, pistol permits, parade permits, School of Instruction, Special Policemen, and records, shields and funds of same.

Third Deputy Commissioner—He presides at trials in the Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx and Richmond; has supervision over the offices of the Property Clerk, the Boiler Inspectors and the Complaint Clerk. He is also intrusted with the approval of charges preferred against all members of the force. He is responsible for the legality of all blanks and forms used by the Department and the legality of all contracts and other documents involving the expenditure of money. His duties also include supervision over the Pension Bureau and the investigation of pension claims, and the granting of licenses for masquerade balls, theatres, concert halls, steamboat and railroad runners and immigrant boarding houses.

Fourth Deputy Commissioner—He has supervision over the Detective Bureau, the Photograph Gallery, the Bureau of Information, the Bureau of Repairs and Supplies, the Stationery Bureau and the certification of the payrolls.

Among the salaries paid to Deputy Commissioners of other Departments are:

Deputy Commissioner, Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity (Manhattan).....	\$6,000 00
Deputy Commissioner, Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity (Brooklyn).....	5,500 00
Deputy Fire Commissioner.....	5,000 00
Deputy Commissioner of Charities.....	5,000 00
Deputy Commissioner of Street Cleaning.....	5,000 00
Deputy Commissioner of Docks and Ferries.....	4,500 00
Deputy Commissioner of Bridges.....	4,500 00

Secretary to the Commissioner.

Thomas Carroll, Secretary to the Commissioner, whose salary it is proposed to increase from \$3,000 to \$3,500, was appointed Secretary to the Deputy Chief of Police in February, 1898, at \$1,500 per annum. He served for several years as Acting Secretary to the First Deputy Police Commissioner. On July 7, 1909, he was appointed to his present position. The duties devolving upon him are as follows: He is a confidential staff officer, reports directly to the Commissioner and takes instructions from him only. He is authorized and expected to make recommendations to the Commissioner on all points connected with the Police Department, both of policy and administration. He is authorized to act as the personal representative of the Commissioner in interviews with all callers and transact such business with them as may be possible, the object being to bring to the attention of the Commissioner only such matters of importance as require the Commissioner's personal attention.

First Deputy Clerk.

Arthur Blot, First Deputy Clerk, whose salary it is proposed to increase from \$3,000 to \$3,500, was appointed Stenographer and Secretary to the Chief Clerk February 10, 1897, at \$1,500. His salary was increased to \$2,500 on April 1, 1898. He was promoted to his present position June 14, 1905. He acts as Chief Clerk in the absence of the Chief Clerk. Subject to the Chief Clerk, he is the executive officer responsible for the conduct and efficiency of the Deputy Clerks and is accountable for the proper keeping of the records of the Department. He prepares, under the direction of the Chief Clerk, annual, quarterly and occasional reports and such other statements as are from time to time required. He examines and certifies to the Commissioner all payrolls. Under the direction of the Commissioner he has entire charge of the clerical work in connection with primaries, registration and elections. This includes the preparation of orders, handling of correspondence between the Police Department and the Board of Elections and the State Superintendent of Elections. This particular work, covering at least two months every year, must be carried on at the same time as his regular routine work. He also keeps the important confidential records and documents of the Department.

Assistant Bookkeeper.

George W. Hawthorne, Assistant Bookkeeper, whose salary it is proposed to increase from \$2,700 to \$3,000, was appointed Deputy Clerk July 24, 1899, at a salary of \$1,200. He was appointed Assistant Bookkeeper December 16, 1903, after receiving several promotions for efficiency. Under the direction of the Chief Bookkeeper he has charge of the accounts of the Police Pension Fund. His disbursements in cash amount to \$140,000 monthly. He prepares the annual report of the Police Pension Fund, showing in detail the receipts and disbursements of said fund. His report includes the name and residence of each beneficiary and the amount paid in each individual case. In the absence of the Chief Bookkeeper he is also responsible for all payments made from the Contingent Fund.

Complaint Clerk.

Robert B. Saul, Complaint Clerk, whose salary it is proposed to increase from \$2,000 to \$2,500, was appointed to his present position February 11, 1904. He keeps the official, legal and judicial records of all members of the force and prepares and causes to be served all copies of complaints made against them. He also keeps a record of all such complaints, causes all witnesses to be subpoenaed, attends all trials, prepares all trial calendars, keeps records of judgments and punishment on all members of the force, furnishes to the Commissioner and Deputy Commissioner and Chief Clerk copies of official, legal and judicial records of members of the force, reports all trials and prepares all returns to writs of certiorari.

Messenger.

William W. Spencer, Messenger, whose salary it is proposed to increase from \$900 to \$1,200, was appointed to his present position December 22, 1897. He has received no increase in his salary since his appointment. His duties are: Drawing checks on Contingent Fund to pay the expenses of officers, sending out notices that checks for the same are ready and receiving receipts in duplicate. He has complete charge of files containing vouchers for supplies sent to the Comptroller for payment. He checks up the payrolls of the force for each month, folds and files them in numerical order. He also assists in the payment of pensions. As Messenger he carries large sums of money to different banks for deposit.

Your Committee, after due examination, is of the opinion that the request of the Police Commissioner for the establishment of new grades of positions which will permit an increase in the salaries of the Second, Third and Fourth Deputy Commissioners, the Secretary to the Police Commissioner, the First Deputy Clerk, the Assistant Bookkeeper, the Complaint Clerk and the Messenger, in the Police Department, is deserving of approval by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment. The description of the duties and the work rendered by the subordinates of the Police Department whose salaries it is proposed to increase, which description is contained in this report, shows that they occupy important and responsible positions and are justly entitled to remuneration at a higher rate of pay than they are at present receiving. We would therefore recommend favorable consideration of the resolution hereto appended.

Respectfully,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller;
JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen;
Select Committee.

The following resolution was offered:

Resolved, That, in accordance with the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of the following grades of positions in the Police Department, in addition to those already existing therein:

	Per Annum.
Second Deputy Police Commissioner.....	\$6,000 00
Third Deputy Police Commissioner.....	6,000 00
Fourth Deputy Police Commissioner.....	6,000 00
Secretary to Police Commissioner.....	3,500 00
First Deputy Clerk.....	3,500 00
Assistant Bookkeeper.....	3,000 00
Complaint Clerk.....	2,500 00
Messenger.....	1,200 00

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the President of the Board of Aldermen and the Presidents of the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, The Bronx, Queens and Richmond—16.

On motion of the Comptroller, the Board adjourned to meet Friday, April 29, 1910, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

Report of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn for the Week Ending April 9, 1910.

BUREAU OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS AND OFFICES.

During the week ending April 9, 1910, the Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices forwarded fifteen orders for supplies and twenty-eight orders for repairs, making a total of forty-three orders.

Bills aggregating \$2,050.62 were signed by the Commissioner of Public Works and transmitted to the Department of Finance for audit and payment.

BUREAU OF INCUMBRANCES AND PERMITS.

Complaint Department.

Department of Street Cleaning, 1; Bureau of Complaints, 2; mail, 11; office, 24; Inspectors, 37; Police Department, 2. Total, 77.

Classification and Disposal—Show cases removed, 4; boulders removed, 23; tree and limbs removed, 1; posts and poles removed to Wallabout Yard, 4; loads earth, rubbish, etc., removed, 31. Total, 63.

Inspector's Department.

Complaints made, 37; complaints settled, 106; slips settled, 90.

Permit Department.

Permits Passed—Building material, 36; vaults, 4; cross walks, 41; special, 192; vault repairs, 5; cement walks, 36; driveways, 15; electric companies, 93; railroad companies, 14; gas companies, 165; water company, 1. Total, 602.

Permits Passed—Tap water pipes, 96; repair water connections, 66; sewer connections, 109; sewer connection repairs, 26. Total, 297.

Cashier's Department.

Moneys Received—

Repaving over water connections.....	\$856 15
Repaving over sewer connections.....	379 95
Inspection of work done by corporations.....	12 00
Extra paving.....	4 30
Vaults.....	94 90

Total.....\$1,347 30

BUREAU OF SEWERS.

Superintendent's Office, Borough of Brooklyn.

Moneys received for sewer permits, \$1,420.16.

Number of permits issued, 126; for new sewer connections, 107; for old sewer connections (repairs), 19.

Requisitions Drawn on Comptroller—Appropriations, \$8,237.45; funds, \$6,289.24.

Linear feet sewer built, 24-inch to 90-inch, 142; linear feet pipe sewer built, 1,564. Total number of feet sewer built, 1,706.

Number of manholes built, 10; number of basins built, 4; number of basins repaired, 12; linear feet of pipe sewers cleaned, 48,980; linear feet of sewers examined, 133,280; number of basins cleaned, 734; number of basins relieved, 3,100; number of basins examined, 1,356; manhole heads and covers set, 4; manhole head and cover reset, 1; manhole covers put on, 3; number of basin pans set, 15; number gallons sewage pumped, Twenty-sixth Ward, 71,330,400; number gallons sewage pumped, Thirty-first Ward, 32,868,129; cubic feet sludge pumped, Twenty-sixth Ward, 48,320; cubic feet sludge pumped, Thirty-first Ward, 8,284; complaints examined, 4.

Laboring Force Employed During the Week.

Repairing and Cleaning Sewers—Inspectors of Construction, 1; Inspectors of Sewer Connections, 12; Foremen, 8; Inspectors of Sewers and Basins, 9; Mechanics, 2; Laborers, 69; horses and carts, 27.

Street Improvement Fund—Inspectors of Construction, 28; Mechanics, 3; Laborers, 16.

Twenty-sixth Ward Disposal Works—Laborers, 15.

Thirty-first Ward Disposal Works—Mechanic, 1; Laborers, 20.

Cleaning Large Brick and Concrete Sewers—Foremen, 2; Laborers, 31; horses and carts, 5.

BUREAU OF HIGHWAYS.

Division of Street Repairs.

Force Employed on Repairs to Street Pavements—Mechanics, 69; Laborers, 168; horses and wagons, 43; Foremen, 34; horses and carts, 20; teams, 20.

Work Done by Connection Gangs—Miscellaneous openings repaired, 8; water and sewer connections repaired, 102; electric light connections repaired, 117; dangerous holes repaired and made safe, 316; complaints received, 319; defects remedied, 92.

Work Done by Repair Gangs.

	Repairs.	Connections.	Total.
Square yards T. and G. granite.....	803	316	1,119
Square yards sand granite.....	3,011	1,104	4,115
Square yards belgian block.....	1,276	527	1,803
Square yards cobblestone.....	14	22	36
Square yards medina.....	178	7	185
Square yards brick.....	96	41	137
Square yards iron slag block.....	.....	1	1
Square yards wood block.....	.....	2	2
Square yards asphalt block.....	.....	12	12
Square yards macadam.....	.....	298	298
Total.....	5,378	2,330	7,708
Square yards 6-inch concrete.....	17	505	522

Miscellaneous Work—267 cubic yards stone crushed at crusher; 339 miles street sprinkled with water; cleaning Wallabout Yard and Market; cleaning miscellaneous paved streets; grading; bridge repairs; trucking.

Asphalt Plant.

Force at Plant—Superintendent, 1; Foreman, 1; Engineer, 1; Auto Engineer, 1; Stokers, 2; Fireman, 1; Asphalt Workers, 10; Laborers, 2.

Plant Product—601 boxes W. S. mixture, 135 boxes binder mixture.

Force on Maintenance—Foremen, 6; Engineers, 4; Asphalt Workers, 57; trucks, 9. Material Laid—4,965.56 cubic feet W. S. mixture; 1,102.50 cubic feet binder mixture.

Force Restoring Openings—Foreman, 1; Engineer, 1; Asphalt Workers, 3; truck, 1. 263.14 square yards asphalted.

Removing sand, West Twenty-third street, Coney Island; filling washouts; miscellaneous work not street work.

Total number of square yards of pavement repaired, 7,708; linear feet of curbing reset, 457; square feet of bridging relaid, 283; square feet of flagging relaid, 1,793; square feet cement walks, 643; linear feet concrete foundation under curb, 25.

Force Employed on Macadam and Unimproved Roadways—Steam rollers, 4; Mechanics, 14; Laborers, 90; horses and wagons, 15; teams, 10; sprinklers, 15; horses and carts, 2; Foremen, 11.

Dirt roadway repaired and cleaned, 51,421 square yards; gutter cleaned (paved), 500 square yards; sidewalk repairs, 52 square yards; macadam repairs, 1,549 square yards.

Miscellaneous work; repairing sprinklers; repairing rollers and road machines.

Loads Material Hauled—To work, 936; to dump, 690.

Connections in macadam pavements repaired, 5.

Operations of the Bureau of Buildings, Borough of Brooklyn, for the Week Ending April 9, 1910.

Plans filed for new buildings, brick (estimated cost, \$478,525).....	75
Plans filed for new buildings, frame (estimated cost, \$167,275).....	62
Plans filed for alterations (estimated cost, \$74,295).....	89
Building slip permits issued (estimated cost, \$10,095).....	89
Bay window permits issued (estimated cost, \$6,015).....	28
Unsafe cases filed.....	6
Violation cases filed.....	164
Unsafe notices issued.....	6
Violation notices issued.....	164

Operations of the Bureau of Buildings, Borough of Brooklyn, for the Corresponding Week Ending April 10, 1909.

Plans filed for new buildings, brick (estimated cost, \$1,084,800).....	168
Plans filed for new buildings, frame (estimated cost, \$136,312).....	36
Plans filed for alterations (estimated cost, \$81,055).....	98

ALFRED E. STEERS, President, Borough of Brooklyn.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.

Report of Money Deposited During the Month of March, 1910.

Report of Public Administrator, County of New York, to Comptroller, of Money Deposited with the Chamberlain for the Month of March, 1910.

Estate of	Gross Amount Estates.	Disbursements as Paid by Public Administrator.	Commissions.	Net Amount to Account of Intestate Estates.	Distribution.	
					General Fund.	Special and Trust Accounts, Intestate Estates, County of New York.
James Haughey (balance).....	\$146 50			\$146 50		\$146 50
George Wilson (balance).....	175 00			175 00		175 00
Lucinda O'Ranney (balance).....	1 57			1 57		1 57
Elizabeth Stratford (balance).....	27			27		27
Mary Dunleavy (balance).....	23 10			23 10		23 10
John O'Brien (No. 1) (balance).....	9 93			9 93		9 93
Anslum Schloss (balance).....	24 42			24 42		24 42
Mary Montgomery (balance).....	61 28			61 28		61 28
Ann R. Maher (balance).....	24 89			24 89		24 89
James Jones (balance).....	19 67			19 67		19 67
Ellen Milley (balance).....	6 10			6 10		6 10
Jno. F. Trainor (balance).....	4 77			4 77		4 77
Mary Mortell (balance).....	16 37			16 37		16 37
Sarah Dunn (balance).....	5 36			5 36		5 36
Annie McKenna (balance).....	10 62			10 62		10 62
Guiseppo Gagliarda (balance).....	14 02			14 02		14 02
Joseph E. Whelan (balance).....	4 52			4 52		4 52
John Brown (balance).....	3 27			3 27		3 27
Joseph Barr (balance).....	15 40			15 40		15 40
James Riordan.....	14 27	\$13 56	\$0 71		\$0 71	
Vincenzo Curcio.....	51 75	49 16	2 59		2 59	
Patrick Whelan.....	306 90	291 55	15 35		15 35	
Mary Flynn.....	646 52	614 19	32 33		32 33	
Ann J. McClusky.....	3,083 80	1,435 88	139 50		139 59	
Ann J. McClusky (balance held).....		1,508 33				
Rosetta Forster.....	140 90	133 85	7 05		7 05	
George Sanner.....	11 80	11 21	59		59	
Mary Rank.....	14 90	14 15	75		75	
Augustus E. Oelrichs.....	928 09	707 17	46 40		46 50	
Augustus E. Oelrichs (balance held).....		174 52				
Johann Paetz.....	530 06	503 56	26 50		26 50	
Jacob Goodman.....	830 66	791 66	39 00		39 00	
Marie Fleischman.....	5,475 95	5,276 13	199 82		199 82	
Francis Girard.....	10,096 37	9,781 45	314 92		314 92	
Gregory S. Martin.....	4,237 43	4,059 00	178 43		178 43	
Alice Daly (balance).....	193 76			193 76		193 76
Theresa Konitzer.....	16 66	15 58	1 08		1 08	
Elsine Sorenson.....	588 62	559 19	29 43		29 43	
Estates received from Coroners December 24, 1909, as per list attached.....	100 86		5 04	95 82	5 04	95 82
Estates received from Public Charities December 3, 1909, as per list attached.....	37 86		1 89	35 97	1 89	35 97
Total.....	\$27,874 22	\$25,940 14	\$1,041 47	\$892 61	\$1,041 47	\$892 61

Cash From Commissioner of Charities, December 3, 1909.

Irving Bartholomew.....	\$0 25	Charlotte Stebbins.....	12
William Colbert.....	1 00	John Lund.....	2 10
John McMenomy.....	06	John Wintersdorf.....	7 10
Herman Schumacher.....	2 08	William O'Connor.....	17 50
Mary McKeon.....	2 00	Andrew Schemm.....	2 00
Paul Michitsch.....	1 11	Marcus L. Kay, or Kazertie.....	54
George Kaufman.....	1 00		
Peter Baker.....	1 00	Total.....	\$37 86

Cash Received From Coroners of Manhattan, December 24, 1909.

August Billberg.....	\$1 85	Unknown man, 55th street and North River.....	05
Joseph Brustcher.....	16	Patrick Healy.....	35
Mary Flannery.....	9 32	Jeremiah Griffin.....	9 29
Nicholas Glasser.....	41	Andrew Gilbride.....	09
John Hamill.....	2 45	Richard Huter.....	05
John Morris.....	1 63	Fred. Kimbell.....	09
— Meyer, No. 25 Bowery.....	5 65	Robert Obrey.....	15
Annibalo Neanente.....	05	Harry Stephens.....	1 07
Jacob Parsis.....	1 01	Yon Um (Chinaman).....	2 60
Braigo Puccio.....	94	Frank Walker.....	25
John Smith.....	10	Unknown woman, off Gouverors Island.....	13
Mandel Weinstock.....	05	Unknown man, Mount Morris Park.....	20
Unknown man, Harlem River, 117th street.....	10	Unknown man, Pier 28, North River.....	21 56
Unknown man, No. 80 Bowery.....	1 10	Unknown man, No. 352 Fifth avenue.....	55
Unknown man, 129th street and 12th avenue.....	1 05	Unknown man, 87th street and North River.....	8 90
Edward Ackerstram.....	36	Jacob Bockhorst.....	32
August Apul.....	25	Felice Basso.....	90
Joseph Bonja.....	1 60	Jos. J. Candan.....	1 16
Albert Coladangelo.....	10	Geo. W. Dunkwater.....	08
Aaron Knight, \$1.85, 1 Canadian 10 cent piece 9 cents.....	1 94	Jane McGrath.....	3 02
L. Larsen.....	3 82	John McDonald.....	10
Joseph Miller.....	1 92	John O'Neill.....	35
Joseph J. McCarthy.....	46	John Tanfretz.....	77
Terrence McGuire.....	87	Unknown man, Second avenue.....	25
Patrick O'Brien.....	17	Unknown man, East River, opposite 110th street.....	25
George Shea.....	04	Unknown man, No. 145 3d avenue.....	5 73
William Sheldford.....	1 11		
Unknown man, No. 14 Spring street.....	4 09		
Unknown man, Subway, 116th street.....	01		
		Total.....	\$100 86

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

April 13, 1910.

The following proceedings were this day directed by Police Commissioner William F. Baker:

Ordered, That Edward H. Pruschen be and is hereby appointed as Doorman of Police in the Police Department of The City of New York, his conduct and capacity while on probation having been satisfactory to the Police Commissioner.

Ordered, That requisition be and is hereby made upon the Municipal Civil Service Commission for an eligible list from which to enable the Police Commissioner to appoint one Captain of Police, and that the name of Samuel A. McElroy be included in such eligible list.

Runner License Granted.

John W. Morgan, No. 355 West Eleventh street, Manhattan, from April 10, 1910, to April 9, 1911; fee, \$12.50; bond, \$300.

On File, Send Copy.

Report of Lieutenant in command of Boiler Squad, dated April 12, 1910, relative to Engineers' licenses granted. For publication in the CITY RECORD.

Special Order No. 95, issued this day, is hereby made part of the proceedings of the Police Commissioner.

Special Order No. 95.

The following resignation is hereby accepted:

Patrolman John P. Donohue, Fifteenth Precinct, to take effect 9.15 a. m., April 13, 1910.

The following transfers and assignment are hereby ordered:

To Take Effect 8 a. m., April 14, 1910.

Lieutenant August Kuhne, from Fifteenth Precinct to Detective Bureau, Manhattan.

To Take Effect 8 a. m., April 13, 1910.

Patrolmen John Armstrong, from Central Office Squad to Detective Bureau, Manhattan; Samuel P. DuBois, Central Office Squad, assignment changed from duty in Chief Inspector's office to duty in Police Commissioner's office.

The following temporary assignments are hereby ordered:

Surgeon Patrick J. Murray, to assume charge of Twentieth Surgical District, in addition to his own district, during absence of Surgeon David D. Jennings, from 6 p. m., April 14, 1910, to 12 noon, April 17, 1910.

Lieutenant Charles A. Place, Sixty-third Precinct, assigned to command precinct, during absence of Captain John F. Tappin, on sick leave, from 8 a. m., April 11, 1910.

Patrolmen David J. Foley, First Precinct, and Alexander D. Hall, Eighteenth Precinct, assigned to Second Inspection District, duty in plain clothes, for ten days, from 8 a. m., April 13, 1910; Harry J. Booth, Thirty-second Precinct, assigned to District Attorney's office, New York County, for four days, from 12 noon, April 12, 1910; James Jordan, Thirty-second Precinct, assigned as Acting Doorman in precinct, during absence of Doorman James Kent, for three days, from 12 noon, April 10, 1910.

The following extensions of temporary assignments are hereby ordered:

Lieutenant James Murray, One Hundred and Forty-fourth Precinct, to Brooklyn Borough Headquarters Squad, duty in plain clothes, in Borough Inspector's office, for ten days, from 8 p. m., April 14, 1910.

Patrolmen John Watson and Charles F. Figge, Thirty-first Precinct, to Brooklyn Borough Headquarters Squad, duty in Borough Inspector's office, in plain clothes, for ten days, from 8 a. m., April 13, 1910; Felix J. McCarthy, Fifth Precinct, to Brooklyn Borough Headquarters Squad, duty in Borough Inspector's office, in plain clothes, for ten days, from 8 p. m., April 14, 1910; Neil W. Ruddy, Ninth Inspection District, to Detective Bureau, Manhattan, for thirty days, from 8 a. m., April 13, 1910; John J. Scanlon, Sixteenth Precinct, to Detective Bureau, Manhattan, for thirty days, from 8 a. m., April 15, 1910.

The following members of the Force are excused for eighteen hours, as indicated:

Inspector George F. Titus, Fifth Inspection District, from 8 a. m., April 14, 1910. Surgeons Francis J. Murray, Fifteenth Surgical District, from 8 a. m., April 15, 1910, with permission to leave city; David D. Jennings, Twentieth Surgical District, from 6 p. m., April 14, 1910, with permission to leave city.

Captains Edward Gallagher, Second Precinct, from 7 p. m., April 15, 1910, with permission to leave city; William F. Day, Ninth Precinct, from 12 noon, April 14, 1910; Thomas Palmer, Twelfth Precinct, from 6 p. m., April 15, 1910; Cornelius G. Hayes, Nineteenth Precinct, from 12 noon, April 13, 1910; Henry W. Burfeind, Twenty-first Precinct, from 10 a. m., April 18, 1910; Denis J. Brennan, Sixty-fifth Precinct, from 9 a. m., April 15, 1910, with permission to leave city; Frank J. Morris, Sixty-sixth Precinct, from 2 p. m., April 13, 1910; George C. Liebers, Sixty-eighth Precinct, from 6 a. m., April 15, 1910; Denis F. Ward, Seventy-fourth Precinct, from 6 p. m., April 16, 1910; John F. Linden, Eightieth Precinct, from 8 a. m., April 26, 1910, with permission to leave city; Stephen McDermott, Eighty-ninth Precinct, from 3 p. m., April 16, 1910; Michael I. Galvin, One Hundred and Sixty-ninth Precinct, from 12 noon, April 14, 1910; Owen Rooney, Two Hundred and Ninetieth Precinct, from 7 a. m., April 18, 1910, with permission to leave city.

The following leaves of absence are hereby granted with full pay:
Surgeon David D. Jennings, Twentieth Surgical District, for two days, from 12 noon, April 15, 1910, to be deducted from vacation.

Patrolmen Joseph Pessolano, Twenty-ninth Precinct, for three days, from 12 noon, April 9, 1910; John T. Gegan, Thirty-first Precinct, for three days, from 12 noon, April 10, 1910; Owen McKenna, Thirty-third Precinct, for three days, from 12.01 a. m., April 10, 1910; Herbert M. Perigo, Bridge Precinct C, for three days, from 12.01 a. m., April 11, 1910, with permission to leave city; John J. McCaffrey, One Hundred and Sixty-fourth Precinct, for three days, from 12 noon, April 9, 1910.

The following leave of absence is hereby granted with half pay:
Patrolman William T. Lloyd, One Hundred and Forty-eighth Precinct, for one-half day, from 12 noon, April 13, 1910, with permission to leave city.

The following leave of absence is hereby granted without pay:
Patrolman Edward N. Distler, Sixty-sixth Precinct, for two days, from 12 noon, April 14, 1910.

Suspended from duty without pay:
Patrolman Edward J. Campbell, Traffic Precinct B, is hereby suspended from duty without pay, from 5.07 p. m., April 12, 1910.

The following deaths are reported:
Captain James Gillespie, One Hundred and Fiftieth Precinct, at 8.30 p. m., April 12, 1910.

Sergeant John H. Lersner, Thirty-fifth Precinct, April 12, 1910.

The following Special Patrolman is hereby appointed:
To take effect April 12, 1910—James I. Ryan, for International Mercantile Marine Company, No. 9 Broadway, Manhattan.

The resignations of the following Special Patrolmen are hereby accepted, and they are reappointed:
Bernard Knudson, for United States Lighthouse Establishment, Tompkinsville, Staten Island.

Frank C. Haight, for R. H. Macy & Co., Thirty-fourth street and Broadway, Manhattan.

The resignation of the following Special Patrolman is hereby accepted:
Maurice Benedict, employed by Maennerchor Hall Company, No. 203 East Fifty-sixth street, Manhattan.

The appointment of the following Special Patrolman is hereby revoked:
John P. McDonald, employed by Grand Opera House, John H. Springer, Proprietor, Twenty-third street and Eighth avenue, Manhattan.

WM. F. BAKER, Police Commissioner.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

April 14, 1910.

The following proceedings were this day directed by Police Commissioner William F. Baker:

Ordered, That the following proceedings of March 29, 1910, relative to preliminary studies and specifications for headquarters and stable for the Fourteenth Inspection District and Traffic Precincts B and C, on premises located at No. 135 West Thirtieth street, Borough of Manhattan, be and are hereby rescinded:

Ordered, That the plans submitted by Robinson & Knust, architects, for such structure be and are hereby approved and respectfully submitted to the Art Commission of The City of New York for approval.

Ordered, That the following proceedings of April 11, 1910, relative to preliminary plans for the construction of a station house, stable and prison for the One Hundred and Fiftieth Precinct, on the south side of Poplar street, 85 feet 7 inches west of Henry street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, be and are hereby rescinded:

Ordered, That the preliminary plans submitted by King & Walker, architects, for such structure be and are hereby approved and respectfully submitted to the Art Commission of The City of New York for approval.

On reading and filing eligible list of the Municipal Civil Service Commission, dated April 13, 1910,

Ordered, That Lieutenant Samuel A. McElroy, whose name appears upon such eligible list, be and is hereby promoted to the rank of Captain of Police in the Police Department of The City of New York.

Ordered, That the following probationary Patrolman, having qualified, is hereby appointed Patrolman in the Police Department of The City of New York, to take effect April 14, 1910: William J. Roche.

On reading and filing communication from the Municipal Civil Service Commission, dated April 11, 1910, approving the request of this Department for authority to reinstate Joseph G. Hayes as Hostler in this Department.

Ordered, That said Joseph G. Hayes be and is hereby reinstated as Hostler in this Department, with compensation at the rate of \$2.50 per diem.

It appearing that Barnet Sanders, who was employed as Carpenter in the Police Department on April 5, 1910, accepted employment in the Department of Docks and Ferries prior to the date that he was appointed in the Police Department,

Ordered, That the proceedings of April 5, 1910, appointing Barnet Sanders as Carpenter in the Police Department of The City of New York, with compensation at the rate of \$5 per diem, be and are hereby rescinded.

Ordered, That Mrs. Henry Metz, widow of Henry Metz, Patrolman, deceased, be and is hereby awarded the sum of \$240 from the police Relief Fund, payable at the rate of \$10 per month, for two years, from March 7, 1910.

Ordered, That the proceedings of April 11, 1910, increasing the pension of Mary Parks, widow of Andrew Parks, to \$180 per annum, be and are hereby rescinded.

Referred to the Comptroller.

Schedules of vouchers, as follows:

General Supplies, 1910.....	\$809 12
Boarding Horses, 1910.....	7,353 05
Shoeing Horses, 1910.....	3,137 68

Disapproved.

Application of Richmond Theatre, Canal and Brook streets, Stapleton, Richmond, for appointment of Thomas Bonanzo as Special Patrolman.

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Communication from Commissioners of Sinking Fund enclosing certified copy of resolution adopted April 13, 1910, as follows:

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute a renewal of the lease to the City, from John Irving, of premises on the second floor of No. 417 Richmond terrace, New Brighton, Borough of Richmond, for use of the Police Department, for a period of two years from May 1, 1910, at a rental of four hundred and eighty dollars (\$480) per annum, payable quarterly, otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease; the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made.

Copies to Bookkeeper and lessor.

Report of Lieutenant in command of Boiler Squad, dated April 13, 1910, relative to engineers' licenses granted. For publication in the City Record.

Special Orders Nos. 96 and 97, issued this day, are hereby made part of the proceedings of the Police Commissioner.

Special Order No. 96.

The following Probationary Patrolman, having qualified as Patrolman, is this day appointed and temporarily assigned to the School for Recruits: William J. Roche.

The following Probationary Doorman, having qualified as Doorman, is appointed and assigned to precinct indicated:

Edward H. Pruschen, Sixty-eighth Precinct, to take effect April 13, 1910.

The following Lieutenant, having been this day promoted to the rank of Captain, is assigned as indicated:

Samuel L. McElroy, One Hundred and Forty-fifth Precinct.

The following transfers and assignments are hereby ordered:

To Take Effect 8 p. m. April 15, 1910.

Lieutenants Samuel Aiken, from Thirty-second Precinct to Ninth Precinct; David J. Sheahan, from Thirty-second Precinct to Eighteenth Precinct; William J. McGrath, from Fortieth Precinct to Sixteenth Precinct; John L. Langan, from Forty-third Precinct to Eighth Precinct; John F. Tinker, from Forty-third Precinct to Fifteenth Precinct; Patrick J. Randles, from Ninth Precinct to Thirty-second Precinct; Peter I. Tighe, from Eighteenth Precinct to Fortieth Precinct; Frank Gallagher, from Sixteenth Precinct to Thirty-second Precinct; James Kane, from Eighth Precinct to Forty-third Precinct; Bernard Kelleher, from Fifteenth Precinct to Forty-third Precinct.

Sergeants Thomas Farrell, from Two Hundred and Seventy-seventh Precinct to Fortieth Precinct; William B. McManus, from Fortieth Precinct to Two Hundred and Seventy-ninth Precinct; Emil A. J. Scheringer, from Twelfth Precinct to Seventy-fourth Precinct; Patrick E. Sheridan, from Seventy-fourth Precinct to Twelfth Precinct.

To Take Effect 8 a. m. April 15, 1910.

Patrolmen Frank Lewis, Fortieth Precinct, transferred to Public Office Squad and assigned to duty at County Clerk's office; Michael Griffin, from Public Office Squad to Fortieth Precinct.

To Take Effect 8 p. m. April 15, 1910.

Patrolman Henry E. States, from Brooklyn Borough Headquarters Squad to Detective Bureau, Brooklyn.

To Take Effect 8 a. m. April 14, 1910.

Patrolmen transferred from commands indicated to Central Office Squad, duty in Police Commissioner's office:

William Cooke, Twenty-third Precinct; James Neilan, Twenty-eighth Precinct; Thomas D. McClelland, Thirty-first Precinct; Elroy I. Quick, Twenty-sixth Precinct; Joseph Stanton, Thirty-second Precinct; John J. Rahill, Thirty-second Precinct; George McCormack, Detective Bureau, Manhattan; John Casey, Detective Bureau, Manhattan.

To Take Effect 12 noon April 14, 1910.

Hostler Edward J. Heffernan, from Traffic Precinct A to Sixty-fifth Precinct.

The designation of the following members of the Force as Detectives of the first grade is hereby revoked, and they are transferred as indicated:

To Take Effect 8 p. m. April 15, 1910.

Sergeant Otto Raphael, from Detective Bureau, Manhattan, to Two Hundred and Seventy-seventh Precinct.

Patrolman John J. Scott, from Detective Bureau, Manhattan, to Two Hundred and Seventy-fifth Precinct.

The following temporary assignments are hereby ordered:

Inspectors Richard Walsh, Fourth Inspection District, assigned to command Fifth Inspection District, in addition to his own district, during absence of Inspector George F. Titus, for eighteen hours, from 8 a. m. April 14, 1910; James E. Hussey, Sixth Inspection District, assigned to command Seventh Inspection District, in addition to his own district, during absence of Inspector John F. Flood, from 12 noon April 13, 1910, to 6 a. m. April 17, 1910.

Sergeant Edward Hallahan, Twenty-ninth Precinct, assigned as Acting Lieutenant in precinct, during absence of Lieutenants at Trial Room and drill, from 9 a. m. to 2 p. m. April 14, 1910.

Patrolmen James Fitzgerald, Fourteenth Precinct, assigned to Central Office Squad, duty in Police Commissioner's office, for thirty days, from 2 p. m. April 13, 1910; John F. Barry and Lawrence Klossett, Twenty-second Precinct, assigned to Eighth Inspection District, duty in plain clothes, for ten days, from 8 a. m. April 14, 1910; James Murphy, Sixty-fifth Precinct, assigned to Seventh District Court Squad, Manhattan, during absence of Patrolman Lawrence Clarson on vacation, from 12.01 a. m. April 15, 1910; John Patten and John E. Kelly, One Hundred and Forty-third Precinct, assigned to Eighth Inspection District, duty in plain clothes, for five days, from 8 p. m. April 13, 1910.

The following extensions of temporary assignments are hereby ordered:

Patrolmen William S. Donnelly, One Hundred and Sixty-fourth Precinct, and George M. Bilaffer, Two Hundred and Eighty-third Precinct, to Tenth Inspection District, duty in plain clothes, for ten days, from 8 p. m. April 13, 1910.

The following members of the force are excused for eighteen hours, as indicated: Inspector John F. Flood, Seventh Inspection District, from 12 noon April 16, 1910, with permission to leave city.

Surgeon Edward J. Donlin, First Surgical District, from 12 noon April 21, 1910, with permission to leave city.

Captains Sylvester D. Baldwin, Fourteenth Precinct, from 8 a. m. April 19, 1910, with permission to leave city; Donald Grant, Seventeenth Precinct, from 6 a. m. April 20, 1910, with permission to leave city; John J. Farrell, Thirty-sixth Precinct, from 4 p. m. April 16, 1910; Patrick Murphy, Ninety-ninth Precinct, from 3 p. m. April 18, 1910; Bernard J. Hayes, One Hundred and Forty-sixth Precinct, from 8 a. m. April 14, 1910, with permission to leave city; William H. Shaw, One Hundred and Forty-ninth Precinct, from 1 p. m. April 26, 1910; Stephen O'Brien, One Hundred and Fifty-ninth Precinct, from 6 a. m. April 14, 1910, with permission to leave city; Thomas F. Maude, Two Hundred and Seventy-fifth Precinct, from 12 noon April 16, 1910, with permission to leave city; Edward S. Walling, Two Hundred and Seventy-ninth Precinct, from 8 a. m. April 15, 1910, with permission to leave city; Cornelius Leary, Two Hundred and Ninety-second Precinct, from 5 p. m. April 18, 1910, with permission to leave city.

Acting Captain Alfred W. Thor, One Hundred and Forty-third Precinct, from 1 p. m. April 14, 1910.

The following leaves of absence are hereby granted with full pay:

Inspector John F. Flood, Seventh Inspection District, for three days, from 12 noon April 13, 1910, to be deducted from vacation.

Patrolmen Thomas F. Sullivan, Twenty-sixth Precinct, for three days, from 12 noon April 12, 1910; Michael Birmingham, Second District Court Squad, Manhattan, for three days, from 12.01 a. m. April 11, 1910, with permission to leave city.

Permission granted to leave city:

Patrolman Patrick J. Foley, Third District Court Squad, Manhattan, for ninety days, while on sick leave.

The following advancements to grade are hereby ordered:

Patrolmen.

To \$1,250 Grade, April 4, 1910—Edward Smith, Sixth Precinct; David F. Morrissey, Seventh Precinct; Bernard J. Coffey, Seventh Precinct; Henry Meyer, Ninth Precinct; Peter L. Green, Ninth Precinct; Frederick W. Mienenhausen, Twelfth Precinct; Anthony Palmer, Thirteenth Precinct; Andrew J. Murtaugh, Seventeenth Precinct; Max Labell, Seventeenth Precinct; John D. O'Connor, Twenty-second Precinct; William Sisser, Twenty-eighth Precinct; William O'Neill, Twenty-ninth Precinct; George A. Burnell, Sixty-fifth Precinct; Charles A. J. Kaltenmeier, Eightieth Precinct; Thomas F. Colton, Eightieth Precinct; William H. Forker, One Hundred and Forty-fourth Precinct; William H. Farley, One Hundred and Forty-sixth Precinct; Frederick H. Katt, One Hundred and Fifty-third Precinct; John A. Hanold, One Hundred and Sixtieth Precinct; William F. D. Schroeder, One Hundred and Sixty-third Precinct; William F. Murphy, One Hundred and Sixty-fourth Precinct; William J. Hunt, One Hundred and Sixty-fifth Precinct; William V. Lawlor, Two Hundred and Seventy-fourth Precinct; Francis J. Egan, Two Hundred and Seventy-fifth Precinct; Alexander E. Ranftle, Two Hundred and Seventy-fifth Precinct; George F. Paige, Two Hundred and Seventy-sixth Precinct; Jacob L. Korb, Two Hundred and Seventy-seventh Precinct; James J. Trainor, Traffic Precinct A; James Harten, Traffic Precinct B; Harry Rohrs, Traffic Precinct B; William L. Kingston, Traffic Precinct C; Anthony Wollack, Traffic Precinct C; Jeremiah L. English, Detective Bureau, Manhattan; Joseph P. O'Sullivan, Detective Bureau, Manhattan; Joseph F. Toner, Detective Bureau, Manhattan; Charles

J. Battalora, Detective Bureau, Brooklyn; John H. Howe, Central Office; Otto Hegsted, Harbor Precinct.

To \$1,250 Grade—William J. A. Thompson, Ninth Inspection District, April 5, 1910. Reappointed as Hostler:
Joseph G. Hayes, having been reappointed as Hostler, is assigned to Traffic Precinct A, to take effect April 14, 1910.

The following amendment is hereby ordered:
Special Order No. 93, current series, paragraph 4, is amended to read: Patrolman Joseph Rosenstock, Bridge Precinct C, instead of Bridge Precinct A.

The following Special Patrolman is hereby appointed:
To take effect April 13, 1910—George F. Williams, for Interborough Rapid Transit Company, No. 165 Broadway, Manhattan.

The resignations of the following Special Patrolmen are hereby accepted:
Samuel S. Cox, employed by Manhattan Opera House, Thirty-fourth street and Eighth avenue, Manhattan.

Timothy J. Malloy, employed by Holmes Electric Protective Company, No. 34 East Fourteenth street, Manhattan.

Special Order No. 97.

The following members of the Force having been tried on charges before a Deputy Commissioner, the following fines are hereby imposed:

Lieutenant Theodore F. Snyder, Thirty-ninth Precinct, failed to comply with telephone order, two days.

Patrolmen—Artemus W. Bossard, Fifth Precinct, failed to prevent patient suffering from scarlet fever from escaping, three days. John Clare, Ninth Precinct (two charges), did not properly patrol, three days; absent from post, in restaurant, under the influence of intoxicants; failed to obtain permission to leave post, fifteen days. Vincent S. Coleman, Tenth Precinct (three charges), absent from post, in premises, cap and coat off; failed to obtain permission; failed to report absence, one day; absent from post, one day; on adjoining post, standing in a storm door, one day. Ludwig Juna, Tenth Precinct, did not properly patrol; absent from relieving point, two days. Joseph Mannix, Tenth Precinct, failed to prevent or discover burglary; failed to properly relieve, two days. William Nevin, Tenth Precinct, absent without leave, reported sick, five days. Philip Brass, Tenth Precinct, absent from post, standing in a storm door, one day. Maurice J. Shehan, Tenth Precinct (two charges), conversation and smoking, three days; did not properly patrol; failed to obtain permission to leave post; failed to report absence, two days. Wilbur J. Trick, Tenth Precinct, absent from post, in liquor store; failed to obtain permission; failed to report absence, two days. Frank G. Whelpley, Tenth Precinct, on adjoining post, in lunch room, three days. Edward F. Larkin, Twelfth Precinct, loitering, in conversation, two days. Edward J. Mack, Twelfth Precinct, did not properly patrol; failed to obtain permission to leave post; failed to report absence, two days. Edmund J. McDonough, Twelfth Precinct, loitering, in conversation, two days. Patrick Cahill, Fourteenth Precinct, absent from post, in lunch booth; failed to obtain permission; failed to report absence, two days. Patrick Maguire, Fourteenth Precinct, conversation, one day. William M. Potter, Fourteenth Precinct, conversation, one day. Walter F. M. Bishop, Fifteenth Precinct, made false statement to Chief Inspector, ten days. Jacob Levy, Fifteenth Precinct, absent from school crossing, two days. John A. Nelson, Fifteenth Precinct, illegally arrested another Patrolman and charged him with intoxication; made false affidavit; made false statement; made improper remark to Lieutenant concerning Patrolman, ten days. John E. Randolph, Fifteenth Precinct, absent from outgoing roll-call, one day. James L. Allen, Sixteenth Precinct (two charges), did not properly patrol; failed to properly relieve, two days; made false statement to Captain, three days. Kyrie D. Clemens, Sixteenth Precinct, drinking whiskey from a glass while on patrol, five days. John K. Carpenter, Sixteenth Precinct, sitting in entrance of premises, asleep; under influence of intoxicants, five days. Owen Donnelly, Sixteenth Precinct (2 charges), absent from post, coming from basement; was apparently under the influence of some intoxicating agent; was under the influence of intoxicating agent, ten days; standing in doorway of grocery store drinking whiskey, ten days. Charles Fuhse, Sixteenth Precinct (two charges), did not properly patrol; failed to obtain permission; failed to report absence, one day; did not properly patrol; failed to obtain permission to leave post; failed to make entry in memorandum book, two days. Frederick R. Kottmann, Sixteenth Precinct (two charges), did not properly patrol, two days; absent from post, coming from an alley, two days. John Meislohn, Sixteenth Precinct, absent from post, coming from hallway of premises, three days. Michael T. O'Brien, Sixteenth Precinct, did not properly patrol; refused to obey orders, two days. Walter W. Barry, Twenty-sixth Precinct, failed to patrol portion of post; absent from relieving point; failed to discover or report sewer manhole open, one day. Henry Detmer, Twenty-sixth Precinct, absent from outgoing roll-call, two days. William Miller, Jr., Twenty-sixth Precinct, did not properly patrol, two days. George W. Baker, Thirty-first Precinct, failed to promptly report an accident; failed to make arrest, one day. Charles Hellman, Thirty-third Precinct, absent from roll-call, two days. Harry A. Berry, Thirty-sixth Precinct, did not properly patrol, two days. John A. Reilly, Thirty-sixth Precinct, smoking during tour of patrol, three days. Benjamin Fay, Thirty-ninth Precinct, absent from post; failed to obtain permission or report absence, two days. Henry F. Gibney, Thirty-ninth Precinct, failed to report as ordered, two days. William H. Hough, Thirty-ninth Precinct, failed to properly patrol, three days. William G. McAndrews, Thirty-ninth Precinct, absent from return roll-call, two days. Adam J. Sillger, Thirty-ninth Precinct, failed to properly patrol; absent from relieving point, two days. John F. McGraw, Fortieth Precinct, did not properly patrol, two days. William F. Gallagher, Forty-third Precinct, was arrested, charged with intoxication and disorderly conduct; used profane and boisterous language in station-house; was fined in Court, five days. Carl E. Hoffman, Sixty-third Precinct, absent from post, coming from hall door leading to liquor saloon; left post without permission; failed to report absence, five days. Henry A. Kratch, Sixty-third Precinct, absent from duty at public school, two days. Thomas Malloy, Sixty-third Precinct, absent from post, coming from entrance to flat house; failed to obtain permission; failed to report absence, two days. Thomas J. Hogan, Eighty-ninth Precinct, failed to report that Department horse cast a shoe; failed to properly clean Department horse, two days. Lester S. Rogers, Ninety-ninth Precinct, absent from post, coming from bakery; failed to obtain permission; failed to report absence, two days. Walter T. Manley, One Hundred and Forty-fourth Precinct, failed to properly patrol, two days. Charles W. Redden, One Hundred and Forty-ninth Precinct, absent from public school crossing; did not properly patrol; absent from relieving point, three days. Lawrence P. O'Brien, One Hundred and Fifty-second Precinct, absent from outgoing roll-call, two days.

The following members of the Force having been tried on charges before a Deputy Commissioner, are hereby reprimanded:

Patrolmen Frank C. Stegmann, Twelfth Precinct; James L. Allen (two charges), Sixteenth Precinct; Charles Fuhse, Sixteenth Precinct; Frederick R. Kottmann (two charges), Sixteenth Precinct; John Meislohn, Sixteenth Precinct; Walter W. Barry, Twenty-sixth Precinct; Michael T. O'Brien, Sixteenth Precinct; Eugene J. Fitzsimmons, Thirty-sixth Precinct; Hugh E. McHugh, Twenty-sixth Precinct.

The following members of the Force having been tried on charges before a Deputy Commissioner, the charges are hereby dismissed:

Captain John F. Gardiner, Two Hundred and Seventy-seventh Precinct.
Lieutenant August Kuhne, Fifteenth Precinct.

Patrolmen Henry J. Rice, Fifteenth Precinct; August Sorn, Twenty-first Precinct; Bernard B. Goldstein, Twenty-fifth Precinct; James J. Argenza, Twenty-sixth Precinct; John Larkin, Thirty-fifth Precinct; John P. Donnellan, Thirty-sixth Precinct; Thomas B. Farley, Thirty-sixth Precinct; John J. Flynn, Thirty-sixth Precinct; James R. Kelleher, Thirty-sixth Precinct; William H. McCarthy, Thirty-sixth Precinct; Terence W. McGowan, Thirty-sixth Precinct; Harry A. O'Brien, Thirty-sixth Precinct; Edward A. Reilly, Thirty-sixth Precinct; John M. Singer, Thirty-sixth Precinct; Emil Winterhalter, Thirty-sixth Precinct; George H. Powell, Thirty-ninth Precinct; Edward Geiger, Fortieth Precinct; Frank M. Hodges (two charges), Sixty-eighth Precinct; Frederick R. Fitzgerald, One Hundred and Fifty-seventh Precinct; George F. Ferre, Telegraph Bureau.

The following member of the Department having been tried on two charges before a Deputy Commissioner and found guilty, is hereby suspended without pay for five days:

Deckhand—Daniel A. Desmond, steamer "Patrol."

WM. F. BAKER, Police Commissioner.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

Report of the Bureau of Buildings for the Week Ending April 16, 1910.

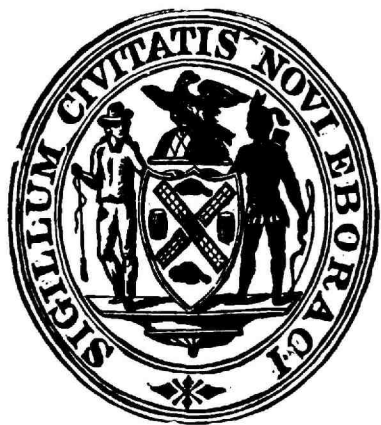
New York, April 20, 1910.

Report of operations of the Bureau of Buildings, Borough of The Bronx, for the week ending April 16, 1910.

Plans filed for new buildings (estimated cost, \$1,007,750)	47
Plans filed for alterations (estimated cost, \$53,800)	28
Unsafe cases filed	16
Violation cases filed	78
Unsafe notices issued	28
Violation notices issued	80
Complaints lodged with the Bureau	47
Number of pieces of iron and steel inspected	2,374

J. H. JONES, Superintendent of Buildings.

John H. Hanan, Chief Clerk.



PUBLIC HEARING.

Pursuant to statutory requirement, notice is hereby given that an act, Senate bill, Printed No. 863, Int. No. 477, has been passed by both branches of the Legislature, entitled:

An Act to amend chapter five hundred and twenty-six of the laws of nineteen hundred and five, entitled "An Act to incorporate the Staten Island association of arts and sciences and to provide for the care and housing of its museum and library by the city of New York," in relation to the acquisition and leasing of lands and buildings for said museum, and to provide funds by the city of New York therefor.

Further notice is hereby given that a public hearing upon such bill will be held at the Mayor's office, in the City Hall, in The City of New York, on Thursday, April 28, 1910, at 11 o'clock a. m.

Dated City Hall, New York, April 25, 1910.

WILLIAM J. GAYNOR, Mayor.

CHANGES IN DEPARTMENTS, ETC.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

April 23—John A. Moylan was transferred from the position of Ticket Chopper to that of Bridge Keeper in the Department of Bridges on the 22d inst., and has been dropped from the list of employees of this Department.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond.

April 22—

Appointed Park Laborers at \$2 Per Day, For Thirty Days.

April 19—Felice Viglione, No. 305 East Seventy-fifth street; Robert Tobin, No. 170 East One Hundred and Thirtieth street; William H. Quigley, No. 165 West Twenty-fifth street; Stephen J. Reynolds, No. 508 West Twenty-ninth street; Lawrence J. Clarson, No. 1206 Franklin avenue; James J. Humphreys, No. 777 Eighth avenue; Vincenzo Sandillio, No. 2026 First avenue; Antonio Priore, No. 346 East One Hundred and Tenth street.

April 20—Joseph A. Whalen, No. 449 West Sixteenth street; Isidore Basch, No. 1025 Lexington avenue; Jeremiah Moynihan, No. 56 New Chambers street; John Mack, No. 250 West Sixteenth street.

April 21—George P. Fox, No. 30 Amsterdam avenue.

April 22—Thomas Birmingham, horse and cart, No. 218 East Forty-seventh street, \$3.50 per day.

Discharged for failure to report for duty, Andrew Kerley, horse and cart, No. 213 East Fifth street.

COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

April 19—

April 1—Frank A. McGee, appointed as a Stationary Engineer, Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, at a salary of \$4.50 per diem; Edward Shute, title changed from Mechanic's Helper to Laborer, Bureau of Highways.

April 2—John Geotz, Laborer, Bureau of Highways, died March 27, 1910; Avery Prince, Laborer, Bureau of Highways, transferred to the Department of Bridges; Bernard Dunn, Laborer, Bureau of Street Cleaning, transferred to the Department

of Bridges; Fred Gaffney, Laborer, Bureau of Sewers, transferred to the Department of Bridges; Walter Low, Stone Mason, Topographical Bureau, suspended on account of lack of work.

April 4—David A. Crawford, Laborer, Bureau of Highways, granted a three months' leave of absence on account of illness.

April 7—Robert Unger, Laborer, Bureau of Highways, transferred to the Department of Bridges.

April 9—Joseph B. Nelson, Chief Clerk, Bureau of Sewers, removed; William J. Cahill, title changed from Rammer to Laborer, Bureau of Highways; Francis J. Devine, title changed from Dumpboardman to Laborer, Bureau of Highways.

April 11—Caleb Huntley, Inspector of Regulating, Grading and Paving, Bureau of Highways, suspended; James T. Sullivan, appointed as a Steam Roller Engineer, Bureau of Highways, at a salary of \$4.50 per diem.

April 12—Fred W. Lycett, Transmittan, Topographical Bureau, granted a six months' leave of absence from May 1, 1910; John W. Caveney, title changed from Rammer to Laborer, Bureau of Highways.

April 13—Charles Struven, Jr., Laborer, transferred from the Bureau of Highways, this Department, to the Department of Bridges.

April 14—Fred George, promoted from the position of Clerk, at a salary of \$2,100 per annum, to that of Chief Clerk, at a salary of \$2,500 per annum, Topographical Bureau.

April 15—Adolph Burkard, Cashier, Bureau of Sewers, suspended; Richard Hill, Inspector of House Connections, Bureau of Sewers, suspended; George Mickle, Inspector of House Connections, Bureau of Sewers, suspended; Louis J. McNally, Clerk, Topographical Bureau, salary increased to \$1,500 per annum.

April 18—John Giles, Laborer, Bureau of Highways, removed; Nicholas Schwartz, Foreman, Bureau of Highways, removed.

BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY.

April 23—At the meeting of the Board held April 5, 1910, the salary of Walter V. Hunter, Clerk, was increased from \$300 to \$480 per annum, to take effect immediately.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

Municipal Civil Service Commission, Certification Bureau, New York, April 23, 1910.

The following named person in the Department of Education has been placed on the list for promotion to General Inspector of Repairs:

Jewett, Wm. P., No. 825 Tinton

avenue, The Bronx..... 79.68

F. A. SPENCER, Secretary.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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 the places where such offices are kept and such Courts are held, together with the needs of Departments and Courts.

CITY OFFICES.

MAYOR'S OFFICE.

No. 5 City Hall, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturday, 9 a. m. to 12 m.
Telephone, 8020 Cortlandt.
WILLIAM J. GAYNOR, Mayor.
Robert Adamson, Secretary.
William B. Meloney, Executive Secretary.
James A. Riedon, Chief Clerk and Bond and Warrant Clerk.

BUREAU OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.
Room 7, City Hall, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturdays 9 a. m. to 12 m.
Telephone, 8020 Cortlandt.
Francis M. McCoy, Acting Chief of Bureau.

BUREAU OF LICENSING.
9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.
Telephone, 8020 Cortlandt.
Francis V. S. Oliver, Jr., Chief of Bureau.
Principal Office, Room 1, City Hall.
Branch Office, Room 12A, Borough Hall, Brooklyn.

Branch Office, Richmond Borough Hall, Room 23, New Brighton, S. I.
Branch Office, Hackett Building, Long Island City, Borough of Queens.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.

Room 207, No. 280 Broadway, 5th floor, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.
Telephone, 1948 Worth.
The Mayor, the Comptroller, ex-officio; Commissioners J. Noble Hayes, Michael Furst, Jeremiah T. Mahoney, Ernest Harvier.

ARMORY BOARD.

Mayor William J. Gaynor, the Comptroller, William A. Prendergast, the President of the Board of Aldermen, John Purroy Mitchell, Brigadier-General George Moore Smith, Brigadier-General John B. Eddy, Captain J. W. Miller, the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments, Lawson Purdy, Clark D. Rhinehart, Secretary, Room 6, Basement, Hall of Records, Chambers and Centre streets.
Office hours, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.
Telephone, 3900 Worth.

ART COMMISSION.

City Hall, Room 21.
Telephone call, 1197 Cortlandt.
Robert W. de Forest, Trustee Metropolitan Museum of Art, President; Arnold W. Brunner, Architect Vice-President; Charles Howland Russell, Secretary; A. Augustus Healy, President of the Brooklyn Institute of Arts and Sciences; William J. Gaynor, Mayor of the City of New York; John Bigelow, President of New York Public Library; Frederick B. Pratt, Herbert Adams, Sculptor; Francis C. Jones, Painter; R. T. H. Halsey, John Quincy Adams, Assistant Secretary.

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Office, Bellevue Hospital, Twenty-sixth street and First avenue.
Telephone, 4400 Madison Square.
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General Medical Superintendent, Dr. W. H. Smith.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

No. 11 City Hall, 10 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 10 a. m. to 12 m.
Telephone, 7560 Cortlandt.
John Purroy Mitchell, President.
P. J. Scully, City Clerk.

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Office, No. 320 Broadway, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.
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William C. Ormond, Secretary.
Antonio C. Astorita, Thomas J. Drennan, Secretary.
Telephone, 29, 30 and 31 Worth.

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Headquarters, General Office, No. 107 West Forty-first Street.
Commissioners—John T. Dooling (President), Charles B. Page (Secretary), James Kane, John E. Smith.
Michael T. Daly, Chief Clerk.
Telephone, 2946 Bryant.

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Manhattan.
No. 115 West Forty-second street.
William C. Baxter, Chief Clerk.
Telephone, 2946 Bryant.
The Bronx.
One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and Mott avenue (Solingen Building).
Cornelius A. Bunner, Chief Clerk.
Telephone, 336 Melrose.
Brooklyn.
No. 42 Court street (Temple Bar Building).
George Russell, Chief Clerk.
Telephone, 693 Main.
Queens.
No. 46 Jackson avenue, Long Island City.
Carl Voegel, Chief Clerk.
Telephone, 663 Greenpoint.
Richmond.
Borough Hall, New Brighton, S. I.
Charles M. Schwabe, Chief Clerk.
Telephone, 1000 Tompkinsville.
All offices open from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.

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The Mayor, Chairman; the Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen, President of the Borough of Manhattan, President of the Borough of Brooklyn, President of the Borough of The Bronx, President of the Borough of Queens, President of the Borough of Richmond.
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No. 277 Broadway, Room 1406. Telephone, 2280 Worth.
Joseph Haag, Secretary; William M. Lawrence, Assistant Secretary; Charles V. Adce, Clerk to Board.
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF ENGINEER.
Nelson P. Lewis, Chief Engineer, No. 277 Broadway, Room 1408. Telephone, 2281 Worth.
Arthur S. Tuttle, Engineer in charge Division of Public Improvements, No. 277 Broadway, Room 1408. Telephone, 2281 Worth.
Harry P. Nichols, Engineer in charge Division of Franchises, No. 277 Broadway, Room 801. Telephone, 2282 Worth.
Office hours, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.

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Rooms 6027 and 6028 Metropolitan Building, No. 1 Madison avenue, Borough of Manhattan, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.
Telephone, 5840 Gramercy.
George A. Just, Chairman. Members: William Crawford, Charles Bunt, Lewis Harding, Charles G. Smith, Edward P. Croker, William A. Boring, and George A. Just.
Edward V. Barton, Clerk.
Board meeting every Tuesday at 2 p. m.

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Wm. E. Wyatt, Judge, Special Sessions, First Division.

Robert J. Wilkin, Judge, Special Sessions, Second Division.
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Archibald R. Watson, Corporation Counsel.
Lawson Purdy, President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments.
Henry J. Storrs, Chief Clerk, Finance Department, No. 280 Broadway.
Telephone, 1200 Worth.

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Rooms 114 and 115 Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.
Telephone, 4315 Worth.

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Office of the Commission, Room 219, No. 280 Broadway (Stewart Building), Borough of Manhattan, New York City.
Commissioners—William E. Stillings, George G. Norton, Lewis A. Abrams.
Lamont McLoughlin, Clerk.
Regular advertised meetings on Monday, Wednesday and Friday of each week at 2 o'clock p. m.
Office hours, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.
Telephone, 3254 Worth.

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City Hall, Rooms 11, 12; 10 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 10 a. m. to 12 m.
Telephone, 7560 Cortlandt.
P. J. Scully, City Clerk and Clerk of the Board of Aldermen.
Joseph F. Prendergast, First Deputy.
John T. Oakley, Chief Clerk of the Board of Aldermen.
Joseph V. Sculley, Clerk, Borough of Brooklyn.
Matthew McCabe, Deputy City Clerk, Borough of The Bronx.
George D. Frenz, Deputy City Clerk, Borough of Queens.
Joseph F. O'Grady, Deputy City Clerk, Borough of Richmond.

CITY RECORD OFFICE.

BUREAU OF PRINTING, STATIONERY AND BLANK BOOKS.
Supervisor's Office, Park Row Building, No. 21 Park Row. Entrance, Room 807, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.
Telephone, 1295 and 1296 Cortlandt.
Distributing Division, Nos. 96 and 98 Reade street, near West Broadway.
Patrick J. Tracy, Supervisor; Henry McMillen, Deputy Supervisor; O. McKemie, Secretary.

COMMISSIONER OF LICENSES.

Office, No. 277 Broadway.
Herman Robinson, Commissioner.
Samuel Prince, Deputy Commissioner.
John J. Caldwell, Secretary.
Office hours, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.
Telephone, 2282 Worth.

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Office of Secretary, Room 69, Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.
Telephone, 4270 Worth.

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Kingale L. Martin, Commissioner.
William H. Sinnott, Deputy Commissioner.
Edgar E. Schiff, Secretary.
Office hours, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.
Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.
Telephone, 6080 Cortlandt.

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CENTRAL OFFICE.
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Telephone, 1047 Gramercy.
Patrick A. Whitney, Commissioner.
William J. Wright, Deputy Commissioner.
John B. Fitzgerald, Secretary.

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Pier "A," N. R., Battery place.
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Calvin Tomkins, Commissioner.
B. F. Cresson, Jr., Deputy Commissioner.
William J. Barney, Secretary.
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Telephone, 300 Rector.

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BOARD OF EDUCATION.
Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. (in the month of August, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.); Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.
Telephone, 1580 Plaza.
Stated meetings of the Board are held at 4 p. m. on the first Monday in February, the second Wednesday in July, and the second and fourth Wednesdays in every month, except July and August.
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Patrick Jones, Superintendent of School Supplies.
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Douglas Mathewson and Edmund D. Fisher, Deputy Comptrollers.
Hubert L. Smith, Assistant Deputy Comptroller.
George L. Tirrell, Secretary to Comptroller.
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Chandler Withington, Chief Engineer, Room 55.

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Borough of Manhattan—Stewart Building, Room O.
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Hall of Records, Brooklyn. Office hours, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; during months of July and August, 9 a. m. to 3 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.
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Trial Term, Part VII. Room No. —.
Trial Term, Part VIII. Room No. 23.
Trial Term, Part IX. Room No. 35.
Trial Term, Part X. Room No. 26.
Trial Term, Part XI. Room No. 27.
Trial Term, Part XII. Room No. —.
Trial Term, Part XIII. and Special Term, Part VII. Room No. 36.

Trial Term, Part XIV., Room No. 28.
Trial Term, Part XV., Room No. 37.
Trial Term, Part XVI., Room No. 46.
Trial Term, Part XVII., Room No. 50.
Trial Term, Part XVIII., Room No. 59.
Appellate Term, Room No. 29.
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 38, third floor.
Assignment Bureau, room or mezzanine floor, northeast.
Clerk's attendance from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m.
Clerk's Office, Special Term, Part I. (motions), Room No. 15.
Clerk's Office, Special Term, Part II. (ex-parte business), ground floor, southeast corner.
Clerk's Office, Special Term, Calendar, ground floor, south.
Clerk's Office, Trial Term, Calendar, room northeast corner, second floor, east.
Clerk's Office, Appellate Term, room southwest corner, third floor.
Trial Term, Part I. (criminal business).
Criminal Court-house, Centre street.
Justices—Henry Bischoff, Leonard A. Giegerich, P. Henry Dugro, James Fitzgerald, James A. O'Gorman, James A. Blanchard, Samuel Greenbaum, Edward E. McCall, Edward B. Amend, Vernon M. Davis, Joseph E. Newburger, John W. Goff, Samuel Seabury, M. Warley Plater, Peter A. Hendrick, John Ford, Charles W. Dayton, John J. Brady, Mitchell L. Erlanger, Charles L. Guy, James W. Gerard, Irving Lehman, Edward B. Whitney, Alfred R. Page, Edward J. Gavegan, Nathan Blum.
William F. Schneider, Clerk, Supreme Court.
Telephone, 4580 Cortlandt.

SUPREME COURT—SECOND DEPARTMENT.

Kings County Court-house, Borough of Brooklyn, N. Y.
Clerk's office hours, 9 o'clock a. m. to 3 o'clock p. m. Seven jury trial parts. Special Term for Trials, Special Term for Motions.
James F. McGee, General Clerk.
Telephone, 5460 Main.

CRIMINAL DIVISION—SUPREME COURT.

Building for Criminal Courts, Centre, Elm, White and Franklin streets.
Court opens at 10.30 a. m.
William F. Schneider, Clerk; Edward R. Carroll, Special Deputy to the Clerk.
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.
Telephone, 6064 Franklin.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

Held in the Building for Criminal Courts, Centre, Elm, White and Franklin streets.
Court opens at 10.30 a. m.
Warren W. Foster, Thomas C. O'Sullivan, Otto A. Rosakany, Thomas C. T. Crain, Edward Swann, Joseph F. Mulqueen, James T. Malone, Judges of the Court of General Sessions; Edward R. Carroll, Clerk. Telephone, 1207 Franklin.
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.
During July and August Clerk's Office will close at 2 p. m., and on Saturdays at 12 m.

CITY COURT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

No. 33 Chambers street, Brownstone Building City Hall Park, from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m.
Part I.
Part II.
Part III.
Part IV.
Part V.
Part VI.
Part VII.
Part VIII.
Special Term Chambers will be held from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m.
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.
Edward F. O'Dwyer, Chief Justice; Francis B. Delehanty, Joseph L. Green, Alexander Finke, Thomas F. Donnelly, John V. McAvoey, Peter Schmuck, Richard T. Lynch, Edward B. La Petra, Richard H. Smith, Justices. Thomas F. Smith, Clerk.
Telephone, 123 Cortlandt.

COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.

Building for Criminal Courts, Centre street, between Franklin and White streets, Borough of Manhattan.
Court opens at 10 a. m.
Justices—First Division—William E. Wyatt, Willard H. Olmsted, Joseph M. Deuel, Lorenz Finke, John B. Mayo, Franklin Chase Hoyt. William M. Fuller, Clerk.
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.
Telephone, 202 Franklin, Clerk's office.
Telephone, 501 Franklin, Justices' chambers.
Second Division—Trial Days—No. 171 Atlantic avenue, Brooklyn, Mondays, Thursdays and Fridays at 10 o'clock; Town Hall, Jamaica, Borough of Queens, Tuesdays at 10 o'clock; Borough Hall, St. George, Borough of Richmond, Wednesdays at 10 o'clock.
Justices—Howard J. Forker, John Fleming, Morgan M. L. Ryan, Robert J. Wilkin, George J. O'Keefe, James J. McInerney. Joseph L. Kerrigan, Clerk.
Clerk's Office, No. 171 Atlantic avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, open from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.
Telephone, 4280 Main.

CHILDREN'S COURT.

First Division—No. 66 Third avenue, Manhattan. Ernest K. Coulter, Clerk.
Office hours 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.
Telephone, 1833 Stuyvesant.
Second Division—No. 102 Court street, Brooklyn. William F. Delaney, Clerk.
Telephone, 627 Main.
Clerk's office hours, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.

CITY MAGISTRATES' COURT.

First Division.
Court open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.
City Magistrates—Robert C. Cornell, Leroy B. Crane, Peter T. Barlow, Matthew P. Breen, Joseph F. Moss, Henry Steinert, Frederick B. House, Charles N. Harris, Frederic Kernochan, Arthur C. Butts, Joseph E. Corrigan, Moses Herman, Paul Krotel, Keyran J. O'Connor, Henry W. Herbert, Charles W. Appleton.
Philip Bloch, Secretary, One Hundred and Twenty-first street and Sylvan place.
Telephone, 255 Harlem.
First District—Criminal Courts Building.
Second District—Jefferson Market.
Third District—No. 69 Essex street.
Fourth District—No. 151 East Fifty-seventh street.
Fifth District—One Hundred and Twenty-first street, southeastern corner of Sylvan place.
Sixth District—One Hundred and Sixty-first street and Brook avenue.
Seventh District—No. 314 West Fifty-fourth street.

Eighth District—Main street, Westchester.
Ninth District Court (Night Court)—125 Sixth Avenue.

Second Division.

Borough of Brooklyn.
City Magistrates—Edward J. Dooley, James G. Tighe, John Naumer, E. G. Higginbotham, Frank E. O'Reilly, A. V. B. Voorhees, Jr., Alexander H. Geismar, John F. Hyland, Howard P. Nash, Moses J. Harris.
President of the Board, A. V. B. Voorhees, Jr., West Eighth street, Coney Island.
Secretary to the Board, John E. Dowdell, No. 2 Butler street, Brooklyn.

Courts.

First District—No. 318 Adams street.
Second District—Court and Butler streets.
Third District—Myrtle and Vanderbilt avenues.
Fourth District—No. 286 Bedford avenue.
Fifth District—No. 249 Manhattan avenue.
Sixth District—No. 495 Gates avenue.
Seventh District—No. 31 Snider avenue (Flat-bush).
Eighth District—West Eighth street (Coney Island).
Ninth District—Fifth avenue and Twenty-third street.
Tenth District—No. 133 New Jersey avenue.

Borough of Queens.

City Magistrates—Matthew J. Smith, Joseph Fitch, Maurice E. Connolly, Eugene Q. Gilroy.

Courts.

First District—St. Mary's Lyceum, Long Island City.
Second District—Town Hall, Flushing, L. I.
Third District—Central avenue, Far Rockaway, L. I.
Fourth District—Town Hall, Jamaica, L. I.

Borough of Richmond.

City Magistrates—Joseph B. Handy, Nathaniel Marsh.

Courts.

First District—Lafayette place, New Brighton, Staten Island.
Second District—Village Hall, Stapleton, Staten Island.

MUNICIPAL COURTS.

Borough of Manhattan.

First District—The First District embraces the territory bounded on the south and west by the southerly and westerly boundaries of the said borough, on the north by the centre line of Fourteenth street and the centre line of Fifth street from the Bowery to Second avenue, on the east by the centre lines of Fourth avenue from Fourteenth street to Fifth street, Second avenue, Division street and Catharine street.
Wauhope Lynn, William F. Moore, John Hoyer, Justices.
Thomas O'Connell, Clerk.
Location of Court—Merchants' Association Building, Nos. 54-56 Lafayette street. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.
Additional Parts are held at southwest corner of Sixth avenue and Tenth street and at No. 128 Prince street.
Telephone, 6030 Franklin.

Second District—The Second District embraces the territory bounded on the south by the centre line of Fifth street from the Bowery to Second avenue, on the south and east by the southerly and easterly boundaries of the said borough, on the north by the centre line of East Fourteenth street, on the west by the centre lines of Fourth avenue from Fourteenth street to Fifth street, Second avenue, Chrystie street, Division street and Catharine street.
Benjamin Hoffman, Leon Sanders, Thomas P. Dinnean, Leonard A. Snitkin, Justices.
James J. Devlin, Clerk.
Location of Court—Nos. 264 and 266 Madison street. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.
Telephone, 4300 Orchard.

Third District—The Third District embraces the territory bounded on the south by the centre line of Fourteenth street, on the east by the centre line of Seventh avenue from Fourteenth street to Fifty-ninth street and by the centre line of Central Park West from Fifty-ninth street to Sixty-fifth street, on the north by the centre line of Sixty-fifth street and the centre line of Fifty-ninth street from Seventh to Eighth avenue, on the west by the westerly boundary of the said borough.
Thomas E. Murray, Thomas F. Noonan, Justices.
Michael Skelly, Clerk.
Location of Court—No. 314 West Fifty-fourth street. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.
Telephone number, 5450 Columbus.

Fourth District—The Fourth District embraces the territory bounded on the south by the centre line of East Fourteenth street, on the west by the centre line of Lexington avenue and by the centre line of Irving place, including its projection through Gramercy Park, on the north by the centre line of Fifty-ninth street, on the east by the easterly line of said borough; excluding, however, any portion of Blackwell's Island.
Michael P. Blake, William J. Boyhan, Justices.
Abram Bernard, Clerk.
Location of Court—Part I. and Part II., No. 151 East Fifty-ninth street. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.
Telephone, 3860 Plaza.

Fifth District—The Fifth District embraces the territory bounded on the south by the centre line of Sixty-fifth street, on the east by the centre line of Central Park West, on the north by the centre line of One Hundred and Tenth street, on the west by the westerly boundary of said borough.
Alfred P. W. Seaman, William Young, Frederick Spiegelberg, Justices.
John H. Servis, Clerk.
Location of Court—Southwest corner of Broadway and Ninety-sixth street. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.
Telephone, 4006 Riverside.

Sixth District—The Sixth District embraces the territory bounded on the south by the centre line of Fifty-ninth street and by the centre line of Ninety-sixth street from Lexington avenue to Fifth avenue, on the west by the centre line of Lexington avenue from Fifty-ninth street to Ninety-sixth street and the centre line of Fifth avenue from Ninety-sixth street to One Hundred and Tenth street, on the north by the centre line of One Hundred and Tenth street, on the east by the easterly boundary of said borough, including, however, all of Blackwell's Island and excluding any portion of Ward's Island.
Jacob Marks, Solomon Oppenheimer, Justices.
Edward A. McQuade, Clerk.
Location of Court—Northwest corner of Third avenue and Eighty-third street. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.
Telephone, 4343 Lenox.

Seventh District—The Seventh District embraces the territory bounded on the south by the centre line of One Hundred and Tenth street, on the east by the centre line of Fifth avenue to the northerly

terminus thereof, and north of the northerly terminus of Fifth avenue, following in a northerly direction the course of the Harlem river, on a line continuous with the easterly boundary of said borough, on the north and west by the northerly and westerly boundaries of said borough.

Philip J. Sinnott, David L. Weil, John R. Davies, Justices.

Herman B. Wilson, Clerk.

Location of Court—No. 70 Manhattan street. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Eighth District—The Eighth District embraces the territory bounded on the south by the centre line of One Hundred and Tenth street, on the west by the centre line of Fifth avenue, on the north and east by the northerly and easterly boundaries of said borough, including Randall's Island and the whole of Ward's Island.
Leopold Prince, John J. Dwyer, Justices.
William J. Kennedy, Clerk.

Location of Court—Sylvan place and One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, near Third avenue. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.
Telephone, 3950 Harlem.

Ninth District—The Ninth District embraces the territory bounded on the south by the centre line of Fourteenth street and by the centre line of Fifty-ninth street from the centre line of Seventh avenue to the centre line of Central Park West, on the east by the centre line of Lexington avenue and by the centre line of Irving place, including its projection through Gramercy Park, and by the centre line of Fifth avenue from the centre line of Ninety-sixth street to the centre line of One Hundred and Tenth street, on the north by the centre line of Ninety-sixth street from the centre line of Lexington avenue to the centre line of Irving place, on the east by the centre line of Tenth street from Fifth avenue to Central Park West, on the west by the centre line of Seventh avenue and Central Park West.
Edgar J. Lauer, Frederick De Witt Wells, Frank D. Sturges, William C. Wilson, Justices.
William J. Chamberlain, Clerk.

Location of Court—Southwest corner of Madison avenue and Fifth-ninth street. Parts I. and II. Court opens at 9 a. m. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.
Telephone, 3873 Plaza.

Borough of The Bronx.

First District—All that part of the Twenty-fourth Ward which was lately annexed to the City and County of New York by chapter 934 of the Laws of 1895, comprising all of the late Town of Westchester and part of the Towns of Eastchester and Pelham, including the Villages of Wakefield and Williamsbridge. Court-room, Town Hall, No. 1400 Williamsbridge road, Westchester Village. Court open daily, (Sundays and legal holidays excepted), from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. Trial of causes, Tuesday and Friday of each week.
Peter A. Shell, Justice.
Stephen Collins, Clerk.
Office hours from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays closing at 12 m.
Telephone, 457 Westchester.

Second District—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, except the territory described in chapter 934 of the Laws of 1895. Court-room, southeast corner of Washington avenue and One Hundred and Sixty-second street. Office hours, from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. Court opens at 9 a. m., Sundays and legal holidays excepted.
John M. Tierney, Justice. Thomas A. Maher, Clerk.
Telephone, 3043 Melrose.

Borough of Brooklyn.

First District—Comprising First, Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth, Sixth, Tenth and Twelfth Wards and that portion of the Eleventh Ward beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Hudson and Myrtle avenues, thence along the centre line of Myrtle avenue to North Portland avenue, thence along the centre line of North Portland avenue to Flushing avenue, thence along the centre line of Flushing avenue to Navy street, thence along the centre line of Navy street to Johnson street, thence along the centre line of Johnson street to Hudson avenue, and thence along the centre line of Hudson avenue to the point of beginning, of the Borough of Brooklyn. Court-house, northwest corner State and Court streets, Parts I. and II.
Eugene Conran, Justice. Edward Moran, Clerk.
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., Sundays and legal holidays excepted.

Second District—Seventh Ward and that portion of the Twenty-first and Twenty-third Wards west of the centre line of Stuyvesant avenue and the centre line of Schenectady avenue, also that portion of the Twentieth Ward beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of North Portland and Myrtle avenues, thence along the centre line of Myrtle avenue to Flushing avenue, thence along the centre line of Flushing avenue to North Portland avenue, and thence along the centre line of North Portland avenue to the point of beginning.
Court-room, No. 495 Gates avenue.
John R. Farrar, George Preifeld, Justices. Franklin B. Van Wart, Clerk.
Clerk's Office open from 8.45 a. m. to 4 p. m., Sundays and legal holidays excepted. Saturdays, 8.45 a. m. to 12 m.
Telephone, 504 Bedford.

Third District—Embraces the Thirteenth, Fourteenth, Fifteenth, Sixteenth, Seventeenth, Eighteenth and Nineteenth Wards, and that portion of the Twenty-seventh Ward lying northwest of the centre line of Starr street between the boundary line of Queens County and the centre line of Central avenue, and northwest of the centre line of Suydam street between the centre lines of Central and Bushwick avenues, and northwest of the centre line of Willoughby avenue between the centre lines of Bushwick avenue and Broadway. Court-house, Nos. 6 and 8 Lee avenue, Brooklyn.
Philip D. Meagher and William J. Bogenashuts, Justices.
John W. Carpenter, Clerk.
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., Sundays and legal holidays excepted.
Court opens at 9 a. m.
Telephone, 995 Williamsburg.

Fourth District—Embraces the Twenty-fourth and Twenty-fifth Wards, that portion of the Twenty-first and Twenty-third Wards lying east of the centre line of Stuyvesant avenue and east of the centre line of Schenectady avenue, and that portion of the Twenty-seventh Ward lying southeast of the centre line of Starr street between the boundary line of Queens and the centre line of Suydam street, and southeast of the centre line of Suydam street between the centre lines of Central and Bushwick avenues, and southeast of the centre line of Willoughby avenue between the centre lines of Bushwick avenue and Broadway.
Court-room, No. 14 Howard avenue.
Jacob S. Strahl, Justice. Joseph P. McCarthy, Clerk.
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., Sundays and legal holidays excepted.

Fifth District—Contains the Eighth, Thirtieth and Thirty-first Wards, and so much of the Twenty-second Ward as lies south of Prospect avenue. Court-house, northwest corner of Fifty-third street and Third avenue (No. 520 Third avenue).

Cornelius Furguson, Justice. Jeremiah J. O'Leary, Clerk.
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., Sundays and legal holidays excepted.
Telephone, 407 Bay Ridge.

Sixth District—The Sixth District embraces the Ninth and Twenty-ninth Wards and that portion of the Twenty-second Ward north of the centre line of Prospect avenue; also that portion of the Eleventh and Twentieth Wards beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Bridge and Fulton streets; thence along the centre line of Fulton street to Flatbush avenue; thence along the centre line of Flatbush avenue to Atlantic avenue; thence along the centre line of Atlantic avenue to Washington avenue; thence along the centre line of Washington avenue to Park avenue; thence along the centre line of Park avenue to Waverly avenue; thence along the centre line of Waverly avenue to Myrtle avenue; thence along the centre line of Myrtle avenue to Hudson avenue; thence along the centre line of Hudson avenue to Johnson street; thence along the centre line of Johnson street to Bridge street, and thence along the centre line of Bridge street to the point of beginning.
Lucien S. Bayliss and George Fielder, Justices. William R. Fagan, Clerk.
Court-house, No. 611 Fulton street.
Telephone, 6335 Main.

Seventh District—The Seventh District embraces the Twenty-sixth, Twenty-eighth and Thirty-second Wards.
Alexander S. Rosenthal and Edward A. Richards, Justices. Samuel F. Brothers, Clerk.
Court-house, corner Pennsylvania avenue and Fulton street (No. 31 Pennsylvania avenue).
Clerk's Office open from 8.45 a. m. to 4 p. m., Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m. Trial days, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays. During July and August, 8.45 a. m. to 2 p. m.
Jury days, Tuesdays and Fridays.
Clerk's Telephone, 904 East New York.
Public Telephone, 905 East New York.

Borough of Queens.

First District—Embraces the territory bounded by and within the canal, Raperly avenue, Jackson avenue, Old Bowery Bay road, Bowery Bay, East river and Newtown creek. Court-room, St. Mary's Lyceum, Nos. 115 and 117 Fifth street, Long Island City.
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. each day, excepting Saturdays, closing at 12 m. Trial days, Mondays and Fridays. All other business transacted on Tuesdays and Thursdays.
Thomas C. Kadien, Justice. John P. Cassidy, Clerk.
Telephone, 3376 Greenpoint.

Second District—Embraces the territory bounded by and within Maspeth avenue, Maurice avenue, Calamus road, Long Island Railroad, Trotting Course lane, Metropolitan avenue, boundary line between the second and fourth wards, boundary line between the second and third wards, Flushing creek, Ireland Mill road, Lawrence avenue, Bradford avenue, Main street, Lincoln street, Union street, Broadway, Parsons avenue, Lincoln street, Percy street, Sanford avenue, Murray lane, Bayview avenue, Little Bayside road, Little Neck bay, East river, Bowery bay, Old Bowery Bay road, Jackson avenue, Raperly avenue, the canal and Newtown creek. Court-room in Court-house of the late Town of Newtown, corner of Broadway and Court street, Elmhurst, New York. P. O. Address, Elmhurst, Queens County, New York.
John M. Cragen, Justice. J. Frank Ryan, Clerk.
Trial days, Tuesdays and Thursdays.
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.
Telephone, 87 Newtown.

Third District—Embraces the territory bounded by and within Maspeth avenue, Maurice avenue, Calamus road, Long Island Railroad, Trotting Course lane, Metropolitan avenue, boundary line between the second and fourth wards, Vanover avenue, Jamaica avenue, Shaw avenue, Atlantic avenue, Morris avenue, Rockaway road, boundary line between Queens and Nassau counties, Atlantic Ocean, Rockaway Inlet, boundary line between Queens and Kings counties and Newtown creek.
Alfred Denton, Justice. John H. Nunn, Clerk.
1908 and 1910 Myrtle avenue, Glendale.
Telephone, 2352 Bushwick.
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.
Trial days, Tuesdays and Thursdays (Fridays for jury trials only), at 9 a. m.

Fourth District—Embraces the territory bounded by and within the boundary line between the second and fourth wards, the boundary line between the second and third wards, Flushing creek, Ireland Mill road, Lawrence avenue, Bradford avenue, Main street, Lincoln street, Union street, Broadway, Parsons avenue, Lincoln street, Percy street, Sanford avenue, Murray lane, Bayside avenue, Little Bayside road, Little Neck bay, boundary line between Queens and Nassau counties, Rockaway road, Morris avenue, Atlantic avenue, Shaw avenue, Jamaica avenue and Vanover avenue.
Court-house, Town Hall, northeast corner of Fulton street and Flushing avenue, Jamaica.
James F. McLaughlin, Justice. George W. Damon, Clerk.
Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.
Court held on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 9 a. m.
Telephone, 189 Jamaica.

Borough of Richmond.

First District—First and Third Wards (Towns of Castleton and Northfield). Court-room, former Village Hall, Lafayette avenue and Second street, New Brighton.
Thomas C. Brown, Justice. Thomas E. Cremins, Clerk.
Clerk's Office open from 8.45 a. m. to 4 p. m.
Telephone, 503 Tompkinsville.

Second District—Second, Fourth and Fifth Wards (Towns of Middletown, Southfield and Westfield). Court-room, former Edgewater Village Hall, Stapleton.
Arnold J. B. Wedemeyer, Justice. William Wedemeyer, Clerk.
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.
Court opens at 9 a. m. Calendar called at 10 a. m. Court continued until close of business. Trial days Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.
Telephone, 313 Tompkinsville.

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF RICHMOND, BOROUGH HALL, ST. GEORGE, NEW BRITAIN, 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 noon, on

TUESDAY, MAY 10, 1910.

Borough of Richmond.

NO. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING BROKEN STONE AND SCREENINGS AT STABLE "A," SWAN STREET, TOMPKINSVILLE, S. I.
The Superintendent's estimate of the quantity and quality of the material required is as follows:
400 tons 1 1/2-inch broken stone.
1,000 tons 3/4-inch broken stone.
200 tons screenings.

The time for the delivery of the materials and the full performance of the contract is ninety (90) days.

The amount of security required is One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000).
No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING BROKEN STONE AND SCREENINGS AT STABLE "B," COLUMBIA STREET, WEST NEW BRIGHTON, S. I.

The Superintendent's estimate of the quantity and quality of the material required is as follows:

400 tons 1 1/2-inch broken stone.
1,000 tons 3/4-inch broken stone.
200 tons screenings.

The time for the delivery of the materials and the full performance of the contract is ninety (90) days.

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

No. 3. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING BROKEN STONE AND SCREENINGS AT TOMPKINS AVENUE YARD, CLIFTON, S. I.

The Superintendent's estimate of the quantity and quality of the material required is as follows:

500 tons 1 1/2-inch broken stone.
1,000 tons 3/4-inch broken stone.
200 tons screenings.

The time for the delivery of the materials and the full performance of the contract is ninety (90) days.

The amount of security required is Eleven Hundred Dollars (\$1,100).

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

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the President, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to enclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the said President. Samples may be seen and other information obtained at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works of the Borough of Richmond, Borough Hall, New Brighton, Borough of Richmond.

GEORGE CROMWELL, President.
The City of New York, April 20, 1910.

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

BOARD MEETINGS.

Board of Aldermen.

The Board of Aldermen meets in the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, every Tuesday, at 1:30 o'clock p. m.

P. J. SCULLY.

City Clerk and Clerk to the Board of Aldermen.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment meets in the Old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, every Friday, at 10:30 o'clock a. m.

JOSEPH HAAG.

Secretary.

Commissioners of Sinking Fund.

The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund meet in the Old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, at call of the Mayor.

HENRY J. WALSH.

Deputy Chamberlain, Secretary.

Board of Revision of Assessments.

The Board of Revision of Assessments meets in the Old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, every Thursday at 11 a. m., upon notice of the Chief Clerk.

HENRY J. STORRS.

Chief Clerk.

Board of City Record.

The Board of City Record meets in the Old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, at call of the Mayor.

PATRICK J. TRACY.

Supervisor, Secretary.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

LABOR BUREAU, MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 14 LAFAYETTE STREET, NEW YORK, April 9, 1910.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that applications for the following positions in Part No. 3 of the Labor Class will be received at the Labor Bureau of the Municipal Civil Service Commission, ground floor of the New Criminal Courts Building, corner of White and Centre streets, on and after

MONDAY, APRIL 25, 1910,

at 9 a. m.:
COMPOSITOR.
PRESSMAN.
FEEDER.

FRANK A. SPENCER, Secretary.

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MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, No. 299 BROADWAY, NEW YORK, February 7, 1910.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that applications will be received from

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 7, 1910, UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE,

for the position of
PATROLMAN, POLICE DEPARTMENT.

The subjects and weights are as follows:
Physical development and strength..... 50
Mental test..... 50

The subjects and weights of the mental test are as follows:
Memory test..... 2
Government..... 5
Localities..... 2
Arithmetic..... 2

Seventy per cent. will be required on the mental examination.

Seventy per cent. will be required on strength.

Seventy per cent. will be required on physical development.

Applications will not be received from persons who are less than twenty-three (23) years of age on the day of filing, or who are more than thirty (30) years of age.

Applicants will be required to submit with their applications a transcript of the records of the Bureau of Vital Statistics, showing the date of birth, or in lieu thereof, an authenticated transcript from the records of the church in which they were baptized.

All foreign-born applicants will be required to submit evidence of citizenship; naturalization papers should be attached to application.

Applicants will be duly notified of the dates of the physical and mental examinations.

The requirement that every application shall bear the certificates of four reputable citizens, whose residences or places of business are within the City of New York, is waived for applicants for this examination whose previous occupation or employment has been wholly or in part outside the City of New York, and the said certificates will be accepted from persons resident or engaged in business elsewhere.

Application blanks can be obtained at No. 299 Broadway, Room 1119.

F. A. SPENCER, Secretary.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, CENTRAL DEPARTMENT, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Police Commissioner of the City of New York, at the Bookkeeper's office, Headquarters of the Police Department, No. 240 Centre street, Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock a. m., on

WEDNESDAY, MAY 4, 1910,

1. FOR FURNISHING ALL LABOR AND MATERIALS NECESSARY OR REQUIRED FOR THE CONSTRUCTION AND ENTIRE COMPLETION OF AN EXTENSION, AND FOR GENERAL REPAIRS AND IMPROVEMENTS TO THE PROPOSED NINETEENTH PRECINCT POLICE STATION HOUSE, SITUATED ON LAND KNOWN AND DESCRIBED AS NO. 116 MAIN STREET, TOTTENVILLE, BOROUGH OF RICHMOND, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

2. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS NECESSARY FOR THE COMPLETE INSTALLATION OF NEW PLUMBING WORK AND FIXTURES AT THE PROPOSED NINETEENTH PRECINCT POLICE STATION HOUSE, SITUATED ON LAND KNOWN AND DESCRIBED AS NO. 116 MAIN STREET, TOTTENVILLE, BOROUGH OF RICHMOND, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time allowed for making and completing the work on each contract will be fifty (50) days.

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

The bids will be compared on each contract and award made to the lowest bidder.

Bidders are particularly requested to examine the plans, specifications and location of the work before bidding, and they are expressly notified that no deviation from the specifications will be allowed unless the same has been previously authorized by a written permission therefor obtained from the Police Commissioner.

The bidder will state the price for which he will do all the work, and provide, furnish and deliver all the labor and materials mentioned and described in said contracts and specifications.

For particulars as to the nature and extent of the work required or of the materials to be furnished, bidders are referred to the specifications and to the plans on file in the office of the Bureau of Repairs and Supplies, Headquarters of the Police Department, No. 240 Centre street, Borough of Manhattan.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the Commissioner, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner, and any further information can be obtained at the office of the Bureau of Repairs and Supplies, Headquarters of the Police Department, No. 240 Centre street, Borough of Manhattan.

WILLIAM F. BAKER, Commissioner.
The City of New York, April 20, 1910.

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

WILLIAM F. BAKER,
Police Commissioner.

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

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY Clerk of the Police Department of the City of New York—Office, No. 209 State street, Borough of Brooklyn—for the following property, now in his custody, without claimants: Boats, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, wine, blankets, diamonds, canned goods, liquors, etc.; also small amount of money taken from prisoners and found by Patrolmen of this Department.

WILLIAM F. BAKER,
Police Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

OFFICE OF 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, MAY 5, 1910,

Borough of Manhattan.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FIVE HUNDRED (500) CUBIC YARDS OF CLEAN WHITE BEACH SAND FOR PARKS IN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed for the delivery will be, as required, before November 30, 1910.

The amount of security required is Five Hundred Dollars (\$500).

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

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Department of Parks, Arsenal, Central Park, Manhattan.

CHARLES B. STOVER, President;
THOMAS J. HIGGINS,
MICHAEL J. KENNEDY,
Commissioners of Parks.

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

OFFICE OF 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 a. m. on

THURSDAY, MAY 5, 1910,

Borough of Brooklyn.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FIFTY THOUSAND (50,000) GALLONS OF DUST PREVENTIVE OR ROAD OIL.

The time allowed for the completion of the contract will be sixty (60) working days.

The amount of security required is Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000).

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

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Department of Parks, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, Litchfield Mansion, Prospect Park West and Fifth street, Prospect Park, Brooklyn.

CHARLES B. STOVER, President;
THOMAS J. HIGGINS,
MICHAEL J. KENNEDY,
Commissioners of Parks.

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

OFFICE OF 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, MAY 5, 1910,

Borough of Brooklyn.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FIFTY THOUSAND (50,000) GALLONS OF DUST PREVENTIVE OR ROAD OIL.

The time allowed for the completion of the contract will be sixty (60) working days.

The amount of security required is Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000).

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

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Department of Parks, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, Litchfield Mansion, Prospect Park West and Fifth street, Prospect Park, Brooklyn.

CHARLES B. STOVER, President;
THOMAS J. HIGGINS,
MICHAEL J. KENNEDY,
Commissioners of Parks.

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

OFFICE OF 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, APRIL 28, 1910,

Borough of The Bronx.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ONE (1) TWO-HORSE CARRIAGE FOR PARKS, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

The time allowed for the delivery will be thirty (30) days.

The amount of security required is Two Hundred Dollars (\$200).

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

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

CHARLES B. STOVER, President;
THOMAS J. HIGGINS,
MICHAEL J. KENNEDY,
Commissioners of Parks.

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

OFFICE OF 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, APRIL 28, 1910,

Borough of The Bronx.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ONE (1) TEAM OF CARRIAGE HORSES FOR PARKS, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

The time allowed for the delivery will be fifteen (15) days.

The amount of security required is Five Hundred Dollars (\$500).

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

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

CHARLES B. STOVER, President;
THOMAS J. HIGGINS,
MICHAEL J. KENNEDY,
Commissioners of Parks.

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

OFFICE OF 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, APRIL 28, 1910,

Borough of Brooklyn.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS NECESSARY TO MANUFACTURE AND SET UP TWO HUNDRED (200) STATIONARY SEATS ON OCEAN AND EASTERN PARKWAYS, IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, TOGETHER WITH ALL THE WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The time allowed for the completion of this contract will be thirty (30) days.

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

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

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Department of Parks, Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, Litchfield Mansion, Prospect Park West and Fifth street, Prospect Park, Brooklyn.

CHARLES B. STOVER, President;
THOMAS J. HIGGINS,
MICHAEL J. KENNEDY,
Commissioners of Parks.

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

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough at the City Hall, Room —, until 11 o'clock a. m. on

THURSDAY, MAY 5, 1910,

Borough of Manhattan.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING SEWER AND APPURTENANCES, FROM HAVEN AVENUE TO RIVERSIDE DRIVE, AND SEWERS IN HAVEN AVENUE, FROM WEST WASHINGTON AVENUE TO THE SUMMIT NORTH OF ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-FIRST STREET, AND IN ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-NINTH AND ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTIETH STREETS, BETWEEN FORT WASHINGTON AND HAVEN AVENUES.

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

1,778 linear feet of sewer and 8 receiving basins, viz.:

258 linear feet of salt-glazed vitrified stone-ware pipe sewer, of about 18-inch interior diameter, all complete, as per section completed of the work, Class 1.

103 linear feet of salt-glazed vitrified stone-ware pipe sewer, of 15-inch interior diameter, all complete, as per section completed of the work, Class 1.

1,420 linear feet of salt-glazed vitrified stone-ware pipe sewer, of 15-inch interior diameter, all complete, as per section completed of the work, Class 2.

135 linear feet of salt-glazed vitrified stone-ware pipe culvert, of 12-inch interior diameter, all complete.

8 receiving basins of the circular pattern, with new style grate bars, all complete.

2,250 cubic yards of rock, to be excavated and removed.

1,000 feet (R. M.) of timber and planking, for bracing and sheet piling.

5,500 feet (R. M.) of timber and planking, for foundations.

Portland cement only to be used on this work. The time allowed to complete the whole work is three hundred (300) working days.

The amount of the security required will be Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000).

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per foot, yard, the unit of measure or article by which the bids will be tested.

All extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total.

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

E. V. FROTHINGHAM,
Commissioner of Public Works.
City of New York, April 25, 1910.

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

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Manhattan, at the City Hall, Room 14, until 11 o'clock a. m. on

THURSDAY, MAY 5, 1910,

Borough of Manhattan.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 100 CAST IRON MANHOLE HEADS; 400 CAST IRON MANHOLE COVERS, 150 CAST IRON FLAT IRON GRATE BARS (CORNERS), 50 CAST IRON HERRINGBONE GRATE BARS (SIDES); 100 CAST IRON HEADS AND PLATES; 75 ASPHALT COVERS (3-INCH), 100 ASPHALT COVERS, FLANGED.

The time for the delivery of the material and the performance of the contract is one hundred (100) days.

The amount of security required will be Twenty-five Hundred Dollars (\$2,500).

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per foot, yard or other unit of measure, or article, by which the bids will be tested.

The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total.

Blank forms and specifications may be had at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row, Bureau of Sewers, Room 1301, Borough of Manhattan.

E. V. FROTHINGHAM, Commissioner of Public Works.

The City of New York, April 25, 1910.

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

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, CROTONA PARK, ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SEVENTH STREET AND THIRD AVENUE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT PETITIONS have been presented to the President of the Borough of The Bronx, and are on file in this office for inspection, for:

No. 77. Paving with asphalt blocks on a concrete foundation and setting curb where necessary in East One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street, from east side of Third avenue to west side of Hughes avenue, and all work incidental thereto.

No. 84. Constructing a receiving basin and appurtenances on the west side of Crotona Park East, opposite East One Hundred and Seventy-third street.

The petitions for the above will be submitted to the Local Board having jurisdiction thereof on May 4, 1910, at 9 p. m., at the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, Municipal Building, Crotona Park, One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third Avenue.

Dated

The petitions for the above will be submitted to the Local Board having jurisdiction thereof on May 4, 1910, at 8.30 p. m., at the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, Municipal Building, Crotona Park, One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue.
Dated April 22, 1910.
CYRUS C. MILLER, President.
GEORGE DONNELLY, Secretary.

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OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, CROTONA PARK, ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SEVENTH STREET AND THIRD AVENUE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT PETITIONS have been presented to the President of the Borough of The Bronx, and are on file in this office for inspection, for:

No. 72. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for the opening of Hoe avenue, between Whitlock avenue and a point about 445 feet 6 inches southerly from Aldus street.

No. 73. Constructing a sewer and appurtenances in Hoe avenue, between Whitlock avenue and a point about 445 feet 6 inches south of Aldus street.

No. 78. Paving with asphalt blocks on a concrete foundation Tinton avenue, from Southern boulevard to One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, and all work incidental thereto.

The petitions for the above will be submitted to the Local Board having jurisdiction thereof on May 4, 1910, at 8 p. m., at the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, Municipal Building, Crotona Park, One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue.
Dated April 22, 1910.
CYRUS C. MILLER, President.
GEORGE DONNELLY, Secretary.

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OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, CROTONA PARK, ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SEVENTH STREET AND THIRD AVENUE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT PETITIONS have been presented to the President of the Borough of The Bronx, and are on file in this office for inspection, for:

No. 74. Acquiring title to the lands necessary for the widening of East One Hundred and Seventy-second street, between Inwood avenue and Jerome avenue.

No. 80. Constructing sewers and appurtenances in West Two Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, between Broadway and Kingsbridge avenue, and in West Two Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, between Broadway and Kingsbridge avenue, and in Kingsbridge avenue, between West Two Hundred and Thirty-fourth street and West Two Hundred and Thirty-eighth street.

No. 88. Regulating and grading, setting curbstones, flagging sidewalks a space 4 feet wide, laying crosswalks, building approaches, drains, walls, etc., and erecting fences where necessary in West Two Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, from Sedgwick avenue to Fort Independence street, and all work incidental thereto.

The petitions for the above will be submitted to the Local Board having jurisdiction thereof on May 4, 1910, at 9.30 p. m., at the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx, Municipal Building, Crotona Park, One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue.
Dated April 22, 1910.
CYRUS C. MILLER, President.
GEORGE DONNELLY, Secretary.

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NOTICE OF SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

UNDER THE DIRECTION OF CYRUS C. MILLER, President of the Borough of The Bronx, the following articles of condemned and unserviceable property will be sold on

WEDNESDAY, MAY 4, 1910,
at 11 o'clock a. m., at the yard of the Bureau of Highways, One Hundred and Eighty-first street and Park avenue:

Lot No. 1. 180 shovels, 7 snow shovels.
Lot No. 2. 41 bass brooms, 4 corn brooms.
Lot No. 3. 20 hoes, 27 picks and grubs, 9 rakes.

Lot No. 4. 18 scythes, 26 sickles, 15 brush hooks.
Lot No. 5. 3 mason hammers, 1 strike hammer.

Lot No. 6. 6 iron wheelbarrows, 8 wooden wheelbarrows.
Lot No. 7. 25 lanterns, 18 lantern globes.
Lot No. 8. 20 plowshares.

Lot No. 9. 5 wooden road scrapers.
Lot No. 10. About 700 wooden handles (pick, hammer and broom).

Lot No. 11. 4 paving rammers.
Lot No. 12. 30 padlocks.
Lot No. 13. 7 iron hay racks, 7 iron manges.

Lot No. 14. 8 iron bodies for carts.
Lot No. 15. 1 steam hoister.
Lot No. 16. About 600 feet of steel wire rope, more or less.

Lot No. 17. 1 iron tar pot and furnace.
Lot No. 18. About 390 pounds of 34-inch rubber hose.

Lot No. 18a. About 480 feet of 2 1/2-inch canvas hose.
Lot No. 19. About 5 tons old iron.
Lot No. 20. 50 feet iron railing.

Lot No. 21. 46 large street lamps, 47 burners and 35 lamp tops for same.
Lot No. 22. 1 iron hand pump.

Lot No. 23. About 80 pounds of old brass.
Lot No. 24. About 2,800 pounds of dock spikes, 6 inches to 12 inches.

Lot No. 25. Lot of old stable blankets, lot of old carriage curtains and aprons and lot of old harness.

Lot No. 26. 1 old clipping machine.
Lot No. 27. 1 sleigh.
Lot No. 28. Household furniture, Incumb. brace Lot No. 145.

Lot No. 29. Ice box, meat rack, etc., Incumb. brace Lot No. 146.
Lot No. 30. Household furniture, Incumb. brace Lot No. 147.

Lot No. 31. Lot of paint cans, broken mirror, Incumb. brace Lot No. 148.
Lot No. 32. Lot of waste paper (books and pamphlets).

Lot No. 33. 9 empty barrels (oil).

TERMS OF SALE.
Cash payment in bankable funds at the time and place of sale, and removal of the materials within forty-eight hours from the date of sale. If the purchaser or purchasers do not comply with the above conditions of removal they shall forfeit his or their purchase money and the ownership of the articles purchased.

CYRUS C. MILLER, President.

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OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, CROTONA PARK, ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SEVENTH STREET AND THIRD AVENUE.

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

THURSDAY, MAY 5, 1910.

No. 1. FOR PAVING WITH ASPHALT BLOCKS ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF EAST ONE HUNDRED

AND FIFTY-NINTH STREET, FROM BROOK AVENUE TO ST. ANNS AVENUE, AND SETTING CURB WHERE NECESSARY.

The Engineer's estimate of the work is as follows:
815 square yards of completed asphalt block pavement, and keeping the same in repair for five years from date of acceptance.

140 cubic yards of concrete, including mortar bed.
150 linear feet of new curbstone, furnished and set in concrete.

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

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be thirty (30) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Fifteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,500).

No. 2. FOR PAVING WITH SHEET ASPHALT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIRST STREET, FROM PROSPECT AVENUE TO UNION AVENUE, AND SETTING CURB WHERE NECESSARY.

The Engineer's estimate of the work is as follows:
905 square yards of completed asphalt pavement, including binder course, and keeping the pavement in repair for five years from date of acceptance.

166 cubic yards of concrete.
59 linear feet of new curbstone, furnished and set.

625 linear feet of old curbstone rejoined, recut on top and reset.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be thirty (30) consecutive working days.

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

No. 3. FOR PAVING WITH WOOD BLOCKS ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF PARK AVENUE (WEST SIDE), FROM MORRIS AVENUE TO ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-SECOND STREET, AND SETTING CURB WHERE NECESSARY.

The Engineer's estimate of the work is as follows:
5,170 square yards of completed wood block pavement, and keeping the same in repair for five years from date of acceptance.

820 cubic yards of concrete, including mortar bed.
1,900 linear feet of new curbstone, furnished and set in concrete.

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

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be forty (40) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Six Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$6,500).

No. 4. FOR CONSTRUCTING A SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN BELMONT AVENUE, BETWEEN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-FIFTH STREET AND EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SEVENTH STREET.

The Engineer's estimate of the work is as follows:
1,001 linear feet of pipe sewer, 12-inch.

134 spurs, over and above the cost per linear foot of sewer.
10 manholes, complete.

2 receiving basins, complete.
1,970 cubic yards of rock excavation.

5 cubic yards of Class "B" concrete.
1,000 feet (B. M.) of timber, for foundations, furnished and laid, and sheeting furnished and left in place.

25 linear feet of 12-inch drain pipe.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be two hundred (200) working days.

The amount of security required will be Five Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$5,500).

No. 5. FOR CONSTRUCTING A SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN SEABURY PLACE, BETWEEN CHARLOTTE STREET AND BOSTON ROAD.

The Engineer's estimate of the work is as follows:
385 linear feet of pipe sewer, 15-inch.

508 linear feet of pipe sewer, 12-inch.
98 spurs, over and above the cost per linear foot of sewer.

10 manholes, complete.
3 receiving basins, complete.

1,475 cubic yards of rock excavation.
5 cubic yards of Class "B" concrete.

5,000 feet (B. M.) of timber, for foundations, furnished and laid, and sheeting furnished and left in place.

25 linear feet of 12-inch drain pipe.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be one hundred and fifty (150) working days.

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

No. 6. FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWERS AND APPURTENANCES IN EDEN AVENUE, BETWEEN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-THIRD STREET AND BELMONT STREET, AND IN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-THIRD STREET, BETWEEN EDEN AVENUE AND THE GRAND BOULEVARD AND CONCOURSE.

The Engineer's estimate of the work is as follows:
415 linear feet of pipe sewer, 12-inch.

52 spurs, over and above the cost per linear foot of sewer.

4 manholes, complete.
12 cubic yards of rock excavation.

25 cubic yards of Class "B" concrete.
1,000 feet (B. M.) of timber for foundations, furnished and laid, and sheeting furnished and left in place.

25 linear feet of 12-inch drain pipe.
500 pounds of steel bars, 3/4-inch.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be thirty-five (35) working days.

The amount of security required will be Nine Hundred Dollars (\$900).

No. 7. FOR CONSTRUCTING RECEIVING BASINS AND APPURTENANCES ON THE NORTHEAST AND SOUTHEAST CORNERS OF THE SOUTHERN BOULEVARD AND PROPOSED EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-THIRD STREET (DONGAN STREET), TO CONNECT WITH THE EXISTING SEWER IN SOUTHERN BOULEVARD, AT THE INTERSECTION OF PROPOSED EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-THIRD STREET (DONGAN STREET), AND AT THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF HUNTS POINT AVENUE AND GARRISON AVENUE.

The Engineer's estimate of the work is as follows:
90 linear feet of pipe culvert, 12-inch.

1 receiving basin, complete.
2 catch basins, complete.

10 cubic yards of rock excavation.
3 cubic yards of Class "A" concrete.

140 pounds of steel bars, 3/4-inch.
1 manhole head and cover.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be twelve (12) working days.

The amount of security required will be Three Hundred Dollars (\$300).

No. 8. FOR CONSTRUCTING RECEIVING BASINS AT THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF BARRY STREET AND LONGWOOD AVENUE, AND AT THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF GARRISON AVENUE AND LONGWOOD AVENUE.

The Engineer's estimate of the work is as follows:
41 linear feet of pipe culvert, 12-inch.

2 receiving basins, complete.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be eight (8) working days.

The amount of security required will be Two Hundred Dollars (\$200).

No. 9. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FIFTY THOUSAND (50,000) GALLONS OF TAR ROAD OIL.

The time allowed for the delivery of the article is as directed during the year 1910.

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

No. 10. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FIFTY THOUSAND (50,000) GALLONS OF ASPHALT ROAD OIL.

The time allowed for the delivery of the article is as directed during the year 1910.

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

Blank forms can be obtained upon application therefor, and the plans and specifications may be seen and other information obtained at said office.

CYRUS C. MILLER, President.

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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Department of Public Charities at the above office until 2.30 o'clock p. m. on

WEDNESDAY, MAY 4, 1910,

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE ERECTION OF IRON BALCONIES ON PAVILION 72, AT THE NEW YORK CITY CHILDREN'S HOSPITALS AND SCHOOLS, RANDALLS ISLAND.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract is seventy-five (75) consecutive working days.

The sum required will be One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000).

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

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

MICHAEL J. DRUMMOND, Commissioner.

The City of New York, April 22, 1910.
a22,m4

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

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Department of Public Charities at the above office until 2.30 o'clock p. m. on

WEDNESDAY, MAY 4, 1910,

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING HORSES.

The time for the performance of the contract is during the year 1910.

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

The bidder will state the price per horse, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total and awards made to the lowest bidder on each line or item, as stated in the specifications.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Department, foot of East Twenty-sixth street, Borough of Manhattan.

MICHAEL J. DRUMMOND, Commissioner.
The City of New York, April 22, 1910.
a22,m4

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

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Docks at the above office until 12 o'clock m. on

WEDNESDAY, MAY 4, 1910,

Borough of Richmond.

CONTRACT No. 1213.
FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR PREPARING FOR AND CONSTRUCTING RAILINGS, GATES AND STAIRWAY IN THE FERRY HOUSE AT ST. GEORGE, STATEN ISLAND, BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of sixty (60) calendar days.

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

Bidders will state a price for furnishing all of the material and for doing all of the work called for, as the contract is entire and for a complete job, and, if awarded, will be awarded to the bidder whose price for doing all of the work is the lowest and whose bid is regular in all respects.

Work must be done at the time and in the manner and in such quantities as may be directed. Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the said Department.

CALVIN TOMKINS, Commissioner.
Dated April 22, 1910.
a23,m4

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

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Docks at the above office until 12 o'clock m. on

MONDAY, MAY 2, 1910,

Borough of Manhattan.

CONTRACT No. 1221.
FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR RECONSTRUCTING AND REPAIRING THE FERRY STRUCTURES AT THE FOOT OF ROOSEVELT STREET, EAST RIVER, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of ninety (90) calendar days.

The amount of security required is Fourteen Thousand Dollars (\$14,000).

The bidder will state a price for furnishing all of the labor and materials and for doing all of the work as called for in the plans and specifications, as the contract is entire and for a complete job, and, if awarded, will be awarded to the bidder whose price for doing all of the work is the lowest and whose bid is regular in all respects.

The attention of bidders is called to Article F of the contract, which permits the Commissioner to increase the amount of work required to an extent not to exceed 5 per cent.

Work must be done at the time and in the manner and in such quantities as may be directed. Blank forms and further information may be obtained, and the plans and drawings may be seen, at the office of the said Department.

CALVIN TOMKINS, Commissioner.
Dated April 20, 1910.
a21,m2

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

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Docks at the above office until 12 o'clock m. on

TUESDAY, APRIL 26, 1910,

Borough of Manhattan.

CONTRACT No. 1219.
FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR RECONSTRUCTING AND REPAIRING THE FERRY STRUCTURES AT THE FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-THIRD STREET, EAST RIVER, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of sixty (60) calendar days.

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

The bidders will state a price for furnishing all of the labor and materials and doing all of the work described and specified, as the contract is entire and for a complete job, and, if awarded, will be awarded to the bidder whose price for doing all of the work is the lowest and whose bid is regular in all respects.

The attention of bidders is called to Article F of the contract, which permits the Commissioner to increase the amount of work to an extent not to exceed 5 per cent.

Work must be done at the time and in the manner and in such quantities as may be directed. Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the said Department.

CALVIN TOMKINS, Commissioner of Docks.
Dated April 14, 1910.
a15,26

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FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Fire Commissioner at the above office until 10.30 o'clock a. m. on

FRIDAY, MAY 6, 1910,

Borough of Brooklyn.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR ESTABLISHING, BUILDING AND EQUIPPING AN UNDERGROUND FIRE ALARM TELEGRAPH SYSTEM IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is by or before one hundred and twenty (120) days.

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

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 Fire Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, Manhattan.

R. WALDO, Commissioner.
Dated April 23, 1910.
a23,m6

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Fire Commissioner at the above office until 10.30 o'clock a. m. on

TUESDAY, APRIL 26, 1910,

Boroughs of Manhattan, Richmond and Brooklyn.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING MISCELLANEOUS SUPPLIES FOR THE FIREBOATS OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance

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

Dated April 15, 1910. a15,26
See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, No. 148 EAST TWENTIETH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SALE OF BONES AND GREASE, IRON, rags, etc., will take place at the Central Office, No. 148 East Twentieth street.

THURSDAY, APRIL 28, 1910.

at 11 a. m.
The bones, etc., to be accumulated by the Department during the year 1910, estimated at 25 tons, more or less, to be received at Storehouse Pier, Blackwells Island, not less than three times weekly, in a covered wagon, to be transported to and from Blackwells Island by the boats of the Department, the Commissioner reserving the right to order more frequent removals of the bones if deemed necessary.

25 tons of bones (2,000 pounds to the ton).
20 tons of old iron (2,000 pounds to the ton), to be removed from Harris, Rikers and Blackwells Islands by purchaser.
10,000 pounds of rags.
10,000 pounds of grease.
100 empty barrels (iron bound).
100 empty barrels (kerosene).
1,000 pounds old rope.
600 pounds old rubber.
1 old safe.

All quantities to be "more or less." All quantities to be "as are." All the above (except iron and bones) to be received by the purchaser at pier foot of East Twenty-sixth street, and removed therefrom immediately upon being notified that same are ready for delivery.

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

The Commissioner reserves the right to order resale of any goods that shall not have been removed by the purchaser within ten days after he shall have been notified that they are ready, and in case of such resale to forfeit to the use of the Department of Correction the twenty-five per cent. paid in at the time and place of sale. Goods can be examined at Blackwells Island by intending bidders on any week day before the day of sale. The Commissioner reserves the right to sell the articles over again.

PATRICK A. WHITNEY, Commissioner. a14,28

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS, THIRD FLOOR OF THE BOROUGH HALL, FIFTH STREET AND JACKSON AVENUE, LONG ISLAND CITY, BOROUGH OF QUEENS, CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

THURSDAY, MAY 5, 1910.

FOR ALL MATERIAL AND LABOR REQUIRED FOR FURNISHING AND INSTALLING ELECTRIC COMBINATION AND GAS LIGHTING FIXTURES IN THE QUEENS COUNTY COURT HOUSE, LONG ISLAND CITY, BOROUGH OF QUEENS, CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be sixty (60) calendar days. The amount of security required will be Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000).

Bidders must state a lump sum for the above contract, as the contract is entire and for a complete job.

Plans and drawings may be seen and blank forms of the contract and specifications may be obtained at the office of the President of the Borough of Queens.

Dated Long Island City, April 23, 1910. LAWRENCE GRESSER, President. a23,m5

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

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS, THIRD FLOOR OF THE BOROUGH HALL, FIFTH STREET AND JACKSON AVENUE, LONG ISLAND CITY, BOROUGH OF QUEENS, CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

THURSDAY, MAY 5, 1910.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 200,000 GALLONS OF ASPHALT ROAD OIL, TO BE DELIVERED AS DIRECTED BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS WITHIN THE SAID BOROUGH.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is until September 1, 1910.

The amount of security or surety bond will be Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000).

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 8,500 CUBIC YARDS OF BROKEN QUARRY STONE AND SCREENINGS IN THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is on or before September 1, 1910.

The amount of security or surety bond will be Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000).

The quantities to be furnished are as follows:

3,600 cubic yards of 2-inch quarry trap rock.
3,600 cubic yards of 3/4-inch quarry trap rock.
1,300 cubic yards of quarry trap rock screenings.

The bidder must state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedule herein contained or hereafter annexed, per square yard, linear foot 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 a total. Bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum. Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the President of the Borough of Queens.

Dated Long Island City, N. Y., April 23, 1910. LAWRENCE GRESSER, President. a23,m5

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OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS, THIRD FLOOR OF THE BOROUGH HALL, FIFTH STREET AND JACKSON AVENUE, LONG ISLAND CITY, BOROUGH OF QUEENS, CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

THURSDAY, MAY 5, 1910.

No. 1. FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN WOOLSEY AVENUE, FROM THE CRESCENT TO HALLETT STREET, FIRST WARD.

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

20 linear feet of 12-inch vitrified salt-glazed sewer pipe for spurs.
260 linear feet of 15-inch vitrified salt-glazed pipe sewer.
275 linear feet of 18-inch vitrified salt-glazed pipe sewer.

105 linear feet of 12-inch vitrified salt-glazed culvert pipe.

30 linear feet of 10-inch vitrified salt-glazed sewer pipe.

704 linear feet of 6-inch vitrified salt-glazed sewer pipe, as risers for house connections.

5 manholes, complete.

2 receiving basins, complete.

50 cubic yards of rock excavated and removed.

2 double inlet receiving basins.

2,000 feet (B. M.) timber for foundation, furnished and laid.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be sixty (60) working days.

The amount of security required will be Fifteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,500).

No. 2. FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN VAN ALST AVENUE, FROM HARRIS AVENUE TO PAYNTAR AVENUE, AND IN PAYNTAR AVENUE, FROM WILLIAM STREET TO SHERMAN STREET, IN THE FIRST WARD.

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

65 linear feet of 2-foot 6-inch circular brick and reinforced concrete sewer, including foundation timber, as shown on plan.

622 linear feet of 4-foot circular brick and reinforced concrete sewer, including foundation timber, as shown on plan.

590 linear feet of 3-foot 9-inch by 2-foot 6-inch brick and reinforced concrete sewer, including foundation timber, as shown on plan.

890 linear feet of 6-foot 3-inch by 4-foot 4-inch brick and reinforced concrete sewer, including foundation timber, as shown on plan.

460 linear feet of 12-inch vitrified salt-glazed pipe sewer.

268 linear feet of 15-inch vitrified salt-glazed pipe sewer.

270 linear feet of 18-inch vitrified salt-glazed pipe sewer.

338 linear feet of 24-inch vitrified salt-glazed pipe sewer.

118 linear feet of 12-inch vitrified salt-glazed pipe sewer.

100 linear feet of 12-inch sewer pipe, for drain.

27 manholes, complete.

4 receiving basins, complete.

500 cubic yards of rock, excavated and removed.

200 cubic yards of concrete, not shown on plan.

25,000 feet (B. M.) of timber, for foundation.

20,000 feet (B. M.) of timber, for bracing and sheet piling.

20,000 linear feet of piles, below caps, furnished and driven and cut off.

The time allowed for doing the above work will be two hundred (200) working days.

The amount of security required will be Twenty Thousand Dollars (\$20,000).

No. 3. FOR CONSTRUCTING RECEIVING BASINS—ONE ON THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF SECOND AVENUE AND BROADWAY, ONE ON THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF ELM STREET AND SECOND AVENUE, AND ONE ON THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF JAMAICA AVENUE AND SECOND AVENUE, FIRST WARD.

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

95 linear feet of 12-inch vitrified salt-glazed culvert pipe.

3 receiving basins, complete.

3,000 feet (B. M.) of timber, for bracing and sheet piling.

The time allowed for doing the above work will be twenty (20) working days.

The amount of security required will be Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$250).

No. 4. FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN CATALPA (ELM) AVENUE, FROM MYRTLE AVENUE TO BUCHANAN AVENUE, IN THE SECOND WARD.

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

580 linear feet of 2-foot 6-inch circular brick and concrete sewer.

1,770 linear feet of 3-foot 6-inch circular brick and concrete sewer.

45 linear feet of 12-inch vitrified salt-glazed pipe sewer for spurs.

5 linear feet of 24-inch vitrified salt-glazed pipe sewer for spurs.

210 linear feet of 12-inch vitrified salt-glazed culvert pipe.

60 linear feet of 10-inch vitrified salt-glazed culvert pipe.

3,150 linear feet of 6-inch vitrified salt-glazed pipe sewer for house connections.

4 double inlet receiving basins, complete.

17 manholes, complete.

3 receiving basins, complete.

750 cubic yards rock excavated and removed.

10,000 feet (B. M.) timber for bracing and sheet piling.

The time allowed for doing the above work will be one hundred and fifty (150) working days.

The amount of security required will be Thirteen Thousand Dollars (\$13,000).

No. 5. FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN JACKSON AVENUE, FROM PAYNTAR AVENUE TO SOUTH WASHINGTON PLACE, AND IN SOUTH WASHINGTON PLACE, FROM JACKSON AVENUE TO ACADEMY STREET, FIRST WARD.

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

375 linear feet of 12-inch vitrified salt-glazed pipe sewer.

340 linear feet of 18-inch vitrified salt-glazed pipe sewer.

40 linear feet of 12-inch vitrified salt-glazed culvert pipe.

6 manholes, complete.

2 receiving basins, complete.

5,000 feet (B. M.) timber for foundation.

2,000 feet (B. M.) timber, for bracing and sheet piling.

The time allowed for doing the above work will be forty-five (45) working days.

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

No. 6. FOR CONSTRUCTING RECEIVING BASINS AS FOLLOWS: ONE ON NORTHERLY CORNER OF HOYT AVENUE AND CHAUNCEY STREET, ONE ON EASTERLY CORNER OF HOYT AVENUE AND CHAUNCEY STREET, ONE ON SOUTHERLY SIDE OF HOYT AVENUE, OPPOSITE CHAUNCEY STREET, ONE ON THE NORTHERLY CORNER OF THE CRESCENT AND HOYT AVENUE, ONE ON THE SOUTHERLY CORNER OF CRESCENT AND HOYT AVENUE, ONE ON THE WESTERLY CORNER OF CRESCENT AND HOYT AVENUE, ONE ON THE SOUTHERLY CORNER OF LAWRENCE STREET AND HOYT AVENUE, ONE ON THE WESTERLY CORNER OF WOOLSEY STREET AND HOYT AVENUE AND ONE ON THE EASTERLY CORNER OF SECOND AVENUE AND HOYT AVENUE, FIRST WARD.

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

300 linear feet of 12-inch vitrified salt-glazed culvert pipe.

30 linear feet of 10-inch vitrified salt-glazed culvert pipe.

2 double inlet receiving basins, complete.

8 receiving basins, complete.

50 cubic yards rock, excavated and removed.

2,000 feet (B. M.) timber, for foundation.

5,000 feet (B. M.) timber, for bracing and sheet piling.

The time allowed for doing the above work will be sixty (60) working days.

The amount of security required will be Two Hundred Dollars (\$200).

The bidder must state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedule herein contained or hereafter annexed, per square yard, linear foot 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 a total. Bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum. Blank forms may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the President of the Borough of Queens.

Dated Long Island City, April 23, 1910. LAWRENCE GRESSER, President. a23,m5

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OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS, THIRD FLOOR OF THE BOROUGH HALL, FIFTH STREET AND JACKSON AVENUE, LONG ISLAND CITY, BOROUGH OF QUEENS, CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

WEDNESDAY, MAY 4, 1910.

No. 1. FOR PAVING WITH ASPHALT BLOCKS ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION IN FIFTH AVENUE, FROM BROADWAY TO PARK AVENUE, FIRST WARD.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be forty (40) working days.

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

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

1,800 square feet of old curb reset.

7,000 square feet of old flagstone sidewalk reset and relaid.

600 cubic yards of concrete.

5,450 square yards of asphalt block pavement.

2 receiving sewer basins to rebuild as per standard plans and specifications of the Sewer Bureau.

No. 2. FOR REGULATING, GRADING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS (WHERE NOT ALREADY LAID) ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF SHELTON AVENUE, FROM ALFORD STREET TO MYRTLE AVENUE, FOURTH WARD.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be ten (10) working days.

The amount of security required will be one hundred dollars (\$100).

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

875 square feet of new flagstone sidewalk.

No. 3. FOR REGULATING, GRADING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS AND CROSSWALKS ON THE WESTERLY SIDE OF HOFFMAN BOULEVARD, FROM FULTON STREET TO ELLERSON STREET, AND ON THE EASTERLY SIDE OF HOFFMAN BOULEVARD, FROM FULTON STREET TO A POINT OPPOSITE MORNINGSIDE AVENUE, FOURTH WARD.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be forty (40) working days.

The amount of security required will be one thousand dollars (\$1,000).

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

14,384 square feet of cement sidewalk.

150 square feet of new crosswalks.

No. 4. FOR REGULATING, GRADING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS (WHERE NOT ALREADY LAID) IN CYPRESS AVENUE, FROM CATES AVENUE TO MYRTLE AVENUE, SECOND WARD.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be twenty (20) working days.

The amount of security required will be six hundred dollars (\$600).

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

225 cubic yards of earth excavation.

10,067 square feet of cement sidewalk.

No. 5. FOR REGULATING, GRADING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS (WHERE NOT ALREADY LAID) ON THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF BERGEN AVENUE AND DELAP PLACE, FOURTH WARD.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be ten (10) working days.

The amount of security required will be forty dollars (\$40).

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

550 square feet of cement sidewalk.

No. 6. FOR REGULATING, GRADING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS (WHERE NOT ALREADY LAID) ON THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF BERGEN AVENUE AND DELAP PLACE, FOURTH WARD.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be ten (10) working days.

The amount of security required will be fifty dollars (\$50).

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

703 square feet of cement sidewalk.

The bidder must state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedule herein contained or hereafter annexed, per square yard, linear foot 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 a total. Bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum. Blank forms may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the President of the Borough of Queens.

Dated Long Island City, April 15, 1910. LAWRENCE GRESSER, President. a15,26

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or drawings may be seen at the office of the President of the Borough of Queens.

Dated Long Island City, N. Y., April 21, 1910. LAWRENCE GRESSER, President. a21,m4

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OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS, THIRD FLOOR OF THE BOROUGH HALL, FIFTH STREET AND JACKSON AVENUE, LONG ISLAND CITY, BOROUGH OF QUEENS, CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

TUESDAY, APRIL 26, 1910.

No. 1. FOR REGULATING, GRADING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS (WHERE NOT ALREADY LAID) IN FORTY-FIRST STREET (EVERGREEN AVENUE), FROM SIBOUTSEN (WASHINGTON) STREET TO PUBLIC SCHOOL 19, SECOND WARD.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be twenty (20) working days.

The amount of security required will be Two Hundred Dollars (\$200).

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

3,000 square feet of cement sidewalk, including all grading of the sidewalk for its full width to the established grade.

No. 2. FOR REGULATING, GRADING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS (WHERE NOT ALREADY LAID) ON THE WEST SIDE OF MANOR AVENUE, FROM JAMAICA AVENUE TO BRANDON STREET, AND ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF BRANDON STREET FOR ABOUT 100 FEET WEST OF MANOR AVENUE, FOURTH WARD.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be ten (10) working days.

The amount of security required will be One Hundred Dollars (\$100).

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

1,190 square feet of cement sidewalk, including all grading.

No. 3. FOR REGULATING, GRADING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS (WHERE NOT ALREADY LAID) ON THE NORTH SIDE OF JAMAICA AVENUE, FROM WOODHAVEN AVENUE TO WILLARD AVENUE, AND FROM WILLARD AVENUE TO UNION PLACE, ALSO ON THE WEST SIDE OF GHERARDI (WOODLAND) AVENUE, FROM JAMAICA AVENUE TO A POINT 136 FEET NORTHERLY THEREOF, FOURTH WARD.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be thirty (30) working days.

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

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

7,770 square feet of cement sidewalk, including all grading.

No. 4. FOR REGULATING, GRADING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS IN FRONT OF THE VACANT LOTS ON THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF WOODWARD AVENUE AND GREENE AVENUE, SECOND WARD.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be ten (10) working days.

The amount of security required will be One Hundred Dollars (\$100).

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

1,125 square feet of cement sidewalk, including all grading.

The bidder must state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedule herein contained or hereafter annexed, per square yard, linear foot 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 a total. Bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum. Blank forms may be obtained and the plans or drawings may be seen at the office of the President of the Borough of Queens.

Dated Long Island City, April 15, 1910. LAWRENCE GRESSER, President. a15,26

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The time allowed for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is twenty (20) working days.

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

No. 4. FOR CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON FIFTH AVENUE, FROM EIGHTY-SIXTH STREET TO FOURTH AVENUE, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

4,510 linear feet of new curbstone, set in concrete.

30 linear feet of old curbstone, reset in concrete.

250 cubic yards of concrete (not to be bid for).

21,030 square feet of cement sidewalk.

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

The amount of security required is Twenty-five Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$2,550).

No. 5. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF FIFTY-FIFTH STREET, FROM NINTH AVENUE TO FORT HAMILTON AVENUE, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

2,741 square yards of asphalt pavement (five years' maintenance).

384 cubic yards of concrete for pavement foundation.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is twenty (20) working days.

The amount of security required is Fourteen Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$1,450).

No. 6. FOR CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON HEGEMAN AVENUE, FROM HOPKINSON AVENUE TO NEW JERSEY AVENUE, EXCLUDING THE LAND OCCUPIED BY AND INTERFERING BETWEEN THE TRACKS OF RAILROAD COMPANIES, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

9,780 linear feet of new curbstone, set in concrete.

11,170 cubic yards of earth excavation.

20,240 cubic yards of earth filling (to be furnished).

530 cubic yards of concrete (not to be bid for).

45,370 square feet of cement sidewalk.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is twenty (20) working days.

The amount of security required will be Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000).

No. 7. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF HUGRON STREET, FROM A POINT 160 FEET EAST OF OAKLAND STREET TO PROVOST STREET, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

1,500 square yards of asphalt pavement (five years' maintenance).

210 cubic yards of concrete for pavement foundation.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is fifteen (15) working days.

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

No. 8. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF SHERMAN STREET, FROM ELEVENTH AVENUE TO TERRACE PLACE, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

1,853 square yards of asphalt pavement (five years' maintenance).

259 cubic yards of concrete for pavement foundation.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is twenty (20) working days.

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

No. 9. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF STERLING PLACE, FROM UTICA AVENUE TO SCHENECTADY AVENUE, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

2,738 square yards of asphalt pavement (five years' maintenance).

380 cubic yards of concrete for pavement foundation.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is twenty (20) working days.

The amount of security required is Fourteen Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$1,450).

No. 10. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF SEVENTH AVENUE, FROM FORTY-THIRD STREET TO FORTY-NINTH STREET, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

7,440 square yards of asphalt pavement (five years' maintenance).

1,046 cubic yards of concrete for pavement foundation.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is thirty (30) working days.

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

No. 11. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF SECOND AVENUE AND THE SHORE ROAD, WITH THE EXCEPTION OF A STRIP TWELVE (12) FEET IN WIDTH IN THE CENTRE OF THE ROADWAY, FROM FIRST AVENUE TO A POINT ABOUT THREE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-EIGHT (338) FEET EASTERLY, TO BE PAVED WITH GRANITE BLOCK ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

7,017 square yards of asphalt pavement (five years' maintenance).

451 square yards of granite pavement, including cement joints (one year's maintenance).

1,057 cubic yards of concrete for pavement foundation.

The time allowed 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 Forty-two Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$4,250).

No. 12. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A CON-

CRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF SUTTER AVENUE, FROM VAN SICLEN AVENUE TO BERRIMAN STREET, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

10,632 square yards of asphalt pavement (five years' maintenance).

1,489 cubic yards of concrete, for pavement foundation.

The time allowed 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 Fifty-seven Hundred Dollars (\$5,700).

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Bureau of Highways, the Borough of Brooklyn, No. 12 Municipal Building, Brooklyn.

ALFRED E. STEERS, President.

Dated April 25, 1910. a26,m11

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OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, ROOM 2, BOROUGH HALL, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE

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WEDNESDAY, MAY 4, 1910.

Borough of Brooklyn.

FOR SUPPLYING ALL LABOR AND MATERIALS OF EVERY KIND AND DESCRIPTION AND CONSTRUCTING THE STATION BUILDING TO BE KNOWN AS THE POWER AND GATE HOUSES AND APPURTENANCES COMPLETE FOR THE GOWANUS FLUSHING TUNNEL, SITUATED AT DOUGLASS STREET AND THE HEAD OF GOWANUS CANAL, IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK, IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is one hundred and twenty (120) working days.

The amount of security required is Thirteen Thousand Dollars (\$13,000).

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

Blank forms and other information may be obtained at the office of the Bureau of Sewers, No. 215 Montague street, Borough of Brooklyn.

ALFRED E. STEERS, President.

Dated April 21, 1910. a22,m4

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Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWERS IN MALTA STREET, BETWEEN WORTMAN AVENUE AND FAIRFIELD AVENUE, IN FAIRFIELD AVENUE, BETWEEN MALTA STREET AND VAN SICKLEN AVENUE, AND IN VAN SICKLEN AVENUE, BETWEEN FAIRFIELD AVENUE AND THE TWENTY-SIXTH WARD DISPOSAL WORKS, SITUATED BETWEEN FAIRFIELD AVENUE AND VANDALIA AVENUE.

The Engineer's preliminary estimate of the quantities is as follows:

3,990 linear feet of 42-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$14..... \$55,860 00

3,990 linear feet of 12-inch sub-drain, laid in place, complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$1..... 3,990 00

1,200 linear feet of drop house connection or standpipe, laid in place, complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, 50 cents..... 600 00

3 manholes, Class "D," complete, with iron heads and covers, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per manhole, \$150..... 450 00

12 manholes, complete, with iron heads and covers, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per manhole, \$145..... 1,740 00

1,045 cubic yards of concrete grade and cross walls, laid in place, complete, including extra excavation and all incidentals and appurtenances; per cubic yard, \$5..... 5,225 00

112,000 feet (B. M.) of foundation planking, laid in place, complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per thousand feet (B. M.), \$25..... 2,800 00

Total..... \$70,665 00

The time allowed for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract will be three hundred and fifty (350) working days.

The amount of security required will be Thirty-five Thousand Dollars (\$35,000).

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF SEWER IN GRAVESEND AVENUE, FROM AVENUE C TO FOSTER AVENUE, EXCEPT THAT PORTION ALREADY BUILT IN GRAVESEND AVENUE, WEST SIDE, FROM WESTER AVENUE NORTHERLY ABOUT 114 FEET, AND OUTLET SEWER IN AVENUE D (CORTELYOU ROAD), FROM GRAVESEND AVENUE TO EAST SECOND STREET; IN DIMAS AVENUE, FROM GRAVESEND AVENUE TO EAST SECOND STREET, AND IN AVENUE F, FROM GRAVESEND AVENUE TO EAST SECOND STREET.

The Engineer's preliminary estimate of the quantities is as follows:

345 linear feet of 48-inch brick sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$6.50..... \$2,242 50

105 linear feet of 18-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$2.65..... 278 25

2,580 linear feet of 15-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$1.95..... 5,031 00

6,730 linear feet of 12-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$1.60..... 10,768 00

3,900 linear feet of 6-inch house connection drain, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, 70 cents..... 2,730 00

102 manholes, complete, with iron heads and covers, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per manhole, \$50..... 5,100 00

15 sewer basins, complete, of either standard design, with iron pans or gratings, iron basin hoods and connecting culverts, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per basin, \$130..... 1,950 00

2,600 feet (B. M.) of foundation planking, laid in place complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per 1,000 feet (B. M.), \$25..... 65 00

16,000 feet (B. M.) of sheeting and bracing, driven in place complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per 1,000 feet (B. M.), \$18..... 288 00

Total..... \$28,452 75

The time allowed for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract will be one hundred and seventy-five (175) working days.

The amount of security required will be Fourteen Thousand Dollars (\$14,000).

No. 3. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER IN EIGHTY-SIXTH STREET, BOTH SIDES, FROM FORT HAMILTON AVENUE TO SEVENTH AVENUE; IN THE SOUTH SIDE, FROM FOURTEENTH AVENUE TO FIFTEENTH AVENUE; IN THE NORTH SIDE, FROM EIGHTEENTH AVENUE TO THE SEWER SUMMIT ABOUT 500 FEET WEST OF NINETEENTH AVENUE; IN THE NORTH SIDE, RECONNECTION ACROSS NINETEENTH AVENUE; IN THE SOUTH SIDE, FROM EIGHTEENTH AVENUE TO TWENTY-FIRST AVENUE, AND SEWER BASINS IN EIGHTY-SIXTH STREET, AT THE NORTH, EAST AND WEST CORNERS OF FOURTEENTH AVENUE; AT THE SOUTH CORNER OF FIFTEENTH AVENUE; AT THE SOUTH AND WEST CORNERS OF BAY TENTH STREET; AT THE WEST CORNER OF BAY ELEVENTH STREET; AT THE NORTH AND EAST CORNERS OF NINETEENTH AVENUE; AT THE NORTH CORNER OF TWENTIETH AVENUE; ON THE NORTH SIDE OF EIGHTY-SIXTH STREET, OPPOSITE BAY NINETEENTH STREET, AND ON THE NORTH SIDE OF EIGHTY-SIXTH STREET, OPPOSITE BAY TWENTY-SECOND STREET, AND OUTLET SEWERS IN GATLING PLACE, FROM EIGHTY-SIXTH STREET TO NINETY-SECOND STREET; IN DAHLGREN LANE, FROM EIGHTY-SIXTH STREET TO EIGHTY-EIGHTH STREET, AND IN BATTERY AVENUE, FROM EIGHTY-SIXTH STREET TO EIGHTY-EIGHTH STREET.

The Engineer's preliminary estimate of the quantities is as follows:

550 linear feet of 18-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$2.20..... \$1,210 00

630 linear feet of 15-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$1.70..... 1,071 00

6,300 linear feet of 12-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$1.60..... 10,080 00

62 linear feet of 9-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$1.25..... 77 50

5,000 linear feet of 6-inch house connection drains, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, 75 cents..... 3,750 00

76 manholes, complete, with iron heads and covers, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per manhole, \$50..... 3,800 00

35 sewer basins, complete, of either standard design, with iron pans or gratings, iron basin hoods and connecting culverts, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per basin, \$130..... 4,550 00

15,000 feet (B. M.) of sheeting and bracing, driven in place, complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per thousand feet (B. M.), \$18..... 288 00

Total..... \$24,826 50

The time allowed for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract will be one hundred and fifty (150) working days.

The amount of security required will be Twelve Thousand Dollars (\$12,000).

No. 4. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER IN THE EASTERLY SIDE OF OCEAN AVENUE, BETWEEN AVENUES I AND K, AND IN OCEAN AVENUE, WESTERLY SIDE, BETWEEN AVENUES I AND J.

The Engineer's preliminary estimate of the quantities is as follows:

50 linear feet of 18-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$2.50..... \$125 00

800 linear feet of 15-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$2..... 1,600 00

1,695 linear feet of 12-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$1.80..... 3,051 00

24 manholes, complete, with iron heads and covers, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per manhole, \$50..... 1,200 00

3 sewer basins, complete, of either standard design, with iron pans or gratings, iron basin hoods and connecting culverts, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per basin, \$150..... 450 00

102,000 feet (B. M.) of sheeting and bracing, driven in place, complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per thousand feet (B. M.), \$18..... 1,836 00

Total..... \$8,262 00

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract will be sixty-five (65) working days.

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

No. 5. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER IN FIFTEENTH AVENUE, BETWEEN SIXTY-EIGHTH AND SIXTY-NINTH STREETS, AND AN OUTLET SEWER IN SIXTY-NINTH STREET, BETWEEN FIFTEENTH AND FOURTEENTH AVENUES, AND TRIBUTARY SEWERS IN NEW UTRECHT AVENUE, WEST SIDE, BETWEEN SIXTY-EIGHTH AND SIXTY-NINTH STREETS, AND IN SIXTY-NINTH STREET, BETWEEN NEW UTRECHT AND FIFTEENTH AVENUES.

The Engineer's preliminary estimate of the quantities is as follows:

50 linear feet of 18-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$1.90..... \$95 00

720 linear feet of 15-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$1.70..... 1,224 00

705 linear feet of 12-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$1.80..... 1,269 00

1,500 linear feet of 6-inch house connection drain, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, 70 cents..... 1,050 00

17 manholes, complete, with iron heads and covers, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per manhole, \$50..... 850 00

2 sewer basins, complete, of either standard design, with iron pans or gratings, iron basin hoods and connecting culverts, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per basin, \$140..... 280 00

12,000 feet (B. M.) of sheeting and bracing, driven in place complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per 1,000 feet (B. M.), \$18..... 216 00

Total..... \$4,984 00

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract will be sixty (60) working days.

The amount of security required will be Twenty-five Hundred Dollars (\$2,500).

No. 6. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER IN HIMROD STREET, BETWEEN ST. NICHOLAS AVENUE AND THE BOROUGH LINE.

The Engineer's preliminary estimate of the quantities is as follows:

430 linear feet of 54-inch brick sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$10.85..... \$4,665 50

3 manholes complete, with iron heads and covers, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per manhole, \$50..... 150 00

25 house drains reconnected complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per reconnection, \$3..... 75 00

1,000 feet, board measure, of sheeting and bracing, driven in place complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per thousand feet, board measure, \$18..... 18 00

3,500 feet, board measure, of foundation planking, laid in place complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per thousand feet, board measure, \$20..... 70 00

Total..... \$4,978 50

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract will be sixty (60) working days.

The amount of security required will be twenty-five hundred dollars (\$2,500).

No. 7. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER IN SIXTY-FIFTH STREET, BETWEEN THIRTEENTH AND FOURTEENTH AVENUES.

The Engineer's preliminary estimate of the quantities is as follows:

85 linear feet of 15-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$1.70..... \$144 50

1,366 linear feet of 12-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$1.50..... 2,049 00

625 linear feet of 6-inch house connection drains, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, 75 cents..... 468 75

14 manholes, complete, with iron heads and covers, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per manhole, \$50..... 700 00

Total..... \$3,362 25

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract will be sixty (60) working days.

The amount of security required will be One Thousand Six Hundred Dollars (\$1,600).

No. 8. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF SEWER IN AVENUE D BETWEEN EAST SECOND AND EAST THIRD STREETS.

The Engineer's preliminary estimate of the quantities is as follows:

260 linear feet of 48-inch sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances, per linear foot, \$6.50.....	\$1,690 00
200 linear feet of 6-inch house connection drain, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances, per linear foot, 70 cents.....	140 00
2 manholes, complete, with iron heads and covers, including all incidentals and appurtenances, per manhole, \$40.....	80 00
3 sewer basins, complete, of either standard design, with iron pans or gratings, iron basin hoods and connecting culverts, including all incidentals and appurtenances, per basin, \$130.....	390 00
2,000 feet (B. M.) of foundation planking, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances, per 1,000 feet (B. M.), \$25.....	50 00
Total.....	\$2,350 00

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

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

No. 9. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER IN DOBBIN STREET, BETWEEN NORMAN AND NASSAU AVENUES.

The Engineer's preliminary estimate of the quantities is as follows:

615 linear feet of 15-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances, per linear foot, \$1.50.....	\$922 50
675 linear feet of 6-inch house connection drains, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances, per linear foot, 60 cents.....	405 00
6 manholes complete, with iron heads and covers, including all incidentals and appurtenances, per manhole, \$45.....	270 00
1 sewer basin complete, of either standard design, with iron pans or grating, iron basin hood and connecting culvert, including all incidentals and appurtenances, per basin, \$135.....	135 00
Total.....	\$1,732 50

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract will be forty-five (45) working days.

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

No. 10. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF SEWER IN DIAMOND STREET, BETWEEN MESEROLE AND GREENPOINT AVENUES.

The Engineer's preliminary estimate of the quantities is as follows:

75 linear feet of 15-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances, per linear foot, \$1.80.....	\$135 00
690 linear feet of 12-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances, per linear foot, \$1.50.....	1,035 00
480 linear feet of 6-inch house connection drain, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances, per linear foot, 70 cents.....	336 00
8 manholes, complete, with iron heads and covers, including all incidentals and appurtenances, per manhole, \$50.....	400 00
37 cubic yards of concrete cradle, laid in place, complete, including extra excavation and all incidentals and appurtenances, per cubic yard, \$6.....	222 00
1,800 feet (B. M.) of foundation planking, laid in place, complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances, per thousand feet (B. M.) \$25.....	45 00
Total.....	\$2,173 00

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract will be sixty (60) working days.

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

No. 11. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER IN WYTHE AVENUE, FROM NORTH TWELFTH STREET TO NORTH THIRTEENTH STREET.

The Engineer's preliminary estimate of the quantities is as follows:

250 linear feet of 18-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances, per linear foot, \$2.70.....	\$675 00
145 linear feet of 6-inch house connection drain, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances, per linear foot, 80 cents.....	116 00
2 manholes, complete, with iron heads and covers, including all incidentals and appurtenances, per manhole, \$55.....	110 00
2 sewer basins, complete, of either standard design, with iron pans or gratings, iron basin hoods and connecting culverts, including all incidentals and appurtenances, per basin, \$140.....	280 00
1,500 feet (B. M.) of sheeting and bracing, driven in place complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances, per 1,000 feet (B. M.), \$18.....	27 00
Total.....	\$1,208 00

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

The amount of security required will be Six Hundred Dollars (\$600).

The foregoing Engineer's preliminary estimate of the total cost for the completed work is to be

taken as the 100 per cent. basis and test for bidding. Proposals shall state a single percentage of such 100 per cent. (such as 95 per cent., 100 per cent. or 105 per cent.) for which all materials and work called for in the proposed contract and the notices to bidders are to be furnished to the City. Such percentage, as bid for this contract, shall apply to all unit items specified in the Engineer's preliminary estimate to an amount necessary to complete the work described in the contract.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Bureau of Sewers, No. 215 Montague street, Brooklyn.

ALFRED E. STEERS, President.

Dated April 20, 1910.

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OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, ROOM 2, BOROUGH HALL, 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, MAY 4, 1910,

Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 1. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON TENTH AVENUE, FROM SEVENTY-FIFTH STREET TO SEVENTY-NINTH STREET, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

2,050 linear feet of new curbstone, set in concrete.....	
10 linear feet of old curbstone, reset in concrete.....	
430 cubic yards of earth excavation.....	
2,210 cubic yards of earth filling (to be furnished).....	
110 cubic yards of concrete, not to be bid for.....	
9,250 square feet of cement sidewalk.....	

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

The amount of security required is Sixteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,600).

No. 2. FOR CONSTRUCTING CEMENT SIDEWALKS ON BOTH SIDES OF HARRISON PLACE, BETWEEN KNICKERBOCKER AVENUE AND PORTER AVENUE, WHERE NOT ALREADY DONE, AND ON VARIOUS OTHER STREETS IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

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

9,625 square feet of cement sidewalk.....	
The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract will be thirty (30) working 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 linear foot, square yard, cubic yard or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Bureau of Highways, Room 14, Municipal Building, Brooklyn, N. Y.

ALFRED E. STEERS, President.

Dated April 14, 1910.

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OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, ROOM 2, BOROUGH HALL, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 27, 1910,

Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING, DELIVERING, HOUSING AND TRIMMING 650 TONS OF QUICK LIME, AT THE SEVERAL SEWAGE DISPOSAL WORKS IN THE TWENTY-SIXTH AND THIRTY-FIRST WARDS, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the full performance of the contract is until December 31, 1910.

The amount of security required is Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000).

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING RUBBER GOODS FOR USE BY THE BUREAU OF SEWERS.

The time allowed for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the full performance of the contract is until December 31, 1910.

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

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

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Bureau of Sewers, in the Borough of Brooklyn, No. 215 Montague street, Brooklyn.

ALFRED E. STEERS, President.

Dated April 14, 1910.

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

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, ROOM 2, BOROUGH HALL, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 27, 1910,

Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 1. FURNISHING AND DELIVERING RUBBER GOODS TO THE STOREHOUSE, NO. 874 WILLOUGHBY AVENUE, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time allowed for the delivery of the articles and full performance of the contract is sixty (60) days.

The amount of security required will be Five Hundred Dollars (\$500).

No. 2. FURNISHING AND DELIVERING MISCELLANEOUS JANITORS' SUPPLIES FOR USE IN THE VARIOUS PUBLIC BUILDINGS, BATHS AND COMFORT STATIONS, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time allowed for the delivery of the articles and full performance of the contract is sixty (60) days.

The amount of security required will be Five Hundred Dollars (\$500).

ALFRED E. STEERS, President.

Dated April 12, 1910.

a13,27

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CTIONS, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time allowed for the delivery of the articles and full performance of the contract is sixty (60) days.

The amount of security required will be Five Hundred Dollars (\$500).

No. 3. FURNISHING AND DELIVERING TOILET PAPER AND HOLDERS FOR BUREAU OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS AND OFFICES.

The time for the delivery of the articles and full performance of the contract will be sixty (60) days.

The amount of security required will be Two Hundred Dollars (\$200).

No. 4. FURNISHING AND DELIVERING SOAP AND SOAP POWDER FOR BUREAU OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS AND OFFICES.

The time for the delivery of the articles and full performance of the contract will be one hundred (100) days.

The amount of security required will be 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, dozen or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested.

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

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, Room No. 29, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn.

ALFRED E. STEERS, President.

Dated April 13, 1910.

a15,27

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

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, ROOM 2, BOROUGH HALL, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 27, 1910,

Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR MAKING REPAIRS AND ALTERATIONS TO THE FOUR FREE FLOATING BATHS IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract is until May 20, 1910.

The amount of security required is One Thousand Four Hundred Dollars (\$1,400).

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 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 Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, the Borough of Brooklyn, No. 29 Municipal Building, Brooklyn.

ALFRED E. STEERS, President.

Dated April 14, 1910.

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

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, ROOM 2, BOROUGH HALL, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 27, 1910,

Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 1. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON FIFTY-SIXTH STREET, FROM SIXTH AVENUE TO SEVENTH AVENUE, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

1,410 linear feet of new curbstone, set in concrete.....	
880 cubic yards of earth excavation.....	
80 cubic yards of concrete, not to be bid for.....	
6,370 square feet of cement sidewalk.....	

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract is thirty (30) working days.

The amount of security required is Nine Hundred Dollars (\$900).

No. 2. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS, WHERE NOT ALREADY DONE, ON AVENUE H, FROM CONEY ISLAND AVENUE TO THE RIGHT OF WAY OF THE BRIGHTON BEACH RAILROAD COMPANY, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

820 cubic yards of earth excavation.....	
25 cubic yards of earth filling, not to be bid for.....	
620 linear feet of cement curb.....	
1,870 square feet of cement sidewalk.....	

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract is thirty (30) working days.

The amount of security required is Three Hundred Dollars (\$300).

No. 3. FOR FENCING VACANT LOTS ON THE NORTH SIDE OF GRAND STREET EXTENSION, BETWEEN SOUTH FIRST AND GRAND STREETS, AND ON VARIOUS OTHER STREETS IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, WITH A WOODEN RAIL FENCE SIX FEET HIGH.

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

1,097 linear feet of fence.....	
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The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract is thirty (30) working days.

The amount of security required is One Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$150).

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per square foot, cubic yard or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Bureau of Highways, No. 14 Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn.

ALFRED E. STEERS, President.

Dated April 12, 1910.

a13,27

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

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION—FIRST DISTRICT.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION FOR THE FIRST DISTRICT, No. 154 NASSAU STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY, April 21, 1910.

FORM OF NOTICE FOR HEARING ON FORMS OF CONTRACTS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A public hearing upon the proposed terms and conditions of the contracts for the construction of a Rapid Transit Railroad hereinafter described shall be held at the rooms of the Commission, No. 154 Nassau street, in the Borough of Manhattan, New York City, on the 10th day of May, 1910, at 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon.

Copies of the drafts of the said contracts may be obtained at the office of the Commission on and after April 30, 1910, for one dollar each.

Such Rapid Transit Railroad may briefly be described as follows:

A part beginning at a point under Battery Park, near the water-front, in the Borough of Manhattan, and extending thence under Greenwich street, Church street, Vesey street, Broadway, private property, Irving place and Lexington avenue to the Harlem River; thence under the Harlem River and private property to One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street and Park avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, where the line divides. The east side branch extending under Park avenue and private property to One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street; thence under One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, Southern boulevard and Whitlock avenue to a point in private property south of Westchester avenue, where the line emerges and becomes an elevated railroad; thence continuing along Whitlock avenue and Westchester avenue to Pelham Bay Park. The west side branch beginning at One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street and Park avenue and extending thence under private property, Mott avenue, Franz Sigel Park and private property to a point in private property near River avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street, where the line emerges and becomes an elevated railroad; thence continuing along River avenue and Jerome avenue to Woodlawn road.

Another part in the Borough of Manhattan, commencing at a point under Canal street, near Chrystie street, and extending westerly under Canal street to a point near West street.

Another part in the Borough of Brooklyn, beginning in Fourth avenue, near Forty-third street, and extending thence under Fourth avenue to Fort Hamilton, and another portion beginning at Fourth avenue, near Fortieth street, and extending thence under Fortieth street, New Utrecht avenue and Eighty-sixth street to a point between Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth avenues, where it emerges from the ground and becomes an elevated railroad; thence continuing over Eighty-sixth street and Stillwell avenue to Coney Island.

Another part in the Borough of Brooklyn, beginning at the Brooklyn terminal of the Williamsburg Bridge and extending under the plaza of the Williamsburg Bridge, private property and Broadway to a point between Kossuth place and Lafayette avenue.

Another part in the Borough of Brooklyn, beginning under Fulton street, near Ashland place, and extending thence under Fulton street, Lafayette avenue and Kossuth place to Bushwick avenue.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION FOR THE FIRST DISTRICT.

By WILLIAM R. WILLCOX, Chairman.

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PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION FOR THE FIRST DISTRICT, No. 154 NASSAU STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY, April 21, 1910.

FORM OF NOTICE FOR HEARING ON FORM OF CONTRACT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A public hearing upon the proposed terms and conditions of the contract for the construction, equipment, maintenance and operation of proposed Rapid Transit Railroad hereinafter described, will be held at the rooms of the Commission, No. 154 Nassau street, in the Borough of Manhattan, New York City, on the 9th day of May, 1910, at 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon.

Copies of the drafts of the said contract may be obtained at the office of the Commission on and after Saturday, April 23, 1910, for one dollar each.

Such Rapid Transit Railroad, as contemplated by the draft of such contract, may briefly be described as follows:

A part beginning at a point under Battery Park, near the water-front, in the Borough of Manhattan, and extending thence under Greenwich street, Church street, Vesey street, Broadway, private property, Irving place and Lexington avenue to the Harlem River; thence under the Harlem River and private property to One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street and Park avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, where the line divides. The east side branch extending under Park avenue and private property to One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street; thence under One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, Southern boulevard and Whitlock avenue to a point in private property south of Westchester avenue, where the line emerges and becomes an elevated railroad; thence continuing along Whitlock avenue and Westchester avenue to Pelham Bay Park. The west side branch, beginning at One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street and Park avenue, and extending thence under private property, Mott avenue, Franz Sigel Park and private property to a point in private property near River avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street, where the line emerges and becomes an elevated railroad; thence continuing along River avenue and Jerome avenue to Woodlawn road.

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Another part in the Borough of Brooklyn, beginning at the Brooklyn terminal of the Williamsburg Bridge and extending under the plaza of the Williamsburg Bridge, private property and Broadway to a point between Kossuth place and Lafayette avenue.

Another part in the Borough of Brooklyn, beginning under Fulton street, near Ashland place, and extending thence under Fulton street, Lafayette avenue and Kossuth place to Bushwick avenue.

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Another part, beginning at a point near the intersection of Ashland place and Fulton street, thence under Ashland place, crossing under other streets, to Fourth avenue, and thence under Fourth avenue to a point near Forty-third street.

Another part in the Boroughs of Manhattan and Brooklyn, beginning at a point near the intersection of Fulton street and Ashland place, and extending thence under Fulton street, Flatbush avenue extension and over the Manhattan Bridge; thence under Canal street, Howard street and Centre street, in Manhattan, to the Manhattan end of the Brooklyn Bridge, with a branch beginning at the Brooklyn end of the Williamsburg Bridge and extending thence over Williamsburg Bridge to the Borough of Manhattan; thence under Delancey street and Centre street to a connection with the branch last above described under Centre street, near Howard street.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION FOR THE FIRST DISTRICT.
By WILLIAM R. WILLCOX, Chairman.
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DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

MAIN OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING, ROOM 1403, NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning at the above office until 12 o'clock m. on

THURSDAY, MAY 5, 1910,
Boroughs of Manhattan and Brooklyn.
CONTRACT FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FORTY (40) WATERING TRUCKS, TEN (10) TO BE DELIVERED IN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THIRTY (30) TO BE DELIVERED IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is ninety (90) working days.

The amount of security required is fifty (50) per cent. of the amount of the bid or estimate. The bidder will state the price of each watering truck contained in the specifications by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total and the award made to the lowest bidder.

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

Blank forms 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.

WM. H. EDWARDS, Commissioner of Street Cleaning.
Dated April 21, 1910.
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MAIN OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING, ROOM 1403, NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

SALE OF UNUSED PROPERTY, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE BRONX AND BROOKLYN.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT, PURSUANT TO SECTION 541 of the Greater New York Charter, I will, on

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 27, 1910,
at 10 a. m., at Stable "A" of this Department, Seventeenth street and Avenue C, Borough of Manhattan, sell at public auction the following unused property of the Department of Street Cleaning:

150 horses, more or less.

TERMS OF SALE.

The horses are to be paid for in full at the time of the sale, and are to be removed before 3 p. m. on the day of the sale.

WM. H. EDWARDS, Commissioner.
Dated April 13, 1910.
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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, CORNER OF FIFTY-FIFTH STREET AND SIXTH AVENUE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Board of Health of the Department of Health until 10 o'clock a. m. on

TUESDAY, MAY 3, 1910,
FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING, AS REQUIRED, 40,000 QUARTS PASTEURIZED MILK TO THE TUBERCULOSIS SANATORIUM AT OTISVILLE, ORANGE COUNTY, N. Y., DURING THE YEAR 1910.

Bids shall be by the quart. Contract will be awarded to the lowest bidder for the contract complete, unless all bids are rejected.

The time for the delivery of the supplies and the performance of the contract is during the year 1910.

The amount of security required is fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of the bid. Bids will be compared and the contract awarded to the lowest bidder for the contract complete.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Chief Clerk of the Department of Health, southwest corner of Fifty-fifth street and Sixth avenue, Borough of Manhattan.

ERNST J. LEDERLE, Ph.D., President;
ALVAH H. DOTY, M. D.,
WILLIAM F. BAKER, Board of Health.
Dated April 22, 1910.
a22,m3

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, CORNER OF FIFTY-FIFTH STREET AND SIXTH AVENUE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

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The time for the delivery of the supplies and the performance of the contract is during the year 1910.

The amount of security required is fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of the bid. Bids will be compared and the contract awarded to the lowest bidder for the contract complete.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Chief Clerk of the Department of Health, southwest corner of Fifty-fifth street and Sixth avenue, Borough of Manhattan.

ERNST J. LEDERLE, Ph.D., President;
ALVAH H. DOTY, M. D.,
WILLIAM F. BAKER, Board of Health.
Dated April 22, 1910.
a22,m3

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, SOUTHWEST CORNER FIFTY-FIFTH STREET AND SIXTH AVENUE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Board of Health of the Department of Health until 10 o'clock a. m. on

TUESDAY, MAY 10, 1910,
FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS NECESSARY OR REQUIRED TO ERECT, EXCLUSIVE OF FOUNDATIONS, TWO OPEN AIR, REINFORCED CONCRETE PAVILIONS, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO, UPON THE GROUNDS OF THE RIVERSIDE HOSPITAL AT NORTH BROTHER ISLAND, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is one hundred and fifty (150) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required is fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of the bid. Bids will be compared and the contract awarded to the lowest bidder for the contract complete.

Blank forms and plans for the above work and further information may be obtained at the office of the Chief Clerk of the Department of Health, southwest corner of Fifty-fifth street and Sixth avenue, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

ERNST J. LEDERLE, Ph.D., President;
ALVAH H. DOTY, M. D.,
WILLIAM F. BAKER, Board of Health.
Dated April 22, 1910.
a22,m10

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

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, CORNER OF FIFTY-FIFTH STREET AND SIXTH AVENUE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Board of Health of the Department of Health in the office of the Secretary, Room 406, until 10 o'clock a. m. on

TUESDAY, APRIL 26, 1910,
FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING, AS REQUIRED, AND AS SET FORTH IN THE SCHEDULES AND SPECIFICATIONS HEREIN INCLUDED, CHEMICALS, DRUGS, PHARMACEUTICALS, LABORATORY APPARATUS AND UTENSILS, DISINFECTANTS, WHISKEY, TEXTILES, NOTIONS, DRUGGISTS' SUPPLIES, AND MISCELLANEOUS SUPPLIES, TO THE VARIOUS BUILDINGS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, IN THE DIFFERENT BOROUGH OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, DURING THE YEAR 1910.

The time for the delivery of the supplies and the performance of the contract is during the year 1910.

The amount of security required is fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of the bid. Bids will be compared and the contract awarded to the lowest bidder for each item.

Samples may be seen and blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Chief Clerk of the Department of Health, southwest corner of Fifty-fifth street and Sixth avenue, Borough of Manhattan.

ERNST J. LEDERLE, President;
ALVAH H. DOTY, M. D.,
WILLIAM F. BAKER, Board of Health.
Dated April 13, 1910.
a13,26

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MUNICIPAL EXPLOSIVES COMMISSION.

MUNICIPAL EXPLOSIVES COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, NO. 157 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET, NEW YORK.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

PREVIOUS TO RECOMMENDING THE adoption by The City of New York of one or more designs of separators of gasoline and oils from garage effluent, all inventors and manufacturers of such apparatus are notified that, upon application to said Commission, a time and place will be fixed at which a demonstration of the practical value of the respective designs may be made, as well as such other tests as the Commission may direct.

Communications should be addressed to the Commission at No. 157 East Sixty-seventh street on or before Tuesday, May 10, 1910.

RHINELANDER WALDO,
Fire Commissioner and Chairman.
FREDERICK J. MAYWALD,
GEORGE O. EATON,
SIDNEY HARRIS,
PETER P. ACRIPELLI,
Commissioners.
GEORGE A. PERLEY, Secretary.
Dated New York, April 26, 1910.
a26,m10

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES, NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

THE COMMISSIONER OF BRIDGES WILL sell at public auction, at the Brooklyn Bridge yards, Borough of Brooklyn, on

FRIDAY, MAY 6, 1910,

at 11 a. m.:

Item 1—A quantity of old roadway plank and lumber at a lump sum price bid for the lot.

Item 2—Several tons of scrap iron and steel mixed, cast iron sheaves, drums and frames, old pipe, etc., at a price bid per gross ton.

Item 3—About 2,000 pounds of rubber tires, etc., at a price bid per pound.

TERMS OF SALE.

The whole of the purchase price bid and the auctioneer's fees shall be paid by the successful bidder, in cash or bankable funds, on or before delivery of the material; and the purchaser must remove from the yard, within twenty days from the date of the sale, all of the materials purchased.

To secure the removal, as above specified, the purchaser shall be required to make, at the time of sale, a cash deposit of twenty-five per cent. of the price bid on items 1 and 3 and \$500 deposit on item 2.

The Commissioner of Bridges reserves the right to resell any of the material not removed by the purchaser within the twenty days specified.

Full information may be obtained upon application to the Engineer's office, Brooklyn Bridge, No. 179 Washington street, Brooklyn.

KINGSLEY L. MARTIN,
Commissioner of Bridges.

BRYAN L. KENNELLY, Auctioneer.
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DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES, NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

THURSDAY, APRIL 28, 1910,
FOR THICKENING AND PAVING ATTORNEY STREET AT THE WILLIAMSBURG BRIDGE.

The contractor will be required to begin work within five days of the date of certification of the contract by the Controller of the City, and will be required to complete the entire work to the satisfaction of the Commissioner and in accordance with the plans and specifications, on or before the expiration of two (2) calendar months from the date of such certification.

The amount of security to guarantee the faithful performance of the work will be Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000).

The right is reserved by the Commissioner to reject all the bids should he deem it to the interest of the City so to do.

Blank forms and specifications may be obtained at the office of the Department of Bridges.

KINGSLEY L. MARTIN, Commissioner.
Dated April 15, 1910.
a16,28

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BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO all persons claiming to have been injured by a change of grade in the regulating and grading of the following named streets to present their claims, in writing, to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors, No. 320 Broadway, on or before May 11, 1910, at 11 o'clock a. m., at which place and time the said Board of Assessors will receive evidence and testimony of the nature and extent of such injury. Claimants are requested to make their claims for damages upon the blank form prepared by the Board of Assessors, copies of which may be obtained upon application at the above office:

Borough of Manhattan.
No. 1277. One Hundred and Fiftieth street, from Broadway to Riverside drive.

Borough of The Bronx.
No. 1266. Bryant avenue, from Lafayette avenue to New York and Harlem Railroad.
No. 1267. Garrison avenue, from Longwood avenue to Hunts Point avenue.
No. 1268. Irvine street, from Garrison avenue to Seneca street.

No. 1269. Johnson avenue, from Kappock street to Spuyten Duyvil road at West Two Hundred and Twenty-seventh street; Spuyten Duyvil road, from Johnson avenue at West Two Hundred and Twenty-seventh street to West Two Hundred and Thirtieth street.

No. 1270. Monterey street, from East One Hundred and Eightieth street to Outary road.
No. 1274. One Hundred and Ninety-first Street East, from Bathgate avenue to Hughes avenue.

No. 1275. Ryer avenue, from East One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street to Burnside avenue.

No. 1276. Manida street, from Lafayette avenue to Edgewater road.
No. 1307. Belmont avenue, from East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street to East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street (Tremont avenue).

No. 1308. College avenue, from East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street to East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street.

Borough of Brooklyn.
No. 1296. Sutter avenue, between Van Sicklen avenue and Warwick street.

Borough of Richmond.
No. 1264. Crescent avenue, from Jersey street to Daniel Low terrace.

No. 1265. Stone street, from Richmond road to St. Pauls avenue.

JOS. P. HENNESSY,
WM. C. ORMOND,
ANTONIO C. ASTARITA,
Board of Assessors.

THOMAS J. DRENNAN, Secretary.
No. 320 Broadway, City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, April 25, 1910.
a26,m6

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 552, No. 1. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging Northern avenue extension, from a point 774 feet north of One Hundred and Eighty-first street to Fort Washington avenue, and constructing necessary retaining wall and guard rail.

Borough of The Bronx.

List 344, No. 2. Paving, repaving and curbing Southern boulevard, from the Boston road to the northerly line of the property of the St. John's College.

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 Northern avenue, from East One Hundred and Eighty-first street to Fort Washington avenue, and to the extent of one-half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 2. Both sides of the Southern boulevard, from Boston road to the lands of St. John's College, and to the extent of one-half the block at the intersecting streets.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above named proposed assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections, in writing, to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors, No. 320 Broadway, New York, on or before May 24, 1910, at 11 a. m., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

JOS. P. HENNESSY,
WM. C. ORMOND,
ANTONIO C. ASTARITA,
Board of Assessors.

THOMAS J. DRENNAN, Secretary.
No. 320 Broadway, City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, April 21, 1910.
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PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO the owner or owners of all houses and lots, improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, that the following proposed assessments have been completed and are lodged in the office of the Board of Assessors for examination by all persons interested, viz.:

Borough of Brooklyn.

List 427, No. 1. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging East Thirty-fourth street, between Clarendon road and Newkirk avenue, together with a list of awards for damages caused by a change of grade.

List 474, No. 2. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging Jewel street, between Norman and Greenpoint avenues.

List 482, No. 3. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging Provost street, between Fidge and Greenpoint avenues.

List 484, No. 4. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging Seventy-first street, between Thirtieth and Fifteenth avenues.

List 487, No. 5. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging Seventeenth avenue, between Eighty-fourth and Eighty-sixth streets.

List 511, No. 6. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging Eleventh avenue, between Sixtieth and Sixty-fifth streets.

List 554, No. 7. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging and setting brick gutters on Eighty-seventh street, between Third and Narrows avenues.

List 555, No. 8. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging Eighty-sixth street, from Thirteenth avenue to Bay parkway.

List 587, No. 9. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging and paving the widened portion of Roebling street, between South Fourth street and Union avenue.

List 588, No. 10. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging Riverdale avenue, between Rockaway avenue and Osborn street.

List 861, No. 11. Paving Etna street, from Dresden street to the Queens County line (Elderts lane).

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 East Thirty-fourth street, from Clarendon road to Newkirk avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 2. Both sides of Jewel street, from Norman avenue to Greenpoint avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 3. Both sides of Provost street, from Fidge avenue to Greenpoint avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 4. Both sides of Seventy-first street, from Thirteenth avenue to Fifteenth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 5. Both sides of Seventeenth avenue, from Eighty-fourth street to Eighty-sixth street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 6. Both sides of Eleventh avenue, from Sixtieth street to Sixty-fifth street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 7. Both sides of Eighty-seventh street, from Third avenue to Narrows avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 8. Both sides of Eighty-sixth street, from Thirteenth avenue to Bay parkway, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 9. Both sides of Roebling street, from South Fourth street to Union avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 10. Both sides of Riverdale avenue, from Rockaway avenue to Osborn street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 11. Both sides of Etna street, from Dresden street to Elderts lane, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named proposed assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections, in writing, to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors, No. 320 Broadway, New York, on or before May 24, 1910, at 11 a. m., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

JOS. P. HENNESSY,
WM. C. ORMOND,
ANTONIO C. ASTARITA,
Board of Assessors.

THOMAS J. DRENNAN, Secretary.
No. 320 Broadway, City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, April 21, 1910.
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PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO the owner or owners of all houses and lots, improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, that the following proposed assessments have been completed and are lodged in the office of the Board of Assessors for examination by all persons interested, viz.:

Borough of The Bronx.
List 298, No. 1. Paving with asphalt blocks Boston road, from East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street to Bronx Park, and curbing where necessary.

List 357, No. 2. Paving with asphalt blocks and curbing Wilkins place (avenue), from Intervale avenue to Boston road.

List 1224, No. 3. Regulating, reregulating, grading, curbing, flagging, laying crosswalks, building approaches and placing fences in Ferry avenue, between Moshulu Parkway North and Woodlawn road.

Borough of Queens.

List 900, No. 4. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging, laying crosswalks on Academy street, from Washington avenue to Broadway, First Ward.

List 905, No. 5. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging William street, from Paynter avenue to Beebe avenue, First Ward.

List 915, No. 6. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging Twelfth avenue, from Grand avenue to Newtown road, First Ward.

List 1050, No. 7. Regulating and grading Seventeenth avenue, from Jackson avenue to Flushing avenue, First Ward.

List 1206, No. 8. Flagging (where not already done) Alsop street, between Willet street and Hillside avenue, and to bridge stones on the crosswalks of Hillside avenue and Alsop street, Fourth Ward.

List 1211, No. 9. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging and laying crosswalks in Harris avenue, from Jackson avenue to Hunter avenue, and from the Crescent to Vernon avenue, First Ward.

List 1219, No. 10. Sewer in Seventeenth avenue, from Wilson avenue to Jackson avenue, and in Vandeventer avenue, from Seventeenth avenue to Eighteenth avenue, First Ward.

Borough of Richmond.

List 1188, No. 11. Paving, repairing sidewalk and laying crosswalks in Cherry lane, from Manor road to Jewett avenue; paving or repairing sidewalks in Vanderbilt avenue, from Richmond road to Centre street; Osmond avenue, from Vanderbilt avenue to Richmond road; in Metcalf street, in Target street, from Richmond road to Laurel avenue; in Castleton avenue, from Brighton avenue to Cebra avenue, and from Bard avenue to Burger avenue; Greenleaf avenue, from Cherry lane to Post avenue; in Hebert avenue, from Post avenue to old village line, about 80 feet south of Hatfield place; in Fourth avenue, from Westervelt avenue to Jersey street; in Davis avenue, from Castleton avenue to De Kay street; in Broadway, from Castleton avenue to Britton street; in Davis avenue, from Henderson avenue to Castleton avenue; in Richmond terrace, from Broadway to Van street; in Taylor street, from Carey avenue to Prospect street; in Carroll place, from Chech street to Westervelt avenue; in Forest avenue, from Manor road to Brook avenue; in Jewett avenue, from Cherry lane to Elm street; in Wardwell avenue, from Indiana avenue to Maine avenue; in College avenue, from Manor road to Jewett avenue, and in South avenue, from Richmond Turnpike terrace to the railroad tracks.

List 1189, No. 12. Regulating and grading Hatfield place, from Richmond avenue to Nicholas avenue.

List 1190, No. 13. Sewer in New York avenue, from St. Johns avenue to Pennsylvania avenue, and in Maryland avenue, from New York avenue to the Staten Island Rapid Transit Railroad tracks, all being located within Sewer District 6 C.

List 1191, No. 14. Sewer in Richmond turnpike, from the existing sewers in Louis street for about 1,250 feet in southerly direction in Sewer District 1-E, First and Second Wards.

List 1192, No. 15. Sewer in Richmond turnpike, from a point about 680 feet northerly from Eddy street, through Eddy street to Bertha place and through Bertha place to a point about 680 feet southerly, Second Ward.

List 1193, No. 16. Constructing vitrified brick gutters on the west side of Willard avenue, between Maine and Springfield avenues; on the north side of Springfield avenue, between Willard and Neal Dow avenues, and on the east side of Neal Dow avenue, between Springfield and Maine avenues.

List 1263, No. 17. Sewer in Bard avenue, from Dekay street to Forest avenue, First Ward.

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 Boston road, from One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street to Bronx Park, and to the extent of one-half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 2. Both sides of Wilkins place, from Intervale avenue to Boston road, and to the extent of one-half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 3. Both sides of Perry avenue, from Moshulu Parkway North to Woodlawn road, and to the extent of one-half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 4. Both sides of Academy street, from Washington avenue to Broadway, and to the extent of one-half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 5. Both sides of William street, from Paynter avenue to Beebe avenue, and to the extent of one-half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 6. Both sides of Twelfth avenue, from Grand avenue to Newtown road, and to the extent of one-half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 7. Both sides of Seventeenth avenue, from Jackson avenue to Flushing avenue, and to the extent of one-half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 8. Both sides of Alsop street, from Willet street to Hillside avenue; north side of Hillside avenue to a point about 325 feet west and 429 feet east of Alsop street.

No. 9. Both sides of Harris avenue, from Jackson avenue to Hunter avenue, and from the Crescent to Vernon avenue, and to the extent of one-half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 10. Both sides of Seventeenth avenue, from Wilson avenue to Jackson avenue; both sides of Graham avenue (as proposed), from Sixteenth avenue to Seventeenth avenue; both sides of Jamaica avenue and Newtown road, from Sixteenth avenue to Seventeenth avenue; both sides of Vandeventer avenue and south side of Wilson avenue, between Sixteenth and Eighteenth avenues.

No. 11. Both sides of Cherry lane, between Greenleaf avenue and Jewett avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersection of Greenleaf avenue, Dubois avenue and Mundy avenue; Block 5, Lot No. 14; Block 2, Lot No. 14; Plot 7, Lots Nos. 490, 486, 468, 63, 65, 68, 134, 135, 136, 204; Plot 6, Lots Nos. 125, 123, 121, 119; Plot 5, Lots Nos. 1, 4, 7 and 9; Plot 7, Lots Nos. 352 and 361; Plot 5, Lot No. 49; Plot 7, Lots Nos. 341, 315, 344, 345, 346, 63, 83, 84, 51, 61, 6 and 98; Plot 5, Lots Nos. 208, 208A, 219, 220, 291, 287, 420, 470, 66, 71, 77 and 144; Plot 6, Block 5, Lot No. 1; Plot 7, Block 5, Lots Nos. 25, 20, 18, 16 and 15; Plot 3, Block 1, Lot No. 83; Plot 4, Block 7, Lots Nos. 2 and 1; Block 8, Lots Nos. 131 and 132; Block 10, Lots Nos. 3 and 2; Plot 5, Block 14, Lot No. 12; Plot 3, Block 9, Lot No. 3; Plot 2, Block 3, Lot No. 41; Block 4, Lots Nos. 96 and 110; Block 9, Lot No. 5; Block 5, Lots Nos. 124 and 146; Block 6, Lots Nos. 18 and 17; Block 31, Lots Nos. 1136 and 1142; Block 33, Lots Nos. 7 and 8; Block 37A, Lots Nos. 30 and 31; Plot 4, Block 8, Lots Nos. 162, 160 and 136; Block 6, Lot No. 191; Block 9, Lots Nos. 219, 217, 215, 213, 211, 209 and 207; Block 7, Lot No. 150; Block 10, Lots

Nos. 15 and 17; Plot 3, Block 7, Lot No. 1; Block 6, Lots Nos. 11 and 33; Plot 5, Block 2, Lots Nos. 19 and 13A; Block 4, Lot No. 26; Plot 18, Block 5, Lot No. 240; Block 3, Lot No. 209; Block 2, Lots Nos. 243 and 238; Plot 5, Block 81, Lot No. 1402; Plot 14, Block 1, Lots Nos. 6A, 7A and 9A; Plot 4, Block 1, Lots Nos. 6, 12 and 12A; Plot 12, Block 11, Lot No. 20C; Block 1, Lot No. 5; Block 124, Lot No. 72; Block 123, Lot No. 53; Block 124, Lot No. 229; Block 127, Lots Nos. 37, 43, 54 and 58, including a private street on the east side of Davis avenue, between North St. Austins place and Henderson avenue.

No. 12. Both sides of Hatfield place, from Richmond avenue to Nicholas avenue, and to the extent of one-half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 13. Both sides of New York avenue, from St. Johns avenue to Pennsylvania avenue; both sides of Maryland avenue and Ives street, between Tompkins avenue and the New York Bay; both sides of Bay View avenue, between New York avenue and Andrease street; both sides of Andrease street, Abbott street and Keely street, from Bay View avenue for their entire length; Lot No. 240, fronting on the right of way of the Staten Island Rapid Transit Railroad.

No. 14. Both sides of Richmond turnpike, from the existing sewer at Louis street to a point about 600 feet, more or less, north of Eddy street.

No. 15. Both sides of Bertha place, from Threes place to Eddy street; both sides of Eddy street, from Bertha place to Richmond turnpike; both sides of Richmond turnpike, from Eddy street to a point about 675 feet northerly.

No. 16. Plot bounded by Maine avenue, Springfield avenue, Willard avenue and Neal Dow avenue.

No. 17. Both sides of Bard avenue, from Kay street to Forest avenue.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above named proposed assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections, in writing, to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors, No. 320 Broadway, New York, on or before May 17, 1910, at 11 a. m., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

IOS. P. HENNESSY,
WM. C. ORMOND,
ANTONIO C. ASTARITA,
Board of Assessors.

THOMAS J. DRENNAN, Secretary.
No. 320 Broadway, City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, April 15, 1910.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO the owner or owners of all houses and lots, improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, that the following proposed assessments have been completed and are lodged in the office of the Board of Assessors for examination by all persons interested, viz:—

Borough of Brooklyn.
List 9777, No. 1. Grading, paving, curbing and laying cement sidewalks on Elton street, between Atlantic avenue and Blake avenue, together with a list of awards for damages caused by a change of grade.

The limits within which it is proposed to lay the said assessments include all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated on—

No. 1. Both sides of Elton street, from Atlantic avenue to Blake avenue, and to the extent of one-half the block at the intersecting streets.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above named proposed assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections, in writing, to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors, No. 320 Broadway, New York, on or before May 17, 1910, at 11 a. m., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

IOS. P. HENNESSY,
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Board of Assessors.

THOMAS J. DRENNAN, Secretary.
No. 320 Broadway, City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, April 15, 1910.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.
Sureties on Contracts.

UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE SURETY COMPANIES will be accepted as sufficient upon the following contracts to the amounts named:—

Supplies of Any Description, Including Gas and Electricity.

One company on a bond up to \$50,000. When such company is authorized to write that amount as per letter of Comptroller to the surety companies, dated September 16, 1907.

Construction.
One company on a bond up to \$25,000. Including regulating, grading, paving, sewers, maintenance, dredging, construction of parks, parkways, docks, buildings, bridges, tunnels, aqueducts, repairs, heating, ventilating, plumbing, etc., etc.

When such company is authorized to write that amount as per letter of Comptroller to the surety companies, dated September 16, 1907.

Asphalt, Asphalt Block and Wood Block Pavements.

Two companies will be required on any and every bond up to amount authorized by letter of Comptroller to the surety companies, dated September 16, 1907.

Dated January 3, 1910.
WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST,
Comptroller.

Notice of Sale.
NOTICE OF SALE.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS AND ARREARS, COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, NO. 280 BROADWAY, MANHATTAN.

NOTICE OF CONTINUATION OF MANHATTAN TAX SALE.

THE SALE OF THE LIENS FOR UNPAID taxes, assessments and water rents for the Borough of Manhattan, as to liens remaining unsold at the termination of sales of June 7, 10, 17, July 1, 15, August 12, September 20, October 14, November 11, December 2, 9, 23, 27 and 30, 1909, January 6, 27, February 3, 10, 17, 24, March 3, 17, 31 and April 14, 1910, has been continued to

THURSDAY, MAY 12, 1910, at 10 a. m., pursuant to section 1028 of the Greater New York Charter, and will be continued at that time at the Aldermanic Chamber, in the City Hall, as heretofore.

DANIEL MOYNAHAN,
Collector of Assessments and Arrears.
Dated April 14, 1910.

NOTICE OF RESALE OF TAX LIENS.

BY DIRECTION OF THE COMPTROLLER of the City of New York all tax liens heretofore sold, in respect of which the purchasers have not completed their purchases, as prescribed by chapter 17, title 5 of the Greater New York Charter, will be offered for resale at the pending Manhattan tax sale, pursuant to section 1029 of the Greater New York Charter, on

THURSDAY, MAY 12, 1910, at 10 a. m., in the Aldermanic Chamber, and I shall continue to offer said liens for resale from time to time until said sale is concluded.

DANIEL MOYNAHAN,
Collector of Assessments and Arrears.
Dated April 25, 1910.

Interest on City Bonds and Stock.
INTEREST ON CITY BONDS AND STOCK.

THE INTEREST DUE ON MAY 1, 1910, ON the Registered Bonds and Stock of the City of New York will be paid on May 2, 1910, by the Comptroller at his office in the Stewart Building, corner of Broadway and Chambers street (Room 35).

The interest due May 1, 1910, on Registered Gold Revenue Bonds of the City of New York will be paid on May 2, 1910, by the Comptroller at his office, in United States money, or, at the option of the holders thereof, upon three weeks' prior notice, as stipulated in said bonds, by Messrs. Morgan, Grenfell & Co., the successors of Messrs. J. S. Morgan & Co., at No. 22 Old Broad street, London, England, in sterling at the rate of \$4.83 to the pound.

The interest due May 1, 1910, on Coupon Gold Revenue Bonds of the City of New York will be paid on May 2, 1910, by the Guaranty Trust Company, Nos. 28 and 30 Nassau street, New York City, in United States money, or, at the option of the holders thereof, by the said Messrs. Morgan, Grenfell & Co. in sterling at the rate of \$4.83 to the pound.

The accounts that are payable in New York or in London for the interest due on May 1, 1910, on Assessment Bonds and Corporate Stock of the City of New York, will be paid on May 2, 1910, at the option of the holders thereof, either at the office of the said Guaranty Trust Company, in United States money, or at the office of Messrs. Seligman Brothers, No. 18 Austin Friars, London, E. C. England, in sterling at the rate of \$4.8780 to the pound.

The coupons that are payable only in New York for interest due on May 1, 1910, on Bonds and Stock of the present and former City of New York will be paid on May 2, 1910, by the said Guaranty Trust Company.

The transfer books thereof will be closed from April 9 to May 2, 1910.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.
City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, March 28, 1910.

Corporation Sales.
CORPORATION SALE OF BUILDINGS AND APPURTENANCES, THEREON, ON CITY REAL ESTATE BY SEALED BIDS.

AT THE REQUEST OF THE PRESIDENT of the Borough of Brooklyn, public notice is hereby given that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale by sealed bids all the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., now standing upon property owned by The City of New York acquired by it for street opening purposes in the

Borough of Brooklyn.
Being all the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., situated within the lines of Church avenue, from East Seventeenth street to East Eighteenth street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, all of which are more particularly described on a certain map on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

Pursuant to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted at a meeting held April 20, 1910, the sale by sealed bids of the above-described buildings and appurtenances thereto will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

TUESDAY, MAY 10, 1910, at 11 a. m., in lots and parcels and in manner and form as follows:

Parcel No. 1.—Part of four-story brick building. Cut on line of street through north end of building commencing 4.2 feet in from corner on west side of building.

Sealed bids (blank forms of which may be obtained upon application) will be received by the Comptroller at the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Room 141, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, until 11 a. m. on the 10th day of May, and then publicly opened, for the sale for removal of the above described buildings and appurtenances thereto, and the award will be made to the highest bidder within twenty-four hours, or as soon as possible thereafter.

Each parcel must be bid for separately and will be sold in its entirety, as described in above advertisement.

Each and every bid must be accompanied by a deposit of cash or certified check in a sum equal to 25 per cent. of the amount of the bid, except that a minimum deposit of \$50 will be required with all bids, and that a deposit of \$500 will be sufficient to entitle bidders to bid on any or all of the buildings.

Deposits of unsuccessful bidders will be returned within twenty-four hours after successful bidders have paid purchase price in full and given security, and those of successful bidders may be declared forfeited to The City of New York by the Comptroller upon the failure of the successful bidder to comply with the requirements of the terms and conditions of the sale as set forth hereinafter.

Successful bidders will be required to pay the purchase money and deposit the required security within twenty-four hours of the receipt of notification of the acceptance of their bids.

The Comptroller reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any defects or informalities in any bid should it be deemed in the interest of The City of New York to do so.

All bids must state clearly (1) the number or description of the building or buildings bid for, (2) the amount of the bid, (3) the full name and address of the bidder.

All bids must be enclosed in properly sealed envelopes, marked "Proposals to be opened May 10, 1910," and must be delivered, or mailed in time for their delivery, prior to 11 a. m. of that date, to the "Collector of City Revenue, Room 141, No. 280 Broadway, New York City," from whom any further particulars regarding the buildings to be disposed of may be obtained. The buildings will be sold for immediate removal only, subject to the following

TERMS AND CONDITIONS.
The buildings and appurtenances thereto will be sold to the highest bidder, who must pay cash or a certified check drawn to the order of the Comptroller of The City of New York, and must also give a certified check or cash in half the amount of the purchase price as security for the faithful performance of the terms and conditions of the sale. Where the amount of the purchase price does not equal or exceed the sum of \$50, the sum of \$50 shall be the amount of the security to be deposited. This security may at any time after the expiration of the contract period be applied by the City to the cost of completing any of the work required under the contract, but unfinished at the expiration of the contract period.

The purchaser shall not lease, occupy, cause or permit the building or buildings, etc., purchased by him to be used or occupied for any purpose other than that of their speedy removal, nor shall he collect any rental or other revenue for the use of either the land or the buildings, etc., situated thereon. The breach of either or any of these conditions shall forthwith void the sale and cause immediate forfeiture of the purchase money and the security deposited for the faithful performance of the conditions of the sale. The placing therein or permitting the occupancy of any such building by any tenant free, for rent or otherwise, excepting the necessary watchmen or the workmen engaged in the actual demolition thereof, shall of itself be a breach of the above conditions of sale.

The sale will be as of the condition of the property on date of delivery thereof to the purchaser. The City of New York will not be responsible for any change or loss which may occur in the condition of the buildings, or their appurtenances, between the time of the sale thereof and the time of delivering possession to the purchaser, after being properly vacated of all tenants. The sale and delivery to purchaser will be made as nearly together as the circumstance of vacating the structures of their tenants will permit.

All the material of the buildings, sheds, walks, structures and cellars of whatsoever nature, with their exterior and interior fixtures, appurtenances and foundations of all kinds, except the exterior walls of the buildings and their foundations and the sidewalks and curb in front of said buildings, extending within the described area shall be torn down and removed from the premises. None of the dirt, debris or waste resulting from demolition shall be allowed to remain on the premises, except old mortar or plaster only, which may be left, but not higher at any point than two feet below the curb opposite that point. The exterior walls and their foundations shall be taken down only to a plane whose elevation shall be the level of the curb in front of the building. Where there is no curb the elevation of the surrounding ground shall be considered curb level. All wells, cesspools, sinks, etc., existing on the property must be filled to the level of the surrounding ground with clean earth.

The purchaser at the sale shall also withdraw and remove all abandoned water taps and o'l service mains, and in place thereof cause to be inserted a brass plug in the main water pipe in the street, in compliance with the rules and regulations of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, and furnish the Department of Finance with a certificate from the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity that this has been performed.

The purchaser at the sale shall also remove all house sewer connections to the main sewer in the street, and the opening of the main sewer in street shall be properly closed in compliance with the directions of the Bureau of Sewers, Borough of Brooklyn, and furnish the Department of Finance with a certificate from the Bureau of Sewers that the work has been properly performed.

The permit for all opening in the street to be obtained by and at the expense of the purchaser of the building.

Failure to remove said buildings, appurtenances or any part thereof within thirty days from the day of possession will work forfeiture of ownership of such buildings, appurtenances or portion as shall then be left standing, together with all moneys paid by said purchaser on account thereof at the time of the sale, and for the bidder's assent to the above conditions being understood to be implied by the act of bidding, and The City of New York will, without notice to the purchaser, cause the same to be removed, and the costs and expense thereof charged against the security above mentioned.

The work of removal must be carried on in every respect in a thorough and workmanlike manner, and must be completed within thirty days from the day of possession, and the successful bidder will provide and furnish all materials of labor and machinery necessary thereto, and will place proper and sufficient guards and fences and warning signs by day and night for the prevention of accidents, and will indemnify and save harmless The City of New York, its officers, agents and servants, and each of them, against any and all suits and actions, claims and demands of every name and description brought against it, them or any of them and against and from all damage and costs to which it, they or any of them 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 in guarding the same, or from any improper or defective materials or machinery, implements or appliances used in the removal of said buildings.

Where party walls are found to exist between buildings purchased by different bidders, the materials of said party walls shall be understood to be equally divided between the separate purchasers.

Party walls and fences, when existing against adjacent property not sold, shall not be taken down. All furrings, plaster, chimneys, projecting brick, etc., on the faces of such party walls are to be taken down and removed. The walls shall be made permanently self-supporting, beam-boles, etc., bricked up, and the wall pointed and made to exclude wind and rain and present a clean exterior. The roofs of adjacent buildings shall be properly flashed and painted and made watertight where they have been disturbed by the operations of the contractor.

The Comptroller of The City of New York reserves the right on the day of sale to withdraw from sale any of the buildings, parts of buildings and machinery included therein, or to reject any and all bids; and it is further resolved, That, while the said sale is held under the supervision of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, the Comptroller is authorized to cause the sale to be advertised and to direct the sale thereof as financial officer of the City.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.
City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, April 21, 1910.

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CORPORATION SALE OF BUILDINGS AND APPURTENANCES THERETO ON CITY REAL ESTATE BY SEALED BIDS.

AT THE REQUEST OF THE PRESIDENT of the Borough of Queens, public notice is hereby given that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale by sealed bids all the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., standing upon property owned by the City of New York, used by it for police purposes in the

Borough of Queens.

Being the building on the west side of Johnson avenue, about 300 feet south of Jamaica avenue, formerly known as the Village Hall of Richmond Hill and now occupied as a police station, and which is more particularly described on a certain map on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

Pursuant to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted at a meeting held April 6, 1910, the sale by sealed bids of the above described building and appurtenances thereto will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

FRIDAY, APRIL 29, 1910,

at 11 a. m., in lots and parcels and in manner and form as follows:

Parcel No. 1. Two-story frame building on the west side of Johnson avenue, about 300 feet south of Jamaica avenue.

Sealed bids (blank forms of which may be obtained upon application) will be received by the Comptroller at the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Room 141, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, until 11 a. m. on the 29th day of April, and then publicly opened for the sale for removal of the above-described buildings and appurtenances thereto, and the award will be made to the highest bidder within twenty-four hours, or as soon as possible thereafter.

Each parcel must be bid for separately and will be sold in its entirety, as described in above advertisement.

Each and every bid must be accompanied by a deposit of cash or certified check in a sum equal to 25 per cent. of the amount of the bid, except that a minimum deposit of \$50 will be required with all bids, and that a deposit of \$500 will be sufficient to entitle bidders to bid on any or all of the buildings.

Deposits of unsuccessful bidders will be returned within twenty-four hours after successful bidders have paid purchase price in full and given security, and those of successful bidders may be declared forfeited to the City of New York by the Comptroller upon the failure of the successful bidder to further comply with the requirements of the terms and conditions of the sale as set forth hereinafter.

Successful bidders will be required to pay the purchase money and deposit the required security within twenty-four hours of the receipt of notification of the acceptance of their bids.

The Comptroller reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any defects or informalities in any bid should it be deemed in the interest of the City of New York to do so.

All bids must state clearly (1) the number or description of the building or buildings bid for, (2) the amount of the bid, (3) the full name and address of the bidder.

All bids must be inclosed in properly sealed envelopes, marked "Proposals to be opened April 29, 1910," and must be delivered, or mailed in time for their delivery, prior to 11 a. m. of that date to the Collector of City Revenue, Room 141, No. 280 Broadway, New York City, from whom any further particulars regarding the buildings to be disposed of may be obtained.

The buildings will be sold for immediate removal only, subject to the following

TERMS AND CONDITIONS.

The buildings and appurtenances thereto will be sold to the highest bidder, who must pay cash or a certified check drawn to the order of the Comptroller of the City of New York, and must also give a certified check or cash in half the amount of the purchase price as security for the faithful performance of the terms and conditions of the sale. Where the amount of the purchase price does not equal or exceed the sum of \$50, the sum of \$50 shall be the amount of the security to be deposited. This security may at any time after the expiration of the contract period be applied by the City to the cost of completing any of the work required under the contract, but unfinished at the expiration of the contract period.

The purchaser shall not lease, occupy, cause or permit the building or buildings, etc., purchased by him to be used or occupied for any purpose other than that of their speedy removal, nor shall he collect any rental or other revenue for the use of either the land or the buildings, etc., situated thereon. The breach of either or any of these conditions shall forthwith void the sale and cause immediate forfeiture of the purchase money and the security deposited for the faithful performance of the conditions of the sale. The placing therein or permitting the occupancy of any such building by any tenant free, for rent or otherwise, excepting the necessary watchmen or the workmen engaged in the actual demolition thereof, shall of itself be a breach of the above conditions of sale.

The sale will be as of the condition of the property on date of delivery thereof to the purchaser. The City of New York will not be responsible for any change or loss which may occur in the condition of the buildings or their appurtenances between the time of the sale thereof and the time of delivering possession to the purchaser, after being properly vacated of all tenants. The sale and delivery to purchaser will be made as nearly together as the circumstance of vacating the structures of their tenants will permit.

All the material of the buildings, sheds, walks, structures and cellars of whatsoever nature, with their exterior and interior fixtures, appurtenances and foundations of all kinds, except the exterior walls of the buildings and their foundations and the sidewalks and curb in front of said buildings, extending within the described area, shall be torn down and removed from the premises. None of the dirt, debris or waste resulting from demolition shall be allowed to remain on the premises, except old mortar or plaster only, which may be left, but not higher at any point than two feet below the curb opposite that point. The exterior walls and their foundations shall be taken down only to a plane whose elevation shall be the level of the curb in front of the building. Where there is no curb the elevation of the surrounding ground shall be considered. All wells, cesspools, sinks, etc., existing on the property must be filled to the level of the surrounding ground with clean earth.

The purchaser at the sale shall also withdraw and remove all abandoned water taps and old service mains, and in place thereof cause to be inserted a brass plug in the main water pipe in the street, in compliance with the rules and regulations of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, and furnish the Department of Finance with a certificate from the Department

ment of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity that this has been performed.

The purchaser at the sale shall also remove all house sewer connections to the main sewer in the street, and the opening of the main sewer in street shall be properly closed in compliance with the directions of the Bureau of Sewers, Borough of Queens, and furnish the Department of Finance with a certificate from the Bureau of Sewers that the work has been properly performed.

The permit for all opening in the street to be obtained by and at the expense of the purchaser of the building.

Failure to remove said buildings, appurtenances, or any part thereof within thirty days from the day of possession will work forfeiture of ownership of such buildings, appurtenances, or portion as shall then be left standing, together with all moneys paid by said purchaser on account thereof at the time of the sale, and the bidder's assent to the above conditions being understood to be implied by the act of bidding, and The City of New York will, without notice to the purchaser, cause the same to be removed, and the costs and expense thereof charged against the security above mentioned.

The work of removal must be carried on in every respect in a thorough and workmanlike manner, and must be completed within thirty days from the day of possession, and the successful bidder will provide and furnish all materials of labor and machinery necessary thereto, and will place proper and sufficient guards and fences and warning signs by day and night for the prevention of accidents, and will indemnify and save harmless The City of New York, its officers, agents and servants, and each of them, against any and all suits and actions, claims and demands of every name and description brought against it, them or any of them, and against and from all damage and costs to which it, they or any of them 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 in guarding the same, or from any improper or defective materials or machinery, implements or appliances used in the removal of said buildings.

Where party walls are found to exist between buildings purchased by different bidders, the materials of said party walls shall be understood to be equally divided between the separate purchasers.

Party walls and fences, when existing against adjacent property not sold, shall not be taken down. All furnishings, plaster, chimneys, projecting brick, etc., on the faces of such party walls are to be taken down and removed. The walls shall be made permanently self-supporting, beam-holes, etc., bricked up, and the wall pointed and made to exclude wind and rain and present a clean exterior. The roofs of adjacent buildings shall be properly flashed and painted and made watertight where they have been disturbed by the operations of the contractor.

The Comptroller of The City of New York reserves the right on the day of sale to withdraw from sale any of the buildings, parts of buildings and machinery included therein, or to reject any and all bids; and it is further

Resolved, That, while the said sale is held under the supervision of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, the Comptroller is authorized to cause the sale to be advertised and to direct the sale thereof as financial officer of the City.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.
City of New York, Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, April 6, 1910.

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CORPORATION SALE OF BUILDINGS AND APPURTENANCES THERETO ON CITY REAL ESTATE BY SEALED BIDS.

AT THE REQUEST OF THE PRESIDENT of the Borough of The Bronx, public notice is hereby given that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale by sealed bids all the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., standing upon property owned by The City of New York, acquired by it for street opening purposes in the

Borough of The Bronx.

Being all the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., standing within the lines of East One Hundred and Eightieth street, from the Bronx River to West Farms road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the Borough of The Bronx, all of which are more particularly described on a certain map on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

Pursuant to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted at a meeting held April 6, 1910, the sale by sealed bids of the above described buildings and appurtenances thereto will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

THURSDAY, APRIL 28, 1910,

at 11 a. m., in lots and parcels and in manner and form as follows:

Parcel No. 1.—Part of two-story planing mill and wood-working factory at the northeast corner of East One Hundred and Eightieth street and West Farms road. Cut 26.2 feet on west end by 2.3 feet on east end by 217.1 feet on south side, including three platforms and steps.

Sealed bids (blank forms of which may be obtained upon application) will be received by the Comptroller at the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Room 141, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, until 11 a. m. on the 28th day of April, and then publicly opened for the sale for removal of the above-described buildings and appurtenances thereto, and the award will be made to the highest bidder within twenty-four hours, or as soon as possible thereafter.

Each parcel must be bid for separately and will be sold in its entirety, as described in above advertisement.

Each and every bid must be accompanied by a deposit of cash or certified check in a sum equal to 25 per cent. of the amount of the bid, except that a minimum deposit of \$50 will be required with all bids, and that a deposit of \$500 will be sufficient to entitle bidders to bid on any or all of the buildings.

Deposits of unsuccessful bidders will be returned within twenty-four hours after successful bidders have paid purchase price in full and given security, and those of successful bidders may be declared forfeited to The City of New York by the Comptroller upon the failure of the successful bidder to further comply with the requirements of the terms and conditions of the sale as set forth hereinafter.

Successful bidders will be required to pay the purchase money and deposit the required security within twenty-four hours of the receipt of notification of the acceptance of their bids.

The Comptroller reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any defects or informalities in any bid should it be deemed in the interest of the City of New York to do so.

All bids must state clearly (1) the number or description of the building or buildings bid for, (2) the amount of the bid, (3) the full name and address of the bidder.

All bids must be inclosed in properly sealed envelopes, marked "Proposals to be opened April 28, 1910," and must be delivered, or mailed in

time for their delivery, prior to 11 a. m. of that date to the "Collector of City Revenue, Room 141, No. 280 Broadway, New York City," from whom any further particulars regarding the buildings to be disposed of may be obtained.

The buildings will be sold for immediate removal only, subject to the following

TERMS AND CONDITIONS.

The buildings and appurtenances thereto will be sold to the highest bidder, who must pay cash or a certified check drawn to the order of the Comptroller of The City of New York, and must also give a certified check or cash in half the amount of the purchase price as security for the faithful performance of the terms and conditions of the sale. Where the amount of the purchase price does not equal or exceed the sum of \$50, the sum of \$50 shall be the amount of the security to be deposited. This security may at any time after the expiration of the contract period be applied by the City to the cost of completing any of the work required under the contract, but unfinished at the expiration of the contract period.

The purchaser shall not lease, occupy, cause or permit the building or buildings, etc., purchased by him to be used or occupied for any purpose other than that of their speedy removal, nor shall he collect any rental or other revenue for the use of either the land or the buildings, etc., situated thereon. The breach of either or any of these conditions shall forthwith void the sale and cause immediate forfeiture of the purchase money and the security deposited for the faithful performance of the conditions of the sale. The placing therein or permitting the occupancy of any such building by any tenant free, for rent or otherwise, excepting the necessary watchmen or the workmen engaged in the actual demolition thereof, shall of itself be a breach of the above conditions of sale.

The sale will be as of the condition of the property on date of delivery thereof to the purchaser. The City of New York will not be responsible for any change or loss which may occur in the condition of the buildings, or their appurtenances, between the time of the sale thereof and the time of delivering possession to the purchaser, after being properly vacated of all tenants. The sale and delivery to purchaser will be made as nearly together as the circumstance of vacating the structures of their tenants will permit.

All the material of the buildings, sheds, walks, structures and cellars of whatsoever nature, with their exterior and interior fixtures, appurtenances and foundations of all kinds, except the exterior walls of the buildings and their foundations and the sidewalks and curb in front of said buildings, extending within the described area shall be torn down and removed from the premises. None of the dirt, debris or waste resulting from demolition shall be allowed to remain on the premises, except old mortar or plaster only, which may be left, but not higher at any point than two feet below the curb opposite that point. The exterior walls and their foundations shall be taken down only to a plane whose elevation shall be the level of the curb in front of the building. Where there is no curb the elevation of the surrounding ground shall be considered. All wells, cesspools, sinks, etc., existing on the property must be filled to the level of the surrounding ground with clean earth.

The purchaser at the sale shall also withdraw and remove all abandoned water taps and old service mains, and in place thereof cause to be inserted a brass plug in the main water pipe in the street, in compliance with the rules and regulations of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, and furnish the Department of Finance with a certificate from the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity that this has been performed.

The purchaser at the sale shall also remove all house sewer connections to the main sewer in the street, and the opening of the main sewer in street shall be properly closed in compliance with the directions of the Bureau of Sewers, Borough of The Bronx, and furnish the Department of Finance with a certificate from the Bureau of Sewers that the work has been properly performed.

The permit for all opening in the street to be obtained by and at the expense of the purchaser of the building.

Failure to remove said buildings, appurtenances, or any part thereof within thirty days from the day of possession will work forfeiture of ownership of such buildings, appurtenances, or portion as shall then be left standing, together with all moneys paid by said purchaser on account thereof at the time of the sale, and the bidder's assent to the above conditions being understood to be implied by the act of bidding, and The City of New York will, without notice to purchaser, cause the same to be removed, and the costs and expense thereof charged against the security above mentioned.

The work of removal must be carried on in every respect in a thorough and workmanlike manner, and must be completed within thirty days from the day of possession, and the successful bidder will provide and furnish all materials of labor and machinery necessary thereto, and will place proper and sufficient guards and fences and warning signs by day and night for the prevention of accidents, and will indemnify and save harmless The City of New York, its officers, agents and servants, and each of them, against any and all suits and actions, claims and demands of every name and description brought against it, them or any of them, and against and from all damage and costs to which it, they or any of them 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 in guarding the same, or from any improper or defective materials or machinery, implements or appliances used in the removal of said buildings.

Where party walls are found to exist between buildings purchased by different bidders, the materials of said party walls shall be understood to be equally divided between the separate purchasers.

Party walls and fences, when existing against adjacent property not sold, shall not be taken down. All furnishings, plaster, chimneys, projecting brick, etc., on the faces of such party walls are to be taken down and removed. The walls shall be made permanently self-supporting, beam-holes, etc., bricked up, and the wall pointed and made to exclude wind and rain and present a clean exterior. The roofs of adjacent buildings shall be properly flashed and painted and made watertight where they have been disturbed by the operations of the contractor.

The Comptroller of The City of New York reserves the right on the day of sale to withdraw from sale any of the buildings, parts of buildings and machinery included therein, or to reject any and all bids; and it is further

Resolved, That, while the said sale is held under the supervision of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, the Comptroller is authorized to cause the sale to be advertised and to direct the sale thereof as financial officer of the City.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.
City of New York, Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, April 6, 1910.

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CORPORATION SALE OF BUILDINGS AND APPURTENANCES THERETO ON CITY REAL ESTATE BY SEALED BIDS.

AT THE REQUEST OF THE PRESIDENT of the Borough of Queens, public notice is hereby given that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale by sealed bids all the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., standing upon property owned by the City of New York, acquired by it for street opening purposes in the

Borough of Queens.

Being all the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., standing within the lines of Queens boulevard (new diagonal street), from Jackson avenue to Thomson avenue, in the Borough of Queens, all of which are more particularly described on a certain map on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

Pursuant to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted at a meeting held April 6, 1910, the sale by sealed bids of the above described buildings and appurtenances thereto will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 27, 1910,

at 11 a. m., in lots and parcels and in manner and form as follows:

Parcel No. 1. Parts of one-story frame building, open shed, one-story and two-story frame stables at No. 390 Jackson avenue. Cut 62.59 on end facing Jackson avenue by 193.87 on west side by 27.30 on south end of two-story stable by 41.65 on south end of open shed by 52.52 on south end of front building.

Parcel No. 2. Fence and part of one-story frame building. Cut building 2.9 feet on end facing street by 12.1 feet on east side.

Parcel No. 3. Fence and small brick storage shed 12.20 by 8.37 on Van Dam street. Cut fence 38.11 on west side by 40.46 feet on south side.

Sealed bids, blank forms of which may be obtained upon application, will be received by the Comptroller at the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Room 141, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, until 11 a. m. on the 27th day of April, and then publicly opened for the sale for removal of the above-described buildings and appurtenances thereto, and the award will be made to the highest bidder within twenty-four hours, or as soon as possible thereafter.

Each parcel must be bid for separately and will be sold in its entirety, as described in above advertisement.

Each and every bid must be accompanied by a deposit of cash or certified check in a sum equal to 25 per cent. of the amount of the bid, except that a minimum deposit of \$50 will be required with all bids, and that a deposit of \$500 will be sufficient to entitle bidders to bid on any or all of the buildings.

Deposits of unsuccessful bidders will be returned within twenty-four hours after successful bidders have paid purchase price in full and given security, and those of successful bidders may be declared forfeited to The City of New York by the Comptroller upon the failure of the successful bidder to further comply with the requirements of the terms and conditions of the sale as set forth hereinafter.

Successful bidders will be required to pay the purchase money and deposit the required security within twenty-four hours of the receipt of notification of the acceptance of their bids.

The Comptroller reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any defects or informalities in any bid should it be deemed in the interest of The City of New York to do so.

All bids must state clearly (1) the number or description of the building or buildings bid for, (2) the amount of the bid, (3) the full name and address of the bidder.

All bids must be inclosed in properly sealed envelopes, marked "Proposals to be opened April 27, 1910," and must be delivered, or mailed in time for their delivery, prior to 11 a. m. of that date to the "Collector of City Revenue, Room 141, No. 280 Broadway, New York City," from whom any further particulars regarding the buildings to be disposed of may be obtained.

The buildings will be sold for immediate removal only, subject to the following

TERMS AND CONDITIONS.

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The purchaser shall not lease, occupy, cause or permit the building or buildings, etc., purchased by him to be used or occupied for any purpose other than that of their speedy removal, nor shall he collect any rental or other revenue for the use of either the land or the buildings, etc., situated thereon. The breach of either or any of these conditions shall forthwith void the sale and cause immediate forfeiture of the purchase money and the security deposited for the faithful performance of the conditions of the sale. The placing therein or permitting the occupancy of any such building by any tenant free, for rent or otherwise, excepting the necessary watchmen or the workmen engaged in the actual demolition thereof, shall of itself be a breach of the above conditions of sale.

The sale will be as of the condition of the property on date of delivery thereof to the purchaser. The City of New York will not be responsible for any change or loss which may occur in the condition of the buildings, or their appurtenances, between the time of the sale thereof and the time of delivering possession to the purchaser, after being properly vacated of all tenants. The sale and delivery to purchaser will be made as nearly together as the circumstance of vacating the structures of their tenants will permit.

All the material of the buildings, sheds, walks, structures and cellars of whatsoever nature, with their exterior and interior fixtures, appurtenances and foundations of all kinds, except the exterior walls of the buildings and their foundations and the sidewalks and curb in front of said buildings, extending within the described area shall be torn down and removed from the premises. None of the dirt, debris or waste resulting from demolition shall be allowed to remain on the premises, except old mortar or plaster only, which may be left, but not higher at any point than two feet below the curb opposite that point. The exterior walls and their foundations shall be taken down only to a plane whose elevation shall be the level of the curb in front of the building. Where there is no curb the elevation of

the surrounding ground shall be considered curb level. All wells, cesspools, sinks, etc., existing on the property must be filled to the level of the surrounding ground with clean earth.

The purchaser at the sale shall also withdraw and remove all abandoned water taps and old service mains, and in place thereof cause to be inserted a brass plug in the main water pipe in the street, in compliance with the rules and regulations of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, and furnish the Department of Finance with a certificate from the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity that this has been performed.

The purchaser at the sale shall also remove all house sewer connections to the main sewer in the street, and the opening of the main sewer in street shall be properly closed in compliance with the directions of the Bureau of Sewers, Borough of Queens, and furnish the Department of Finance with a certificate from the Bureau of Sewers that the work has been properly performed.

The permit for all opening in the street to be obtained by and at the expense of the purchaser of the building.

Failure to remove said buildings, appurtenances or any part thereof within thirty days from the day of possession will work forfeiture of ownership of such buildings, appurtenances or portion as shall then be left standing, together with all moneys paid by said purchaser on account thereof at the time of the sale, and the bidder's assent to the above conditions being understood to be implied by the act of bidding, and The City of New York will, without notice to the purchaser, cause the same to be removed, and the costs and expense thereof charged against the security above mentioned.

The work of removal must be carried on in every respect in a thorough and workmanlike manner, and must be completed within thirty days from the day of possession, and the successful bidder will provide and furnish all materials of labor and machinery necessary thereto, and will place proper and sufficient guards and fences and warning signs by day and night for the prevention of accidents, and will indemnify and save harmless The City of New York, its officers, agents and servants, and each of them, against any and all suits and actions, claims and demands of every name and description brought against it, them or any of them, and against and from all damage and costs to which it, they or any of them 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 in guarding the same, or from any improper or defective materials or machinery, implements or appliances used in the removal of said buildings.

Where party walls are found to exist between buildings purchased by different bidders, the materials of said party walls shall be understood to be equally divided between the separate purchasers.

Party walls and fences, when existing against adjacent property not sold, shall not be taken down. All furnishings, plaster, chimneys, projecting brick, etc., on the faces of such party walls shall be taken down and removed. The walls shall be made permanently self-supporting, beam-holes, etc., bricked up, and the wall pointed and made to exclude wind and rain and present a clean exterior. The roofs of adjacent buildings shall be properly flashed and painted, and made watertight where they have been disturbed by the operations of the contractor.

The Comptroller of The City of New York reserves the right on the day of sale to withdraw from sale any of the buildings, parts of buildings and machinery included therein, or to reject any and all bids; and it is further

Resolved, That, while the said sale is held under the supervision of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, the Comptroller is authorized to cause the sale to be advertised and to direct the sale thereof as financial officer of the City.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, April 6, 1910.

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CORPORATION SALE OF BUILDINGS AND APPURTENANCES THERETO ON CITY REAL ESTATE BY SEALED BIDS.

AT THE REQUEST OF THE BOARD OF Education, public notice is hereby given that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale by sealed bids all the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., standing upon property owned by The City of New York, acquired by it for school site purposes in the

Borough of Brooklyn.

Being the two-story and basement brick and frame building on the north side of Whipple street, about 100 feet west of Throop avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, and which is more particularly described on a certain map on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

Pursuant to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted at a meeting held April 6, 1910, the sale by sealed bids of the above described building and appurtenances thereto will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

TUESDAY, APRIL 26, 1910,

at 11 a. m., in lots and parcels and in manner and form as follows:

Parcel No. 1, two-story and basement brick and frame house on north side of Whipple street, about 100 feet west of Throop avenue.

Sealed bids (blank forms of which may be obtained upon application) will be received by the Comptroller at the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Room 141, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, until 11 a. m. on the 26th day of April, and then publicly opened for the sale for removal of the above described buildings and appurtenances thereto, and the award will be made to the highest bidder within twenty-four hours, or as soon as possible thereafter.

Each parcel must be bid for separately and will be sold in its entirety, as described in above advertisement.

Each and every bid must be accompanied by a deposit of cash or certified check in a sum equal to 25 per cent. of the amount of the bid, except that a minimum deposit of \$50 will be required with all bids, and that a deposit of \$500 will be sufficient to entitle bidders to bid on any or all of the buildings.

Deposits of unsuccessful bidders will be returned within twenty-four hours after successful bidders have paid purchase price in full and given security, and those of successful bidders may be declared forfeited to The City of New York by the Comptroller upon the failure of the successful bidder to further comply with the requirements of the terms and conditions of the sale as set forth hereinafter.

Successful bidders will be required to pay the purchase money and deposit the required security within twenty-four hours of the receipt of notification of the acceptance of their bids.

The Comptroller reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any defects or in-

formalities in any bid should it be deemed in the interest of The City of New York to do so.

All bids must state clearly (1) the number or description of the building or buildings bid for, (2) the amount of the bid, (3) the full name and address of the bidder.

All bids must be inclosed in properly sealed envelopes, marked "Proposals to be opened April 26, 1910," and must be delivered, or mailed in time for their delivery, prior to 11 a. m. of that date to the "Collector of City Revenue, Room 141, No. 280 Broadway, New York City," from whom any further particulars regarding the buildings to be disposed of may be obtained.

The buildings will be sold for immediate removal only, subject to the following

TERMS AND CONDITIONS.

The buildings and appurtenances thereto will be sold to the highest bidder, who must pay cash or a certified check drawn to the order of the Comptroller of The City of New York, and must also give a certified check or cash in half the amount of the purchase price as security for the faithful performance of the terms and conditions of the sale. Where the amount of the purchase price does not equal or exceed the sum of \$50, the sum of \$50 shall be the amount of the security to be deposited. This security may at any time after the expiration of the contract period be applied by the City to the cost of completing any of the work required under the contract, but unfinished at the expiration of the contract period.

The purchaser shall not lease, occupy, cause or permit the building or buildings, etc., purchased by him to be used or occupied for any purpose other than that of their speedy removal, nor shall he collect any rental or other revenue for the use of either the land or the buildings, etc., situated thereon. The breach of either or any of these conditions shall forthwith void the sale and cause immediate forfeiture of the purchase money and the security deposited for the faithful performance of the conditions of the sale. The placing therein or permitting the occupancy of any such building by any tenant free, for rent or otherwise, excepting the necessary watchmen or the workmen engaged in the actual demolition thereof, shall of itself be a breach of the above conditions of sale.

The sale will be as of the condition of the property on date of delivery thereof to the purchaser. The City of New York will not be responsible for any change or loss which may occur in the condition of the buildings or their appurtenances between the time of the sale thereof and the time of delivering possession to the purchaser, after being properly vacated of all tenants. The sale and delivery to purchaser will be made as nearly together as the circumstance of vacating the structures of their tenants will permit.

All the material of the buildings, sheds, walks, structures and cellars of whatsoever nature, with their exterior and interior fixtures, appurtenances and foundations of all kinds, except the exterior walls of the buildings and their foundations and the sidewalks and curb in front of said buildings, extending beyond the described area shall be torn down and removed from the premises. None of the dirt, debris or waste resulting from demolition shall be allowed to remain on the premises, except old mortar or plaster only, which may be left, but not higher at any point than two feet below the curb opposite that point. The exterior walls and foundations shall be taken down only to a plane whose elevation shall be the level of the curb in front of the building. Where there is no curb the elevation of the surrounding ground shall be considered curb level. All wells, cesspools, sinks, etc., existing on the property must be filled to the level of the surrounding ground with clean earth.

The purchaser at the sale shall also withdraw and remove all abandoned water taps and old service mains, and in place thereof cause to be inserted a brass plug in the main water pipe in the street, in compliance with the rules and regulations of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, and furnish the Department of Finance with a certificate from the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity that this has been performed.

The purchaser at the sale shall also remove all house sewer connections to the main sewer in the street, and the opening of the main sewer in street shall be properly closed in compliance with the directions of the Bureau of Sewers, Borough of Brooklyn, and furnish the Department of Finance with a certificate from the Bureau of Sewers that the work has been properly performed.

The permit for all opening in the street to be obtained by and at the expense of the purchaser of the building.

Failure to remove said buildings, appurtenances, or any part thereof within thirty days from the day of possession will work forfeiture of ownership of such buildings, appurtenances or portion as shall then be left standing, together with all moneys paid by said purchaser on account thereof at the time of the sale, and the bidder's assent to the above conditions being understood to be implied by the act of bidding, and The City of New York will, without notice to the purchaser, cause the same to be removed, and the costs and expense thereof charged against the security above mentioned.

The work of removal must be carried on in every respect in a thorough and workmanlike manner, and must be completed within thirty days from the day of possession, and the successful bidder will provide and furnish all materials of labor and machinery necessary thereto, and will place proper and sufficient guards and fences and warning signs by day and night for the prevention of accidents, and will indemnify and save harmless The City of New York, its officers, agents and servants, and each of them, against any and all suits and actions, claims and demands of every name and description brought against it, them or any of them, and against and from all damage and costs to which it, they or any of them 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 in guarding the same, or from any improper or defective materials or machinery, implements or appliances used in the removal of said buildings.

Where party walls are found to exist between buildings purchased by different bidders, the materials of said party walls shall be understood to be equally divided between the separate purchasers.

Party walls and fences, when existing against adjacent property not sold, shall not be taken down. All furnishings, plaster, chimneys, projecting brick, etc., on the faces of such party walls shall be taken down and removed. The walls shall be made permanently self-supporting, beam-holes, etc., bricked up, and the wall pointed and made to exclude wind and rain and present a clean exterior. The roofs of adjacent buildings shall be properly flashed and painted, and made watertight where they have been disturbed by the operations of the contractor.

The Comptroller of The City of New York reserves the right on the day of sale to withdraw from sale any of the buildings, parts of buildings and machinery included therein, or to reject any and all bids; and it is further

Resolved, That, while the said sale is held under the supervision of the Commissioners of

the Sinking Fund, the Comptroller is authorized to cause the sale to be advertised and to direct the sale thereof as financial officer of the City.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.
City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, April 6, 1910.

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NOTICES TO PROPERTY OWNERS. 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 QUEENS.

FIRST WARD.

WASHINGTON AVENUE—REGULATING, CURBING, GRADING AND FLAGGING, from Vernon avenue to the East River. Area of assessment: Both sides of Washington avenue, from Vernon avenue to the East River, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting street and avenue.

ELEVENTH AVENUE—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING AND LAYING CROSSWALKS, from Flushing avenue to Potter avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Eleventh avenue, from Flushing avenue to Potter avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Revision of Assessments April 21, 1910, and entered April 21, 1910, 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, in part, 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 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, at the Hackett Building, No. 51 Jackson avenue, Long Island City, Borough of Queens, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before June 20, 1910, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when the above assessments became liens to the date of payment.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.
City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, April 21, 1910.

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NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessment for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF QUEENS:

FIRST WARD.

HALEY STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING AND PAVING, from Fulton avenue to Franklin street. Area of assessment: Both sides of Haley street, from Fulton avenue to Franklin street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenue and street.

—that the same was confirmed by the Board of Assessors April 19, 1910, and entered April 19, 1910, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides, in part, 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, at the Hackett Building, No. 51 Jackson avenue, Long Island City, Borough of Queens, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before June 18, 1910, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when the above assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.
City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, April 19, 1910.

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NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessments for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN:

TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 8.

EMERSON STREET—SEWER, between Vermilyea avenue and summit east. Area of assessment: Both sides of Emerson street, between Vermilyea avenue and Sherman avenue.

NINTH AVENUE—SEWER, between Two Hundred and Tenth and Two Hundred and Fifteenth streets, and between Two Hundred and Eighteenth street and Broadway. Area of assessment: Both sides of Ninth avenue, between Two Hundred and Tenth and Two Hundred and

Fifteenth streets; both sides of Two Hundred and Eleventh street, Two Hundred and Twelfth street, and north side of Two Hundred and Thirtieth street, from Ninth to Tenth avenue, and both sides of Ninth avenue, from Two Hundred and Eighteenth street to Broadway; both sides of Broadway, between Two Hundred and Nineteenth street and Ninth avenue; both sides of Two Hundred and Nineteenth street, Two Hundred and Twentieth street and Isham street, between Ninth and Seaman avenues.

TWO HUNDRED AND TWELFTH STREET—SEWER, between Harlem River and Broadway. Area of assessment: Both sides of Two Hundred and Twelfth street, from Broadway to Harlem River.

SEWER in SHERMAN AVENUE, between Tenth avenue and Emerson street, and between Dyckman street and Broadway; in ISHAM STREET, between Broadway and Tenth avenue, and in EMERSON STREET, between Post avenue and summit west of Sherman avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Sherman avenue, between Dyckman street and Broadway, and between Emerson street and Tenth avenue; both sides of Sickles street, Arden street and Thayer street, between Broadway and Sherman avenue; both sides of Emerson street, between Vermilyea avenue and Post avenue; both sides of Isham street, from Broadway to Tenth avenue, and both sides of Vermilyea avenue, between Emerson street and Two Hundred and Eleventh street.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on April 19, 1910, and entered April 19, 1910, 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, in part, 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 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 11, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before June 18, 1910, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when the above assessments became liens to the date of payment.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.
City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, April 19, 1910.

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NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessment for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF THE BRONX:

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 11.

NELSON AVENUE—SEWER, between Boscobel avenue and Featherbed lane. Area of assessment: Both sides of Nelson avenue, from Boscobel avenue to Featherbed lane; west side of Shakespeare avenue, extending about 375 feet southerly from West One Hundred and Seventy-second street; south side of One Hundred and Seventy-second street, between Nelson avenue and Shakespeare avenue.

—that the same was confirmed by the Board of Assessors on April 19, 1910, and entered April 19, 1910, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided by 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 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 June 18, 1910, 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.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.
City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, April 19, 1910.

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NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessment for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF THE BRONX:

TWENTY-THIRD WARD, SECTION 9.

ANDERSON AVENUE—SEWER, between One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street and Shakespeare avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Anderson avenue, from One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street to Shakespeare avenue; both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street, both sides of One Hundred and

Sixty-fifth street, and north side of One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street, between Woodycrest and Anderson avenues, including Lots Nos. 12, in Block 2509; 44 and 44½, in Block 2508.

—that the same was confirmed by the Board of Revision of Assessments on April 14, 1910, and entered April 14, 1910, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest shall 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 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. to 12 m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 2 p. m., and all payments made thereon on or before June 13, 1910, 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.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.
City of New York, Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, April 14, 1910.

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NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessment for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN:

TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 8.

JUMEL PLACE—PAVING AND CURBING, from One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street to Edgecombe road. Area of assessment: Both sides of Jumel place, from One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street to Edgecombe road, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

—that the same was confirmed by the Board of Revision of Assessments on April 14, 1910, and entered April 14, 1910, 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, in part, 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 H, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, between the hours of 9 a. m. to 12 m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 2 p. m., and all payments made thereon on or before June 13, 1910, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when the above assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.
City of New York, Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, April 14, 1910.

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NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessment for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF RICHMOND:

FIRST WARD.

SEWER IN TOMPKINS AVENUE, from a point 175 feet north of Arrietta street, northerly to a point about 395 feet north of Wall street; **FORT PLACE,** from Tompkins avenue to Belmont place; in **MONROE AVENUE,** from a point 150 feet north of Richmond turnpike to Fort place; in **MONTGOMERY AVENUE,** from a point 160 feet north of Richmond turnpike to Fort place; in **MADISON AVENUE,** from First avenue to Fort place; in **SHERMAN AVENUE,** from First avenue to Fort place, and in **FIRST AVENUE,** from Sherman to Westervelt avenue, all being within Sewer District 1-D. Area of assessment: Both sides of Sherman avenue and Madison avenue, from First avenue to Fort place; both sides of Monroe avenue and Montgomery avenue, from First avenue turnpike to Fort place; both sides of Tompkins avenue, from Arrietta street to Hamilton avenue; both sides of Belmont street, from Fort place to Vine street; both sides of Vine street, from Belmont street to Daniel Low terrace; both sides of Daniel Low terrace, from Vine street to Fort place; both sides of First avenue turnpike, from Westervelt avenue to Sherman avenue; both sides of Fourth avenue, from Westervelt avenue to Monroe avenue; both sides of Fifth avenue, from Westervelt avenue to Sherman avenue; both sides of Fort place, from Sherman avenue to Tompkins avenue, and both sides of Wall street, from Belmont street to Tompkins avenue.

—that the same was confirmed by the Board of Revision of Assessments April 14, 1910, and entered on April 14, 1910, in the Record of Titles

of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest shall be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides, in part, 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, at Borough Hall, St. George, Borough of Richmond, between the hours of 9 a. m. to 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before June 13, 1910, 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.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.
City of New York, Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, April 14, 1910.

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NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessment for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN:

SEVENTEENTH WARD, SECTION 9.

JAVA STREET—SEWER, between Provost and Oakland streets. Area of assessment: Both sides of Java street, from Provost to Oakland street.

TWENTY-SECOND WARD, SECTION 4, AND

TWENTY-NINTH WARD, SECTION 16. **TWENTIETH STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALKS,** between Tenth avenue and Vanderbilt street. Area of assessment: Both sides of Twentieth street, from Tenth avenue to Vanderbilt street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues.

TWENTY-NINTH WARD, SECTION 16.

BEVERLEY ROAD—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING, between Bedford and Rogers avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Beverley road, between Bedford and Rogers avenues, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

VANDERBILT STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALKS, between Eighteenth street and Gravesend avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Vanderbilt street, from Eighteenth street to Gravesend avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Revision of Assessments on April 14, 1910, and entered April 14, 1910, 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 by section 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides, in part, "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 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 Mechanics Bank Building, Court and Montague streets, Borough of Brooklyn, between the hours of 9 a. m. to 12 m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 2 p. m., and all payments made thereon on or before June 13, 1910, 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 such assessments became liens to the date of payment.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.
City of New York, Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, April 14, 1910.

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NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessment for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN:

EIGHTH WARD, SECTION 3.

FIFTY-FIRST STREET—PAVING, from Second avenue to a point 425 feet west of First avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Fifty-first street, from Second avenue to a point about 425 feet west of First avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

EIGHTH WARD, SECTION 3; NINTH AND TWENTY-SECOND WARDS, SECTION 4; TWENTY-FIFTH WARD, SECTION 4, AND TWENTY-SIXTH WARD, SECTION 12.

FENCING VACANT LOTS ON BAINBRIDGE STREET, north side, between Howard and Saratoga avenues; northwest corner of BAINBRIDGE STREET and HOWARD AVENUE; on ST. JOHNS PLACE, north side, between Classon and Washington avenues; on TWELFTH STREET, north side, between

Eight avenue and Prospect Park West; on GARFIELD PLACE, south side, between Eighth avenue and Prospect Park West; on HERKIMER STREET, north side, and on FULTON STREET, south side, between Hopkinson and Rockaway avenues; on COLUMBUS PLACE, east side, between Herkimer street and Atlantic avenue; on CHESTER STREET, west side, between Pitkin and Sutter avenues; on TWENTIETH STREET, north side, between Eighth avenue and Prospect Park West. Area of assessment: North side of Bainbridge street, between Howard and Saratoga avenues; northwest corner of Bainbridge street and Howard avenue; north side of St. Johns place, between Classon and Washington avenues; north side of Twelfth street, south side of Garfield place and north side of Twentieth street, between Eighth avenue and Prospect Park West; north side of Herkimer street and south side of Fulton street, between Hopkinson and Rockaway avenues; east side of Columbus place, between Herkimer street and Atlantic avenue, and west side of Chester street, between Pitkin and Sutter avenues.

TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 2.

CENTRE STREET—PAVING, between Henry and Hicks streets. Area of assessment: Both sides of Centre street, between Henry and Hicks streets, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 5.

PARK PLACE—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALKS, between Rochester and Buffalo avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Park place, between Rochester and Buffalo avenues, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

TWENTY-NINTH WARD, SECTION 16.

MAPLE STREET—PAVING, between Rogers and Nostrand avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Maple street, from Rogers to Nostrand avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

THIRTIETH WARD, SECTION 18.

EIGHTY-SECOND STREET—PAVING, between First and Third avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Eighty-second street, from First to Third avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

THIRTIETH WARD, SECTION 19.

SEWER BASINS at the north and east corners of BAY THIRTEENTH STREET AND CROPSY AVENUE; at the east and north corners of BAY FOURTEENTH STREET AND CROPSY AVENUE; at the southerly corner of BAY FIFTEENTH STREET AND BAY THIRTEENTH STREET; at the south and east corners of SIXTEENTH AVENUE AND CROPSY AVENUE. Area of assessment: Both sides of Cropsy avenue, from Sixteenth avenue to Seventeenth avenue; both sides of Bay Fourteenth street, Bay Thirteenth street and south side of Sixteenth avenue, between Cropsy avenue and Bath avenue, and south side of Bath avenue, between Sixteenth and Seventeenth avenues.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on April 12, 1910, and entered April 12, 1910, 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 by section 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides, in part, "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 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 Mechanics Bank Building, Court and Montague streets, Borough of Brooklyn, between the hours of 9 a. m. to 12 m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 2 p. m., and all payments made thereon on or before June 11, 1910, 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 such assessments became liens to the date of payment.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.
City of New York, Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, April 12, 1910.

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NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessment for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF QUEENS:

FIRST WARD.

NORTH HENRY STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING, from Flushing avenue to Newtown avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of North Henry street, from Flushing avenue to Newtown avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

—that the same was confirmed by the Board of Assessors April 12, 1910, and entered April 12, 1910, 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, in part, 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, at the Hackett Building, No. 51 Jackson avenue,

Long Island City, Borough of Queens, between the hours of 9 a. m. to 12 m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 2 p. m., and all payments made thereon on or before June 11, 1910, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when the above assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.
City of New York, Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, April 12, 1910.

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NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessment for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF THE BRONX:

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 11.

MARMION AVENUE—SEWER, from East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street to a point about 130 feet north of East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street. Area of assessment: Both sides of Marmion avenue, from One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street to One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street; west side, between One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street and One Hundred and Eightieth street; both sides of One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street and One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street, from Marmion avenue to Mapey avenue; east side of Mapey avenue, between One Hundred and Seventy-seventh and One Hundred and Seventy-eighth streets.

—that the same was confirmed by the Board of Assessors on April 12, 1910, and entered April 12, 1910, 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 by section 1019 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. to 12 m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 2 p. m., and all payments made thereon on or before June 11, 1910, 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.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.
City of New York, Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, April 12, 1910.

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NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessment for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN:

TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 7.

ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTEENTH STREET—PAVING, CURBING AND RECURBING, between Broadway and Riverside drive. Area of assessment: Both sides of One Hundred and Sixteenth street, from Broadway to Riverside drive, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

—that the same was confirmed by the Board of Assessors on April 12, 1910, and entered April 12, 1910, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides, in part, 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 H, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, between the hours of 9 a. m. to 12 m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 2 p. m., and all payments made thereon on or before June 11, 1910, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when the above assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.
City of New York, Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, April 12, 1910.

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BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY.

CONTRACT T.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Board of Water Supply, in Room 703, No. 165 Broadway, New York, until 11 a. m. on

WEDNESDAY, MAY 11, 1910,

For Contract T—FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 100 HORSES FOR MOUNTED PATROLMEN ON AQUEDUCT SERVICE, AT POLICE QUARTERS OF INSTRUCTION

SQUAD, OLIVE BRIDGE PRECINCT, NEAR BROADHEADS BRIDGE, ULSTER COUNTY, N. Y. OR AT THE POLICE QUARTERS IN EITHER THE CITY OF YONKERS OR VAL HALLA OR YORKTOWN HEIGHTS, WEST-CHESTER COUNTY, N. Y.

Further information is given in the Information for Bidders, forming part of the contract. At the above place and time bids will be publicly opened and read. The award of the contract, if awarded, will be made by the Board as soon thereafter as practicable. The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

A bond in the sum of fifty per cent. (50%) of the total amount of the contract will be required for the faithful performance of the contract.

No bid will be received and deposited unless accompanied by a certified check upon a National or State bank, drawn to the order of the Comptroller of the City of New York, to the amount of five per cent. (5%) of the amount of the bond.

Time allowed for the completion of deliveries is ten (10) months from the service of notice by the Board to begin deliveries.

Pamphlets containing information for bidders, forms of proposal and contract, specifications, etc., can be obtained at Room 701, at the above address, upon application in person or by mail, by depositing the sum of five dollars (\$5) in currency, or check drawn to the order of the Board of Water Supply for each pamphlet. This deposit will be refunded upon the return of the pamphlets in acceptable condition within thirty days from the date on which bids are to be opened.

JOHN A. BENSEL, President;
CHARLES N. CHADWICK,
CHARLES A. SHAW,
Commissioners of the Board of Water Supply.

Note—See general instructions to bidders on last page, last column, of the City Record, so far as applicable hereto and not otherwise provided for.

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CONTRACT 34.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Board of Water Supply, in Room 910, No. 299 Broadway, New York, until 11 a. m. on

THURSDAY, APRIL 28, 1910.

FOR CONTRACT 34—FOR WATER MAINS AT JEROME AVENUE PUMPING STATION, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, NEW YORK CITY.

The work consists of furnishing and laying about 700 feet of 48-inch steel pipe and about 450 feet of 36-inch steel pipe, with a small amount of 30-inch and smaller pipe, together with valves, connections and other appurtenances.

An approximate statement of the quantities of the various classes of work and further information are given in the Information for Bidders, forming part of the contract. At the above place and time bids will be publicly opened and read. The award of the contract, if awarded, will be made by the Board as soon thereafter as practicable. The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

A bond in the sum of Twelve Thousand Dollars (\$12,000) will be required for the faithful performance of the contract, except maintenance.

No bid will be received and deposited unless accompanied by a certified check upon a National or State bank, drawn to the order of the Comptroller of the City of New York to the amount of Seven Hundred Dollars (\$700).

Time allowed for the completion of the work, except maintenance, is four months from the service of notice by the Board.

Pamphlets containing information for bidders, forms of proposal and contract, specifications and contract drawings, can be obtained at Room 906, at the above address, upon application in person or by mail, by depositing the sum of ten dollars (\$10) in currency or check drawn to the order of the Board of Water Supply for each pamphlet. This deposit will be refunded upon the return of the pamphlets in acceptable condition within thirty days from the date on which bids are to be opened.

JOHN A. BENSEL, President;
CHARLES N. CHADWICK,
CHARLES A. SHAW,
Commissioners of the Board of Water Supply.

Note—See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the City Record, so far as applicable hereto and not otherwise provided for.

CONTRACT 82.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Board of Water Supply, in room 910, No. 299 Broadway, New York, until 11 a. m. on

THURSDAY, APRIL 28, 1910.

FOR CONTRACT 82—FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ON A DESIGNATED DOCK AT STAPLETON, STATEN ISLAND, APPROXIMATELY 3,800 TONS OF 36-INCH CAST-IRON FLEXIBLE JOINTED WATER PIPE, TO BE USED IN THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE NARROWS SIPHON, A PORTION OF THE CATSKILL AQUEDUCT, IN NEW YORK HARBOR.

Further information is given in the Information for Bidders, forming part of the contract. At the above place and time bids will be publicly opened and read. The award of the contract, if awarded, will be made by the Board as soon thereafter as practicable. The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Two or more bonds, the aggregate amount of which shall be seventy-five thousand dollars (\$75,000), will be required for the faithful performance of the contract.

No bid will be received and deposited unless accompanied by a certified check upon a National or State bank, drawn to the order of the Comptroller of the City of New York, to the amount of four thousand dollars (\$4,000).

Time allowed for the completion of the work is six months from the service of notice by the Board to begin work.

Pamphlets containing information for bidders, forms of proposal and contract, specifications and contract drawing, can be obtained at room 906 at the above address, upon application in person or by mail, by depositing the sum of ten dollars (\$10) in currency, or check drawn to the order of the Board of Water Supply for each pamphlet. This deposit will be refunded upon the return of the pamphlets in acceptable condition within thirty days from the date on which bids are to be opened.

JOHN A. BENSEL, President;
CHARLES N. CHADWICK,
CHARLES A. SHAW,
Commissioners of the Board of Water Supply.

Note—See general instructions to bidders on last page, last column, of the City Record, so far as applicable hereto and not otherwise provided for.

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CONTRACT U.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Board of Water Supply, in Room 910, No. 299 Broadway, New York, until 11 a. m. on

TUESDAY, APRIL 26, 1910.

FOR CONTRACT U—FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FOUR 100 HORSE-POWER AND ONE 150 HORSE-POWER BOILERS.

Further information is given in the Information for Bidders, forming part of the contract. At the above place and time bids will be publicly opened and read. The award of the contract, if awarded, will be made by the Board as soon thereafter as practicable. The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

A bond for the sum of thirty-five per cent. (35%) of the total amount of the contract will be required for the faithful performance of the contract.

No bid will be received and deposited unless accompanied by a certified check upon a National or State bank, drawn to the order of the Comptroller of the City of New York, to the amount of two hundred dollars (\$200).

Time allowed for the completion of deliveries is five weeks from the service of notice to begin deliveries.

Pamphlets containing information for bidders, forms of proposal and contract, specifications, etc., can be obtained at Room 906 at the above address upon application in person or by mail, by depositing the sum of five dollars (\$5) in currency, or check drawn to the order of the Board of Water Supply for each pamphlet. This deposit will be refunded upon the return of the pamphlets in acceptable condition within thirty days from the date on which bids are to be opened.

JOHN A. BENSEL, President;
CHARLES N. CHADWICK,
CHARLES A. SHAW,
Commissioners of the Board of Water Supply.

Note—See general instructions to bidders on last page, last column, of the City Record, so far as applicable hereto and not otherwise provided for.

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CONTRACT 81.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Board of Water Supply, in Room 910, No. 299 Broadway, New York, until 11 a. m. on

TUESDAY, APRIL 26, 1910.

FOR CONTRACT 81—FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF FOUR FIELD OFFICE BUILDINGS AND FIVE HORSE SHEDS, IN THE CROTON WHITE PLAINS AND HILL VIEW DIVISIONS, OF THE CATSKILL AQUEDUCT, IN THE TOWNS OF MOUNT PLEASANT AND GREENBURG, AND THE CITY OF YONKERS, WEST-CHESTER COUNTY, N. Y.

Further information is given in the Information for Bidders, forming part of the contract. At the above place and time bids will be publicly opened and read. The award of the contract, if awarded, will be made by the Board as soon thereafter as practicable. The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

A bond in the sum of Four Thousand Dollars (\$4,000) will be required for the faithful performance of the contract.

No bid will be received and deposited unless accompanied by a certified check upon a National or State bank, drawn to the order of the Comptroller of the City of New York, to the amount of Three Hundred Dollars (\$300).

Time allowed for the completion of the office buildings is four consecutive calendar months from the service of notice by the Board to begin work, and for the completion of the entire work six consecutive calendar months following service of said notice.

Pamphlets containing information for bidders, forms of proposal and contract, specifications and contract drawings can be obtained at Room 906 at the above address, upon application in person or by mail, by depositing the sum of ten dollars (\$10) in currency or check drawn to the order of the Board of Water Supply for each pamphlet. This deposit will be refunded upon the return of the pamphlets in acceptable condition within thirty days from the date on which bids are to be opened.

JOHN A. BENSEL, President;
CHARLES N. CHADWICK,
CHARLES A. SHAW,
Commissioners of the Board of Water Supply.

Note—See general instructions to bidders on last page, last column, of the City Record, so far as applicable hereto and not otherwise provided for.

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OFFICIAL BOROUGH PAPERS.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.
"The Bronx Star," "North Side News," "Bronx Independent."

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.
"Staten Island World," "The Staten Islander."

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.
"Long Island Star" (First and Second Wards), "Flushing Evening Journal" (Third Ward), "Long Island Farmer" (Fourth Ward), "Rockaway News" (Fifth Ward).

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.
"Brooklyn Eagle," "Brooklyn Times," "Brooklyn Citizen," "Brooklyn Standard-Union," "Brooklyn Free Press."

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.
"Real Estate Record and Guide" (Harlem District), "Manhattan and Bronx Advocate" (Washington Heights, Morningside Heights and Harlem Districts).

Designated by Board of City Record June 19, 1907. Amended June 20, 1907; September 24, 1907; February 24, 1908; March 5 and 16, 1908, and March 16, 1909.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY, ROOM 1536, NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW, 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 2 o'clock p. m. on

WEDNESDAY, MAY 4, 1910.

Boroughs of Manhattan and the Bronx.

No. 1. FOR EXCAVATING AND REMOVING ROCK IN HYDRAULIC TRENCHES AND OTHER NECESSARY CONNECTIONS.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is three hundred and thirty (330) working days.

The amount of security will be One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000).

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING MATERIALS, REPAIRING AND RESTORING ARTIFICIAL STONE SIDEWALKS AND CURBING AND RESETTING NATURAL STONE CURBING.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is three hundred and fifty (350) calendar days.

The amount of security will be Five Hundred Dollars (\$500).

The bidder will state the price, per unit, of each item of work or supplies contained in the specifications or schedule, by which the bids will be tested.

The stipulated quantities shall not be exceeded.

The bids will be compared and the contract awarded for all the work, articles, materials and supplies contained in the specifications or schedule attached thereto.

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, the Borough of Manhattan, Nos. 13 to 21 Park Row, and at Room 28, Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn.

HENRY S. THOMPSON, Commissioner.
The City of New York, April 22, 1910.

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

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Superintendent of School Buildings at the above office of the Department of Education until eleven o'clock a. m. on

MONDAY, MAY 2, 1910.

Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 1. FOR ALTERATIONS, REPAIRS, ETC., AT PUBLIC SCHOOLS 1, 6, 11, 12, 14, 15, 45, 47, 54, 58, 111, AND TRAINING SCHOOL FOR TEACHERS, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work on each school will be 55 working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows:
Public School 1.....\$1,400 00
Public School 6.....503 00
Public School 11.....1,200 00
Public School 12.....600 00
Public School 14.....1,600 00
Public School 15.....1,100 00
Public School 45.....500 00
Public School 47.....500 00
Public School 54.....1,500 00
Public School 58.....800 00
Public School 111.....1,100 00
Training School for Teachers.....2,600 00

A separate proposal must be submitted for each school and award will be made thereon.

On No. 1 the bidders must state the price of each item by which the bids will be tested.

Blank forms, plans and specifications may be obtained or seen at the office of the Superintendent, Estimating Room, ninth floor, Hall of the Board of Education, Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan, and also at branch office, No. 131 Livingston street, Borough of Brooklyn.

C. B. J. SNYDER, Superintendent of School Buildings.
Dated April 20, 1910.

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

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Superintendent of School Buildings at the above office of the Department of Education until 11 o'clock a. m.,

MONDAY, MAY 2, 1910.

Borough of Manhattan.

No. 2. FOR ALTERATIONS, REPAIRS, ETC., AT PUBLIC SCHOOLS 11, 26, 28, 32, 33, 39, 48, 51, 56, 67, 69, 84, 87, 94, 115, WITT CLINTON HIGH SCHOOL, AND HIGH SCHOOL OF COMMERCE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work on each school will be fifty-five (55) working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows:
Public School 11.....\$1,000 00
Public School 26.....800 00
Public School 28.....600 00
Public School 32.....900 00
Public School 33.....1,200 00
Public School 39.....500 00
Public School 48.....800 00
Public School 51.....800 00
Public School 56.....500 00
Public School 58.....800 00
Public School 67.....600 00
Public School 69.....600 00
Public School 84.....700 00
Public School 87.....800 00
Public School 94.....700 00
De Witt Clinton High School.....500 00
High School of Commerce.....500 00

A separate proposal must be submitted for each school and award will be made thereon.

No. 3. FOR FILING CABINETS FOR VARIOUS SCHOOLS IN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

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

The amount of security required is Two Thousand Two Hundred Dollars (\$2,200).

Note—In estimating contractors may submit separate estimates on (a) wood construction and (b) steel construction.

Borough of Queens.

No. 4. FOR ALTERATIONS, REPAIRS, ETC., TO PUBLIC SCHOOLS 5, 6, 9, 11, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100.

The time allowed to complete the whole work on each school will be until September 1, 1910, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows:
Public School 5.....\$400 00
Public School 6.....500 00
Public School 9.....900 00
Public School 11.....700 00
Public School 15.....300 00
Public School 33.....300 00
Public School 39.....300 00

Public School 59.....400 00
Public School 83.....600 00
Jamaica Training School.....800 00

A separate proposal must be submitted for each school and award will be made thereon.

On No. 3 the bids will be compared and the contract will be awarded in a lump sum to the lowest bidder.

On Nos. 2 and 4 the bidders must state the price of each item by which the bids will be tested.

Blank forms, plans and specifications may be obtained or seen at the office of the Superintendent, Estimating Room, ninth floor, Hall of the Board of Education, Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan, and also at branch office, No. 69 Broadway, Flushing, Borough of Queens, for work for their respective Boroughs.

C. B. J. SNYDER, Superintendent of School Buildings.
Dated April 21, 1910.

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

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Superintendent of School Buildings at the above office of the Department of Education until 11 o'clock a. m. on

MONDAY, MAY 2, 1910.

Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 5. FOR THE SALE OF OLD FURNITURE, ETC.

The furniture, etc., to be sold, now on storage on the first floor of Storehouse at No. 131 Livingston street, Borough of Brooklyn, where same may be seen and as marked, intended for sale.

Public School 46.....300 00
Public School 59.....600 00
Public School 83.....600 00
Jamaica Training School.....800 00
Parental School.....800 00

A separate proposal must be submitted for each school and award will be made thereon.

On No. 3 the bids will be compared and the contract will be awarded in a lump sum to the lowest bidder.

On Nos. 2 and 4 the bidders must state the price of each item by which the bids will be tested.

Blank forms, plans and specifications may be obtained or seen at the office of the Superintendent, Estimating Room, ninth floor, Hall of the Board of Education, Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan, and also at branch office, No. 69 Broadway, Flushing, Borough of Queens, for work for their respective Boroughs.

C. B. J. SNYDER, Superintendent of School Buildings.
Dated April 21, 1910.

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

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Superintendent of School Buildings at the above office of the Department of Education until 11 o'clock a. m. on

MONDAY, MAY 2, 1910.

Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 5. FOR THE SALE OF OLD FURNITURE, ETC.

The furniture, etc., to be sold, now on storage on the first floor of Storehouse at No. 131 Livingston street, Borough of Brooklyn, where same may be seen and as marked, intended for sale.

The removal of the said furniture, etc., from the premises where they are now stored must be made, within ten days from the date of opening of bids.

The amount of security required is Twenty-five Dollars (\$25), in cash.

No bid will be considered which does not include all of the articles mentioned in "Lot No. 1," as marked for sale.

Cash payment must be made at the time and place of sale by the successful bidder, in addition to submitting the bond heretofore set forth in the sum of \$25.

Should the successful bidder fail to remove the goods or articles within ten days, the said bidder will be considered as having forfeited ownership of said articles and the money paid therefor, and the articles will be resold for the benefit of the City.

In the event of the successful bidder failing to remove the articles within the time limited, the security above mentioned will be considered as forfeited and will be retained by the City of New York.

C. B. J. SNYDER,
Superintendent of School Buildings.
Dated April 20, 1910.

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

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Superintendent of School Supplies at the above office of the Department of Education until 3 p. m. on

THURSDAY, APRIL 28, 1910.

FOR REPAIRING GYMNASIUM APPARATUS, SWINGS, ETC., AND FURNISHING ALL REQUIRED MATERIAL FOR VACATION PLAYGROUNDS AND VACATION SCHOOLS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time for the furnishing of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is within twenty (20) consecutive working days.

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

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, by which the bids will be tested. Award will be made to the lowest bidder on each item.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of School Supplies, Board of Education, the Borough of Manhattan, southwest corner of Park avenue and Fifty-ninth street.

Dated April 18, 1910.

PATRICK JONES,
Superintendent of School Supplies.

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

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

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FOR REPAIRING GYMNASIUM APPARATUS, SWINGS, ETC., AND FURNISHING ALL REQUIRED MATERIAL FOR VACATION PLAYGROUNDS AND VACATION SCHOOLS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time for the furnishing of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is within twenty (20) consecutive working days.

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Dated April 18, 1910.

PATRICK JONES,
Superintendent of School Supplies.

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

the Board on April 8, 1910, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the grade of Ninety-sixth street, between Marine avenue and Third avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, more particularly shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the Commissioner of Public Works, and dated September 18, 1909.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 6th day of May, 1910, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the City Record and the corporation newspapers for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 6th day of May, 1910.

Dated April 23, 1910.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary,
No. 277 Broadway, Room 1406.
Telephone, 2280 Worth.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to change the grade of Fifteenth avenue, between Bay Ridge parkway and Seventy-seventh street, and of Seventy-sixth street, between Fourteenth avenue and Sixteenth avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on May 6, 1910, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on April 8, 1910, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the grade of Seventy-sixth street, between Fourteenth avenue and Sixteenth avenue, and of Fifteenth avenue, between Bay Ridge parkway and Seventy-seventh street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, more particularly shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the Secretary of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and dated November 20, 1909.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 6th day of May, 1910, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the City Record and the corporation newspapers for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 6th day of May, 1910.

Dated April 23, 1910.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York, so as to change the line and grade of West Two Hundred and Thirtieth street, between Bailey avenue and Heath avenue, Borough of The Bronx, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on May 6, 1910, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on April 8, 1910, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the lines and grades of West Two Hundred and Thirtieth street, between Bailey avenue and Heath avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, more particularly shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the President of the Borough, and dated January 14, 1910.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 6th day of May, 1910, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the City Record for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 6th day of May, 1910.

Dated April 23, 1910.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York, so as to lay out St. Paul avenue, between Westchester avenue and Bronx and Pelham parkway, Borough of The Bronx, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on May 6, 1910, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on April 8, 1910, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out St. Paul avenue, between Westchester avenue and Bronx and Pelham parkway, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, more particularly shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the Secretary of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and dated October 11, 1909.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 6th day of May, 1910, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the City Record for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 6th day of May, 1910.

Dated April 23, 1910.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to establish the lines and grades of Section 18 of the Final Maps, Borough of Queens, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on May 6, 1910, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board, all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on April 8, 1910, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York by establishing the lines and grades of Section 18 of the Final Maps, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

The lines and grades of the street system included within Section 18 of the Final Maps of the Borough of Queens, bounded approximately by Hyatt avenue, Stoutenburgh street, Columbia avenue, Railroad avenue, Fisk avenue, Queens boulevard, Jackson place, Maurice avenue, Codwise place, Grand street, Greifenberg street, Whitlock avenue, Johnson street, Caldwell avenue, LaForge street, Whitlock avenue, Ramsey street, Grand street, Ramsey street, Hull avenue, Mueller street, Jay avenue, Carroll place and Whitney street, are to be shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the President of the Borough and dated January 10, 1910.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 6th day of May, 1910, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the City Record for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 6th day of May, 1910.

Dated April 23, 1910.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary,
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to amend the lines and grades of Section 30 of the Final Maps, Borough of Queens, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on May 6, 1910, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board, all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on April 8, 1910, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York by amending the lines and grades of Section 30 of the Final Maps, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

The lines and grades of the street system included within Section 30 of the Final Maps of the Borough of Queens, bounded approximately by the Brooklyn Borough line, Putnam avenue, Anthon avenue, Cornelia street, Buchanan avenue, Catalpa avenue, Fresh Pond road, Kossuth place, Wilton avenue, Milwood avenue, Parsy street, Alden avenue, Cypress avenue, Cemetery of the Evergreens, Wyckoff avenue and Halsey street, are to be as shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the President of the Borough and dated February 24, 1910.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 6th day of May, 1910, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the City Record for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 6th day of May, 1910.

Dated April 23, 1910.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to amend the block dimensions and angles of Section 32 of the final maps, Borough of Queens, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on May 6, 1910, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on April 8, 1910, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York by amending the block dimensions and angles of Section 32 of the final maps, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

The block dimensions and angles of the street system included within Section 32 of the final maps of the Borough of Queens, bounded approximately by the Brooklyn Borough line, Cemetery

of the Evergreens, Cypress avenue and Highland Park, are to be as shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the President of the Borough, and dated August 24, 1909.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 6th day of May, 1910, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the City Record for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 6th day of May, 1910.

Dated April 23, 1910.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT the meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on April 8, 1910, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York is considering the advisability of instituting proceedings to acquire title to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of Eighty-first street, from Third avenue to Fourth avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York; and

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment is authorized and required at the time of the adoption of the resolution directing the institution of proceedings to acquire title to the lands required for the foregoing improvement to fix and determine upon an area or areas of assessment for benefit for said proceeding;

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in pursuance of the provisions of section 980 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby gives notice that the following is the proposed area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding:

Bounded on the north by a line midway between Eightieth street and Eighty-first street, as these streets are laid out west of Fourth avenue; on the east by the westerly line of Fourth avenue; on the south by a line midway between Eighty-first street and Eighty-second street, as these streets are laid out west of Fourth avenue; and on the west by a line distant 100 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly line of Third avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Third avenue.

Excluding, however, from the above-described area all of the property fronting on the land which has already been ceded, and which is exempt from assessment under the provisions of section 992 of the Charter.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed area of assessment at a meeting of the Board to be held in the City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, in the City Hall, on the 6th day of May, 1910, at 10.30 a. m., and that at the same time and place a public hearing thereon will then and there be had.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby to be published in the City Record and the corporation newspapers for ten days prior to the 6th day of May, 1910.

Dated April 23, 1910.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT the meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on April 8, 1910, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York is considering the advisability of instituting proceedings to acquire title to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of Benson avenue, from Bay Thirty-second street to Bay Thirty-fifth street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York; and

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment is authorized and required at the time of the adoption of the resolution directing the institution of proceedings to acquire title to the lands required for the foregoing improvement to fix and determine upon an area or areas of assessment for benefit for said proceeding;

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in pursuance of the provisions of section 980 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby gives notice that the following is the proposed area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding:

Bounded on the northeast by a line midway between Eighty-sixth street and Benson avenue; on the southeast by a line midway between Bay Thirty-fifth street and Twenty-fourth avenue; on the southwest by a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the centre lines of Bath avenue and Benson avenue, as these streets are laid out between Twenty-third avenue and Bay Thirty-fourth street, and on the northwest by a line midway between Bay Thirty-first street and Bay Thirty-second street.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed area of assessment at a meeting of the Board to be held in the City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, in the City Hall, on the 6th day of May, 1910, at 10.30 a. m., and that at the same time and place a public hearing thereon will then and there be had.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby to be published in the City Record and the corporation newspapers for ten days prior to the 6th day of May, 1910.

Dated April 23, 1910.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT the meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on April 8, 1910, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York is considering the advisability of amending the area of assessment of the proceeding authorized by said Board on the 14th day of December, 1906, for acquiring title to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of Thirtieth street, excluding the land occupied by the Prospect Park and South Brooklyn Railroad Company, the Sea Beach Railroad Company, the Manhattan Beach Division of the Long Island Railroad Company and the Brooklyn, Bath and West End Railroad Company, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York;

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in pursuance of the provisions of the Greater New York Charter, hereby gives notice that the following is the proposed amended area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding:

Bounded on the north by a line distant 100 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly line of Thirtieth street, the said distance being measured at right angles to Thirtieth street; on the east by a line midway between

Thirtieth avenue and Fourteenth avenue, and by the prolongation of the said line; on the south by the northerly line of Seventy-third street, and on the west by a line midway between Twelfth avenue and Thirteenth avenue and by the prolongation of the said line.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed amended area of assessment at a meeting of the Board to be held in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, in the City Hall, on the 6th day of May, 1910, at 10.30 a. m., and that at the same time and place a public hearing thereon will then and there be had.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby to be published in the City Record and the corporation newspapers for ten days prior to the 6th day of May, 1910.

Dated April 23, 1910.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT the meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on April 8, 1910, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York is considering the advisability of instituting proceedings to acquire title to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, from Southern boulevard to Truxton street, and of Truxton street, from Leggett avenue to Longwood avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York; and

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment is authorized and required at the time of the adoption of the resolution directing the institution of proceedings to acquire title to the lands required for the foregoing improvement to fix and determine upon an area or areas of assessment for benefit for said proceeding;

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in pursuance of the provisions of section 980 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby gives notice that the following is the proposed area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding:

Beginning at a point on the centre line of Garrison avenue where it is intersected by a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the northeasterly line of Leggett avenue and the southwesterly line of East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, as these streets are laid out between Garrison avenue and Whitlock avenue, and running thence northwesterly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with a line midway between Southern boulevard and Fox street; thence north-easterly along the said line midway between Southern boulevard and Fox street to the intersection with a line midway between East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street and Longwood avenue, as these streets are laid out between Southern boulevard and Fox street; thence south-easterly along the said line midway between East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street and Longwood avenue, and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with the centre line of Garrison avenue; thence southwesterly along the centre line of Garrison avenue to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the centre lines of East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street and Worthen street, as these streets are laid out between Garrison avenue and Barry street; thence southeasterly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the centre lines of Truxton street and Garrison avenue, as these streets are laid out northerly from and adjoining Leggett avenue; thence northwesterly along the said bisecting line to a point distant 100 feet northeasterly from the northeasterly line of Longwood avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Longwood avenue; thence southeasterly and always distant 100 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly lines of Longwood avenue and Spofford avenue to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Tiffany street and Casanova street; thence southwesterly along the said line midway between Tiffany street and Casanova street and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line distant 360 feet southeasterly from and parallel with the southeasterly line of Truxton street as this street is laid out between Leggett avenue and Longwood avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Truxton street; thence southwesterly along the said line parallel with Truxton street to a point distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Randall avenue; thence said distance being measured at right angles to Randall avenue; thence westwardly and always distant 100 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly lines of Randall avenue and Leggett avenue to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the centre lines of Garrison avenue and Truxton street as these streets are laid out northeasterly from and adjoining Leggett avenue; thence northwesterly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with a line midway between East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street and Grinnell place to the intersection with the centre line of Garrison avenue; thence southwesterly along the centre line of Garrison avenue to the point or place of beginning.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed area of assessment at a meeting of the Board to be held in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, in the City Hall, on the 6th day of May, 1910, at 10.30 a. m., and that at the same time and place a public hearing thereon will then and there be had.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby to be published in the City Record for ten days prior to the 6th day of May, 1910.

Dated April 23, 1910.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT the meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on April 8, 1910, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, At the meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, held on June 26, 1908, a proceeding was instituted for acquiring title to Pugsley avenue, from McGraw avenue to Clasons Point road, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York; and

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment is considering the advisability of amending the aforesaid proceeding for acquiring title to Pugsley avenue, from McGraw avenue to Clasons Point road, by including therein the following streets:

Cornell avenue, from Clasons Point road to Pugsley avenue; Ellis avenue, from Tremont avenue to Pugsley avenue, and Newbold avenue, from Tremont avenue to Pugsley avenue.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in pursuance of the provisions of the Greater New York Charter, hereby gives notice that the following is the proposed area of assessment for benefit in this amended proceeding:

Beginning at a point on the prolongation of a line midway between White Plains road and Pugsley avenue, as these streets are laid out southerly from Lafayette avenue, distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of McGraw avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of McGraw avenue, and running thence easterly and always distant 100 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly line of McGraw avenue to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Pugsley avenue and Olmstead avenue; thence southerly along the said line midway between Pugsley avenue and Olmstead avenue, and the prolongation thereof, to the intersection with the southerly bulkhead line of Pugsley Creek; thence southeasterly, southerly and westerly along the bulkhead line of Pugsley Creek and of the East River to the intersection with a line midway between White Plains road and Pugsley avenue; thence northwardly along the said line midway between White Plains road and Pugsley avenue, and the prolongation thereof, to the point or place of beginning.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed area of assessment at a meeting of the Board, to be held in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, in the City Hall, on the 6th day of May, 1910, at 10.30 a. m., and that at the same time and place a public hearing thereon will then and there be had.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby to be published in the City Record for ten days prior to the 6th day of May, 1910.

Dated April 23, 1910.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary,
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to strike from the map of the City the two parcels of land laid out as Owls Head Park, Borough of Brooklyn, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on May 6, 1910, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board, all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on April 8, 1910, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York by striking therefrom two parcels of land laid out as Owls Head Park and bounded as follows:

Parcel 1—Bounded by Bay Ridge avenue, Shore road, Wakeman place and First avenue.

Parcel 2—Bounded by the United States pier-head line of New York Bay, the center line of Wakeman place and its prolongation, Shore road and a line distant about 532 feet from and parallel with the center line of Wakeman place, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, more particularly shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the Secretary of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and dated March 30, 1910.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 6th day of May, 1910, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the City Record and the corporation newspapers for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 6th day of May, 1910.

Dated April 23, 1910.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary,
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to lay out Morton place, from Aqueduct avenue to Harrison avenue, and establish grades for this street between the same limits, Borough of The Bronx, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on May 6, 1910, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board, all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on April 15, 1910, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 442 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out Morton place, from Aqueduct avenue to Harrison avenue, and establishing grades for this street between the same limits, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, more particularly shown on a map or plan bearing the signature of the President of the Borough of The Bronx and dated March 23, 1910.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 6th day of May, 1910, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board, to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the City Record for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 6th day of May, 1910.

Dated April 23, 1910.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary,
No. 277 Broadway, Room 1406.
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Franchise Matters.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that at a meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, held March 18, 1910, the following petition was received:

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:
The Forty-second Street, Manhattanville and St. Nicholas Avenue Railway Company states that it is a street surface railroad corporation, organized

August 29, 1878, and the owner of the grant made by chapter 825 of the Laws of New York of 1873, which authorized the construction of a railroad in Manhattan street, from North River to St. Nicholas avenue, in the City of New York, and that it has heretofore constructed its railroad on Manhattan street under said grant.

It proposes to extend its road, for the purpose of substituting for the stub-end terminal on Manhattan street a new terminal loop, by the construction of an extension from the present terminus by a double track southerly in and along Twelfth avenue to West One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, and thence easterly along West One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street by a single track to the point of connection with its main line on Manhattan street.

The company hereby makes application for the grant of a franchise or right to construct, maintain and operate said extension, by an underground current of electricity, and prays that public notice of the application and of the time and place when and where the same will be first considered be given, and that a franchise or right be granted in accordance with the provisions of the Greater New York Charter and the Railroad Law.

THE FORTY-SECOND STREET, MANHATTANVILLE AND ST. NICHOLAS AVENUE RAILWAY COMPANY.
By F. W. WHITRIDGE, Receiver.

Dated March 4, 1910.

State of New York, County of New York, ss.:
Frederick W. Whitridge, being duly sworn, says: That he is the Receiver of the Forty-second Street, Manhattanville and St. Nicholas Avenue Railway Company, the petitioner herein; that he has read the foregoing petition and knows the contents thereof, and the same is true to his knowledge, except as to those matters which are therein stated on information and belief, and as to such matters he verily believes it to be true.

F. W. WHITRIDGE.

Sworn to before me this 4th day of March, 1910.

[SEAL.] JAMES S. WILLIAMS,

Notary Public, New York County.

and at the meeting of April 1, 1910, the following resolutions were adopted:
Whereas, The foregoing petition from the Forty-second Street, Manhattanville and St. Nicholas Avenue Railway Company, dated March 4, 1910, was presented to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting held March 18, 1910.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of law, this Board sets Friday, the 29th day of April, 1910, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, and Room 16 in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, as the time and place when and where such petition shall be first considered, and a public hearing be had thereon, at which citizens shall be entitled to appear and be heard; and be it further.

Resolved, That the Secretary is directed to cause such petition and these resolutions to be published for at least fourteen (14) days in two daily newspapers in The City of New York, to be designated by the Mayor, and for at least ten (10) days in the City Record immediately prior to such date of public hearing. The expense of such publication to be borne by the petitioner.

(New York "Press" and "Post" designated.)

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

New York, April 1, 1910.

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CHANGE OF GRADE DAMAGE COMMISSION.

TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF chapter 537 of the Laws of 1893 and the acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, notice is hereby given that meetings of the Commissioners appointed under said acts will be held at the office of the Commission, Room 219, No. 280 Broadway (Stewart Building), Borough of Manhattan, New York City, on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays of each week, at 2 o'clock p. m., until further notice.

Dated New York City, July 27, 1909.

WILLIAM E. STILLINGS,
GEORGE C. NORTON,
LEWIS A. ABRAMS,
Commissioners.

LAMONT McLOUGHLIN, Clerk.

SUPREME COURT—FIRST DEPARTMENT.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to certain real estate, tenements, hereditaments, corporeal or incorporeal rights in the same, and any and all rights and interests therein not now owned by The City of New York, situated in the Sixth Ward of the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, duly selected and specified by the Commissioner of Bridges of The City of New York, with the approval of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of said City, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 712 of the Laws of 1901, for the construction of an extension of the westerly or Manhattan terminal of the New York and Brooklyn Bridge for the better accommodation of pedestrians, vehicles and railroad passengers using said bridge or terminal.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE revised and corrected report as to Parcel Damage No. 3, of Edward G. Whitaker, Michael Coleman and Samuel Kahn, Commissioners of Estimate and Appraisal, duly appointed in the above entitled proceeding, which revised and corrected report bears date the 29th day of March, 1910, was filed in the office of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York on the 4th day of April, 1910, and a duplicate of said revised and corrected report was filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the same day.

Notice is further given that the said revised and corrected report will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, in the First Judicial District, at Special Term, Part III, thereof, to be held at the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan in The City of New York, on the 6th day of May, 1910, 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 revised and corrected report be confirmed.

Dated New York, April 23, 1910.

ARCHIBALD R. WATSON,

Corporation Counsel.

Hall of Records, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

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FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title to certain real estate, tenements, hereditaments, corporeal or incorporeal rights in the same, and any and all rights and interests therein not now owned by The City of New York, situated in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL persons interested in the above entitled 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 the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate have completed their estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with them at their office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 16th day of May, 1910, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at their said office on the 17th day of May, 1910, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the undersigned Commissioner of Assessment has completed his estimate of benefit and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with him at his office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 16th day of May, 1910, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 17th day of May, 1910, at 3.15 o'clock p. m.

Third—That the Commissioner of Assessment has assessed any or all such lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises as are within the area of assessment fixed and prescribed as the area of assessment for benefit by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 10th day of April, 1908, and that the said area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Bounded on the east by a line always distant 100 feet easterly from and parallel with the easterly line of Third avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Third avenue; on the north by a line at right angles to Washington avenue at a point where the southeasterly line of Washington avenue is intersected by the easterly line of Third avenue; on the west by the easterly line of Third avenue, and on the southeast by the northwesterly line of Lorillard place.

Fourth—That the abstracts of said estimate of damage and of said assessment for benefit, together with the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by the Commissioners of Estimate and by the Commissioner of Assessment in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said City, there to remain until the 17th day of May, 1910.

Fifth—That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said abstracts, the reports as to awards and as to assessments for benefit herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III, to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 28th day of June, 1910, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Sixth—In case, however, objections are filed to the foregoing abstracts of estimate and assessment or to either of them, the motion to confirm the reports as to awards and as to assessments shall stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified in the notice provided in such cases to be given in relation to filing the final reports, pursuant to sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, April 21, 1910.

EDWARD D. DOWLING,
Chairman;
ANDREW J. CARSON,
MICHAEL J. CAVANAGH,
Commissioners of Estimate.
EDWARD D. DOWLING,
Commissioner of Assessment.

JOEL J. SQUIER, Clerk.

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FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

NEW YORK COUNTY.

Brooklyn and Manhattan Loops.

Proceeding No. 1.

In the matter of the application of William R. Wilcox, William McCarroll, Edward M. Bassett, Milo R. Maltbie and John E. Eustis, constituting the Public Service Commission in and for the First District of the State of New York, by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, for and on behalf of The City of New York, for the appointment of Commissioners of Appraisal pursuant to chapter 4 of the Laws of 1891, and the several statutes amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, relative to acquiring the fee of certain premises, and a permanent and perpetual underground right, easement and right of way, and also a temporary right or easement for the construction, maintenance and operation of a Rapid Transit Railroad in, under or appurtenant to certain other premises situated at or near the southerly corner of WALKER AND CENTRE STREETS, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN AP-plication will be made by the undersigned at a Special Term of the Supreme Court, Part III, thereof, to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, City and County of New York, on the 4th day of May, 1910, at the call of the Calendar on that day for the appointment of a Commissioner of Appraisal in the above entitled proceeding in the place and stead of William Harman Black, resigned.

Dated New York, April 20, 1910.

NATHAN FERNBACHER,
SAMUEL SANDERS,
Commissioners of Appraisal.

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FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to certain real estate, tenements, hereditaments, corporeal or incorporeal rights in the same, and any and all rights and interests therein not now owned by The City of New York, situated in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSION-ers of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our supplemental and amended estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections, in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 9th day of May, 1910, 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 10th day of May, 1910, at 11 o'clock a. m.

Second—That the abstracts of our said supplemental and amended estimate and assessment, together with our affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said City, there to remain until the 19th day of May, 1910.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded as described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the northerly boundary line of New York City with a line parallel to and distant one hundred (100) feet westerly from the westerly line of White Plains road; running thence southerly along said parallel line to White Plains road to the intersection with a line parallel to and distant one hundred (100) feet southerly from the southerly line of East Two Hundred and Thirty-ninth street (Kossuth avenue); thence easterly along said parallel line to East Two Hundred and Thirty-ninth street (Kossuth avenue) to the intersection with a line parallel to and distant one hundred (100) feet westerly from the westerly line of Barnes avenue; thence southeasterly along said parallel line to Barnes avenue, to its intersection with a line parallel to and distant one hundred (100) feet southerly from the southerly line of Nereid avenue; thence easterly along said parallel line to Nereid avenue to its intersection with a line parallel to and distant one hundred (100) feet easterly from the easterly line of Hunter street; thence northwesterly along said parallel line to Hunter street to its intersection with the northerly boundary line of The City of New York; thence easterly along said last mentioned boundary line to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said abstracts, our final supplemental and amended report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III, to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan in The City of New York, on the 28th day of June, 1910, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Fifth—In case, however, objections are filed to either of said abstracts of estimate and assessment, the notice of motion to confirm our final supplemental and amended report herein will stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified, and of which notice will be given to all those who have theretofore appeared in this proceeding, as well as by publication in the City Record, pursuant to sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, April 11, 1910.

CHARLES H. COLLINS,
Chairman;
PETER J. EVERETT,
Commissioners.

JOEL J. SQUIER, Clerk.

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FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

NEW YORK COUNTY.

In the matter of the application of William R. Wilcox, William McCarroll, Edward M. Bassett, Milo R. Maltbie and John E. Eustis, constituting the Public Service Commission in and for the First District of the State of New York, by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, for and on behalf of The City of New York, for the appointment of Commissioners of Appraisal pursuant to chapter 4 of the Laws of 1891, and the several statutes amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, relative to acquiring the fee of certain premises and a permanent and perpetual underground right, easement and right of way, and also a temporary right or easement for the construction, maintenance and operation of a Rapid Transit Railroad in, under or appurtenant to certain premises situated at or near the northeast corner of Broome street and Cleveland place, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

PROCEEDING No. 4.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE first separate report of Gilbert H. Montague, Cambridge Livingston and Frank Hendrick, the Commissioners of Appraisal duly appointed in the above entitled proceeding, which report bears date the 15th day of March, 1910, was filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 4th day of April, 1910.

Notice is further given that the said report includes and affects the parcels designated upon the map accompanying said report as Lots Nos. 1, 4, 33, 39, 41, 43, and Plot X, all in Block 481, Section 2, and further shown upon the map accompanying said report by the street numbers 3, 7 and 11 Cleveland place, 183 and 185 Mulberry street, 396, 400 and 404 Broome street, and Plot X, as aforesaid.

Notice is further given that the second separate and final report of Gilbert H. Montague, Cambridge Livingston and Frank Hendrick, the said Commissioners of Appraisal, which report bears date the 14th day of April, 1910, was filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 14th day of April, 1910.

Notice is further given that the said report includes and affects the parcel designated upon the map accompanying said report as Lot No. 40, Block 481, Section 2, and further shown upon said map by the street number 398 Broome street.

Notice is further given that said reports will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York at a Special Term thereof, Part III, to be held in the First Judicial District, at the County Court House, in the City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, on the 24 day of May, 1910, 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 first separate and said second separate and final report be confirmed.

Dated New York, April 17, 1910.
ARCHIBALD R. WATSON,
Corporation Counsel.
Hall of Records, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

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FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, by the Corporation Counsel, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment to ascertain and determine the compensation which should justly be made for the discontinuance and closing of CYPRESS AVENUE, between the northerly line of the property of the Harlem River and Port Chester Railroad and the Bronx Kills, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, in the City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant of occupants of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 5th day of May, 1910, 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 6th day of May, 1910, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstracts 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 the same, have been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, at his office in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said City, there to remain until the 6th day of May, 1910.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in the City of New York, and contained within the lines of the discontinued and closed Cypress avenue, extending from the northerly line of the property of the Harlem River and Port Chester Railroad to Bronx Kills, in the Twenty-third Ward, Borough of The Bronx, in the City of New York.

Fourth—That, provided there be no objections thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with him at his office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 7th day of May, 1910, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at their said office on the 9th day of May, 1910, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Fifth—In case, however, objections are filed to either of said abstracts of estimate and assessment, the notice of motion to confirm our final report herein will stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified, and of which notice will be given to all those who have theretofore appeared in this proceeding, as well as by publication in the City Record, pursuant to sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, April 13, 1910.

GERARD ROBERTS, Chairman;
STANISLAUS J. VANECEK,
SAM'L SANDERS,
Commissioners.

JOEL J. SQUIER, Clerk.

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FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of MATTHEW AVENUE, from Burke avenue to the Boston road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL persons interested in the above entitled 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 the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate, have completed their estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections, in writing, duly verified, with them at their office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 5th day of May, 1910, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at their said office on the 6th day of May, 1910, at 11 o'clock a. m.

Second—That the undersigned Commissioner of Assessment has completed his estimate of benefit, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections, in writing, duly verified, with him at his office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 5th day of May, 1910, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 7th day of May, 1910, at 11 o'clock a. m.

Third—That the Commissioner of Assessment has assessed any or all such lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises as are within the area of assessment fixed and prescribed as the area of assessment for benefit by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 19th day of June, 1908, and that the said area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Bounded on the north by a line distant 100 feet northerly from and parallel with the north-

erly line of Burke avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Burke avenue; on the east by a line midway between Matthews avenue and Bronxwood avenue, and by the prolongation of the said line; on the southeast by a line distant 100 feet southeasterly and parallel with the southeasterly line of Boston road, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Boston road, and on the west by a line midway between Barnes avenue and Matthews avenue, and by the prolongation of the said line.

Fourth—That the abstracts of said estimate of damage and of said assessment for benefit, together with the damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by the Commissioners of Estimate and by the Commissioner of Assessment in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said City, there to remain until the 6th day of May, 1910.

Fifth—That, provided there be no objections thereto, do file their said objections to awards and as to assessments for benefit herein, will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III, to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 9th day of June, 1910, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Sixth—In case, however, objections are filed to the foregoing abstracts of estimate and assessment, or to either of them, the motion to confirm the reports as to awards and as to assessments shall stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified in the notice provided in such cases to be given in relation to filing the final reports, pursuant to sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, April 12, 1910.

J. CARROLL EDWARDS, Chairman;
HUBERT BECKER,
JOHN D. DOLAN, M. D.,
J. CARROLL EDWARDS,
Commissioner of Assessment.

JOEL J. SQUIER, Clerk.

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FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of JEROME AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), on its easterly side, from Cameron place, to East One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL persons interested in the above entitled 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 the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate have completed their estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with him at their office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 7th day of May, 1910, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at their said office on the 9th day of May, 1910, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the undersigned Commissioner of Assessment has completed his estimate of benefit and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with him at his office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 7th day of May, 1910, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 9th day of May, 1910, at 4 o'clock p. m.

Third—That the Commissioner of Assessment has assessed any or all such lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises as are within the area of assessment fixed and prescribed as the area of assessment for benefit by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 24th day of September, 1907, and that the said area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Bounded on the north by the southerly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street; on the east by a line distant 100 feet easterly from and parallel with the easterly line of Jerome avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Jerome avenue; on the south by the northerly line of Cameron place, and on the west by the easterly line of Jerome avenue.

Fourth—That the abstracts of said estimate of damage and of said assessment for benefit, together with the damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by the Commissioners of Estimate and by the Commissioner of Assessment in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said City, there to remain until the 9th day of May, 1910.

Fifth—That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said abstracts, the reports as to awards and as to assessments for benefit herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 12th day of July, 1910, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Sixth—In case, however, objections are filed to the foregoing abstracts of estimate and assessment, or to either of them, the motion to confirm the reports as to awards and as to assessments shall stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified in the notice provided in such cases to be given in relation to filing the final reports, pursuant to sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, April 8, 1910.

JAMES A. DONNELLY, Chairman;
MICHAEL B. FITZPATRICK,
WILLIAM SEXTON,
Commissioners of Estimate.

JOEL J. SQUIER, Clerk.

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FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of LELAND AVENUE, from Westchester avenue to Ludlow avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL persons interested in the above entitled 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 the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate have completed their estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with them at their office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 3d day of May, 1910, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at their said office on the 5th day of May, 1910, at 12 o'clock m.

Second—That the undersigned Commissioner of Assessment has completed his estimate of benefit, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with him at his office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 3d day of May, 1910, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 5th day of May, 1910, at 1 o'clock p. m.

Third—That the Commissioner of Assessment has assessed any or all such lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises as are within the area of assessment fixed and prescribed as the area of assessment for benefit by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 19th day of June, 1908, and that the said area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Bounded on the north by a line distant 100 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly line of Westchester avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Westchester avenue; on the east by a line midway between Leland avenue and Underhill avenue, and the prolongation of the said line; on the south by a line distant 100 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of Ludlow avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Ludlow avenue, and on the west by a line midway between Theriot avenue and Leland avenue.

Fourth—That the abstracts of said estimate of damage and of said assessment for benefit, together with the damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by the Commissioners of Estimate and by the Commissioner of Assessment in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said City, there to remain until the 5th day of May, 1910.

Fifth—That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said abstracts, the reports as to awards and as to assessments for benefit herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III, to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 7th day of June, 1910, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Sixth—In case, however, objections are filed to the foregoing abstracts of estimate and assessment, or to either of them, the motion to confirm the reports as to awards and as to assessments shall stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified in the notice provided in such cases to be given in relation to filing the final reports, pursuant to sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, April 8, 1910.

GERALD MORRELL, Chairman;
WILLIAM HENDERSON,
WILLIAM SEXTON,
Commissioners of Estimate.

GERALD MORRELL, Commissioner of Assessment.

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FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to TAYLOR STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Morris Park avenue to West Farms road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, The City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our supplemental and amended estimate of assessment for benefit and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 2d day of May, 1910, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 2d day of May, 1910, at 3 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of our said supplemental and amended estimate of assessment for benefit, together with our benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said City, there to remain until the 2d day of May, 1910.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the northerly prolongation of a line parallel to and distant one hundred (100) feet westerly of the westerly line of Van Buren street and a line parallel to and distant three hundred (300) feet northerly of the northerly line of Morris Park avenue; running thence easterly along said last mentioned parallel line to Morris Park avenue, to its intersection with the northerly prolongation of a line parallel to and distant one hundred (100) feet easterly of the easterly line of Fillmore street; thence southerly along said northerly prolongation and parallel line and its southerly prolongation to its intersection with the northerly line of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad; thence again southerly along a straight line to the point of intersection of a line parallel to and distant one hundred (100) feet southerly of the southerly line of West Farms road with the middle line of the block between Saxe avenue and Cottage Grove avenue; thence westerly along said last mentioned parallel line to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between Theriot avenue and Saxe avenue; thence southerly along said middle line to its intersection with a line parallel to and distant one hundred (100) feet north of the northerly line of Archer place; thence westerly along said parallel line to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between Harrison avenue and Theriot avenue; thence southerly along said middle line to its intersection with a line parallel to and distant one hundred (100) feet north of the northerly line of Archer place; thence westerly along said parallel line and its westerly prolongation to its intersection with the middle line of the blocks between St. Lawrence avenue and Clason point road; thence northerly along said middle line to its intersection with a line parallel to and distant one hundred (100) feet southerly of the southerly line of West Farms road; thence westerly along said parallel line to a point midway between Commonwealth avenue and St. Lawrence avenue; thence northerly along a straight line from said point to its intersection with a line parallel to and distant one hundred (100) feet westerly of the westerly line of Van Buren street, where same intersects the northerly line of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad; thence northerly along said last mentioned parallel line and its northerly prolongation to the point or place of beginning; as such area is shown upon the final map and profiles of the City of New York, excepting from said area all streets, avenues, roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That, provided there be no objections filed to said supplemental and amended abstract, our final report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 12th day of July, 1910, at the opening of the court on that day.

Fifth—In case, however, objections are filed to said supplemental and amended abstract of estimate of assessment, the notice of motion to confirm our final report herein will stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified, and of which notice will be given to all those who have theretofore appeared in this proceeding, as well as by publication in the City Record, pursuant to sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, April 6, 1910.

RALPH HICKOX, Chairman;
WILLIAM J. KELLY,
TIMOTHY E. COHALAN,
Commissioners.

JOEL J. SQUIER, Clerk.

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FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of PLEASANT AVENUE (now Olin avenue), from Gun Hill road to East Two Hundred and Nineteenth street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL persons interested in the above entitled 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 the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate have completed their supplemental and amended estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with them at their office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 29th day of April, 1910, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at their said office on the 2d day of May, 1910, at 1 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the undersigned Commissioner of Assessment has completed his supplemental and amended estimate of benefit and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with him at his office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 29th day of April, 1910, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 2d day of May, 1910, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Third—That the Commissioner of Assessment has assessed any or all such lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises as are within the area of assessment fixed and prescribed as the area of assessment for benefit by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 8th day of July, 1907, and that the said area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Bounded on the northwest by a line 97.5 feet northwesterly from and parallel with the northwesterly line of Olin avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Olin avenue, and by the prolongation of the said line; on the northeast by a line distant 100 feet northeasterly from the northeasterly line of East Two Hundred and Nineteenth street, the said

In the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises situated on the northerly side of PIERCE AVENUE, easterly side of RAPELJE AVENUE and the westerly side of BRIELL STREET

in the First Ward of the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, duly selected as a site for school purposes, according to law.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE report of Robert R. Wilkes, Henry S. Johnston and James A. Bell, Commissioners of Estimate and Appraisal, duly appointed in the above entitled proceeding, which report bears date the 28th day of March, 1910, was filed in the office of the Board of Education of The City of New York on the 31st day of March, 1910, and a duplicate of said report was filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the same day.

Notice is further given that the said report will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, in the Second Judicial District, at a Special Term for the hearing of contested motions, to be held at the County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 3d day of May, 1910, 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 New York, April 20, 1910.
ARCHIBALD R. WATSON,
Corporation Counsel.
Hall of Records, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening and extending ELEVANTH AVENUE (Albion street) (although not yet named by proper authority), from Jackson avenue to Flushing avenue, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, 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, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof, to be held for the hearing of motions, at the County Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 4th day of May, 1910, 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 Queens, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by law.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, April 20, 1910.

WM. S. COGSWELL,
ADAM RAYNER,
LEANDER E. FABER,
Commissioners of Estimate.
JOEL J. SQUIER, Clerk.

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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening and extending FOURTEENTH AVENUE, from Church avenue to Sixty-fifth street, in the Twenty-ninth and Thirtieth Wards, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof to be held for the hearing of motions, at the Kings County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 2d day of May, 1910, 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 law.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, New York, April 19, 1910.

CROMWELL G. MACY,
JAS. B. SHELTON,
Commissioners.

EDWARD RIEGELMANN, Clerk.

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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening and extending EAST SEVENTEENTH STREET, from Church avenue to Caton avenue, in the Twenty-ninth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof to be held for the hearing of motions, at the Kings County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 2d day of May, 1910, 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 law.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, New York, April 19, 1910.

CHARLES F. MURPHY,
THOMAS WHITE,
JOHN R. BURNETT,
Commissioners of Estimate.
CHARLES F. MURPHY,
Commissioner of Assessment.
EDWARD RIEGELMANN, Clerk.

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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of constructing and maintaining sewers in TAPSCOTT STREET, from Blake avenue to East Ninety-eighth street; VIENNA AVENUE, from Snediker avenue to Hinesdale street, and from Malta street to Williams avenue; MALTA STREET, from Vienna avenue to Wortman avenue, and WORTMAN AVENUE, from Malta street to New Jersey avenue,

in the Twenty-sixth, Twenty-ninth and Thirty-second Wards, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, as the same have been heretofore laid out.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof to be held for the hearing of motions, at the Kings County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 2d day of May, 1910, 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 law.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, New York, April 19, 1910.

GEO. S. BILLINGS,
ALEXANDER S. DRESCHER,
EDWARD J. CONNOLLY,
Commissioners of Estimate.
GEO. S. BILLINGS,
Commissioner of Assessment.
EDWARD RIEGELMANN, Clerk.

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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening and extending SHEPHERD AVENUE, from Atlantic avenue to New Lots road, in the Twenty-sixth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held for the hearing of motions, at the Kings County Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 2d day of May, 1910, 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 law.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, New York, April 18, 1910.

WM. H. TAYLOR,
ROBERT V. SWIFT,
LAWRENCE J. TORMEY,
Commissioners of Estimate.
WM. H. TAYLOR,
Commissioner of Assessment.
EDWARD RIEGELMANN, Clerk.

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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening and extending SNEDIKER AVENUE, from Dumont avenue to the bulkhead line of Fresh Creek, in the Twenty-sixth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held for the hearing of motions, at the Kings County Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 2d day of May, 1910, 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 law.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, New York, April 18, 1910.

ADOLPH VAUREIN,
WALTER A. BIGGAR,
GEORGE W. BALDON,
Commissioners of Estimate.
ADOLPH VAUREIN,
Commissioner of Assessment.
EDWARD RIEGELMANN, Clerk.

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SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening and extending SIXTY-THIRD STREET, from Seventh avenue to New Utrecht avenue, in the Thirtieth Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof to be held for the hearing of motions, at the Kings County Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 2d day of May, 1910, 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 law.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, New York, April 18, 1910.

JOHN S. BENNETT,
HARRY L. LEGGATT,
JOHN A. WARREN,
Commissioners.
EDWARD RIEGELMANN, Clerk.

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SUPREME COURT—NINTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

NINTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

WESTCHESTER COUNTY.

In the matter of the application and petition of John A. Bensel, Charles N. Chadwick and Charles A. Shaw, constituting the Board of Water Supply of The City of New York, to acquire certain real estate under chapter 724 of the Laws of 1905, and the acts amendatory thereof, in the towns of Harrison and North Castle, Westchester County, New York,

Kensico Reservoir, Section No. 12.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that we, the undersigned, Patrick A. McManus and William H. Catlin, as the remaining Commissioners in the above entitled matter appointed by an order of the Supreme Court dated September 26, 1908, will make an application to the Supreme Court of the Ninth Judicial District, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Judge's chambers, in the City of New Rochelle, New York, on the 30th day of April, 1910, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for an order of the court appointing a Commissioner of Appraisal in the place and stead of Joseph Barrett, deceased.

Dated New York, April 11, 1910.
PATRICK MC MANUS,
WILLIAM H. CATLIN,
Commissioners of Appraisal.
ARCHIBALD R. WATSON,
Corporation Counsel.
Office and Post Office Address, Hall of Records, Corner of Centre and Chambers Streets, New York City.

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NINTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

KENSICO RESERVOIR.

Section No. 9.

In the matter of the application and petition of John A. Bensel, Charles N. Chadwick and Charles A. Shaw, constituting the Board of Water Supply of The City of New York, to acquire real estate for and on behalf of The City of New York, under chapter 724 of the Laws of 1905 and the acts amendatory thereof, in the Town of Mount Pleasant, Westchester County, N. Y., for the purpose of providing an additional supply of pure and wholesome water for the use of The City of New York.

Notice of Filing and of Motion to Confirm the Second Separate Report.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the second separate report of John M. Digney, Stephen Van Tassel and Samuel J. Foley, Commissioners of Appraisal in the above entitled matter, was filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Westchester, at White Plains, in said county, on January 31, 1910.

Notice is further given that the second separate report includes and affects the parcels of land designated as Parcels Nos. 596, 602, 605, 613, 618, 630, 632, 638, 639, 640, 644, 655, 663, 668 and 680 in said proceeding.

Notice is further given that an application will be made at a Special Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, to be held in and for the Ninth Judicial District, at the Chambers of Mr. Justice Martin J. Keogh, in the Village of New Rochelle, N. Y., on the 30th day of April, 1910, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for an order confirming said report and for such other and further relief as may be just. Reserving to The City of New York the right to oppose the confirmation of any or all parcels contained in said report.

Dated April 1, 1910.
ARCHIBALD R. WATSON,
Corporation Counsel.
Hall of Records, Corner of Centre and Chambers Streets, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

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NINTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

KENSICO RESERVOIR.

Section No. 6.

In the matter of the application and petition of J. Edward Simmons, Charles N. Chadwick and Charles A. Shaw, constituting the Board of Water Supply of The City of New York, to acquire certain real estate for and on behalf of The City of New York, under chapter 724 of the Laws of 1905 and the acts amendatory thereof, in the Town of Mount Pleasant, Westchester County, N. Y.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the fourth separate report of the Commissioners of Appraisal in the above entitled matter, dated March 14, 1910, filed in the office of the County Clerk of Westchester County, at White Plains, N. Y., on the 18th day of March, 1910, including Parcels Nos. 365, 366, 369, 380, 391, 407, 439 and (parts of) 449, shown on a map filed in the office of the Register of Westchester County on the 3d day of May, 1907, as Map No. 1718, will be presented to the Supreme Court for confirmation at a Special Term of the Supreme Court, to be held in and for the Ninth Judicial District, at the Judge's Chambers, in the City of New Rochelle, N. Y., on the 30th day of April, 1910, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard. Reserving to The City of New York the right to oppose the confirmation of any or all parcels contained in said report.

Dated April 4, 1910.
ARCHIBALD R. WATSON,
Corporation Counsel.
Office and Post Office Address, Hall of Records, Corner of Centre and Chambers Streets, New York City.

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NINTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

KENSICO RESERVOIR.

Section No. 3.

In the matter of the application and petition of J. Edward Simmons, Charles N. Chadwick and Charles A. Shaw, constituting the Board of Water Supply of The City of New York, to acquire certain real estate for and on behalf of The City of New York, under chapter 724 of the Laws of 1905 and the acts amendatory thereof, in the Town of North Castle, Westchester County, N. Y.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the fourth separate report of the Commissioners of Appraisal in the above entitled matter, dated March 23, 1910, filed in the office of the County Clerk of Westchester County, at White Plains, N. Y., on the 31st day of March, 1910, including Parcels Nos. 140, (parts of) 143, 147, 148, 149, 150, 160, 175, 178, 180, (parts of) 181, 182, 187 and 192, shown on a map filed in the office of the Register of Westchester County on the 22d day of April, 1907, as Map No. 1713, will be presented to the Supreme Court for confirmation at a Special Term of the Supreme Court, to be held in and for the Ninth Judicial District, at the Judge's Chambers, in the City of New Rochelle, N. Y., on the 30th day of April, 1910, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard. Reserving to The City of New York the right to

oppose the confirmation of any or all parcels contained in said report.

Dated April 4, 1910.
ARCHIBALD R. WATSON,
Corporation Counsel.
Office and Post Office Address, Hall of Records, Corner of Centre and Chambers Streets, New York City.

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NINTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

KENSICO RESERVOIR.

Section No. 8.

In the matter of the application and petition of John A. Bensel, Charles N. Chadwick and Charles A. Shaw, constituting the Board of Water Supply of The City of New York, to acquire real estate for and on behalf of The City of New York, under chapter 724 of the Laws of 1905 and the acts amendatory thereof, in the Town of Mount Pleasant, Westchester County, N. Y., for the purpose of providing an additional supply of pure and wholesome water for the use of The City of New York.

Notice of Filing and of Motion to Confirm the First Separate Report.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the first separate report of Thomas Ewing, Jr., James F. Martin and Francis J. Lantry, Commissioners of Appraisal in the above entitled matter, was filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Westchester, at White Plains, in said county, on February 25, 1910.

Notice is further given that the first separate report includes and affects the parcels of land designated as Parcels Nos. 512, 513, 514, 515, 516, 517, 518, 519, 521, 522, 523, 524, 527, 528, 529, 530, 531, 532, 535, 536, 540, 542, 543, 544, 545, 547, 549, 552, 553, 554, 556, 563, 564, 565, 566, 568, 569, 570, 571, 572, 574, 575, 578, 581, 582, 583, 584, 585, 587, 591, 592, 593 and 594, in said proceeding.

Notice is further given that an application will be made at a Special Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, to be held in and for the Ninth Judicial District, at the Chambers of Mr. Justice Martin J. Keogh, in the Village of New Rochelle, N. Y., on the 30th day of April, 1910, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for an order confirming said report and for such other and further relief as may be just. Reserving to The City of New York the right to oppose the confirmation of any or all parcels contained in said report.

Dated April 1, 1910.

ARCHIBALD R. WATSON,
Corporation Counsel.
Hall of Records, Corner of Centre and Chambers Streets, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

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PROPOSALS FOR BIDS AND ESTIMATES FOR THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS.

The person or persons making a bid or estimate for any services, work, materials or supplies for The City of New York, or for any of its departments, bureaus or offices, shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed with the title of the supplies, materials, work or services for which the bid or estimate is made, with his or their name or names and the date of presentation to the President or Board or to the head of the Department at his or its office, on or before the date and hour named in the advertisement for the same, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the President or Board or head of said Department and read, and the award of the contract made according to law as soon thereafter as practicable.

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

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

No bid or estimate will be considered unless, as a condition precedent to the reception or consideration of any proposal, it be accompanied by a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the bond required, as provided in section 420 of the Greater New York Charter.

The certified check or money should not be inclosed in the envelope containing the bid or estimate, but should be either inclosed in a separate envelope addressed to the head of the Department, President or Board, or submitted personally upon the presentation of the bid or estimate.

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

No bid shall be accepted from or contract awarded to any person who is in arrears to The City of New York upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the City.

The contract must be bid for separately. The right is reserved in each case to reject all bids or estimates if it is deemed to be for the interest of the City so to do.

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

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank forms prepared and furnished by the City, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department for which the work is to be done. Plans and drawings of construction work may also be seen there.