

second, third and fourth floors and roof, through elevator shaft, windows and stairway, considerably damaging the building; also extended to No. 234 East Fortieth street, through windows in rear, four-story brick building, 20 x 60, same occupants, slightly damaging the building. Chief officers present were Chief of Department Edward F. Croker, Deputy Chief Duane, Chiefs of Battalion Ross, Burns, and Acting Chiefs Skelly and Coleman. The services of twelve engines, 4 hook and ladder companies, and one water tower, were required, and the fire was under control in about 7 hours. This fire had gained great headway by reason of naphtha and benzine being stored on second, third and fourth floors, for cleaning purposes.

August 25, 2.03 P. M.—Fire at Nos. 46 to 50 Wooster street, a six-story brick (iron front) building, 75 x 100, occupied by dry goods firm. Fire originated on fifth floor and extended to fourth and sixth floors through belt openings in floors, considerably damaging the building. Chief officers present were Deputy Chief of Department Charles D. Purroy, Chiefs of Battalion Kruger and Martin, and Acting Chiefs Larkin and Langford. The services of 13 engines, 4 hook and ladder companies and 1 water tower were required and the fire was under control in about one hour.

September 8, 1.35 A. M.—Fire at Nos. 458 and 460 East One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, a five-story brick building, 50x75, occupied as a paper box manufactory. Fire originated in cellar and extended to first, second, third, fourth and fifth floors by means of elevator shaft, considerably damaging the building. Chief officers present were Chief of Department Edward F. Croker, Acting Deputy Chief Cashman, Chiefs of Battalion Welsh and Short, and Acting Chief Lawler. The services of 9 engines and 3 hook and ladder companies were required and the fire was under control in about five hours and forty minutes.

September 15, 3.42 A. M.—Fire at Nos. 46 and 48 Water street, a five-story brick building, 50 x 75, occupied by coffee packing-house. Fire originated in basement and extended to first, second, third, fourth and fifth floors through openings in floors, considerably damaging the building. Chief officers present were Chief of Department Edward F. Croker, Chiefs of Battalion Kruger, Kenny, Garris, and Acting Chief Brogan. The services of 11 engines, 4 hook and ladder companies and 1 water tower were required and the fire was under control in about one hour and fifteen minutes.

September 20, 7.02 A. M.—Fire at Eleventh avenue, west side, between Twenty-seventh and Twenty-eighth streets, a seven-story brick building, 300 x 50, occupied as a storage warehouse, considerably damaging the building. Fire originated on sixth floor and extended to seventh. Chief officers present were Chief of Department Edward F. Croker, Deputy Chiefs Duane and Purroy, Chiefs of Battalion Gooderson, Welsh, Bins, and Acting Chiefs Skelly and Mengher. The services of 14 engines and 4 hook and ladder companies and 2 water towers were required and the fire was under control in about 7 hours.

The Most Disastrous Conflagration,

which took place on the 30th of June, destroying docks and steamships of the North German Lloyd, at Hoboken, and sacrificing many lives, called for action of our fire-boats for protection of the shipping in our harbor. A report of Captain William C. Braisted of "The New Yorker" gives the following detailed account of the affair:

"On receipt of the alarm for Station 351 at 4.09 o'clock P. M. on that day I proceeded to the fire, where we arrived when the "Kaiser Wilhelm" was being holed into the stream. As our services were not required on her we took hold of the steamer "Bremen," which was heading down stream, apparently moving out from the suction created by the "Kaiser Wilhelm." We opened our streams from the stand-pipes and directed them aboard the "Bremen." Time of working on her was one hour and thirty minutes. Twenty-eight men were rescued from the ship, who were taken from one of the port-holes by the crew of the fire-boat "The New Yorker" under very difficult circumstances, and by direction of Chief Croker, who was at this time on board "The New Yorker," they were landed at Pier 18, North river. At the time when I was directed by the Chief to leave the "Bremen" the fire was completely under control, and one tug-boat was getting ready to put a line of hose aboard to cover said vessel. I cannot state how many boats were alongside, as I was then engaged in locating the different burnings on small craft on river and bay. I was especially directed by Chief Croker to look out for the shipping, and to lose no time on my way to the steamship "Saale," which was being beached on the Jersey Flats, off the Central Railroad ferries, by some tug-boats. The fire-boat "Van Wyck" had been called in the fire, and had a cotton barge in tow burning. When the "Saale" was coming down stream all ablaze in tow of some tug-boats we dropped the barge and helped to beach the "Saale." I immediately proceeded to the "Saale," and with the "Van Wyck" worked on her some two hours. The crew of the "Van Wyck" rescued thirty men from the fire and engine-rooms of the "Saale." On my way to the cotton barge on fire amidstream I picked up an ash scow adrift with Henry Phillips on board, and tied it up on Jersey shore. The fire-boat "Van Wyck" had three stand-pipes and two lines of hose on the "Saale" at work. "The New Yorker" had two stand-pipes and two streams from lines of hose stretched on board. The "Saale" was submerged at 8.30 P. M. I then ordered the wreckers to stand by and keep a sharp lookout for bodies.

In order to ascertain if the shipping on the river and bay was in a safe condition, I made another tour and worked on two barges near Governor's Island, and at 11 o'clock P. M. was ordered by Chief Croker to proceed to Weehawken, N. J., to work on steamships "Main" and "Bremen." While at work on the "Main" we were trying to rescue fifteen men who had been under cover in the shaft alley and coal bunkers, and were now crying for help. While our standpipes were in full operation a beam fell from aloft and carried away the top wheel of our new Wood-house pipe, breaking our large copper escape pipe and smokestack, whistles and guy chains to smokestack. No one was injured. We were at that time keeping that part of the vessel cooled where the men were located, and they were subsequently taken off by one of the small tug-boats. I worked on the "Bremen" and "Main" from 11.30 P. M., June 30, to 5.45 A. M., July 1, and left them in charge of the Merritt Wrecking Boat.

I would respectfully state that the steamship "Bremen" could have been kept under control by any one available line of hose in operation from the time the "New Yorker" left her at first under control. This about 5.40 P. M. June 30.

APPOINTMENTS.

- Edward F. Nealis, Fireman 4th grade, Engine 14, July 1, 1900.
Patrick F. Wallace, Fireman 4th grade, Engine 27, July 1, 1900.
John Loosen, Fireman 4th grade, Hook and Ladder 15, July 1, 1900.
Anthony T. Heilig, Fireman 4th grade, Hook and Ladder 15, July 1, 1900.
Myles Morris, Fireman 4th grade, Engine 20, July 1, 1900.

RETIREMENTS.

- Fireman 1st grade Thomas J. Burke, Engine 70, permanent physical disability, \$700, July 1, 1900.
Chief of Battalion William J. Cook, permanent physical disability, \$1,650, July 15, 1900.
Foreman James McCutchen, Engine 47, permanent physical disability, \$1,080, August 1, 1900.
Foreman William F. Hayes, Engine 64, permanent physical disability, \$1,080, August 1, 1900.
Chief of Battalion John Castles, permanent physical disability, \$1,650, August 1, 1900.
Assistant Foreman Samuel Banta, Engine 27, permanent physical disability, \$900, August 1, 1900.
Assistant Foreman Thomas Coyle, Engine 51, permanent physical disability, \$900, August 3, 1900.
Fireman 1st grade Lindsay Williamson, Engine 46, permanent physical disability, \$700, August 1, 1900.
Engineer of steamer, Timothy J. Coughlin, Engine 2, after twenty years' service, \$800, August 1, 1900.
Assistant Foreman Adolph J. Petersen, Engine 69, permanent physical disability, \$900, September 1, 1900.
Fireman 1st grade George T. F. Harris, Engine 16, permanent physical disability, \$700, September 1, 1900.
Fireman 1st grade Michael J. Dowling, Hook and Ladder 17, permanent physical disability, \$700, September 1, 1900.
Fireman 1st grade Thomas H. Hogan, Engine 66, after twenty years' service, \$700, September 1, 1900.

DISMISSED.

- Fireman 1st grade James McCullen, Hook and Ladder 8, violation rules and regulations, July 1.
Fireman 1st grade George Halloran, Hook and Ladder 13, violation rules and regulations, July 26.

DEATHS.

- Fireman 1st grade Joseph F. Kavanagh, Engine 16, retired, July 18, 1900.
Fireman 1st grade James Clarke, Engine 31, August 13, 1900.
Foreman Thomas Farley, Hook and Ladder 15, retired, September 2, 1900.
Fireman 1st grade Thomas H. Hogan, Engine 66, retired, September 20, 1900.
Fireman 1st grade Charles H. Thompson, Hook and Ladder 12, retired, September 30, 1900.

PROMOTIONS.

- Fireman 1st grade Henry F. Shaughnessy, Hook and Ladder 2 to Engine 16, as Engineer, \$1,600, July 4.
Fireman 1st grade William L. Corley, Engine 58 to Engine 19, as Engineer, \$1,600, July 4.
Fireman 1st grade Gerhardt E. Weber, Engine 55 to Engine 33, as Engineer, \$1,600, July 4.

- Fireman 1st grade John L. Dresler, Engine 53 to Engine 44, as Engineer, \$1,600, July 16.
Foreman George L. Ross, Engine 19 to Chief of Battalion, \$1,300, July 15.
Assistant Foreman David Hyde, Engine 57 to Engine 4, as Foreman, \$2,160, August 1.
Assistant Foreman James Finn, Hook and Ladder 16 to Engine 7, as Foreman, \$2,160, August 1.
Assistant Foreman Manuel J. Garcia, Engine 31 to Engine 32, as Foreman, \$2,160, August 1.
Assistant Foreman Charles J. Autenreith, Engine 15 to Engine 20, as Foreman, \$2,160, August 1.
Assistant Foreman John B. Conlon, Engine 1 to Engine 27, as Foreman, \$2,160, August 1.
Assistant Foreman Joseph Crawley, Engine 47 to Engine 19, as Foreman, \$2,160, August 1.
Assistant Foreman James F. Devanny, Engine 25 to Hook and Ladder 11, as Foreman, \$2,160, August 1.
Assistant Foreman Bernard Kelly, Engine 31 to Engine 31, as Foreman, \$2,160, August 1.
Assistant Foreman William J. Duffy, Hook and Ladder 20 to Hook and Ladder 20, as Foreman, \$2,160, August 1.
Assistant Foreman Michael A. Barnes, Hook and Ladder 21 to Engine 54, as Foreman, \$2,160, August 1.
Assistant Foreman John F. Shea, Engine 34 to Engine 34, as Foreman, \$2,160, August 1.
Assistant Foreman John P. McAree, Engine 62 to Engine 62, as Foreman, \$2,160, August 1.
Foreman Timothy J. Bresnan, Engine 30 to Chief of Battalion, \$1,300, August 1.
Fireman 1st grade John Davin, No. 2, Engine 15 to Engine 4, as Assistant Foreman, \$1,800, August 1.
Fireman 1st grade Edward J. Levy, Engine 21 to Engine 9, as Assistant Foreman, \$1,800, August 1.
Fireman 1st grade Henry B. Helm, Engine 31 to Engine 10, as Assistant Foreman, \$1,800, August 1.
Fireman 1st grade Howard C. Ruch, Engine 40 to Engine 12, as Assistant Foreman, \$1,800, August 1.
Fireman 1st grade John Hughes, Hook and Ladder 10 to Engine 13, as Assistant Foreman, \$1,800, August 1.
Fireman 1st grade Charles Malley, Hook and Ladder 5 to Engine 13, as Assistant Foreman, \$1,800, August 1.
Fireman 1st grade Edward D. Farrell, Engine 51 to Engine 17, as Assistant Foreman, \$1,800, August 1.
Fireman 1st grade William H. Behler, Engine 41 to Engine 19, as Assistant Foreman, \$1,800, August 1.
Fireman 1st grade James J. Crawford, Engine 24 to Engine 18, as Assistant Foreman, \$1,800, August 1.
Fireman 1st grade John B. Hughes, Engine 24 to Engine 26, as Assistant Foreman, \$1,800, August 1.
Engineer of Steamer John Rush, Engine 72 to Engine 32, as Assistant Foreman, \$1,800, August 1.
Fireman 1st grade John W. Bearman, Hook and Ladder 20 to Engine 33, as Assistant Foreman, \$1,800, August 1.
Fireman 1st grade Joseph Quinn, Hook and Ladder 14 to Engine 35, as Assistant Foreman, \$1,800, August 1.
Fireman 1st grade William R. Corcoran, Engine 47 to Engine 65, as Assistant Foreman, \$1,800, August 1.
Fireman 1st grade Lawrence McGuire, Hook and Ladder 21 to Hook and Ladder 3, as Assistant Foreman, \$1,800, August 1.
Fireman 1st grade Bartholomew McDermott, Hook and Ladder 21 to Hook and Ladder 8, as Assistant Foreman, \$1,800, August 1.
Fireman 1st grade William Keloe, Hook and Ladder 12 to Hook and Ladder 20, as Assistant Foreman, \$1,800, August 1.
Fireman 1st grade Andrew F. Fitzgerald, Hook and Ladder 4 to Hook and Ladder 21, as Assistant Foreman, \$1,800, August 1.
Fireman 1st grade John Sullivan, Hook and Ladder 11 to Hook and Ladder 18, as Assistant Foreman, \$1,800, August 1.
Fireman 1st grade Martin F. Callagy, Engine 34 to Engine 27, as Assistant Foreman, \$1,800, August 1.
Fireman 1st grade Austin McDonald, Engine 30 to Engine 31, as Assistant Foreman, \$1,800, August 1.
Fireman 1st grade Andrew B. Sweet, Hook and Ladder 9 to Hook and Ladder 6, as Assistant Foreman, \$1,800, August 1.
Fireman 1st grade William Clark, Hook and Ladder 7 to Hook and Ladder 2, as Assistant Foreman, \$1,800, August 1.
Fireman 1st grade Timothy J. McAuliffe, Engine 8 to Engine 15, as Assistant Foreman, \$1,800, August 1.
Fireman 1st grade Andrew T. Hyde, Engine 15 to Engine 57, as Assistant Foreman, \$1,800, August 1.
Fireman 1st grade Henry Stuckel, Hook and Ladder 3 to Engine 1, as Assistant Foreman, \$1,800, August 1.
Fireman 1st grade George W. Murray, Hook and Ladder 22 to Hook and Ladder 5, as Assistant Foreman, \$1,800, August 1.
Fireman 1st grade Frank J. Timier, Hook and Ladder 4 to Hook and Ladder 6, as Assistant Foreman, \$1,800, August 1.
Fireman 1st grade William Devlin, Hook and Ladder 8 to Engine 15, as Assistant Foreman, \$1,800, August 1.
Fireman 1st grade James H. Shervlin, Engine 30 to Engine 25, as Assistant Foreman, \$1,800, August 1.
Fireman 1st grade Daniel Donovan, Engine 25 to Engine 5, as Assistant Foreman, \$1,800, August 1.
Fireman 2d grade Joseph H. Bonx, Engine 30 to Engine 2, as Engineer of Steamer, \$1,600, September 8.
Fireman 2d grade Heinrich Kalsing, Engine 1 to Engine 20, as Engineer of Steamer, \$1,600, September 8.
Fireman 1st grade Henry E. Sullivan, Engine 28 to Engine 5, as Engineer of Steamer, \$1,600, September 8.
Fireman 1st grade Joseph N. Hasek, Engine 42 to Engine 16, as Engineer of Steamer, \$1,600, September 8.
Assistant Foreman Charles H. Stone, Engine 22 to Engine 22, as Engineer of Steamer, \$2,160, September 1.
Assistant Foreman Frank Hennessey, Hook and Ladder 13 to Engine 16, as Engineer of Steamer, \$2,160, September 1.
Assistant Foreman Thomas F. Norton, Engine 31 to Engine 55, as Engineer of Steamer, \$2,160, September 1.
Fireman 1st grade Charles F. McGuire, Hook and Ladder 21 to Engine 2, as Assistant Foreman, \$1,800, September 1.
Fireman 1st grade Gustav Hartmann, Hook and Ladder 11 to Hook and Ladder 13, as Assistant Foreman, \$1,800, September 1.
Fireman 1st grade Jacob D. Hook, Hook and Ladder 10 to Hook and Ladder 10, as Assistant Foreman, \$1,800, September 1.
Fireman 1st grade William J. Kennedy, Engine 23 to Engine 34, as Assistant Foreman, \$1,800, September 1.
Fireman 1st grade Thomas J. D. Carrigan, Hook and Ladder 14 to Hook and Ladder 16, as Assistant Foreman, \$1,800, September 1.
Fireman 1st grade Daniel F. Burke, Engine 28 to Engine 5, as Assistant Foreman, \$1,800, September 1.
Fireman 1st grade Benjamin H. Boyle, Hook and Ladder 3 to Engine 23, as Assistant Foreman, \$1,800, September 1.
Fireman 1st grade Michael F. Hannley, Engine 19 to Engine 16, as Assistant Foreman, \$1,800, September 1.
Fireman 1st grade Herman W. Oppe, Engine 65 to Hook and Ladder 4, as Assistant Foreman, \$1,800, September 1.
Fireman 1st grade James E. Ferris, Engine 24 to Engine 27, as Assistant Foreman, \$1,800, September 1.
Fireman 1st grade George C. Reishardt, Hook and Ladder 9 to Hook and Ladder 18, as Assistant Foreman, \$1,800, September 1.
Fireman 1st grade Edward Ford, Engine 40 to Engine 9, as Assistant Foreman, \$1,800, September 1.
Fireman 1st grade Thomas S. Woods, Hook and Ladder 14 to Hook and Ladder 12, as Assistant Foreman, \$1,800, September 1.
Fireman 1st grade Patrick H. Coyle, Engine 53 to Engine 18, as Assistant Foreman, \$1,800, September 1.
Engineer of Steamer Frederick Murray, Engine 18 to Engine 12, as Assistant Foreman, \$1,800, September 1.
Engineer of Steamer John J. Conroy, Engine 65 to Engine 31, as Assistant Foreman, \$1,800, September 1.
Engineer of Steamer James J. Sullivan, Engine 28 to Engine 5, as Assistant Foreman, \$1,800, September 1.
Engineer of Steamer John Connolly, Engine 15 to Engine 20, as Assistant Foreman, \$1,800, September 1.

REPAIR SHOPS.

FROM THE REPORT OF THE CHIEF OF CONSTRUCTION AND REPAIRS TO APPARATUS.

New Apparatus Received.

Received from The American Fire Engine Company of Seneca Falls, New York—Two (2) new third-size Metropolitan steam fire-engines, one (1) for Engine Co. 17, Manhattan, and the other for Engine Co. 120 in Brooklyn.

Received from The Gleason & Bailey Manufacturing Company of Seneca Falls, New York—One (1) new 85-foot Dedrick hook and ladder truck for Hook and Ladder Co. 68 of Brooklyn, two (2) first-size hose-wagons for Engine Cos. 121 and 139 of Brooklyn.

Received from the P. Barrett Manufacturing Company of Brooklyn—Three (3) new first-size Hose Wagons for Engine Cos. 104, 108 and 113 of Brooklyn.

Repaired.

By The La France Fire-engine Company of Elmira, New York, La France fire-engine for Engine Co. 22, at a cost of..... \$976 00

The fire-boat "Robert A. Van Wyck (Engine 66) was repaired: By John F. Walsh, Jr., cost..... \$769 00 By General Electric Company, cost..... 30 00 By John W. Sullivan, cost..... 375 00 By M. Breen, cost..... 780 00 Total..... \$1,954 00

The fireboat "Zophar Mills" (Engine 51) was repaired: By John W. Sullivan, cost..... \$153 00 By M. Breen, cost..... 760 60 By General Electric Company, cost..... 30 00 Total..... \$943 00

The fireboat "The New Yorker" (Engine 57) was repaired: By John W. Sullivan, cost..... \$350 00 By General Electric Company, cost..... 30 00 By M. Breen, cost..... 8 54 By Nathan Manufacturing Company, cost..... 28 00 Total..... \$416 54

The fire-boat "William F. Havemeyer" (Engine 43), was repaired: By James Tregarten, Son & Co., cost..... \$43 00 By John W. Sullivan, cost..... 125 00 Total..... \$192 00

The following apparatus disabled outside of working hours were repaired and placed in service: 6 steam fire-engines, 10 hook and ladder trucks, 1 battalion wagon, 3 hose wagons. The following apparatus were repaired at their respective quarters: 19 steam fire-engines, 16 hook and ladder trucks, 7 water towers.

General Work.

There was repaired in these shops: 26 steam fire-engines, 14 extensively; 5 water towers, 3 extensively; 27 battalion wagons, 4 extensively; 14 hose wagons, 6 extensively; 15 light wagons, 2 extensively; 11 hook and ladder trucks, 7 extensively; 1 tender, 1 extensively; 1 fuel wagon.

Wheelwright Shop.

158 pieces of new work turned out, 310 pieces repaired.

Harness Shop.

554 pieces of new work turned out, 286 pieces repaired.

Paint Shop.

98 pieces repaired. 41 pieces oiled and varnished. 178 pieces touched up. 62 pieces painted and striped. 25 pieces painted and numbered. 21 pieces painted.

Machine Shop.

827 pieces of new work turned out, 549 pieces repaired.

Hose Shop.

Repaired— 134 lengths M. C. hose. 3 lengths Peerless hose. 7 lengths White Anchor hose. 4 lengths American Chief hose. 20 lengths Test hose. 14 lengths White Star hose. 2 lengths Maximum rubber hose. 3 lengths Maximum cotton hose. 1 length World hose. 1 length White Star Special hose. 6 lengths Eureka Special hose. 46 lengths Eureka hose. 4 lengths Paragon hose. 3 lengths Aragon knit hose. 12 lengths Baker hose. Repaired— 3 lengths Unique hose. 1 length Conqueror hose. 1 length Alliance hose. 1 length New Era hose. 9 lengths Adriatic hose. 2 lengths Ajax hose. 1 length Willis Knit Jacket hose. 1 length Wells Single Knit hose. 3 lengths Croton hose. 25 lengths Extinguisher hose. 2 lengths hydrant connections. 2 lengths suction.

Hose Received.

From The B. F. Goodrich Company, 50 lengths (2,500 feet), 2 1/4-inch White Star hose.

BOROUGHES OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS.

PERSONNEL, ETC.

On September 30, 1900, the active personnel of the Department in these boroughs numbered 1,172; the fire extinguishing force comprising 1,064 members, assigned, with the exception of 26 Chief Officers, to the 79 companies of the 16 battalions. The companies are classified as follows: Fire-boats..... 2 Engine Companies..... 60 Hook and Ladder Companies..... 17 Aggregate..... 79

Of the above Engine Companies eleven have additional equipment of a hook and ladder truck, two additional equipment of chemical engine and one a water-tower. Of the Hook and Ladder Companies one has an additional equipment of a hose tender.

APPOINTMENTS.

July 6. James W. Heffernan, Robert S. Stryker, John J. Donovan, James A. Hagen, Martin J. Graham, James R. Starkey, Maurice F. Brady, as ununiformed Firemen, on probation for three months. " 10. Lawrence Keifer, as ununiformed Fireman, on probation for three months. " 15. Maurice J. McCarthy, as ununiformed Fireman, on probation for three months. Aug. 15. William O'Rourke and James E. Stokes, as Linemen. Sept. 1. Joseph F. Hart, Bryan F. Maher, William Byrnes, John Woods, Ed. Dunphy, John Powers, Frank A. O'Shea, Charles Lynch, James T. Heffernan, William G. Starrett, John J. Hagan, John P. McGuire, Frederick Erginstotter, August Dommer, Charles S. O'Connor, John L. M. Dempsey, Walter Starkey, Daniel Gallagher, G. L. Buckholz, Thomas J. O'Toole, Charles F. Brown, John H. Feldhasen, Joseph G. Callaghan, as ununiformed Firemen, on probation for three months. " 15. George Fitzsimons, as ununiformed Fireman, on probation for three months.

REDUCTION IN RANK UPON APPLICATION.

Aug. 1. Ed. C. Smith, Engineer of Steamer to Fireman 1st grade. Sept. 20. Charles McConrighy and Dominick Swanton, Engineers of Steamer to Firemen 1st grade.

PROMOTIONS.

Aug. 1. Martin J. Smith, Eugene J. McKenna, James Kelly, Thomas F. O'Connor, Henry P. Kirk, Charles H. Furey, Henry W. Reichenberg, from Assistant Foremen to Foremen. " John H. Travers, Patrick Murray, William J. McCarthy, from Engineer of Steamer to Assistant Foremen. " John J. Dregan, Quincey J. Kraft, James Flannelly, Joseph A. Caragher, from Firemen 1st grade to Assistant Foremen. Sept. 1. William H. Holmes, John F. Scanlon, Patrick J. Golden, John J. Donohue, John Clunie, William J. Stapleton, Thomas J. McCue, from Assistant Foremen to Foremen. " James W. Byrnes, Thomas V. Madigan, from Engineers of Steamer to Assistant Foremen. " David O'Keefe, John J. Cashman, Patrick Tuman, John J. Shannon, George W. Keighler, from Firemen 1st grade to Assistant Foremen. " 18. Thomas Lally, Chief of the Fifth Battalion, promoted to Deputy Chief of Department, and assigned to Ninth Division, Brooklyn and Queens. " James Cummings, Foreman to Chief of Battalion, and assigned to Thirty-sixth Battalion.

DISMISSED AFTER TRIAL.

Aug. 8. Joseph E. Norton, Fireman 1st grade. " 16. John Simpson, Laborer. Sept. 25. William G. Starrett, Probationary Fireman.

RETIRED FROM ALL SERVICE AFTER TWENTY YEARS' SERVICE.

Aug. 1. John S. Hawkins, Fireman 1st grade. " 31. Henry M. Keighler, Foreman.

RETIRED ON ACCOUNT OF PHYSICAL DISABILITY.

July 10. James J. Ryan, Foreman. Aug. 1. Stephen F. Gill, Assistant Foreman. " 17. John Gillen and Jeremiah J. Delany, Firemen 1st grade.

DECEASED.

July 26. Michael Emmett, Fireman 2d grade. Aug. 17. C. W. D. Lane, Chief of Battalion. " 24. Mathew Fohey, Foreman. Sept. 6. William H. Delahanty, Deputy Chief of Department. " 25. William Jenkins, Laborer.

DEATHS AMONG THOSE RETIRED FROM ALL SERVICES.

Sept. 29. Samuel Madole, late Fireman 1st grade.

HOSPITAL AND TRAINING STABLES.

Table with 2 columns: Description and Count. Includes 'Horses on hand last report' (390), 'Purchased since' (18), 'Died' (5), 'Sold' (6), 'Horses in service September 30, 1900' (397).

HOSE SHOP.

94 lengths of hose, 7 suction and 14 hydrant connections, repaired.

HARNES SHOP.

580 new pieces of harness made and 360 pieces repaired.

REPAIR SHOPS.

Repaired at Shop.

81 steam fire-engines; 10 extensively. 52 hose-wagons; 4 extensively. 36 hook and ladder trucks; 3 extensively. 10 Battalion Chiefs' wagons; 5 extensively. 14 light wagons; 5 extensively. 5 shop wagons; 1 extensively. 3 telegraph wagons. 17 harness hangers. 6 harness for horse-collars. 6 fire extinguishers. 5 shot-off nozzles. 5 play-pipes. 11 hose for fire extinguishers.

Repaired by Wrecking Force.

2 engines. 1 hose-wagon. 1 hook and ladder truck.

Repaired at Company Quarters.

16 buildings; 14 extensively. 11 plumbing; 10 extensively. 3 extensive repairs to painting. 4 extensive repairs to tinning. 16 roofs repaired. 19 roofs painted. 5 floors caulked. 1 pair large doors made and put up. 2 pair small doors made and put up. 8 pair sashes made and put up. 2 skylights made and put up. 38 new maple stall platforms. 19 new maple stall gratings. 90 lights of glass put in. 400 feet of kosmocrete relaid. 300 feet of coping reset. 200 feet of flagging relaid. 3 galvanized leaders made and put up. 3 galvanized gutters made and put up. 150 joints of stove-pipe made and put up. 25 lamps repaired.

PAINT SHOP.

Table with 2 columns: Description and Count. Includes 'Engine wheels painted' (36), 'Hose-wagon wheels painted' (48), 'Hook and ladder wheels painted' (24), 'Chiefs' and light wagon wheels painted' (24), 'Deputy Chiefs' wagon painted' (1), 'Battalion Chiefs' and light wagons painted' (8), 'Battalion Chiefs' and light wagons touched up' (5), 'Engines touched up' (10), 'Hook and ladder trucks touched up' (5), 'Hose-wagons touched up' (11), 'Engine numbers changed' (4), 'Hook and ladder numbers changed' (2), 'Hose-wagons' sides and seats painted and lettered' (4), 'Poles painted' (18), 'Shafts painted' (10), 'Whiffletrees painted' (4), 'Brake-blocks painted' (10), 'Springs painted' (18), 'Axles painted' (12), 'T-arms painted' (25), 'Short arms painted' (30), 'Sashes' (4), 'Box backs' (25), 'Strips' (25), 'Shop wagon painted complete' (1), 'Aprons for engines' (5), 'Crowns for engines' (3).

NOTABLE FIRES.

August 11, 1900, 7:37 P.M.—Fire at Nos. 25 to 31 Washington street; two-story brick and frame building 100 x 135 feet, occupied by Robert Gair as storehouse and stable. Fire originated on first floor and extended throughout building; building and contents considerably damaged. The services of 9 engine companies, 1 fire-boat and 3 hook and ladder companies were required, and the fire was under control in about one hour and a half. Estimated damage, \$38,000. September 11, 1900, 11:25 A.M.—Fire at foot of Wardell street, Long Island City; three-story frame building, 100 x 45 feet, occupied by Fisk, Clark & Flagg as kid glove factory; considerably damaged. Extended to the two-story frame building, 80 x 25 feet, occupied by Carlstadt Chemical Company as chemical works, slightly damaged; also to the one-story frame building, No. 109 Remsen street, occupied by E. Trowbridge as stable, slightly damaged, and to the one-story

frame building, 40 x 45 feet, occupied by Fisk, Clark & Flagg as boiler room, considerably damaged. The services of 6 engine companies, 1 fire-boat and 3 hook and ladder companies were required, and the fire was under control in about one hour. Estimated damage, \$35,000.

September 22, 1900, 5:44 A. M.—Fire at Commercial wharf and Bowne street; six-story frame building 35 x 40 feet, known as grain elevator "B"; extended all through building, which, with contents, was considerably damaged. Extended to the storehouse No. 215 Commercial wharf, four-story granite building, 50 x 100; building and contents considerably damaged. Also to No. 216 Commercial wharf, four-story granite building, 50 x 180, occupied as storehouse; building and contents considerably damaged. The services of 9 engine companies, 2 fire-boats, 1 water-tower and 3 hook and ladder companies were required, and the fire was under control in about six hours and a half. Estimated damage, \$52,000.

ROLL OF MERIT.

August 19, 1900—Fireman 1st grade Michael O'Keefe, Engine 132, for rescuing, at personal risk, outside the line of duty, Louis Lassusky of No. 119 Kent avenue, from drowning in the river at foot of North Eighth street, Borough of Brooklyn.

Number and Character of Alarms and Manner of Receipt.

ALARMS.	MANNER OF RECEIPT.				Total.
	From Department Street Alarm Boxes.	Special Department Telegraph Signals.	Verbally.	Automatic Telegraph.	
Fires	418	1	264	11	694
Indication of fire	30	..	10	1	41
Unnecessary	11	..	3	21	35
Total	459	1	277	32	769

Alarms were communicated by attaches of this Department	95
" " attaches of Police Department	51
" " district key holders	268
" " citizen key holders	121
" " all other means	224
Total	759

Statistics of Fires.

	JULY.	AUGUST.	SEPTEMBER.	TOTAL.
In buildings—				
Confined to point of starting	112	163	149	324
Confined to building	10	14	24	48
Extended to other buildings	9	4	6	19
In vessels	2	2	..	4
In places other than buildings and vessels	35	19	28	82
Total	178	202	207	587
Extinguished without engine stream	208	143	143	494
" with one engine stream	48	35	32	115
" with two or three engine streams	12	17	24	53
" with more than three engine streams	5	7	7	19
Total	273	202	207	682
Extent of damage to buildings and vessels—Built mainly of brick, stone or iron:				
Slight	77	66	60	203
Considerable	1	9	5	15
Destroyed	1	1
Built mainly of wood:				
Slight	138	93	91	322
Considerable	11	9	17	37
Destroyed	2	3	6	11
Places other than buildings or vessels	37	21	28	86
Total	174	202	207	583
Between 6 A. M. and 6 P. M.	99	95	98	292
Between 6 P. M. and 6 A. M.	175	106	109	390
Total each month	274	202	207	683

WATER CONSUMPTION.

8,488,764 gallons, of which 79,250 gallons were river water.

Losses and Insurance.

1900.	JULY.	AUGUST.	SEPTEMBER.	TOTAL.
Estimated loss, insured and uninsured—				
On buildings and vessels	\$43,845 00	\$31,530 00	\$87,405 00	\$162,780 00
On contents	38,785 00	54,075 00	186,365 00	279,225 00
Total	\$82,630 00	\$85,605 00	\$273,770 00	\$441,005 00
Estimated insurance—				
On buildings and vessels	\$1,015,950 00	\$908,350 00	\$890,150 00	\$2,814,450 00
On contents	392,800 00	338,200 00	453,700 00	1,184,700 00
Total	\$1,408,750 00	\$1,246,550 00	\$1,343,850 00	\$3,999,150 00
Estimated uninsured loss—				
On buildings and vessels	\$4,075 00	\$125 00	\$1,120 00	\$5,320 00
On contents	7,320 00	320 00	29,085 00	36,725 00
Total	\$11,395 00	\$445 00	\$30,205 00	\$42,045 00
Average loss per fire	\$301 56	\$473 29	\$1,322 56	\$666 79
Number of fires	374	202	207	683

FIRE-ALARM TELEGRAPH.

Alarms and Calls.

Eight hundred and fifty-five alarms and calls were received and transmitted as follows:

First alarms	470	
Second alarms	19	
Third alarms	9	498
Still alarms	88	
Verbal alarms	162	250
Special calls for companies	13	
Special calls for Insurance Patrol	5	
Ambulance calls	89	107
		855

From street boxes	428	
From Pneumatic Signal Company	22	
From telephones	48	498
Still alarms	88	
Verbal alarms	162	250
Special calls for companies	13	
Special calls for Insurance Patrol	5	
Ambulance calls	89	107
		855

Messages.

Messages received	25,576
" transmitted	26,621
	52,197

Wire Mileage.

There are 331,698 1/2 miles of electrical conductors in operation.

Lines.

5,347 1/2 miles of insulated copper wire used for repairs; 1,391 miles used for extensions. Removed 3,079 1/2 miles of wire.

Poles.

There are 3,433 poles the property of and in use by this Department. This includes 1,336 poles the joint property of the Fire Department and the New York and New Jersey Telephone Company. Removed 17 poles, renewed 1 and added 41.

Fire-alarm Boxes.

1,226 fire-alarm boxes are now in service on 32 circuits, as follows:

Class One	769
Class Two	245
Class Three	191
Class Four	21
	1,226

Money Received for Licenses and Permits Issued, Penalties Collected, Sale of Explosives, etc., Seized, etc.

For 66 1/2 kerosene-oil licenses, issued at \$10	\$6,650 00
For 6 powder licenses, issued at \$5	30 00
For 234 special permits, issued at \$2	468 00
For 3 retail fireworks permits, issued at \$5	15 00
For 3 kindling fire in streets permits, issued at 50 cents	1 50
For 1 permit to use and keep explosives in hand magazine, issued at \$10	10 00
Total for licenses and permits	\$7,154 50
For 10 penalties for chimney, at \$5	50 00
Total received and turned over to the Relief Fund	\$7,204 50

SANITARY STATISTICS.

Number of cases of illness	80
Number of cases of injuries	39
Total	119
Time lost (number of days for illness)	880
Time lost (number of days for injuries)	774
Total	1,654

LOCAL BOARDS.

TWENTY-FIRST DISTRICT, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

MINUTES.

Pursuant to call by President Haffen, the members of the Local Board, Twenty-first District, met at 11 A. M. on Wednesday, November 28, 1900, 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).

Present—President Haffen, Alderman Geiger, Alderman McGrath, and Councilman Murray. Minutes of the previous meeting were read and adopted.

HEARINGS.

East One Hundred and Eighty-third Street Paving, from Third Avenue to Webster Avenue, and from Arthur Avenue to Southern Boulevard.

A number of property-owners appeared in opposition to the recommendation made by the Local Board, Twenty-first District, on April 5, 1900 (page 29 of Minutes, Index No. 194). A protest signed by George Schrank and about forty other property-owners was also presented.

After the owners in opposition to the improvement were heard, the owners in favor were heard. After some discussion, on motion of Councilman Murray, it was

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by the Local Board Twenty-first District, on April 5th last, be recalled from the Board of Public Improvements.

Prospect Avenue Sewer, from East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth Street to East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh Street.

Petition of William Urbach, Mary A. Norton and Mrs. S. M. Murphy was read, and on motion of Alderman Geiger, it was

Resolved, That the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that a sewer and appurtenances be constructed in Prospect Avenue, from East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street to East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, Borough of The Bronx, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Clinton Avenue Sheet Asphalt on Concrete Foundation, from Crotona Park, North, to East One Hundred and Eighteenth Street.

Petition of Charles H. Ludwig and others was read, and, on motion of Alderman McGrath it was

Resolved, That the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that Clinton Avenue be paved with sheet asphalt on a concrete foundation, between Crotona Park North and East One Hundred and Eighteenth street, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Belmont Avenue, Acquiring Title, from East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth Street to East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh Street (Tremont Avenue).

Petition of Isaac L. Dann and others was read and, on motion of Alderman Geiger, it was Resolved, That the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that proceedings be initiated for acquiring title to Belmont avenue, from East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street to East One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street (Tremont avenue) and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Sewers and appurtenances in Jennings street, from West Farms road to Hoe street; and in Boone street, from West Farms road to summit north of Jennings street; and in Longfellow street, from Jennings street to summit south of Jennings street; and in Bryant street, from Freeman street to summit north of East One Hundred and Seventy-second street; and in East One Hundred and Seventy-second street, from Bryant street to Vyse street.

Petition of John Wetterer and others was read, and, on motion of Councilman Murray, it was Resolved, That the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that a sewer and appurtenances be constructed in Jennings street, from West Farms road to Hoe street; and in Boone street, from West Farms road to summit north of Jennings street; and in Longfellow street, from Jennings street to summit south of Jennings street; and in Bryant street, from Freeman street to summit north of East One Hundred and Seventy-second street, and in East One Hundred and Seventy-second street, from Bryant street to Vyse street, Borough of The Bronx, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Prospect Avenue Regulating and Grading, from Crotona Park, North, to East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth Street.

The following communications were read, viz.:

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS—CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN,
NEW YORK, November 19, 1900.

Hon. LOUIS F. HAFEN, President, Borough of The Bronx:

DEAR SIR—I inclose herewith copy of report made by the Commissioner of Highways on the recommendation of the Local Board, Twenty-first District, to have Prospect avenue, from Crotona Park, North, to One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street, regulated and graded, etc., and paved with telford macadam.

In his report the Commissioner states that the thoroughfare will be an important one, and suggests that a more substantial pavement than telford macadam be laid. The matter was, therefore, referred to you, at the meeting of this Board held on the 14th instant, for the purpose of submitting the question of pavement to the Local Board for further consideration.

Respectfully,
JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS, November 22, 1900.

Hon. MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, President, Board of Public Improvements:

DEAR SIR—In compliance with the request conveyed to me by a letter dated March 16, 1900, from the Secretary of the Board, with a resolution adopted by the Local Board of the Twenty-first District, Borough of The Bronx, recommending that Prospect avenue, from Crotona Park, North, to East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street, be regulated and graded, curbstones set and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, crosswalks laid, approaches built and fences erected where necessary, trees planted on the sidewalks and the roadway paved with telford macadam, I beg in submit the following report:

Title to Prospect avenue has been acquired by the City, and for the greater part of its length the avenue is in poor condition for travel; the access to the property along the avenue is very imperfect. Inasmuch as Prospect avenue forms a direct connection between Crotona Park and the Zoological Gardens, it is very necessary to improve the roadway; but I am of the opinion that a more substantial pavement than telford macadam should be laid. I therefore recommend that the matter be referred back to the Local Board of the District for reconsideration and action.

The estimated cost of the work called for by the resolution of the Local Board, including six months' maintenance, is \$85,000, and the assessed value of the real estate within the probable area of assessment is \$562,327.

Very respectfully,
JAMES P. KEATING, Commissioner of Highways.

On motion of Alderman Geiger, it was

Resolved, That the recommendation made on March 8, 1900, by the Local Board, Twenty-first District, for regulating, grading and paving with telford macadam Prospect avenue, from Crotona Park, North, to East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street, be and it is hereby rescinded; and be it further

Resolved, That this Board hereby recommends that Prospect avenue be regulated and graded, curbstones set, sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, crosswalks laid, approaches built, fences erected where necessary and trees planted on the sidewalks, between Crotona Park, North, and East One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Rockfield Street Grading, between Mosholu Parkway and Grand Boulevard and Concourse.

Petition of W. W. Niles, Jr., and others, dated August 20, 1900, was read, and on motion of Alderman McGrath, it was

Resolved, That the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that Rockfield street be regulated and graded, curbstones set, sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, crosswalks laid, approaches built, fences erected where necessary, between Mosholu parkway and the Grand Boulevard and Concourse, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Caldwell Avenue at the Intersection of East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth Street, Repaving with Sheet Asphalt on Concrete Foundation.

Petition of Henry Ruhl, M. D., and others was read, and, on motion of Councilman Murray, it was

Resolved, That the Local Board, Twenty-first District hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that the intersection of Caldwell avenue at East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street be repaved with sheet asphalt on present pavement, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

The following communication was read and ordered filed:

MANHATTAN RAILWAY COMPANY, No. 105 BROADWAY,
VICE-PRESIDENT'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, November 15, 1900.

Mr. LOUIS HAFEN, President, Borough of the Bronx, City:

DEAR SIR—Referring to your letter of recent date, I have to say that a great deal of the property referred to in your communication is leased to the Gleason Realty Company, a portion of which will be retaken by this company within the next thirty days, and immediate repairs will then be made to the property controlled by this company.

Respectfully,
ALFRED SKITT, Vice-President.

Washington Avenue Sheet Asphalt, from the Junction of Third Avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-ninth Street to Pelham Avenue.

The following petition was read, viz.:

Local Board, Borough of The Bronx:

GENTLEMEN—We, the undersigned, owners of property on Washington avenue, from Third avenue to Pelham avenue, would earnestly request your honorable Board to pass a resolution to pave this avenue with sheet asphalt upon a concrete base.

We are opposed to experimental pavements being laid upon this avenue, as it is one of the main thoroughfares in this borough, and, learning that a petition is before you for the paving of this avenue with asphalt blocks, we wish to file this protest against the laying of such an experimental pavement and urging you to pass a resolution to pave the said avenue with sheet asphalt, the same as now used on the main thoroughfares in the principal cities of this country.

JACOB E. SOLTAN, No. 1042 Washington avenue.
And others.

On motion of Alderman Geiger it was

Resolved, That the Local Board, Twenty-first District, hereby amends its recommendation made on June 15, 1899, (index No. 335, page 117 of Minutes) to read "be paved with sheet asphalt on a concrete base," instead of asphalt blocks on a concrete base, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Lighting in front of Church of St. John Chrysostom, Hoe Avenue and One Hundred and Sixty-seventh Street.

Recommended to the Board of Public Improvements.

On motion of Alderman McGrath it was

Resolved, That a joint session of the Local Boards be held on December 3, at 11.30 A. M.

Adopted.

Adjournment.

MICHAEL J. GARVIN, Secretary.

LOCAL BOARD.

TWENTY-SECOND DISTRICT, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

MINUTES.

Purport to call by President Hafen, the members of the Local Board, Twenty-second District, met at 1 P. M., November 28, 1900, at the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx.

Present—President Hafen and Alderman Gass.

Minutes of previous meeting read and adopted.

Construction of Temporary Sewers and Appurtenances in Williamsbridge, etc.

The following communications were read, viz.:

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS, November 14, 1900.

Hon. LOUIS F. HAFEN, President, Borough of The Bronx:

DEAR SIR—In accordance with the action taken by this Board at the meeting held on the 9th instant, I inclose herewith, for the action of the Local Board, copy of a communication from the Commissioner of Sewers, together with copies of reports from the Deputy Commissioner for the Borough of The Bronx and the Engineer-in-Charge, relative to the construction of temporary sewers and appurtenances in Williamsbridge, etc.

Respectfully,
JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF SEWERS, November 8, 1900.

Hon. M. F. HOLAHAN, President, Board of Public Improvements:

DEAR SIR—In reply to your communication of March 6, 1899, transmitting copy of an opinion of the Corporation Counsel, relative to the construction of temporary sewers and appurtenances in certain streets and avenues in Williamsbridge, lying east of White Plains avenue and west of White Plains avenue, from Morris street south, etc., also plan for the proposed sewers to have the same modified in pursuance of the said opinion, I beg leave to transmit modified plan with my approval and request that the same be adopted.

I also transmit copies of communications from the Deputy Commissioner of Sewers, and Engineer-in-Charge, with affidavit of James Lamb, Sr., and others, in relation to the opening of streets, etc.; also the consents of Hertha Myers and others, to construct sewers in Randall street, between Maple and Fourth avenues, in the former village of Williamsbridge, Borough of The Bronx.

Yours respectfully,
JAMES KANE, Commissioner of Sewers.

DEPARTMENT OF SEWERS—BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, }
November 1, 1900. }

Hon. JAMES KANE, Commissioner of Sewers, City of New York:

DEAR SIR—Referring to your communication of March 7, 1899, inclosing copy of communication from the Board of Public Improvements, transmitting an opinion of the Corporation Counsel in relation to the Williamsbridge sewer system, together with maps, etc., in connection with the same, I beg to state that this matter was referred to the late Chief Engineer of this department (Mr. Farnum) on March 8, 1899, and held in abeyance by him for a long time, but it has recently been taken up by Mr. Fitch, Engineer-in-Charge, and I beg to transmit herewith copy of his report on same, together with the inclosures mentioned therein.

Concurring with Mr. Fitch in his report, I respectfully recommend that immediate action be taken in this matter.

Respectfully,
THOS. J. BYRNE,
Deputy Commissioner of Sewers, Borough of The Bronx.

DEPARTMENT OF SEWERS—BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, }
November 1, 1900. }

Hon. THOMAS J. BYRNE, Deputy Commissioner of Sewers:

DEAR SIR—Referring to a letter received by Mr. Farnum from you dated March 8, 1899, transmitting the herein returned inclosures, I respectfully beg to take up this matter of the Williamsbridge sewers and push it, if possible, to a conclusion.

I have received calls lately from several taxpayers in Williamsbridge who state that the people living in the district to be benefited by these sewers are anxiously waiting some progress in the matter.

To that end, therefore, I herewith transmit plans and five copies of specifications for temporary sewers and appurtenances in certain avenues and streets in Williamsbridge sewer system, lying east of White Plains avenue, bounded as follows:

By Fifteenth street, 105 feet east of Sixth avenue, Briggs street and White Plains avenue, and in Prospect terrace, between Thirteenth street and Fifteenth street, and in Fourteenth street between Second avenue and Prospect terrace; modified so as to conform with the herein returned opinion of the Corporation Counsel.

I transmit also an affidavit of several residents of Williamsbridge, to the effect that all the streets included on this plan, between the limits stated, have been used as highways for a period of twenty years; excepting, however, Randall street, from Maple avenue to Fourth avenue, for which street, I transmit a consent of all the abutting property-owners on said street, between said limits.

This consent and the affidavits for the remainder of the streets included in the plan will, I trust, make it possible to proceed with the letting of this contract, under this opinion of the Corporation Counsel.

I submit also a new approximate estimate of cost and assessed valuation of property benefited, as the same is rendered necessary by the many changes in the plan since it was originally prepared.

Approximate estimate of cost..... \$128,808 00
Assessed valuation of property..... 1,229,554 00

Respectfully,
J. H. FITCH, Engineer-in-Charge.

On motion of Alderman Gass it was

Resolved, That the Local Board, Twenty-second District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements that temporary sewers and appurtenances be constructed in certain avenues and streets in Williamsbridge sewer system lying east of White Plains avenue, as follows:

In Fifteenth street, one hundred and five feet east of Sixth avenue, Briggs street and White Plains avenue, and in Prospect terrace, between Thirteenth street and Fifteenth street, and in Fourteenth street, between Second avenue and Prospect terrace; modified so as to conform with opinion of the Corporation Counsel, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Discontinuing and Closing a Part of Baychester Avenue.

Petition of William W. Penfield and others was read.

On motion of Alderman Gass it was

Resolved, That the Local Board, Twenty-second District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements the discontinuance and closing of that portion of Baychester avenue northerly of West Fourth street to Two Hundred and Forty-second street, and the discontinuing of Two Hundred and Forty-second street, from Baychester avenue to White Plains road, which was filed by the said Board of Public Improvements on February 15, 1900, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Change of Tentative Plan, East of Bronx River.

Petition of William W. Penfield and others was read.

On motion of Alderman Gass it was

Resolved, That the Local Board, Twenty-second District, hereby recommends to the Board of Public Improvements a change of the tentative plan of the street system of that part of the Borough of The Bronx east of the Bronx river, lying northerly of West Fourth street to the northern boundary line of The City of New York on the so-called Penfield and Cranford properties, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted forthwith to the said Board of Public Improvements.

Adjournment.

MICHAEL J. GARVIN, Secretary.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

Minutes of Adjourned Meeting of the Aqueduct Commissioners, held at their office, No. 207 Stewart Building, on Thursday, November 15, 1900, at 11 o'clock A. M.

Present—Commissioners Ryan (President), Ten Eyck, Power and Windolph.

Commissioner Ten Eyck, as Chairman of the Committee of Finance and Audit, reported the examination and audit of bills contained in Vouchers Nos. 13,685 to 13,707, inclusive, amounting to \$2,404.47.

Which were approved and ordered certified to the Comptroller for payment by the following vote:

Affirmative—Commissioners Ryan, Ten Eyck, Power and Windolph—4.

The following communication was received from the Chief Engineer: REPORT No. 210.

NEW YORK, November 14, 1900.

To the Honorable the Aqueduct Commissioners:

GENTLEMEN—This is to inform you that Terence Reilly, Laborer, who was employed at Shaft No. 25, died November 13, 1900.

Yours very respectfully, W. R. HILL, Chief Engineer.

Commissioner Power moved that the same be ordered filed. Which was carried by the following vote: Affirmative—Commissioners Ryan, Ten Eyck, Power and Windolph—4.

The following communication was also received from the Chief Engineer: REPORT No. 211.

NEW YORK, November 14, 1900.

To the Honorable the Aqueduct Commissioners:

GENTLEMEN—Relating to the petition of Will C. Hull and George W. Hunt, Commissioners of Highways, asking the privilege of changing the highway along and through Parcels Nos. 438 and 439, I would report that, inasmuch as a like improvement can be made by keeping outside the property of the City, I would recommend that their request be denied.

Yours very respectfully, W. R. HILL, Chief Engineer.

Commissioner Ten Eyck moved that the report be laid over. Which was carried by the following vote: Affirmative—Commissioners Ryan, Ten Eyck, Power and Windolph—4.

President Ryan verbally reported that, pursuant to authority conferred upon him by a resolution adopted July 31, 1900, he did on November 9, 1900, appoint Joseph S. Windells, of No. 316 Throop avenue, Brooklyn, an Assistant Engineer on probation, at a salary of \$1,800 per annum, and asked that his action be approved.

Commissioner Power moved that the action of the President be approved. Which was carried by the following vote: Affirmative—Commissioners Ryan, Ten Eyck, Power and Windolph—4.

The Comptroller, under date of November 1, 1900, gave notice of the issue of warrants for the payment of vouchers not certified to by the Aqueduct Commissioners during the month of October, 1900.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Amount. Includes Reservoir 'D', Double Reservoir 'I', Reservoir 'I', and Cornell Dam.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Amount. Includes Bonds issued October 22 and Premium.

—balance to the credit of "Additional Water Fund" of \$1,006,253.47.

Commissioner Ten Eyck moved that the same be ordered entered upon the books of the Commissioners and filed.

Which was carried by the following vote: Affirmative—Commissioners Ryan, Ten Eyck, Power and Windolph—4.

The Commissioners then adjourned. HARRY W. WALKER, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, No. 220 FOURTH AVENUE, NEW YORK, November 27, 1900. OPERATIONS FOR THE WEEK ENDING NOVEMBER 24, 1900.

Large table with 5 columns: Manhattan and The Bronx, Brooklyn, Queens and Richmond, and Total. Lists various building operations and their counts.

A. J. JOHNSON, Secretary, Board of Buildings.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS.

REPORT OF TRANSACTIONS FROM NOVEMBER 27 TO DECEMBER 4, 1900.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES—BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS, Nos. 126 AND 128 LIVINGSTON STREET, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, NEW YORK CITY, December 6, 1900.

November 27.

Received from Mrs. Smith, of No. 173 Division avenue, package of magazines for inmates of institutions.

Notified Municipal Civil Service Commission of the transfer of Michael Heenan, Engineer, from Kings County Hospital to Kings County Almshouse, and Fred. Bower, from Kings County Almshouse to Kings County Hospital, on November 1, 1900.

Approved bills for supplies amounting to \$17,440.50, and transmitted same to Auditor.

The following reports for week ending November 27, 1900, received and placed on file:

Table with 2 columns: Item and Amount. Includes dependent children committed, discharged, and other reports.

November 30.

Approved pay-roll for month of November, amounting to \$12,148.79.

Approved following bills and transmitted same to Auditor:

Table with 2 columns: Item and Amount. Includes Supplies, G. A. R. relief, Hospitals, and Institutions.

Approved weekly regulations of the various institutions. Transmitted to Hon. John W. Keller trial balance and statements in duplicate, on account of appropriation for the years 1899 and 1900, for the month of November.

John Murray, Hospital Helper; Lily White, Lucy A. Maklem, Ada Newbold, Pupil Nurses, and Clementine Purcell, Nurse, resigned.

December 1.

Florence M. Mastin, employed as Pupil Nurse, Kings County Hospital, at \$120 per annum, under Schedule A.

Anthony Bertges, employed as Hospital Helper, temporarily, at \$300 per annum, on December 4, 1900.

December 4.

Mary E. Shannon, employed as Trained Nurse, temporary, at \$360 per annum.

The following reports for week ending December 4, 1900, received and placed on file:

Table with 2 columns: Item and Amount. Includes dependent children committed, admissions to hospital, and other reports.

A. H. GOETTING, Commissioner.

APPROVED PAPERS.

No. 10304.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Pilgrim Congregational Church to place and keep transparencies announcing their entertainment to be held on December 5, 6 and 7, 1900, on the following lamp-posts in the Borough of Manhattan:

- Madison avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street; Madison avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-first street; Lenox avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street;

—the work to be done at its own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Highways; such permission to continue only for two weeks from the date of approval by his Honor the Mayor.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 4, 1900.

Adopted by the Council, December 4, 1900.

Approved by the Mayor, December 4, 1900.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES, PIER "A," N. R., BATTERY PLACE, NEW YORK, December 3, 1900.

Supervisor of the City Record:

SIR—I beg to advise that at a meeting of the Board of Docks held November 30, 1900, Edward J. Collins was appointed Ship Carpenter in this Department, with compensation at the rate of 44 cents per hour while employed.

Yours respectfully, WM. H. BURKE, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND RICHMOND, THE ARSENAL, CENTRAL PARK, December 7, 1900.

Supervisor of the City Record:

SIR—I beg to report the following action taken in connection with employees of this Department, boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond:

Discharged, with Horses and Carts.

Thomas Noonan, Thomas Organ.

Appointed, with Horses and Carts.

John Foy, No. 415 East Sixty-fifth street, James Donovan, No. 536 West Twenty-ninth street.

Respectfully, WILLIS HOLLY, Secretary, Park Board.

SUPREME COURT.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education, by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of The City of New York to certain lands on the SOUTHERLY SIDE OF TWENTY-FIFTH STREET, between Seventh and Eighth avenues, in the Sixth Ward of said city, duly selected and approved by said Board as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, and the various statutes amendatory thereof.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate in the above-entitled matter, appointed pursuant to the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, and the various statutes amendatory thereof, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, lessee or lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises, title to which is sought to be acquired in this proceeding, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate of the loss and damage to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons interested in the lands and premises affected by this proceeding, or having any interest therein, and have filed a true report or transcript of such estimate in the office of the Board of Education, for the inspection of whomsoever it may concern.

Second—That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by the said estimate and who may object to the same or any part thereof, may within ten days after the first publication of this notice, December 11, 1900, file their objections to such estimate, in writing, with us, at our office, Room No. 2, on the fourth floor of the Staats-Zeitung Building, No. 2 Tryon row, in the said city, as provided by section 40 of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, and the various statutes amendatory thereof, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting at our said office, on the 27th day of December, 1900, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Third—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York at a Special Term thereof, to be held in Part III, in the County Court-house, in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, on the 10th day of January, 1901, 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, December 10, 1900.

HERMAN W. VANDER PEEL, GEORGE EDWARD KENT, HERMAN ALSBERG, Commissioners.

ERASTUS C. WILSON, Clerk.

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Seventh District—Fifty-fourth street, west of Eighth avenue.

SECURE DIVISION.

Borough of Brooklyn.

First District—No. 311 Adams street. JACOB KAMINSKI, Magistrate.

Second District—Court and Butler streets. HENRY BARTON, Magistrate.

Third District—Myrtle and Vanderbilt avenues. CHARLES E. TAYLOR, Magistrate.

Fourth District—Nos. 6 and 7 Lee avenues. WILLIAM KRAMER, Magistrate.

Fifth District—Evan and Powers streets. ANDREW LINDO, Magistrate.

Sixth District—Gates and Reid avenues. LEWIS R. WATTS, Magistrate.

Seventh District—No. 31 Grand street, Flatbush. ALBERT E. STUBBS, Magistrate.

Eighth District—Coney Island. ALBERT VAN BRUNT VOORHIES, Jr., Magistrate.

Borough of Queens.

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Third District—Far Rockaway, Long Island. EDWARD J. HEALY, Magistrate.

Borough of Richmond.

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Hall of Records, Brooklyn.

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MICHAEL F. MCGOLDRICK, Chief Clerk.

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MARSHALL S. MOORE, County Judge.

CITY COURT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

No. 32 Chambers street, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

General Term.

Trial Term, Part I.

Part II.

Part III.

Part IV.

Special Term Chambers will be held 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

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

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SUPREME COURT.

County Court-house, 10, 30 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Special Term, Part I, Room No. 16.

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Special Term, Part II, Room No. 23.

Clerk's Office, Part II, Room No. 19.

Special Term, Part III, Room No. 18.

Clerk's Office, Part III, Room No. 19.

Special Term, Part IV, Room No. 20.

Special Term, Part V, Room No. 33.

Special Term, Part VI, Room No. 31.

Special Term, Part VII, Room No. 30.

Trial Term, Part II, Room No. 34.

Clerk's Office, Room No. 23.

Trial Term, Part III, Room No. 30.

Trial Term, Part IV, Room No. 31.

Trial Term, Part V, Room No. 24.

Trial Term, Part VI, Room No. 35.

Trial Term, Part VII, Room No. 36.

Trial Term, Part VIII, Room No. 27.

Trial Term, Part IX, Room No. 29.

Trial Term, Part X, Room No. 28.

Trial Term, Part XI, Room No. 27.

Trial Term, Part XII, Room No. 26.

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Clerk's Office, Appellate Term, Room No. 30.

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CRIMINAL DIVISION, SUPREME COURT.

New Criminal Court Building, Centre street. Court opens at 10:30 o'clock A. M.

EDWARD R. CARROLL, Clerk. Hours from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

APPELLATE DIVISION, SUPREME COURT

Court-house, Madison avenue, corner Twenty-fifth street. Court opens at 1 P. M.

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COUNTY COURT, KINGS COUNTY.

County Court-house, Brooklyn, Rooms 20, 21, 22 and 27.

Court opens 10 A. M. daily, and sits until business is completed, Part I, Room No. 23, Part II, Room No. 20, Court-house. Clerk's Office, Rooms 20 and 27, open daily from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 12 M. to 3 P. M.

JAMES S. REAGAN, Chief Clerk.

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Held in the building for Criminal Courts, Centre, Elm, White and Franklin streets. Court opens at half-past 10 o'clock.

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

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—ELIAS H. HINDS, DALE, WILLIAM TRAVERS JEROME, EPHRAIM A. JACOB, JOHN B. MCKEAN, WILLIAM C. HOLBROOK, WILLIAM M. FULLER, Clerk; JAMES H. JOHNS, Deputy Clerk.

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

Second Division—Trial days—Borough Hall, Brooklyn, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, at 10 o'clock; Town Hall, Jamaica, Borough of Queens, Tuesdays, at 10 o'clock; Town Hall, New Brighton, Borough of Richmond, Thursdays, at 10 o'clock.

Justices—JOHN CURTIS, HOWARD J. FORBES, PATRICK KEADY, JOHN FLEMING, THOMAS W. FITZGERALD, JOSEPH L. KERRIGAN, Clerk; JOHN J. DONOHUE, Deputy Clerk.

Clerk's office, Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn, open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

MUNICIPAL COURTS.

Borough of Manhattan.

First District—Third, Fifth and Eighth Wards, and all that part of the First Ward lying west of Broadway and Whitehall street, including Governor's Island, Bedloe's Island, Ellis Island and the Oyster Islands. New Court-house, No. 128 Prince street, corner of Westover street.

DANIEL E. FINN, Justice. FRANK L. BACON, Clerk. Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Second District—Second, Fourth, Sixth and Fourteenth Wards, and all that portion of the First Ward lying south and east of Broadway and Whitehall street. Court-room, corner of Grand and Centre streets.

HERMAN BOLTE, Justice. FRANCIS MARGIN, Clerk. Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

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

Third District—Ninth and Fifteenth Wards. Court-room, southwest corner Sixth avenue and West Tenth street. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

W. F. MURPHY, Justice. DANIEL WILLIAMS, Clerk.

Fourth District—Tenth and Seventeenth Wards. Court-room, No. 30 First street, corner Second avenue. Court opens 9 A. M. daily, and remains open to close of business.

GEORGE F. ROSEN, Justice. JOHN E. LYNCH, Clerk.

Fifth District—Seventh, Eleventh and Thirteenth Wards. Court-room, No. 124 Clinton street.

BENJAMIN HOFFMAN, Justice. THOMAS F. McPATRICK, Clerk.

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

DANIEL F. MARTIN, Justice. ABRAHAM BERGMAN, Clerk.

Seventh District—Nineteenth Ward. Court-room, No. 123 East Fifty-seventh street. Court opens every morning at 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays), and continues open to close of business.

HERMAN JOSEPH, Justice. PATRICK McDAVITT, Clerk.

Eighth District—Sixteenth and Twentieth Wards. Court-room, northwest corner of Twenty-third street and Eighth avenue. Court opens at 10 A. M. and continues open to close of business.

Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. with Court day.

Trial days and Return days, each Court day.

JOSEPH H. STYER, Justice. THOMAS COSTIGAN, Clerk.

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

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

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

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

THOMAS E. MURRAY, Justice. HUGH GRANT, Clerk.

Eleventh District—That portion of the Twelfth Ward which lies north of the centre line of West One Hundred and Tenth street and west of the centre line of Lenox or Sixth avenue, and of the Harlem river north of the terminus of Lenox or Sixth avenue. Court-room, corner of One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street and Columbus avenue. Court opens daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted), from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

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

Borough of The Bronx.

First District—All that part of the Twenty-fourth Ward which was lately annexed to the City and County of New York by chapter 2034 of the Laws of 1895, comprising all of the late Towns of Westchester and part of the Towns of Eastchester and Pelham, including the Villages of Wakefield and Williamsbridge. Court-room, Town Hall, Main street, Westchester Village. Court opens daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Trial of causes are Tuesday and Friday of each week.

WILLIAM W. PRINFIELD, Justice. JOHN N. STEWART, Clerk.

Second District—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards. Court-room, corner of Third avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street. Office hours from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court opens at 10 A. M.

JOHN M. THIRNEY, Justice. HOWARD SPEAR, Clerk.

Borough of Brooklyn.

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

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Second District—Seventh, Eighth, Ninth, Eleventh, Twentieth, Twenty-first, Twenty-second and Twenty-third Wards. Court-room located at No. 794 Broadway, Brooklyn.

GEORGE B. VAN WARY, Justice. WILLIAM H. ALLEN, Clerk.

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

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

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

Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. until 4 P. M. Court opens at 10 o'clock.

Fourth District—Twenty-fourth, Twenty-fifth, Twenty-sixth, Twenty-seventh and Twenty-eighth Wards. Court-room, No. 24 Howard avenue.

THOMAS H. WILLIAMS, Justice. HERMAN GOHLINGHOFF, Clerk; JAMES P. SODDY, Assistant Clerk.

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

Fifth District—Twenty-ninth, Thirtieth, Thirty-first and Thirty-second Wards. Court-room on Bath avenue and Bay Twenty-second street, Bath Beach.

CORNELIUS FERGUSON, Justice. JEREMIAH J. O'LEARY, Clerk.

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

Borough of Queens.

First District—First Ward (all of Long Island City, formerly composing five Wards). Court-room, Queens County Court-house (annexed temporarily).

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

Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. each week day. Court held each day, except Saturday.

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

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

Third District—JAMES P. McLAUGHLIN, Justice; GEORGE W. DANON, Clerk.

Court-house, Town Hall, Jamaica.

Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court held on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, at 10 A. M.

Borough of Richmond.

First District—First and Third Wards (Towns of Easttown and Northfield). Court-room, Saratoga Village Hall, Lafayette avenue and Second street, New Brighton.

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Court office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court held each day, except Saturday, from 10 A. M.

Second District—Second, Fourth and Fifth Wards (Towns of Middletown, Southfield and Westfield). Court-room, former Edgewater Village Hall, Stapleton.

GEORGE W. STARK, Justice. PETER TIERMAN, Clerk.

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

AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 14, 1900.

SALE TO COMMENCE AT 10 O'CLOCK A. M.

THE AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS OF THE City of New York will sell at public auction, under the direction of Peter F. Meyer & Co., auctioneers, in the Engineer's Office at Katonah, Westchester County, N. Y., the following described buildings, machinery, etc., now standing within the purchase-line of the New Croton Reservoir:

Table with 4 columns: Parcel No., Former Owner, Description, Minimum Price.

TERMS OF SALE.

First—The purchase money must be paid on the day of sale.

Second—The buildings will be sold to the stone foundations.

Third—The buildings, machinery, etc., must be moved off the City's property by April 1, 1901.

Fourth—No building or machinery will be sold for less than the minimum price given in the City Record and in the posters.

Fifth—The buildings and machinery must be moved to new sites which are at least two hundred and fifty feet from the Croton river or any of its affluents or any drain emptying therein.

Sixth—If any building or part of the same or machinery is left on the property of The City of New York on or after the 1st day of April, 1901, the purchaser shall forfeit all right and title to the buildings or any part of the buildings or machinery so left, and also to the money part of the consideration paid at the time of sale, and the Aqueduct Commissioners may at any time on or after the 1st day of April, 1901, resell said buildings or parts of buildings or machinery or remove or destroy the same.

The Aqueduct Commissioners reserve the right to exclude from such sale any building, buildings or machinery that may be designated by the Division Engineer.

By order of the Aqueduct Commissioners of The City of New York.

JOHN J. RYAN, President.

HARRY W. WALKER, Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS, LIGHTING AND SUPPLIES.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS, LIGHTING AND SUPPLIES, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, December 8, 1900.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES.

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

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 23, 1900.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ICE TO THE PUBLIC BUILDINGS AND OFFICES IN CARE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS, LIGHTING AND SUPPLIES, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX, FROM JANUARY 1, 1901, TO DECEMBER 31, 1901.

The security required will be Two Thousand Dollars.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ICE TO THE PUBLIC BUILDINGS AND OFFICES IN CARE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS, LIGHTING AND SUPPLIES, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, FROM JANUARY 1, 1901, TO DECEMBER 31, 1901.

The security required will be One Thousand Dollars.

No. 3. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ICE TO THE PUBLIC BUILDINGS AND OFFICES IN CARE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS, LIGHTING AND SUPPLIES, BOROUGH OF QUEENS, FROM JANUARY 1, 1901, TO DECEMBER 31, 1901.

The security required will be Five Hundred Dollars.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 23, 1900.

No. 4. FOR FURNISHING, OPERATING AND MAINTAINING ELECTRIC LAMPS FOR THE TERM OF ONE YEAR, FROM JANUARY 1, 1901, TO DECEMBER 31, 1901, FOR LIGHTING THE STREETS, PUBLIC BUILDINGS AND PARKS OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

No. 5. FOR FURNISHING THE GAS OR OTHER ILLUMINATING MATERIAL FOR AND LIGHTING, EXTINGUISHING, CLEANING, REPAIRING AND MAINTAINING THE PUBLIC LAMPS (AND SUPPLYING GAS, ETC., FOR NEW LAMPS WHEN REQUIRED); ALSO FURNISHING BURNERS AND APPLIANCES OF IMPROVED SYSTEM OF LIGHTING ON THE STREETS, PUBLIC BUILDINGS, AVENUES, PIERS, PARKS AND PUBLIC PLACES OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, FOR THE TERM OF ONE YEAR, FROM JANUARY 1, 1901, TO DECEMBER 31, 1901.

No. 6. FOR FURNISHING, OPERATING AND MAINTAINING ELECTRIC LAMPS FOR THE TERM OF ONE YEAR, FROM JANUARY 1, 1901, TO DECEMBER 31, 1901, FOR LIGHTING THE STREETS, PUBLIC BUILDINGS AND PARKS OF THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK

road, and the award of the contract made according to law as soon thereafter as practicable.

The Commissioner reserves the right to reject all bids if he deems it for the interests of the City so to do. Each estimate shall contain the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same, and the names of all persons interested with him therein...

The estimate must be verified. 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 a surety...

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies or the nature and extent of the work required or of the materials to be furnished, bidders are referred to the printed specifications.

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...

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS.

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, Nos. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGHS OF MANHATTAN, December 6, 1900.

NOTICE OF SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

ON THURSDAY, DECEMBER 20, 1900, AT 11 o'clock A. M., the Department of Highways will sell at public auction, by Philip A. Smyth, auctioneer, the following buildings, or parts of buildings, walls, fences, etc., within the lines of Jessup place, from Boscobel to Marcher avenue, and within the lines of One Hundred and Sixty-second street, from Jerome avenue to the approach to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse, Borough of The Bronx:

- 1. Part of two-story and attic frame dwelling, 30.4 by 50 feet. Part of stoop steps, etc. Part of wooden porch, etc. Lath fence, about 120 linear feet. Square picket fence and return, about 120 linear feet.

One Hundred and Sixty-second Street, from Jerome Avenue to Approach to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse.

- 1. Small part of two-story frame dwelling, 4.0 by 4.0 feet. Small part of glass inclosure, 7.0 by 7.0 feet. Small part of frame extension, 4.0 by 7.0 feet. Large part of wooden stoop. Large part of area retaining wall. Flat picket fence, about 120 linear feet. Wire screen, about 12 linear feet. Low retaining wall, about 20 linear feet. Stoop steps.

Cash payment in bankable funds at the time and place of sale, and the entire removal of the buildings, or parts of buildings, etc., by the purchasers within ten days after the sale.

JAMES P. KEATING, Commissioner of Highways.

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, Nos. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW, New York, November 28, 1900.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder inclosed therein, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at No. 21 Park row, in Room No. 1602, until 11 o'clock, on

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 12, 1900, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

Borough of The Bronx.

No. 1. FOR PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT ON SAND FOUNDATION THE CARRIAGEWAY OF EAST ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SECOND STREET, from Brook avenue to St. Ann's avenue.

- The quantity and quality of work to be done is as follows: 375 linear feet of old curbstones taken up, redressed and reset. 7,500 square yards of granite pavement on sand foundation. 115 square feet of new crosswalks furnished and laid. 700 square feet of new flagging. (Not to be bid for, but cost of same included in price bid per square yard for granite pavement.)

420 linear feet of new curbstones furnished and set. (Not to be bid for, but cost of same to be included in price bid per square yard for granite pavement.)

The security required will be Two Thousand Dollars.

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

No. 2. FOR PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT ON SAND FOUNDATION THE CARRIAGEWAY OF EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-THIRD STREET, from Courtlandt avenue to Brook avenue.

The quantity and quality of work to be done is as follows: 1,000 linear feet of old curbstones taken up, redressed and reset. 2,250 square yards of granite pavement on sand foundation. 300 linear feet of new curbstones furnished and set. (Not to be bid for, but cost of same included in price bid per square yard for granite pavement.)

The security required will be Two Thousand Five Hundred Dollars.

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

No. 3. FOR PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT ON SAND FOUNDATION THE CARRIAGEWAY OF EAST ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FIFTH STREET, from Brown place to Brook avenue.

The quantity and quality of work to be done is as follows: 100 linear feet of old curbstones taken up, redressed and reset. 840 square yards of granite pavement on sand foundation. 120 linear feet of new curbstones furnished and set. (Not to be bid for, but cost of same included in price bid per square yard for granite pavement.)

The security required will be Eight Hundred Dollars.

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

No. 4. FOR PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT ON SAND FOUNDATION THE CARRIAGEWAY OF STEEBINS AVENUE, from Boston road to Westchester avenue.

- 4,000 linear feet of old curbstones taken up, redressed and reset. 150 square feet of new bridgestones furnished and set. 18,875 square yards of granite pavement on sand foundation. 125 square feet of new flagging furnished and laid. 120 linear feet of new curbstones furnished and set. In addition to quantities as given above, there will be required about 30 linear feet of new curb, 100 square feet of new flagging and 30 square feet of new bridgestones, which will not be bid for, but the cost of which will be included in price paid for new pavement. There will also be about 120 square feet of old flagging which will become the property of the contractor, and for which he shall furnish and lay 120 square feet of new bridgestones, and he shall accept said flagging in full compensation for the said bridgestones.

The security required will be Eighteen Thousand Dollars.

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

No. 5. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURBSTONES, FLAGGING OF SIDEWALKS AND PLACING FENCES IN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-NINTH STREET, from Boscobel avenue to Marcher avenue.

The quantity and quality of work to be done is as follows: 750 cubic yards of earth excavation. 4,800 cubic yards of rock excavation. 500 cubic yards of filling. 30 cubic yards of dry rubble masonry, in retaining walls, culverts and gutters. 470 linear feet of new curb furnished and set. 30 linear feet of old curb taken up and reset. 1,300 square feet of new flagging furnished and laid. The security required will be 120 Thousand Dollars. The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be 120 consecutive working days.

Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 6. FOR REGULATING, GRADING AND PAVING WITH ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF NICHOLS AVENUE, from Jamaica avenue to Atlantic avenue.

The quantity and quality of work to be done is as follows: 4,400 cubic yards of earth excavation. 14,907 cubic yards of filling to be furnished (exclusive of that secured from excavation). 11,360 square yards of asphalt pavement, including binder course. 220 square yards of stone-block pavement to be laid in approaches. 2,125 cubic yards of concrete. 5,370 linear feet of new curbstones furnished and set. 1,570 linear feet of old curbstones repaired, redressed and reset. 28,000 square feet of new flagstone furnished and laid. 7,000 square feet of old flagstone redressed and reset. The security required will be Eighteen Thousand Dollars. The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be 70 consecutive working days.

Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 7. FOR REGULATING, GRADING AND PAVING WITH COBBLESTONE PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF HIBROD STREET, between Irving and Wyckoff avenues.

The quantity and quality of work to be done is as follows: 3,500 cubic yards of excavation, estimated to under-side of pavement. 25 cubic yards of embankment, estimated to under-side of pavement. 285 square yards of granite-block pavement. 2,000 square yards of cobble-stone pavement. 120 square feet of new bluestone bridging furnished and laid. 1,120 linear feet of new curbstones, including corners, furnished and set. The security required will be One Thousand Two Hundred Dollars. The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be 30 days.

Each estimate or bid shall contain the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same, the names of all persons interested with him or them 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 Municipal Assembly, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies of work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true.

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

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

A contract will be made with the lowest bidder for the books and printing required by any Court or Department, or for any item in the specifications involving an expenditure of more than five hundred dollars, or for any item or items for which the Board of City Record may desire to let a separate contract or contracts. Bidders must therefore give not only their bids by item, but also the aggregate bid for the work for any department or departments on which bids are offered.

The making and delivery of all the printing and books must be completed within one hundred and twenty days from the execution of the contract, unless delayed by the Courts, Departments or Bureaus. They must be made and delivered in the order to be prescribed by the Supervisor of the City Record, to the end that the immediate needs of the Departments shall be supplied.

shall contain the matters set forth in the blank form of bid mentioned below.

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

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies or the nature and extent of the work required or of the materials to be furnished, bidders are referred to the printed specifications and the plans. The work and the materials must conform in every respect to such printed specifications and plans. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required for making their estimates.

Bidders will write on the amount of their estimates in addition to inserting the same in figures. THE COMMISSIONER OF HIGHWAYS RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS RECEIVED IF HE DEEMS IT FOR THE BEST INTERESTS OF THE CITY SO TO DO.

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 the copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Council, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Highways, Room No. 1636, where the plans and drawings, which are made a part of the specifications, can be seen.

JAMES P. KEATING, Commissioner of Highways.

BOARD OF CITY RECORD.

OFFICE OF THE CITY RECORD, No. 3 CITY HALL, NEW YORK CITY, December 10, 1900.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING SUPPLIES AS SET FORTH BELOW required during the year 1901, inclosed with the name of the bidder and the date of presentation and a statement of the work and supply to which it relates, the number of the contract as in the advertisement, and in conformity with samples and specifications, will be received at the office of the City Record, No. 3 City Hall, until 12 o'clock A. M., on

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 20, 1900, at which time said estimates will be publicly opened at a meeting of the Board of City Record, or be held in the Mayor's office.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING THE COURTS AND DEPARTMENTS OF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK WITH BLANK, PRINTED OR LITHOGRAPHED BOOKS, DOCKETS, LIBERS, BINDING COVERS, BINDING, ETC., FOR 1901.

The security required will be fifty per centum of the amount of the bid. Bids for the following supplies will be received until

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 21, 1900, until 12 o'clock A. M.

No. 2. TO SUPPLY PRINTED, LITHOGRAPHED OR STAMPED FORMS, BLANKS, PAMPHLETS AND STATIONERY, L. E. OFFICIAL WRITING PAPER AND ENVELOPES, TO THE COURTS AND DEPARTMENTS AND BUREAUS OF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK FOR THE YEAR 1901.

The security required will be fifty per centum of the amount of the bid. For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies or the nature and extent of the work required or of the material to be furnished, bidders are referred to the printed specifications.

The person or persons making an estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, inclosed with the title of the supply referred to and the number thereof, and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the said Board and at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the said Board and read, and the award of the contract made to the lowest bidder, with adequate security, as soon thereafter as practicable, if deemed for the best interests of the City so to do.

Each estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of the person making the same; the names of all persons interested with him therein, and if no other person be so interested it shall distinctly state that fact; 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 Municipal Assembly, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true.

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

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

A contract will be made with the lowest bidder for the books and printing required by any Court or Department, or for any item in the specifications involving an expenditure of more than five hundred dollars, or for any item or items for which the Board of City Record may desire to let a separate contract or contracts. Bidders must therefore give not only their bids by item, but also the aggregate bid for the work for any department or departments on which bids are offered.

The making and delivery of all the printing and books must be completed within one hundred and twenty days from the execution of the contract, unless delayed by the Courts, Departments or Bureaus. They must be made and delivered in the order to be prescribed by the Supervisor of the City Record, to the end that the immediate needs of the Departments shall be supplied.

All proposals for printing shall be based upon the samples and specifications filed in the office of the Comptroller, No. 260 Broadway, New York City, which shall set forth with accuracy the number of every description of printed blanks; also, each description of blank books in ordinary use, as required by section 1248 of the Greater New York Charter.

OFFICE OF THE CITY RECORD, No. 3 CITY HALL, New York, December 6, 1900.

PROPOSALS FOR PRINTING AND DISTRIBUTING THE CITY RECORD.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR PRINTING, folding, binding and distributing the City Record for one year from January 1, 1901, in accordance with specifications filed in the office of the Supervisor of the City Record, City Hall, New York, will be received in the office of the Supervisor until 12 o'clock A. M., on

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 18, 1900, at or about which time they will be publicly opened and read in the office of The Mayor of The City of New York. The award of the contract will be made as soon thereafter as practicable.

The person making the estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope. The envelope must be inclosed "Estimate for Printing and Distributing the City Record," together with the name and place of business of the party making the estimate and the date of its presentation, and shall contain the matters set forth in the blank form of bid mentioned below. The security required on the contract will be Fifty Thousand Dollars.

Each estimate must state the name and place of residence of the person making the same, and his place of business, and the names of all persons interested with him therein, and if no other be so interested it shall distinctly state that fact; that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same work, and without collusion or fraud, and that no member of the Municipal Assembly or other officer of the Corporation is directly or indirectly interested therein or in any portion of the profits thereof. It must be verified by the oath of the party making the same. Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent and oath or affirmation of two householders or freeholders of The City of New York or of a guaranty or surety company, duly authorized by law to act as a surety.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check or money to the amount of Two Thousand Five Hundred Dollars.

For particulars as to the quantity or quality of the supplies or the nature and extent of the work required reference must be made to the specifications.

The Record to be a paper in size and general form like the publication of 1900, and to contain such matter only as is authorized and required by law to be published therein, and at the times and in the manner required by the present laws, and matter that may be required during the year by any new or amended laws.

A contract will not be made upon any estimate unless it appears that the party making the estimate has a printing establishment, with adequate facilities, in The City of New York.

The undersigned officers reserve the right to reject any or all proposals if, in their judgment, the same may be for the best interests of the City.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the Board of City Record, 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 Council, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Supervisor of the City Record, No. 3 City Hall.

By order of ROBERT A. VAN WYCK, Mayor, HIRD S. COLER, Comptroller, JOHN WHALEN, Corporation Counsel, Wm. A. BUTLER, Supervisor of the City Record.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS, FIRE DEPARTMENT, Nos. 137 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET, BOROUGHS OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK, December 6, 1900.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE RECEIVED by the Fire Commissioner, at the above office of the Fire Department, until 10 o'clock A. M., on

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 18, 1900, for furnishing and delivering the following work, materials and fire-hose:

Borough of The Bronx.

No. 1. FOR THE ERECTION OF A NEW BUILDING FOR THIS DEPARTMENT, ON LOT LYING ON THE WESTERN SIDE OF JEROME AVENUE, DISTANT 20 FEET NORTH FROM THE INTERSECTION OF THE NORTHERLY SIDE OF EAST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-THIRD STREET, WITH THE WESTERLY SIDE OF JEROME AVENUE.

Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING TEN THOUSAND (10,000) FEET 1/2-INCH RUBBER FIRE-HOSE.

In the cases of Nos. 1 and 2 the plans may be seen and specifications obtained at the office of the Buildings Superintendent on the fifth floor of these headquarters. The time for the full performance and completion of each contract and the amount of the security required for their faithful performance are respectively as follows:

- No. 1. One Hundred and Eighty (180) days. No. 2. One Hundred and Eighty (180) days. No. 3. Sixty (60) days. The security required will be as follows: No. 1. \$21,000 00 No. 2. 750 00 No. 3. 1,000 00

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

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

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

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by a certified check or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the bond required, as provided in section 400 of the Greater New York Charter.

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies or the nature and extent of the work required or of the materials to be furnished, bidders are referred to the printed specifications.

Bidders are requested, in making their bids or estimates, to use the blank prepared for that purpose by the Commissioner, a copy of which, and also the proper envelope in which to inclose the same, together with the form of agreement, including specifications approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel, and showing the manner of payment for the work, can be obtained upon application therefor at the Headquarters office of the Fire Department, in the Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

JOHN J. SCANNELL, Fire Commissioner.

HEADQUARTERS, FIRE DEPARTMENT, Nos. 137 AND 139 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, December 6, 1900.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Fire Commissioner at the above office of the Fire Department, until 10.30 o'clock A. M. of

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 12, 1900,

for furnishing and delivering the following work:

Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 1. FOR THE ALTERATION AND REPAIR OF REPAIR SHOPS BUILDING, AT SOUTHWEST CORNER OF EDWARDS AND HOLIVAR STREETS, FOR BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, NEW YORK CITY.

The plans may be seen at the office of the Buildings Superintendent on the fifth floor of these Headquarters.

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

The security required will be Twenty-five Hundred Dollars (\$2,500).

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

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

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

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by a certified check or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the bond required, as provided in section 400 of the Greater New York Charter.

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies or the nature and extent of the work required or of the materials to be furnished, bidders are referred to the printed specifications.

Bidders are requested, in making their bids or estimates, to use the blank prepared for that purpose by the Commissioner, a copy of which, and also the proper envelope in which to inclose the same, together with the form of agreement, including specifications approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel, and showing the manner of payment for the work, can be obtained upon application therefor at the Headquarters office of the Fire Department, in the Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

JOHN J. SCANNELL, Fire Commissioner.

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE owner or owners of all houses and lots, improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, that the following proposed assessments have been completed and are lodged in the office of the Board of Assessors for examination by all persons interested, viz.:

Borough of THE BRONX.

List 6328, No. 1. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging East One Hundred and Seventy-third street, from Franklin avenue to Boston road.

List 6329, No. 2. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging and laying crosswalks in Cheever place, from Mott avenue to Gerard avenue.

List 6330, No. 3. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging Spencer place, from East One Hundred and Forty-fourth to East One Hundred and Fiftieth street.

List 6331, No. 4. Altering, rebuilding and improving of the receiving-basins on Mott avenue at the following places: On east side of Mott avenue, about 475 feet north of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street; on the southwest corner of Mott avenue and Cheever place, on the northeast corner of Mott avenue and East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street and the northeast corner of Mott avenue and One Hundred and Fiftieth street.

List 6332, No. 5. Altering, rebuilding and improving of the receiving-basins on the northeast and southeast corners of East One Hundred and Sixty-third street and Third avenue and the northeast and northwest corners of East One Hundred and Sixty-third street and Tinton avenue.

List 6333, No. 6. Sewers and appurtenances in Sheridan avenue, between East One Hundred and Fifty-eighth and East One Hundred and Fifty-third streets, and in East One Hundred and Fifty-third street and Mott avenue, between Sheridan avenue and the Spuyten Duyvil and Port Morris Railroad.

List 6334, No. 7. Sewers and appurtenances in Cambreling avenue, from East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street to the lands of St. John's College.

List 6335, No. 8. Sewer and appurtenances in Walton avenue, from Tremont avenue to One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street; Creston avenue, from Tremont avenue to One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street, and in One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street to Burnside avenue.

List 6336, No. 9. Sewer and appurtenances in East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street, from Anthony avenue to Monroe avenue.

List 6337, No. 10. Sewer on both sides of Tremont avenue, about 125 feet west of Anthony avenue to the Concourse, and in Monroe avenue, from Tremont avenue to Mount Hope place.

List 6338, No. 11. Sewer and appurtenances in Walton avenue, between East One Hundred and Seventy-second street and Rockwood street.

List 6339, No. 12. Sewers and appurtenances in Trinity avenue, from Westchester avenue to East One Hundred and Sixtieth street (Deming place).

List 6340, No. 13. Sewer and appurtenances in East One Hundred and Eighty-second street, from the existing sewer in Jerome avenue to Aqueduct Avenue, East.

List 6341, No. 14. Sewer and appurtenances in East One Hundred and Sixty-third street, from Third avenue to Canfield avenue, with branch in Eagle avenue, from East One Hundred and Sixty-third street to East One Hundred and Sixty-first street.

List 6342, No. 15. Sewer and appurtenances in Tiffany street, between East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street.

List 6444, No. 13. Sewer and appurtenances in Clinton place, between Aqueduct Avenue, East, and Jerome avenue.

List 6425, No. 14. Sewer in Belmont street, from the existing sewer in Jerome avenue to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse.

The limits within which it is proposed to lay the said assessments include all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated on—

No. 1. Both sides of Crotona Park, South, from Fulton avenue to Prospect avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 2. Both sides of Fox street, from Westchester avenue to Freeman street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 3. Both sides of One Hundred and Eighty-second street, from Washington avenue to Third avenue; east side of Washington avenue, extending about 275 feet south of One Hundred and Eighty-second street, and west side of Batungate avenue, extending about 275 feet south of One Hundred and Eighty-second street.

No. 4. Both sides of Morris avenue, from One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street to Tremont avenue; both sides of Mount Hope place, from Morris avenue to the Concourse; north side of One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street, from Morris avenue to the Concourse, and west side of the Concourse, from One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street to Mount Hope place.

No. 5. Both sides of One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street, from Jerome avenue to the Concourse; both sides of Walton avenue, from One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street to Burnside avenue; both sides of Morris avenue, from Tremont avenue to Burnside avenue; both sides of Creston avenue, from One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street to Burnside avenue; south side of Burnside avenue, from Creston avenue to the Concourse; north side of One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street, from Creston avenue to the Concourse, and west side of the Concourse, from Tremont avenue to Burnside avenue.

No. 6. Both sides of One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street, from Anthony avenue to Monroe avenue.

No. 7. Both sides of Tremont avenue, from a point distant about 100 feet west of Anthony avenue to the Concourse; both sides of Monroe avenue, from Mount Hope place to Tremont avenue, and east side of the Concourse, from Tremont avenue to Buckhout street.

No. 8. Both sides of Walton avenue, from One Hundred and Seventy-second street to the north side of Rockwood street, and both sides of Rockwood street, from Walton avenue to the Concourse.

No. 9. Both sides of Trinity avenue, from Westchester avenue to One Hundred and Sixtieth street, extending east and west of said avenue about 100 feet.

No. 10. Both sides of One Hundred and Eighty-second street, from Jerome avenue to Aqueduct Avenue, East; both sides of Davidson street, from Buchanan place to One Hundred and Eighty-second street, and both sides of Aqueduct Avenue East, from Clinton place to One Hundred and Eighty-second street.

No. 11. Both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-third street, from Third avenue to Canfield avenue, and both sides of Eagle avenue, from One Hundred and Sixty-third to One Hundred and Sixty-first street.

No. 12. Both sides of Tiffany street, from One Hundred and Sixty-fifth to One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street.

No. 13. Both sides of Clinton place, from Aqueduct Avenue, East, to Jerome avenue, and both sides of Davidson street and Grand avenue, from East One Hundred and Eighty-second street to Clinton place.

No. 14. Both sides of Belmont street, from Jerome avenue to the Concourse; both sides of Jerome avenue, from One Hundred and Seventy-second street to Belmont street; both sides of Townsend avenue, from Belmont street, extending southerly about 325 feet; both sides of Walton avenue, from Rockwood street to Belmont street; both sides of the Concourse, from One Hundred and Seventy-second street to Morris avenue, and both sides of Hawthorne street, from Walton avenue to the Concourse.

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 January 8, 1901, at 11 A. M., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

Borough of Manhattan.

No. 1. Both sides of One Hundred and Seventieth street, from Franklin avenue to Boston road, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 2. Both sides of Cheever place, from Mott avenue to Gerard avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 3. Both sides of Spencer place, from One Hundred and Forty-fourth to One Hundred and Fiftieth street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 4. East side of Mott avenue, from a point distant about 175 feet south of Cheever place to a point distant about 325 feet north of One Hundred and Fiftieth street, west side of Mott avenue, extending from Cheever place to One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, and north side of Cheever place, from Walton avenue to Mott avenue.

No. 5. Both sides of Tinton avenue, from One Hundred and Sixty-third to One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street; south side of One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, from Tinton avenue to Union avenue; north side of One Hundred and Sixty-third street, from Union avenue to Forest avenue; north side of One Hundred and Sixty-third street, from Canfield avenue to Third avenue, and south side of One Hundred and Sixty-third street, from Eagle avenue to Third avenue.

No. 6. Both sides of Sheridan avenue, from One Hundred and Fifty-third to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street; south side of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, between Sheridan avenue and the Spuyten Duyvil and Port Morris Railroad; both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, from Mott avenue to Sheridan avenue, and both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, from Mott avenue to Sheridan avenue.

No. 7. Both sides of Cambreling avenue, from One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street north to the lands of St. John's College, being about 250 feet north of Pelham avenue; both sides of Pelham avenue, from Cambreling avenue to Creston avenue; and both sides of One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street, from Cambreling avenue to Beaumont avenue.

No. 8. Both sides of Walton avenue, from Tremont avenue to One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street; both sides of Creston avenue, from Tremont avenue to One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street; and both sides of One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street, from Creston avenue to the Concourse.

No. 9. Both sides of St. Mary's street, from Robbins avenue to Cypress avenue.

No. 10. Both sides of Aqueduct avenue, from Burnside avenue to a point distant about 200 feet north of One Hundred and Eighty-first street, and both sides of One Hundred and Eighty-first street, from Aqueduct avenue to Loring place, and both sides of One Hundred and Eighty-first street, extending about 250 feet west of Aqueduct avenue.

No. 11. Both sides of One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street, from the Concourse to Monroe avenue, and both sides of Weeks avenue, from One Hundred and Seventy-fifth to One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street.

No. 12. South side of Charlton street, from Washington to West street, on Block 596, Lot No. 24.

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 January 9, 1901, at 11 A. M., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

Borough of THE BRONX.

List 6328, No. 1. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging East One Hundred and Seventy-third street, from Franklin avenue to Boston road.

List 6329, No. 2. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging and laying crosswalks in Cheever place, from Mott avenue to Gerard avenue.

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List 6331, No. 4. Altering, rebuilding and improving of the receiving-basins on Mott avenue at the following places: On east side of Mott avenue, about 475 feet north of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street; on the southwest corner of Mott avenue and Cheever place, on the northeast corner of Mott avenue and East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street and the northeast corner of Mott avenue and One Hundred and Fiftieth street.

List 6332, No. 5. Altering, rebuilding and improving of the receiving-basins on the northeast and southeast corners of East One Hundred and Sixty-third street and Third avenue and the northeast and northwest corners of East One Hundred and Sixty-third street and Tinton avenue.

List 6333, No. 6. Sewers and appurtenances in Sheridan avenue, between East One Hundred and Fifty-eighth and East One Hundred and Fifty-third streets, and in East One Hundred and Fifty-third street and Mott avenue, between Sheridan avenue and the Spuyten Duyvil and Port Morris Railroad.

List 6334, No. 7. Sewers and appurtenances in Cambreling avenue, from East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street to the lands of St. John's College.

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List 6336, No. 9. Sewer in East One Hundred and Sixty-third street, from Third avenue to Canfield avenue, with branch in Eagle avenue, from East One Hundred and Sixty-third street to East One Hundred and Sixty-first street.

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List 6425, No. 14. Sewer in Belmont street, from the existing sewer in Jerome avenue to the Grand Boulevard and Concourse.

Borough of Manhattan.

No. 1. Both sides of One Hundred and Seventieth street, from Franklin avenue to Boston road, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 2. Both sides of Cheever place, from Mott avenue to Gerard avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 3. Both sides of Spencer place, from One Hundred and Forty-fourth to One Hundred and Fiftieth street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 4. East side of Mott avenue, from a point distant about 175 feet south of Cheever place to a point distant about 325 feet north of One Hundred and Fiftieth street, west side of Mott avenue, extending from Cheever place to One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, and north side of Cheever place, from Walton avenue to Mott avenue.

No. 5. Both sides of Tinton avenue, from One Hundred and Sixty-third to One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street; south side of One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, from Tinton avenue to Union avenue; north side of One Hundred and Sixty-third street, from Union avenue to Forest avenue; north side of One Hundred and Sixty-third street, from Canfield avenue to Third avenue, and south side of One Hundred and Sixty-third street, from Eagle avenue to Third avenue.

No. 6. Both sides of Sheridan avenue, from One Hundred and Fifty-third to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street; south side of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, between Sheridan avenue and the Spuyten Duyvil and Port Morris Railroad; both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, from Mott avenue to Sheridan avenue, and both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, from Mott avenue to Sheridan avenue.

No. 7. Both sides of Cambreling avenue, from One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street north to the lands of St. John's College, being about 250 feet north of Pelham avenue; both sides of Pelham avenue, from Cambreling avenue to Creston avenue; and both sides of One Hundred and Eighty-ninth street, from Cambreling avenue to Beaumont avenue.

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No. 9. Both sides of St. Mary's street, from Robbins avenue to Cypress avenue.

No. 10. Both sides of Aqueduct avenue, from Burnside avenue to a point distant about 200 feet north of One Hundred and Eighty-first street, and both sides of One Hundred and Eighty-first street, from Aqueduct avenue to Loring place, and both sides of One Hundred and Eighty-first street, extending about 250 feet west of Aqueduct avenue.

No. 11. Both sides of One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street, from the Concourse to Monroe avenue, and both sides of Weeks avenue, from One Hundred and Seventy-fifth to One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street.

No. 12. South side of Charlton street, from Washington to West street, on Block 596, Lot No. 24.

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 January 9, 1901, at 11 A. M., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

Borough of THE BRONX.

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WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 13, 1900.

For furnishing materials and all the labor required and necessary to build and complete the following works:

Borough of Manhattan.

No. 1. SEWERS IN KINGSBRIDGE ROAD (BROADWAY), between Harlem River and Terrace View avenue (south); in TERRACE VIEW AVENUE (south) between Kingsbridge road (Broadway) and Kingsbridge avenue; and in KINGSBRIDGE AVENUE, between Terrace View avenue (south) and Wicker place.

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

- 170 linear feet of 4-foot circular sewer.
1,377 linear feet of sewer of 3 feet 6 inches by 2 feet 4 inches interior dimensions.
175 linear feet of 18-inch pipe culvert.
8 receiving-basins of the circular pattern.
1,350 cubic yards of rock excavation.

The amount of the security required is Seven Thousand Dollars (\$7,000). The time allowed to complete the whole work is one hundred and seventy-five (175) working days.

Borough of THE BRONX.

No. 2. SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN FOX STREET, between Robbins and Wales avenues.

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

- 406 linear feet of 10-inch vitrified pipe sewer.
120 spurs for house connections.
4 manholes complete.
600 cubic yards of rock to be excavated and removed.
5 cubic yards of concrete in place.
5 cubic yards of rubble masonry in mortar.
5 cubic yards of broken stone for foundations in place.

1,000 feet, B. M., of timber, furnished and laid. 10 linear feet of 6-inch to 18-inch vitrified drain pipe furnished and laid.

The amount of the security required is Thirteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,300). The time allowed to complete the whole work is sixty (60) working days.

No. 3. SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-THIRD STREET, from Cypress avenue to the summit east of Cypress avenue.

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

- 420 linear feet of 15-inch vitrified pipe sewer.
175 spurs for house connections.
4 manholes complete.
750 cubic yards of rock to be excavated and removed.
3 cubic yards of concrete in place.
3 cubic yards of rubble masonry in mortar.
3 cubic yards of broken stone for foundations in place.

1,000 feet, B. M., of timber, furnished and laid. 10 linear feet of 6-inch to 18-inch vitrified drain pipe furnished and laid.

The amount of the security required is Fifteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,500). The time allowed to complete the whole work is sixty (60) working days.

No. 4. SEWER IN LAFAYETTE AVENUE, from Whittier street to Hunt's Point road.

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

- 238 linear feet of 18-inch vitrified pipe sewer.
228 linear feet of 15-inch vitrified pipe sewer.
448 linear feet of 12-inch vitrified pipe sewer.
200 spurs for house connections.
200 manholes complete.
200 cubic yards of rock to be excavated and removed.

30 cubic yards of concrete in place. 100 cubic yards of rubble masonry in mortar. 100 cubic yards of broken stone for foundations in place.

1,000 feet, B. M., of timber, furnished and laid. 25 linear feet of 6-inch to 18-inch vitrified drain pipe furnished and laid.

The amount of the security required is Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000). The time allowed to complete the whole work is seventy-five (75) working days.

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

Each estimate shall contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein, 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 Municipal Assembly, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true.

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

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by a certified check, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the bond required, as provided in section 400 of the Greater New York Charter.

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies, or the nature and extent of the work required or of the materials to be furnished, bidders are referred to the printed specifications and plans, in accordance with which all the above materials and work is to be furnished and done.

Bidders will write on the amount of their estimates in addition to inserting the same in figures. The Commissioner reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if he deems it for the interests of the City so to do.

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—as to the Borough of Manhattan at the office of the Commissioner of Sewers, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row, and as to the Borough of The Bronx at the office of the Deputy Commissioner of Sewers, Third avenue and One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, Borough of The Bronx, at which places the plans and drawings, which are made parts of the specifications, can be seen.

JAS. KANE, Commissioner of Sewers.

EDWARD McCUE, EDWARD CAHILL, THOS. A. WILSON, PATRICK M. HAVERTY, JOHN B. MEYENBERG, Board of Assessors.

WILLIAM H. JARPER, Secretary, No. 120 Broadway, CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, December 11, 1900.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE, New York, December

DEPARTMENT OF SEWERS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 15 TO 21 PARK ROW, NEW YORK, November 29, 1900.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF SEWERS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK AT ITS OFFICE, NO. 15 TO 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, UNTIL 12 O'CLOCK P. M.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 13, 1900.

FOR FURNISHING MATERIALS AND ALL THE LABOR REQUIRED AND NECESSARY TO BUILD AND COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING WORKS:

Borough of Manhattan.

No. 1. ALTERATION AND IMPROVEMENT TO SEWER IN TWENTY-THIRD STREET, between new tailhead-line and First Avenue, WITH OVERFLOW, AND NEW SEWERS IN AVENUE A, between Twenty-second and Twenty-fourth streets.

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

- 148 linear feet of 4-foot circular sewer.
48 linear feet of 4-foot circular sewer.
786 linear feet of 4-foot circular sewer.
327 linear feet of sewer of 3 feet 6 inches by 2 feet 4 inches interior dimensions.
100 linear feet of sewer of 3 feet 6 inches by 2 feet 4 inches interior dimensions, plan.
14 linear feet of 12-inch pipe culvert.
200 linear feet of 6-inch iron or stoneware pipe.
1 receiving-basin of the circular pattern.
50,000 feet, B. M., of timber for bracing and sheet piling.

The amount of the security required is Seven Thousand Dollars (\$7,000).

The time allowed to complete the whole work is one hundred and seventy (170) working days.

No. 2. ALTERATION AND IMPROVEMENT TO SEWER IN FORTY-FIFTH STREET, between Third Avenue and Depece Place.

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

- 300 linear feet of sewer of 4 feet by 2 feet 8 inches interior dimensions.
137 linear feet of sewer of 3 feet 6 inches by 2 feet 4 inches interior dimensions.
28 linear feet of 12-inch pipe culvert.
100 linear feet of 6-inch iron or stoneware pipe.
125 cubic yards of rock excavation.
1 receiving-basin, of the circular pattern.
20,000 feet, B. M., of timber for bracing and sheet piling.

The amount of the security required is Eighteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,800).

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

Borough of The Bronx.

No. 3. SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN JACKSON AVENUE, from East One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street to Home street.

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

- 576 linear feet of 12-inch vitrified pipe sewer.
170 spurs for house connections.
2 manholes complete.
400 cubic yards of rock to be excavated and removed.
5 cubic yards of concrete in place.
5 cubic yards of rubble masonry in mortar.
3 cubic yards of broken stone for foundation in place.
2,000 feet, B. M., of timber, furnished and laid.
10 linear feet of 6-inch to 12-inch vitrified drain pipe, furnished and laid.

The amount of the security required is Fourteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,400).

The time allowed to complete the whole work is sixty (60) working days.

No. 4. ALTERATION, IMPROVEMENT AND REBUILDING OF RECEIVING-BASINS ON WASHINGTON AVENUE, between East One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street and East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street.

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

- 17 receiving-basins complete.
376 linear feet of 12-inch vitrified pipe culvert, including concrete grade.
25 cubic yards of rock to be excavated and removed.
5 cubic yards of concrete in place.
5 cubic yards of rubble masonry in mortar.
1,000 feet, B. M., of timber, furnished and laid.

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

The time allowed to complete the whole work is sixty (60) days.

Borough of Queens.

(No. 5. SEWER IN NEWTOWN AVENUE, from Van Alst Avenue to Rapely Avenue.

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

- 921 linear feet of 3 feet 3 inches circular brick sewer.
694 linear feet of 2-foot circular brick sewer.
526 linear feet of 2 feet 6 inches circular brick sewer.
275 linear feet of 2 feet 6 inches circular brick sewer.
12 manholes.
3 receiving-basins.
3,600 linear feet of 6-inch vitrified pipe sewer for house connections.
100 cubic yards of rock to be excavated and removed.
20,000 feet, B. M., of timber for bracing and sheet piling.
1 finish tank.

The amount of the security required is Twelve Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$12,500).

The time allowed to complete the whole work is ninety (90) working days.

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

Each estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same, the names of all persons interested with him or them 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 Municipal Assembly, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work in which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing,

of the party or parties making the estimate that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true.

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

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by a certified check, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the bond required, as provided in section 490 of the Greater New York Charter.

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies, or the nature and extent of the work required, or of the materials to be furnished, bidders are referred to the printed specifications and plans, in accordance with which all the above materials and work is to be furnished and done.

Bidders will write out the amount of their estimates in addition to entering the same in figures.

The Commissioner reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest.

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 Council, can be obtained upon application therefor—as to the Borough of Manhattan at the office of the Commissioner of Sewers, Nos. 15 to 21 Park Row; as to the Borough of The Bronx at the office of the Deputy Commissioner of Sewers, Third Avenue and One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street, Borough of The Bronx, and as to the Borough of Queens at the office of the Deputy Commissioner of Sewers, Hackett Building, Long Island City, Borough of Queens, at which places the plans and drawings, which are made parts of the specifications, can be seen.

JAS. KANE, Commissioner of Sewers.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS.

BOARD OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS, No. 19 TO 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Public Improvements of the City of New York, desiring it for the public interest so to do, proposes to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the grades in Winthrop Avenue, between Barclay Street and Goodrich Street, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York, and that a meeting of the said Board will be held in the office of the said Board, at No. 19 to 21 Park Row, Borough of Manhattan, on the 12th day of December, 1900, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which such proposed change of grades will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by said Board on the 28th day of November, 1900, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Improvements of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of section 436 of chapter 378, Laws of 1899, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to alter the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the grades in Winthrop Avenue, between Barclay Street and Goodrich Street, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York, more particularly described as follows:

1st. Beginning at the intersection of Winthrop Avenue and the Boulevard, the elevation to be 3 feet above mean high-water datum, as heretofore;

2d. Thence southeasterly to the intersection with Barclay Street, the elevation to be 11.37 feet above mean high-water datum;

3d. Thence southeasterly to the intersection with Van Alst Avenue, the elevation to be 23.37 feet above mean high-water datum.

4th. Thence southeasterly to the intersection with Hallett Street, the elevation to be 32.0 feet above mean high-water datum.

5th. Thence southeasterly to the intersection with Howland Street, the elevation to be 37.0 feet above mean high-water datum.

6th. Thence southeasterly to the intersection with the Crescent, the elevation to be 42.0 feet above mean high-water datum.

7th. Thence southeasterly to the intersection with Merchant Street, the elevation to be 37.0 feet above mean high-water datum;

8th. Thence southeasterly to the intersection with Goodrich Street, the elevation to be 31.0 feet above mean high-water datum, as heretofore.

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

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change of grades of the above-named Avenue at a meeting of this Board to be held in the office of this Board on the 10th day of December, 1900, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions, and a notice to all persons affected thereby, that the proposed change of grades of the above-named Avenue will be considered at a meeting of this Board to be held at the address and time and place, to be published in the City Record for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted prior to the 10th day of December, 1900.

Dated New York, December 4, 1900.

JOHN H. MOONEY, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

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

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE COMMITTEE ON BUILDINGS OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, AT THE HALL OF THE BOARD, SOUTHWEST CORNER OF PARK AVENUE AND FIFTY-NINTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, UNTIL 4 O'CLOCK P. M., ON

MONDAY, DECEMBER 17, 1900.

Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 1. FOR REMOVING PRESENT REAR STAIRS ON GIRLS' SIDE AND ERECTING IRON AND STONE STAIRWAY AT PUBLIC SCHOOL NO. 12, ON DEGRAV STREET, NEAR HICKS STREET, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

No. 2. FOR ERECTING NEW STAIRHOUSE AT PUBLIC SCHOOL NO. 25, ON SOUTH FOURTH STREET, NEAR HAVEMEYER STREET, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

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

The time allowed to complete each contract is sixty (60) days.

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

Each estimate shall contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein, and if no other person be so interested it shall distinctly state that fact; also, that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate, for the same purpose and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and that no member of the Municipal Assembly, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work in which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing,

interested therein, as provided in sections 346-352 of the Revised Ordinances, 1897, and in the blank form of bid mentioned below and furnished by the Department. The estimate must be verified.

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 a surety, and shall contain the matters set forth in the blank form of bid mentioned below.

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by a certified check, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the bond required, as provided in section 490 of the Greater New York Charter.

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies or the nature and extent of the work required or of the materials to be furnished, bidders are referred to the printed specifications and plans.

Bidders are requested, in making their bids or estimates, to use the blank prepared for that purpose by the Committee on Buildings, a copy of which and also the proper envelope in which to inclose the same, together with the form of agreement, including specifications approved as to form by the Corporation Council, and showing the manner of payment for the work, can be obtained upon application therefor at the estimating room, eighth floor, Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Park Avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan.

The By-Laws of the Board of Education may be examined at the office of the Secretary.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, December 6, 1900.

RICHARD H. ADAMS, CHARLES F. ROBERTSON, ABRAHAM STERN, WILLIAM J. COLE, PATRICK J. WHITE, JOHN R. THOMPSON, JOSEPH J. KITTEL, Committee on Buildings.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE COMMITTEE ON SUPPLIES OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, AT THE HALL OF THE BOARD, SOUTHWEST CORNER OF PARK AVENUE AND FIFTY-NINTH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, UNTIL 4 O'CLOCK P. M., ON

MONDAY, DECEMBER 17, 1900.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING SCHOOL SUPPLIES FOR THE SCHOOLS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, TO THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, QUEENS AND RICHMOND, FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1901.

No. 2. FOR PRINTING AND FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING STATIONERY AND PRINTED SUPPLIES FOR THE BOARD OF EDUCATION AND THE SCHOOL BOARDS OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, QUEENS AND RICHMOND, FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1901.

The security required for each contract will be determined by the Committee on Supplies of the Board of Education of the City of New York, and will be fifty per cent. of the estimated cost of the supplies and work to be bid for by each bidder, which estimated cost will be determined as near as may be from the quantities of like supplies required in former years.

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

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of the persons making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein; and that no officer of The City of New York is directly or indirectly interested therein, as provided in sections 346-352 of the Revised Ordinances, 1897, and in the blank form of bid mentioned below and furnished by the Department.

The estimate must be verified.

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 a surety, and shall contain the matters set forth in the blank form of bid mentioned below.

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by a certified check, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the bond required, as provided in section 490 of the Greater New York Charter.

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies or the nature and extent of the work required or of the materials to be furnished, bidders are referred to the printed specifications and schedules.

Bidders are requested, in making their bids or estimates, to use the blank prepared for that purpose by the Committee on Supplies, a copy of which, and also the proper envelope in which to inclose the same, together with the form of agreement, including specifications approved as to form by the Corporation Council, and showing the manner of payment for the work, can be obtained upon application therefor at the Bureau of Supplies, Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Park Avenue and Fifty-ninth street, Borough of Manhattan.

The By-Laws of the Board of Education may be examined at the office of the Secretary.

Dated BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, December 5, 1900.

THADDEUS MORIARTY, ARTHUR S. SOMERS, JOSEPH J. KITTEL, ABRAHAM STERN, WALDO H. RICHARDSON, PATRICK J. WHITE, WILLIAM J. COLE, Committee on Supplies.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

PROPOSALS FOR CHRISTMAS FOWLTRY, ALSO HARDWARE, LUMBER AND MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES, TO BE DELIVERED AT ONCE.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING SUPPLIES REQUIRED DURING THE YEAR 1901, WITH THE TITLE OF THE SUPPLY OR WORK, AND THE NAME OF THE BIDDER INDORSED THEREON, ALSO THE NUMBER OF THE PROPOSED CONTRACT, AS IN THE ADVERTISEMENT, AND THE DATE OF THE PRESENTATION OF THE SAID BID, WILL BE RECEIVED AT THE OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, NO. 128 EAST TWENTY-SECOND STREET, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, UNTIL 12 A. M.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 27, 1900,

at which time and place the bids received will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

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

Francis J. Lantry, Commissioner of Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION—CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

PROPOSALS FOR CHRISTMAS FOWLTRY, ALSO HARDWARE, LUMBER AND MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES, TO BE DELIVERED AT ONCE.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING SUPPLIES REQUIRED DURING THE YEAR 1901, WITH THE TITLE OF THE SUPPLY OR WORK, AND THE NAME OF THE BIDDER INDORSED THEREON, ALSO THE NUMBER OF THE PROPOSED CONTRACT, AS IN THE ADVERTISEMENT, AND THE DATE OF THE PRESENTATION OF THE SAID BID, WILL BE RECEIVED AT THE OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, NO. 128 EAST TWENTY-SECOND STREET, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, UNTIL 12 A. M.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 27, 1900,

at which time and place the bids received will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

Supplies to be delivered as directed in the Borough of Manhattan.

Francis J. Lantry, Commissioner of Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION—CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

PROPOSALS FOR CHRISTMAS FOWLTRY, ALSO HARDWARE, LUMBER AND MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES, TO BE DELIVERED AT ONCE.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING SUPPLIES REQUIRED DURING THE YEAR 1901, WITH THE TITLE OF THE SUPPLY OR WORK, AND THE NAME OF THE BIDDER INDORSED THEREON, ALSO THE NUMBER OF THE PROPOSED CONTRACT, AS IN THE ADVERTISEMENT, AND THE DATE OF THE PRESENTATION OF THE SAID BID, WILL BE RECEIVED AT THE OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, NO. 128 EAST TWENTY-SECOND STREET, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, UNTIL 12 A. M.

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Supplies to be delivered as directed in the Borough of Manhattan.

Francis J. Lantry, Commissioner of Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION—CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

PROPOSALS FOR CHRISTMAS FOWLTRY, ALSO HARDWARE, LUMBER AND MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES, TO BE DELIVERED AT ONCE.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING SUPPLIES REQUIRED DURING THE YEAR 1901, WITH THE TITLE OF THE SUPPLY OR WORK, AND THE NAME OF THE BIDDER INDORSED THEREON, ALSO THE NUMBER OF THE PROPOSED CONTRACT, AS IN THE ADVERTISEMENT, AND THE DATE OF THE PRESENTATION OF THE SAID BID, WILL BE RECEIVED AT THE OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, NO. 128 EAST TWENTY-SECOND STREET, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, UNTIL 12 A. M.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 27, 1900,

at which time and place the bids received will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

Supplies to be delivered as directed in the Borough of Manhattan.

Francis J. Lantry, Commissioner of Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION—CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

PROPOSALS FOR CHRISTMAS FOWLTRY, ALSO HARDWARE, LUMBER AND MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES, TO BE DELIVERED AT ONCE.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING SUPPLIES REQUIRED DURING THE YEAR 1901, WITH THE TITLE OF THE SUPPLY OR WORK, AND THE NAME OF THE BIDDER INDORSED THEREON, ALSO THE NUMBER OF THE PROPOSED CONTRACT, AS IN THE ADVERTISEMENT, AND THE DATE OF THE PRESENTATION OF THE SAID BID, WILL BE RECEIVED AT THE OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, NO. 128 EAST TWENTY-SECOND STREET, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, UNTIL 12 A. M.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 27, 1900,

at which time and place the bids received will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

Supplies to be delivered as directed in the Borough of Manhattan.

Francis J. Lantry, Commissioner of Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION—CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

No. 1. FOR DRY GOODS, HARDWARE, PAINTS, OILS, CROCKERY, LEATHER AND FINDINGS AND MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES.

The security required will be 50 per cent. of the amount of the bid.

The Commissioner reserves the right to reject all bids if he deems it for the interest of the City so to do.

All of the above-mentioned supplies are to be delivered in the year 1901, and delivery will be made as required from time to time in such quantities as may be directed by said Commissioner, free from all expense.

Any bidder for any of the above-mentioned contracts must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect.

Each bid or estimate shall contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein, and if no other person be so interested it shall distinctly state that fact; 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 Municipal Assembly, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein or in the supplies or work 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 making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true.

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

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by a certified check or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the bond required, as provided in section 490 of the Greater New York Charter.

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

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

Francis J. Lantry, Commissioner of Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION—CITY OF NEW YORK, No. 128 EAST TWENTY-SECOND STREET.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING SUPPLIES REQUIRED FOR THE KINGS COUNTY PENITENTIARY, AS SET FORTH BELOW, DURING THE YEARS 1900 AND 1901, WITH THE TITLE OF THE SUPPLY OR WORK AND THE NAME OF THE BIDDER INDORSED THEREON, ALSO THE NUMBER OF THE PROPOSED CONTRACT AS IN THE ADVERTISEMENT, AND THE DATE OF PRESENTATION OF THE SAID BID, WILL BE RECEIVED AT THE OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, NO. 128 EAST TWENTY-SECOND STREET, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, UNTIL 12 A. M.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 27, 1900,

at which time and place the bids received will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 1. FOR PAINTS, OILS, DRY GOODS, LUMBER, HARDWARE, CROCKERY, TIN AND MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES.

The security required will be 50 per cent. of the amount of the bid.

No. 2. GAS FOR KINGS COUNTY PENITENTIARY.

For full particulars see specifications.

The security required will be One Thousand Five Hundred Dollars.

No. 3. FOR CEMENT AND PLUMBING FOR KINGS COUNTY PENITENTIARY.

The security required will be 50 per cent. of the amount of the bid.

Supplies to be delivered in the year 1900.

The Commissioner reserves the right to reject all bids if he deems it for the interest of the City so to do.

All of the above-mentioned supplies are to be delivered in the year 1901, excepting that supplies for cement and plumbing for Kings County Penitentiary are to be delivered in the year 1900, and delivery will be made as required from time to time in such quantities as may be directed by said Commissioner free from all expense.

Any bidder for any of the above-mentioned contracts must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect.</

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All goods to be delivered on dock (foot of East Twenty-sixth street), for Blackwell's Island, Storehouse, free of all expense, and quantities allowed as specified below.

- Specifications consist of— Chickens, Turkeys, Mess Poultry, Eating Apples, Tart Apples, Also Hardware, Lumber, Lime and Miscellaneous Supplies.

The Commissioner of Correction reserves the right to reject all bids if he deems it for the interest of the City so to do.

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the amount of fifty (50) per cent. of the bid for each article.

Each bid or estimate shall contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein, and if no other person be so interested it shall distinctly state that fact; also that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud, and that no member of the Municipal Assembly, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work 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 making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders, 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 form of bid mentioned below.

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

Bidders will state the price for each article, by which the bids will be tested.

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies or the nature and extent of the work required, or of the materials to be furnished, bidders are referred to the specifications and the blank proposals and lists of articles, materials, supplies and apparatus to be furnished. Such work and materials must conform in every respect to the specifications and schedules. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required, before making their estimates.

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 Council, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner, where the plans and drawings, which are made a part of the specifications, may be seen.

FRANCIS J. LANTRY, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING SUPPLIES REQUIRED, AND COMPLETING WORK AS SET FORTH BELOW, DURING THE YEAR 1901, WITH THE TITLE OF THE SUPPLY OR WORK, AND THE NAME OF THE BIDDER INDORSED THEREON, ALSO THE NUMBER OF THE PROPOSED CONTRACT, AS IN THE ADVERTISEMENT, WILL BE RECEIVED AT THE OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, NO. 128 EAST TWENTIETH STREET, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, UNTIL 11 A. M.

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at which time and place the bids received will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

Supplies to be delivered as directed in the Borough of Manhattan.

No. 1. FOR GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, FLOUR, ETC.

The security required will be 50 per cent. of the amount of the bid.

Bids for the following will be received until

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at 11 A. M., when they will be opened.

No. 2. FOR ALL THE MEATS REQUIRED.

The security required will be \$50,000.

See specifications for full details.

All meat to be from cattle killed and dressed in New York State.

No. 3. FOR FRESH FISH, ETC.

The security required will be \$2,000.

No. 4. CONDENSED COWS' MILK, 24,000 QUARTS, MORE OR LESS.

The security required will be \$1,000.

No. 5. FRESH COWS' MILK, THE QUANTITY REQUIRED, 5,000 QUARTS, MORE OR LESS.

The security required will be \$1,000.

hids for the following will be received until

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at 11 A. M., when they will be publicly opened.

No. 6. FOR FURNISHING THE ELECTRIC CURRENT NECESSARY TO SUPPLY THE ELECTRIC LIGHTS OF THE CITY PRISON FOR THE YEAR 1901.

The security required will be \$1,500.

No. 7. FOR GAS FOR CITY PRISON, ETC., UNDER THE CONTROL OF THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

The security required will be \$2,000.

No. 8. FOR TELEPHONE SERVICE FOR 1901, FOR BLACKWELL'S ISLAND, RIKER'S ISLAND AND HART'S ISLAND.

The security required will be \$1,000.

No. 9. FOR SUPPLYING GAS ON BLACKWELL'S ISLAND FOR THE CORRECTION INSTITUTIONS.

The security required will be \$1,000.

No. 10. FOR ICE, 3,000 TONS PRIME QUALITY ICE (9,000 POUNDS TO THE TON), 250 TONS MORE OR LESS PRIME QUALITY ICE (9,000 POUNDS TO THE TON).

No. 11. FOR 3,000 POUNDS OF COMPRESSED YEAST.

The security required will be 50 per cent. of the amount of the bid.

No. 12. FOR THE DESTRUCTION AND BANISHMENT OF ALL ROACHES AND WATER BUGS FROM THE INSTITUTIONS OF THIS DEPARTMENT DURING THE YEAR 1901.

The security required will be \$200.

The work to be completed in 75 days.

The nature and extent of the work is stated in the specifications, to which bidders are referred.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed with the name of the supply or work required, with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, at the head of the Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids and estimates received will be publicly opened by the Commissioner or his duly authorized agent of said Department and read.

The Commissioner of the Department of Correction reserves the right to reject all bids if he deems it for the interest of the City so to do.

All of the above-mentioned supplies are to be delivered in the year 1901, and delivery will be made as required from time to time in such quantities as may be directed by said Commissioner, free from all expense.

Any bidder for any of the above-mentioned contracts must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect.

Each bid or estimate shall contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein, and if no other person be so interested it shall distinctly state that fact; also that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud, and that no member of the Municipal Assembly, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work 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 making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders 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 form of bid mentioned below.

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

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

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

FRANCIS J. LANTRY, Commissioner of Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION—CITY OF NEW YORK, NO. 128 EAST TWENTIETH STREET.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING SUPPLIES REQUIRED, AND COMPLETING WORK AS SET FORTH BELOW, DURING THE YEAR 1901, WITH THE TITLE OF THE SUPPLY OR WORK, AND THE NAME OF THE BIDDER INDORSED THEREON, ALSO THE NUMBER OF THE PROPOSED CONTRACT, AS IN THE ADVERTISEMENT, WILL BE RECEIVED AT THE OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, NO. 128 EAST TWENTIETH STREET, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, UNTIL 11 A. M.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 13, 1900, NO. 1. FOR GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, ETC., FOR KINGS COUNTY PENITENTIARY, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The security required will be \$

at which time and place the bids received will be publicly opened by the head of the Department, and all goods to be delivered to the Kings County Penitentiary, Borough of Brooklyn, free of expense and quantities allowed as received there.

Bids for the following supplies will be received until

MONDAY, DECEMBER 17, 1900.

at 11 A. M., at which time the bids will be publicly opened by the head of the Department:

No. 2. FOR 2,000 TONS PEA COAL FOR THE KINGS COUNTY PENITENTIARY, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The security required will be \$3,000.

No. 3. FOR MEATS FOR THE KINGS COUNTY PENITENTIARY, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

All meats to be from cattle killed and dressed in New York State.

See specifications for full details.

The security required will be \$7,000.

No. 4. FOR FISH, ETC., FOR THE KINGS COUNTY PENITENTIARY, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

For particulars as to the quantity and quality reference must be made to the specifications.

The security required will be \$1,000.

No. 5. FOR MILK.

6,000 QUARTS OF FRESH COWS' MILK.

9,000 QUARTS OF CONDENSED COWS' MILK.

For full particulars see specifications.

The security required will be \$800.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed with the name of the supply required for the Kings County Penitentiary, with his or their name or names and the date of the presentation, to the head of the department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the Commissioner, or his duly authorized agent of said department, and read.

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 form of bid mentioned below.

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

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the materials, or the nature and extent of the work required, bidders are referred to the specifications. The quantity and quality of the articles, supplies, tools, wages and merchandise must conform in every respect to the samples of the same on exhibition at the office of the said Department, or, in the absence of samples, to the printed specifications. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required before making their estimates.

Bidders must state the price of each article per lot (unless otherwise specified and grouped in a class), to which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be stated up, as the bids will be read and recorded from the total footing. Awards will be made to the lowest bidder on each class or item, as the case may be. All estimates not conforming to these requirements may be considered as informal.

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

A deposit will be required on all bids.

Surety blanks and information regarding all formalities connected therewith may be obtained at the Central Office of this Department.

Samples will be on exhibition at the office of Supervising Engineer, foot of East Twenty-sixth street, during office hours, until the bids are opened.

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreement approved as to form by the Corporation Council, and any further information desired, can be obtained, and plans may be seen, at the office of the Supervising Engineer, foot East Twenty-sixth street.

JOHN W. KELLER, President.

ADOLPH H. GOETTING, Commissioner.

JAMES FEENEY, Commissioner.

Department of Public Charities.

FRANCIS J. LANTRY, Commissioner of Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NO. 15 TO 21 PARK ROW, NEW YORK, November 24, 1900.

NOTICE OF SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

ON TUESDAY, DECEMBER 11, 1900, BEGINNING AT 1 O'CLOCK P. M., and proceeding in the order herein stated, the Department of Water Supply will sell at public auction, by Thomas A. Kerrigan, Auctioneer, at the Pipe Yard at Butler and Nevins streets, Borough of Brooklyn, About twenty (20) tons of Old Iron and About two thousand (2,000) pounds Brass Taps, more or less.

TERMS OF SALE.

Cash payment in bankable funds at the time and place of sale. Bidders must name a price per ton for the old iron and a price per pound for the brass taps. No bid will be received except for the entire lot of iron and brass taps. The purchaser must remove all material from the Pipe Yard within thirty days after the date of sale and the ownership to the iron and brass taps, which will thereafter be resold for the benefit of the City. The purchaser must remove the material as directed by the officer of the Department in charge, and will not be allowed to select material for removal at will.

Bidders are required to examine the whole lot before making their bids, so as to satisfy themselves as to the quality.

WILLIAM DALTON, Commissioner of Water Supply.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, BOROUGHS OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX, FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET, NEW YORK, December 3, 1900.

PROPOSALS FOR ENGINEERS' SUPPLIES AND MISCELLANEOUS REPAIRS TO BUILDINGS AND APPARATUS.

BOROUGHS OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR ABOVE-MENTIONED SUPPLIES AND REPAIRS, IN CONFORMITY WITH SAMPLES AND SPECIFICATIONS, WILL BE RECEIVED AT THE OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, UNTIL 12 O'CLOCK NOON, ON

MONDAY, DECEMBER 17, 1900.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Engineers' Supplies and Miscellaneous Repairs to Buildings and Apparatus," with his or their name or names and address and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

THE BOARD OF PUBLIC CHARITIES RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS OR ESTIMATES IF DEEMED IT FOR THE INTEREST OF THE CITY SO TO DO.

The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

Delivery will be required to be made from time to time and in such quantities as may be directed by the Commissioners.

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract, by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the amount of not less than fifty (50) per cent. of the bid for each article.

Each bid or estimate shall contain the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein, and if no other person be so interested it shall distinctly state that fact; 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 Municipal Assembly, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true.

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

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

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the materials, or the nature and extent of the work required, bidders are referred to the specifications.

The quantity and quality of the articles, supplies, tools, wages and merchandise must conform in every respect to the samples of the same on exhibition at the office of the said Department, or, in the absence of samples, to the printed specifications. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required before making their estimates.

Bidders must state the price of each article per lot (unless otherwise specified and grouped in a class), to which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be stated up, as the bids will be read and recorded from the total footing. Awards will be made to the lowest bidder on each class or item, as the case may be. All estimates not conforming to these requirements may be considered as informal.

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

A deposit will be required on all bids.

Surety blanks and information regarding all formalities connected therewith may be obtained at the Central Office of this Department.

Samples will be on exhibition at the office of Supervising Engineer, foot of East Twenty-sixth street, during office hours, until the bids are opened.

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreement approved as to form by the Corporation Council, and any further information desired, can be obtained, and plans may be seen, at the office of the Supervising Engineer, foot East Twenty-sixth street.

JOHN W. KELLER, President.

ADOLPH H. GOETTING, Commissioner.

JAMES FEENEY, Commissioner.

Department of Public Charities.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET, NEW YORK, December 4, 1900.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING SUPPLIES REQUIRED, AS SET FORTH BELOW, DURING THE YEAR 1901, WITH THE TITLE OF THE SUPPLY AND THE NAME OF THE BIDDER INDORSED THEREON, ALSO THE NUMBER OF THE PROPOSED CONTRACT, AS IN THE ADVERTISEMENT, WILL BE RECEIVED AT THE OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, FOOT EAST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, UNTIL 12 O'CLOCK NOON, ON

MONDAY, DECEMBER 17, 1900.

at which time and place the bids received will be publicly opened by the President of the Department or his duly authorized agent.

No. 1. FOR ALL THE MEATS REQUIRED.

The quantity required is 2,425,000 pounds, more or less.

The security required will be Fifty Thousand Dollars.

See specifications for full details.

No. 2. FRESH COWS' MILK.

The quantity required is 4,000,000 quarts, more or less.

The security required will be Ten Thousand Dollars.

No. 3. CONDENSED COWS' MILK.

The quantity required is 210,000 quarts, more or less.

The security required will be Ten Thousand Dollars.

No. 4. FOR FRESH FISH, ETC.

The security required will be Ten Thousand Dollars.

No. 5. FOR POULTRY.

The quantity required is 105,000 pounds chickens, 55,000 pounds turkeys, 2,000 pounds geese, more or less.

The security required will be Five Thousand Dollars.

No. 6. FOR 25,000 TONS OF WHITE ASH AND SOFT COAL.

The security required will be Forty Thousand Dollars.

No. 7. FOR GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, FLOUR, COAL, GAS, ETC.

The security required will be two bonds each for not less than fifty per cent. of the amount of the contract.

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

The Board reserves the right to reject all bids if it deems it for the interest of the City so to do.

All of the above-mentioned supplies are to be delivered in the year 1901, and delivery will be made as required from time to time in such quantities as may be directed by the Commissioner, free from all expense.

Any bidder for the above-mentioned contracts must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect.

Each bid or estimate shall contain the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same, the names of all persons interested with him or them 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 Municipal Assembly, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true.

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

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

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

Bidders are requested, in making their bids or estimates, to use the blank prepared for that purpose by the Commissioners, a copy of which and also the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, together with the form of agreement, including specifications approved as to form by the Corporation Council, and showing the manner of payment for the work, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department of Public Charities, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Board of Public Charities will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

JOHN W. KELLER, President, ADOLPH H. GOETTING, Commissioner, JAMES FEENEY, Commissioner, Department of Public Charities.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES, NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW, PARK ROW BUILDING, MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

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

MONDAY, DECEMBER 17, 1900.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ABOUT 1,500 TONS OF RED-ASH ANTHRACITE STOVE COAL FOR USE OF BRIDGES OVER THE HARLEM RIVER AND IN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, DURING THE YEAR 1901.

The amount of security required is Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000).

The time allowed will be between January 1 and December 31, 1901.

The Department reserves the right of increasing or reducing the quantity to be furnished by 50 per cent.

The person or persons making an estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed with the title given above, of the work for which the estimate is

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

Each estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same, the names of all persons interested with him or them 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 in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud, and that no member of the Municipal Assembly, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true.

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

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by a certified check or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the bond required, as provided in section 403 of the Greater New York Charter.

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies or the nature and extent of the work required, and of the places of delivery, bidders are referred to the printed specifications.

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

The Commissioner of Bridges reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest.

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

NOVEMBER, 1900.

JOHN L. SHEA, Commissioner of Bridges.

CHANGE OF GRADE DAMAGE COMMISSION, TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 523 OF THE LAWS OF 1899, ENTITLED "AN ACT providing for ascertaining and paying the amount of damages to lands and buildings suffered by reason of changes of grade of streets or avenues, made pursuant to chapter 271 of the Laws of 1887, providing for the depression of railroad tracks in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, in the City of New York, or otherwise," and the acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, notice is hereby given that public meetings of the Commissioners appointed pursuant to said acts will be held at Room 58, Schermerhorn Building, No. 96 Broadway, in the City of New York, on Monday, Wednesday and Friday of each week, at 2 o'clock P. M., until further notice.

Dated New York, January 3, 1900.

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

LAMONT McLOUGHLIN, Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

PERSONS HAVING BULKHEADS TO FILL, in the vicinity of New York Bay, can procure material for that purpose—namely, street sweepings, etc.—such as is collected by the Department of Street Cleaning—free of charge, by applying to the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, Nos. 15 to 21 Park row, Borough of Manhattan.

PERCIVAL E. NAGLE, Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

NOTICE OF ASSESSMENTS FOR OPENING STREETS AND PARKS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1005 OF THE "Greater New York Charter," the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice of the confirmation by the Supreme Court, and the entering in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears, of the assessment for OPENING AND ACQUIRING TITLE to the following-named street in the BOROUGH OF THE BRONX:

TWENTY-THIRD WARD, SECTION 9.

EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-SECOND STREET—OPENING, from the Concourse to Sheridan avenue, and from Sherman avenue to Morris avenue. Confirmed November 13, 1900; entered December 7, 1900. Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the middle line of the block between Sherman avenue and Sheridan avenue, with the northerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-first street; running thence northerly along said northerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-first street to the southerly side of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse; thence northerly along said southerly side of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse to the southerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-third street; thence southerly along said southerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-third street to the middle line of the block between Sheridan avenue and Sherman avenue; thence southerly along said middle line of the block to its intersection with the northerly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to the northerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-second street and distant 100 feet northerly therefrom; thence southerly along said northerly prolongation and parallel line to the northerly side of Park avenue (formerly Railroad avenue, West); thence southerly along said northerly side of Park avenue (formerly Railroad avenue, West) to its intersection with the southerly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to the southerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-second street and distant 100 feet southerly therefrom; thence northerly along said southerly prolongation and parallel line and its prolongation northerly to the middle line of the block between Sherman avenue and Sheridan avenue; thence southerly along said middle line of the block to the point or place of beginning.

The above-entitled assessment was entered on the date hereinafore given in the Record of Titles of Assessments and Arrears, kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears." Unless the amount assessed for benefits on any parcel or property

shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1006 of the "Greater New York Charter."

Said section provides that, "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from the date of such entry to the date of payment."

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 Crotona Park Building, corner of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue, Borough of The Bronx, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 3 P. M., and on Saturdays from 9 A. M. to 12 M., and all payments made thereon on or before February 3, 1901, 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 of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, December 7, 1900.

PETER F. MEYER, AUCTIONEER.

CORPORATION SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of the City of New York, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale at public auction, on

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 13, 1900,

at 12 o'clock P. M., at the Comptroller's Office, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, all the right, title and interest in the former bed of the old Bushwick creek, located in the Borough of Brooklyn, and which is bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the southeasterly line of Havemeyer street, distant about 55 feet northerly from the corner formed by the intersection of the said southeasterly line of Havemeyer street with the northerly line of North Eighth street; and running thence in a general southeasterly direction along the center line of the former Bushwick creek, 44 feet, more or less, to the northerly line of Lot 26, as shown on the map of 100 lots of ground, in the Fourteenth Ward of Brooklyn, Eastern Division, and belonging to Mary E. Colt, and annexed to the deed recorded in the office of the Register of Kings County in Liber 581 of Conveyances, page 388; thence northerly along the northerly line of said Lot 26, 4 feet, more or less, to the northerly line of the former bed of the old Bushwick creek; thence southeasterly, southerly and southwesterly along the easterly line of the former bed of the old Bushwick creek to the northerly line of North Eighth street; thence northerly along the northerly line of North Eighth street, 3 feet, more or less, to the westerly line of the former bed of the old Bushwick creek; thence northerly, northerly and northerly along the westerly line of the former bed of the old Bushwick creek to the northerly line of Havemeyer street, and thence northerly 4 feet, more or less, to the point and place of beginning.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE.

The highest bidder will be required to pay the full amount of his bid or purchase-money and the auctioneer's fee at the time of sale, together with the further sum of \$75 for expenses of the sale, examinations, conveyance, etc.

The quit-claim deed for the above parcel to be delivered within thirty days from the date of sale. The Comptroller may, at his option, resell the property struck off to the highest bidder who shall fail to comply with the terms of sale, and the party who fails to comply therewith will be held liable for any deficiency resulting from such resale.

The right to reject any bid is reserved.

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, under resolution adopted October 26, 1900.

BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, November 3, 1900.

NOTICE OF ASSESSMENTS FOR OPENING STREETS AND PARKS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1005 OF THE "Greater New York Charter," the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice of the confirmation by the Supreme Court, and the entering in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears, of the assessment for OPENING AND ACQUIRING TITLE to the following-named street in the BOROUGH OF THE BRONX:

TWENTY-THIRD WARD, SECTION 10.

PUBLIC PLACE—OPENING, bounded by East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, Hall place and Rogers place. Confirmed November 13, 1900; entered November 28, 1900. Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in the City of New York, which taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the northerly side of Dawson street with the middle line of the block, between Stebbins avenue and Rogers place, running thence southerly along said middle line of the block to its intersection with the easterly prolongation of that part of the middle line of the block between East One Hundred and Sixty-third street and East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, lying westerly from Stebbins avenue; thence westerly along said easterly prolongation and middle line of the blocks to the easterly side of Forest avenue; thence northerly along said easterly side of Forest avenue to its intersection with the middle line of the block between East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and East One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street; thence easterly along said middle line of the blocks and its prolongation easterly to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the westerly side of Hall place and distant 100 feet westerly therefrom; thence northerly along said parallel line to the southerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street; thence northerly on a straight line to the intersection of the northerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street with the middle line of the block between Intervale avenue and Stebbins avenue; thence northerly along said middle line of the block and its prolongation northerly to the southerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street; thence southerly along said southerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street to its intersection with the northerly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to the southerly side of Intervale avenue and distant 100 feet northerly therefrom; thence southerly along said southerly prolongation and parallel line to the northerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street; thence westerly along said northerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street to its intersection with the northerly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to the easterly side of Intervale avenue

and distant 100 feet easterly therefrom; thence southerly along said southerly prolongation and parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the northerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and distant 100 feet easterly therefrom; thence easterly along said parallel line to the westerly side of Rogers street; thence easterly along said westerly side of Rogers street to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and distant 100 feet easterly therefrom; thence westerly along said parallel line to the middle line of the block between Intervale avenue and Rogers place; thence southerly along said middle line of the blocks to the southerly side of Dawson street; thence southwesterly along said northwesterly side of Dawson street to the point or place of beginning.

The above-entitled assessment was entered on the date hereinafore given in the Record of Titles of Assessments and Arrears, kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears." Unless the amount assessed for benefits on any parcel or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1006 of the "Greater New York Charter."

Said section provides that, "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said record of titles of assessment, 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 from the date of such entry to the date of payment."

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 Crotona Park Building, corner of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Third avenue, Borough of The Bronx, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 3 P. M., and on Saturdays from 9 A. M. to 12 M., and all payments made thereon on or before January 28, 1901, 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 of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, November 30, 1900.

PETER F. MEYER, AUCTIONEER.

CORPORATION SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of the City of New York, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale at public auction, on

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 9, 1901,

at 12 o'clock P. M., at the Comptroller's Office, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, all the right, title and interest of The City of New York, in and to certain premises situated in the Borough of Brooklyn, and described as follows:

All that certain piece or parcel of land, situate in the Twentieth Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, being so much of the old Wallabout road as lies within the present boundary lines of Lot No. 13, in Block 3, in said Ward, which lot is more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the easterly side of Cumberland street, distant 200 feet, more or less, southerly from the intersection of the southerly side of Flushing avenue with the westerly side of Cumberland street; and running thence easterly and at right angles or nearly so with Cumberland street 100 feet; thence southerly and parallel with Cumberland street 22 feet 4 inches; thence westerly and parallel with the first described course 100 feet to the easterly side of Cumberland street, and thence northerly along the easterly side of Cumberland street 22 feet 4 inches to the point and place of beginning, be the said several dimensions more or less.

The City's interest in said premises to be sold upon the following

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE.

The highest bidder for said parcel will be required to pay the full amount of his bid or purchase money and the auctioneer's fee at the time of sale, together with the further sum of \$75 for expenses of the sale, examinations, conveyance, etc.

The quit-claim deed for the premises to be delivered within thirty days from the date of sale. The Comptroller may, at his option, resell the property struck off to the highest bidder who shall fail to comply with the terms of sale, and the party who fails to comply therewith will be held liable for any deficiency resulting from such resale.

The right to reject any bid is reserved.

The map of the property to be sold may be seen upon application at the Comptroller's Office, Room 57, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, under resolutions adopted November 14, 1900.

BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, November 30, 1900.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1012 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 EIGHTH WARD OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 365 of the Laws of 1889, and the acts amendatory thereof, and chapter 278 of the Laws of 1897, to wit:

- FORTY-FOURTH STREET—GRADING AND PAVING, from Second to Third avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Forty-fourth street, between Second and Third avenues, and to the extent of one-half the blocks on the terminating avenues.
- FORTY-FIFTH STREET—GRADING AND PAVING, from Second to Third avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Forty-fifth street, between Second and Third avenues, and to the extent of one-half the blocks on the terminating avenues.
- FORTY-SIXTH STREET—GRADING AND PAVING, from Second to Third avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Forty-sixth street, between Second and Third avenues, and to the extent of one-half the blocks on the terminating avenues.
- FORTY-SEVENTH STREET—GRADING AND PAVING, from Second to Third avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Forty-seventh street, between Second and Third avenues, and to the extent of one-half the blocks on the terminating avenues.
- FORTY-EIGHTH STREET—GRADING AND PAVING, from Fifth avenue to Sixth avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Forty-eighth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, and to the extent of one-half the blocks on the terminating avenues; also, lots numbered 10 to 14, inclusive, of Block 25.
- FORTY-NINTH STREET—GRADING AND PAVING, from Fifth avenue to Sixth avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Forty-ninth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, and to the extent of one-half the blocks on the terminating avenues; also, lots numbered 10 to 14, inclusive, of Block 25.
- FIFTIETH STREET—GRADING AND PAVING, from Second to Third avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Fiftieth street, between Second and Third avenues, and to the extent of one-half the blocks on the terminating avenues.
- FIFTY-FIRST STREET—GRADING AND PAVING, from Second to Third avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Fifty-first street, between Second and Third avenues, and to the extent of one-half the blocks on the terminating avenues.
- FIFTY-SECOND STREET—GRADING AND PAVING, from Second to Third avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Fifty-second street, between Second and Third avenues, and to the extent of one-half the blocks on the terminating avenues; also, lots numbered 10 and 11 of Block 25.
- FIFTY-THIRD STREET—GRADING AND PAVING, from Second to Third avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Fifty-third street, between Second and Third avenues, and to the extent of one-half the blocks on the terminating avenues.
- FIFTY-FOURTH STREET—GRADING AND PAVING, from Second to Third avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Fifty-fourth street, between Second and Third avenues, and to the extent of one-half the blocks on the terminating avenues.
- FIFTY-FIFTH STREET—GRADING AND PAVING, from Second to Third avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Fifty-fifth street, between Second and Third avenues, and to the extent of one-half the blocks on the terminating avenues.
- FIFTY-SIXTH STREET—GRADING AND PAVING, from Second to Third avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Fifty-sixth street, between Second and Third avenues, and to the extent of one-half the blocks on the terminating avenues.
- FIFTY-SEVENTH STREET—GRADING AND PAVING, from Second to Third avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Fifty-seventh street, between Second and Third avenues, and to the extent of one-half the blocks on the terminating avenues.
- FIFTY-EIGHTH STREET—GRADING AND PAVING, from Second to Third avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Fifty-eighth street, between Second and Third avenues, and to the extent of one-half the blocks on the terminating avenues.
- FIFTY-NINTH STREET—GRADING AND PAVING, from Second to Third avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Fifty-ninth street, between Second and Third avenues, and to the extent of one-half the blocks on the terminating avenues.
- SIXTH AVENUE—GRADING AND PAVING, from Thirty-sixth street to Forty-first street. Area of assessment: Both sides of Sixth avenue, between Thirty-sixth and Forty-first streets, and to the extent of one-half the blocks on the intersecting and terminating streets.
- SIXTH AVENUE—GRADING, from Thirty-sixth street to old city line. Area of assessment: Both sides of Sixth avenue, from Thirty-sixth street to the old city line, and to the extent of one-half the blocks on the following-named intersecting streets, viz.: Forty-first, Forty-fourth to Forty-eighth, inclusive; Fiftieth to Fifty-ninth, inclusive.
- SIXTH AVENUE—GRADING AND PAVING, from Forty-fourth street to old city line. Area of assessment: Both sides of Sixth avenue, from Forty-fourth street to old city line, and to the extent of one-half the blocks on the intersecting streets, excepting Forty-ninth street.
- SEVENTH AVENUE—GRADING, from Thirty-sixth street to old city line. Area of assessment: Both sides of Seventh avenue, from Thirty-sixth street to the old city line, and to the extent of one-half the blocks on the intersecting streets west of Seventh avenue; also, to the same extent on the intersecting streets between 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th streets east of Seventh avenue; also, on the intersecting streets between Seventh avenue and the city line.

half the blocks on the intersecting and terminating streets; also, lots numbered 10 to 14, inclusive, of Block 25; also, lots numbered 10 to 14, inclusive, of Block 25; also, Lot No. 20, of Block 25.

FIFTIETH STREET—GRADING AND PAVING, from Second to Third avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Fiftieth street, between Second and Third avenues, and to the extent of one-half the blocks on the terminating avenues.

FIFTY-SECOND STREET—GRADING AND PAVING, from Second to Third avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Fifty-second street, between Second and Third avenues, and to the extent of one-half the blocks on the terminating avenues; also, lots numbered 10 and 11 of Block 25.

FIFTY-THIRD STREET—GRADING AND PAVING, from Second to Third avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Fifty-third street, between Second and Third avenues, and to the extent of one-half the blocks on the terminating avenues.

FIFTY-FOURTH STREET—GRADING AND PAVING, from Second to Third avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Fifty-fourth street, between Second and Third avenues, and to the extent of one-half the blocks on the terminating avenues.

FIFTY-FIFTH STREET—GRADING AND PAVING, from Second to Third avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Fifty-fifth street, between Second and Third avenues, and to the extent of one-half the blocks on the terminating avenues.

FIFTY-SIXTH STREET—GRADING AND PAVING, from Second to Third avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Fifty-sixth street, between Second and Third avenues, and to the extent of one-half the blocks on the terminating avenues.

FIFTY-SEVENTH STREET—GRADING AND PAVING, from Second to Third avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Fifty-seventh street, between Second and Third avenues, and to the extent of one-half the blocks on the terminating avenues.

FIFTY-EIGHTH STREET—GRADING AND PAVING, from Second to Third avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Fifty-eighth street, between Second and Third avenues, and to the extent of one-half the blocks on the terminating avenues.

FIFTY-NINTH STREET—GRADING AND PAVING, from Second to Third avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Fifty-ninth street, between Second and Third avenues, and to the extent of one-half the blocks on the terminating avenues.

SIXTH AVENUE—GRADING, from Thirty-sixth street to old city line. Area of assessment: Both sides of Sixth avenue, from Thirty-sixth street to the old city line, and to the extent of one-half the blocks on the following-named intersecting streets, viz.: Forty-first, Forty-fourth to Forty-eighth, inclusive; Fiftieth to Fifty-ninth, inclusive.

SIXTH AVENUE—GRADING AND PAVING, from Forty-fourth street to old city line. Area of assessment: Both sides of Sixth avenue, from Forty-fourth street to old city line, and to the extent of one-half the blocks on the intersecting streets, excepting Forty-ninth street.

SEVENTH AVENUE—GRADING, from Thirty-sixth street to old city line. Area of assessment: Both sides of Seventh avenue, from Thirty-sixth street to the old city line, and to the extent of one-half the blocks on the intersecting streets between 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th streets east of Seventh avenue; also, on the intersecting streets between Seventh avenue and the city line.

That if it were confirmed by the Supreme Court, Kings County, on November 9, 1900, and that the Board of Assessors of The City of New York thereon levied and assessed the "First Installment" thereon, and transmitted the same to the Comptroller on November 13, 1900, for entry and collection.

That said "First Installment" in each case is now due and payable, and unless the amount thereof assessed for benefits on any parcel or property shall be paid within sixty days after December 1, 1900, interest shall be charged, collected and received thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from December 1, 1900, to the date of payment.

The owner of any parcel of land assessed for any of the foregoing assessments may, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 365, Laws of 1889, as amended by chapter 42, Laws of 1890, chapter 520, Laws of 1895, and chapter 776, Laws of 1897, at any time after the first installment becomes due and payable, pay all the installments not levied of said assessments, and the same will thereupon be cancelled.

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, at the office of the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, Borough of Brooklyn, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 3 P. M., and on Saturdays from 9 A. M. to 12 M., and all payments made thereon on or before January 30, 1901, will be exempt from interest as above provided.

BIRD S. COLER, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, December 1, 1900.

NOTICE OF ASSESSMENTS FOR LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE ASSESSMENT ROLLS for the "Fourth Installment" in the following-entitled matters have been completed and are now due and payable and the authority for the collection of the various assessments mentioned therein has been delivered to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, and all persons liable to pay such assessments are required to pay the same without delay at his office, Rooms 1 and 2, Municipal Building, in the Borough of Brooklyn.

EIGHTH WARD.

- Opening and Grading the Following-named Streets: Forty-first street, from Fifth avenue to the old city line.
- Forty-fourth street, from Fifth avenue to the old city line.
- Forty-fifth street, from Fifth avenue to the old city line.
- Forty-sixth street, from Fifth avenue to the old city line.
- Forty-seventh street, from Fifth avenue to the old city line.
- Fiftieth street, from Fifth avenue to the old city line.
- Fifty-first street, from Fifth avenue to the old city line.
- Fifty-second street, from Fifth avenue to the old city line.
- Fifty-third street, from Fifth avenue to the old city line.
- Fifty-fourth street, from Fifth avenue to the old city line.
- Fifty-fifth street, from Fifth avenue to the old city line.
- Fifty-sixth street, from Fifth avenue to the old city line.
- Fifty-seventh street, from Fifth avenue to the old city line.
- Fifty-eighth street, from Fifth avenue to the old city line.
- Fifty-ninth street, from Fifth avenue to the old city line.
- Eighty-seventh, from Thirty-ninth street to the old city line.

Also for Grading and Paving: Forty-first street, from Third avenue to Fourth avenue.- Forty-fourth street, from Fifth avenue to Sixth avenue.
- Forty-fifth street, from Third avenue to Fourth avenue.
- Forty-sixth street, from Fifth avenue to Sixth avenue.

ceding, 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, in the office of the Law Department, Room 30, Borough Hall, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on or before the 4th day of January, 1901, 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 4th day of January, 1901, at 11 o'clock A. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of The City of New York, in the Borough of Brooklyn, Room 30, Borough Hall, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, there to remain until the 15th day of January, 1901.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning on the southerly side of Metropolitan avenue, at a point which would be intersected by a line drawn at right angles with Meadow street and distant 200 feet westerly from the corner formed by the intersection of the easterly line of Gardner avenue with the northerly line of Meadow street, and running thence southerly along said line, and also on a line parallel with Gardner avenue and distant 200 feet easterly therefrom to the northerly side of Flushing avenue; running thence northwesterly along Flushing avenue to a point distant 260 feet 5 1/2 inches, more or less, northwesterly from the corner formed by the intersection of the northerly line of Johnson avenue with the northwesterly line of Flushing avenue, and running thence northerly on a line at right angles with Flushing avenue 158 feet 7 1/2 inches to a point; running thence northerly on a line parallel with Scott avenue and distant 200 feet easterly therefrom to the center of Newtown creek; thence northwesterly as said Newtown creek winds and turns to Metropolitan avenue, and thence westerly along Metropolitan avenue to the point or place of beginning, excepting from said area all streets and avenues legally opened, as such area is shown on benefit map.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof, for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 25th day of January, 1901, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, December 10, 1900.

WALTER T. BENNETT, Chairman,
JOHN BRESLIN,
JOHN M. ZURN,
Commissioners.

M. E. FINNIGAN, Clerk.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of the City of New York relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening SEVENTY-FIRST STREET, from Third avenue to Shore road, in the Thirtieth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 21st day of March, 1900, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, at his office in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 1st day of March, 1900, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings on the 1st day of March, 1900; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4 of the Greater New York Charter, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, in the office of the Law Department, Room 30, Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owners or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 4th day of January, 1901, at 11 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimants or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, December 7, 1900.

JAMES GRAHAM,
WILLIAM A. FISCHER,
ALFRED H. MARQUIS,
Commissioners.

M. E. FINNIGAN, Clerk.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening MONTGOMERY STREET, from the division line between the former City of Brooklyn and the Town of Flatbush to East New York avenue, in the Twenty-fourth and Twenty-sixth Wards, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE, THE undersigned, were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 18th day of September, 1900, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, at his office in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 18th day of September, 1900, a copy of which order was duly

filed in the office of the Register of the County of Kings, and indexed in the Index of Conveyances, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage, if any, or of the benefit and advantage, if any, as the case may be, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening the above-mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings on the 18th day of September, 1900; and a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of said street or avenue so to be opened or laid out and formed, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the said respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises not required for the purpose of opening, laying out and forming the same, but benefited thereby, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by chapter 17, title 4 of the Greater New York Charter, and the acts or parts of acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening the said street or avenue, or affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, at our office, in the office of the Law Department, Room 30, Borough Hall, Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, with such affidavits or other proofs as the said owner or claimants may desire, within twenty days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 4th day of January, 1901, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proofs of such claimants or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner, or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, December 7, 1900.

FRANK GALLAGHER,
HENRY JOSEPH,
JOHN WATSON,
Commissioners.

M. E. FINNIGAN, Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening EAST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-SEVENTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Third avenue to the Southern Boulevard, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE supplemental and additional bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 20th day of December, 1900, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of title 4 of chapter 17 of chapter 38 of the Laws of 1897.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, December 8, 1900.

FLOYD M. LORD,
EDWARD F. HOLLISTER,
WILLIAM E. LEWIS,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUFFY, Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening BELMONT AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from 1st Avenue to the lands of St. John's College, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of The City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto do present their said objections, in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 30 and 32 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 4th day of December, 1900, 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 4th day of December, 1900, at 11 o'clock A. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 30 and 32 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 15th day of December, 1900.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of the Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz: Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the westerly prolongation of the northerly side of Walden place with the United States pier and bulkhead line of the easterly side of the Harlem river; running thence northerly along said United States pier and bulkhead line to the northwesterly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street; thence northwesterly along said northwesterly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street and its prolongation southwesterly to the southerly side of Spinnaker avenue; thence northwesterly along said southerly side of Spinnaker avenue to the southerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street; thence northwesterly along said northwesterly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street and its prolongation southwesterly to the southerly side of Jerome avenue; thence southerly to its intersection of the southerly side of Jerome avenue with the southerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street; thence southwesterly along said southwesterly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street to the northwesterly side of Crescent avenue; thence southwesterly along said southwesterly side of Crescent avenue to the southerly side of Walden place; thence westerly along said southerly side of Walden place and its prolongation westerwardly to the point or place of beginning; as such streets are shown upon the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York; excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 24th day of January, 1901, 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.

of Hughes avenue; thence southwesterly along said southwesterly side of Hughes avenue to a point 100 feet northwesterly from the northwesterly side of East One Hundred and Eighty-second street; thence southwesterly on a line at a right angle to Belmont avenue to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southerly side of Belmont avenue and distant 200 feet northwesterly therefrom; thence northwesterly along said parallel line to the southerly side of Crescent avenue; thence westerly to the intersection of the northerly side of Belmont avenue with the southwesterly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to the northwesterly side of Belmont avenue and distant 200 feet northwesterly therefrom; thence northwesterly along said southwesterly prolongation and parallel line and its prolongation northwesterly to its intersection with a line drawn at a right angle to the northwesterly prolongation of Belmont avenue and distant 200 feet northwesterly from the southwesterly boundary of the lands of St. John's College; thence southwesterly along said line at a right angle to the northwesterly prolongation of Belmont avenue to its intersection with the northwesterly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to the southerly side of Belmont avenue, and distant 200 feet southwesterly therefrom; thence southwesterly along said northwesterly prolongation and parallel line to the southerly side of Crescent avenue; thence southwesterly to the intersection of the southerly side of Crescent avenue with the northwesterly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to the southerly side of Belmont avenue, and distant 100 feet southwesterly therefrom; thence southwesterly along said northwesterly prolongation and parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn at a right angle to Belmont avenue, from a point in the northwesterly side of Cambreling avenue, distant 100 feet northwesterly from the northerly side of Great street; thence southwesterly along said line at a right angle to Belmont avenue to the northwesterly side of Cambreling avenue; thence southwesterly along said northwesterly side of Cambreling avenue to the northerly side of Great street; thence southwesterly to the intersection of the southerly side of East One Hundred and Eighty-second street with the middle line of the block between Belmont avenue and Jerome avenue; thence southwesterly along said middle line of the block to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southerly side of Belmont avenue and distant 100 feet southwesterly therefrom; thence southwesterly along said parallel line and its prolongation southwesterly to the middle line of the block between East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street and East One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street, thence northwesterly along said middle line of the block to the point or place of beginning, as such streets are shown upon the final maps and profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York, excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 24th day of January, 1901, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, November 23, 1900.

JOHN DE WITT WARNER,
WILLIAM FITZPATRICK,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUFFY, Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening EXTERIOR STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Jerome avenue to "rowell's creek," as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-third Ward of The City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto do present their said objections, in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 30 and 32 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 15th day of December, 1900, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 15th day of December, 1900, at 11 o'clock A. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings of the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 30 and 32 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 4th day of December, 1900.

Third—That the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of the Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz: Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the westerly prolongation of the northerly side of Walden place with the United States pier and bulkhead line of the easterly side of the Harlem river; running thence northerly along said United States pier and bulkhead line to the northwesterly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street; thence northwesterly along said northwesterly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street and its prolongation southwesterly to the southerly side of Spinnaker avenue; thence northwesterly along said southerly side of Spinnaker avenue to the southerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street; thence northwesterly along said northwesterly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street and its prolongation southwesterly to the southerly side of Jerome avenue; thence southerly to its intersection of the southerly side of Jerome avenue with the southerly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street; thence southwesterly along said southwesterly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street to the northwesterly side of Crescent avenue; thence southwesterly along said southwesterly side of Crescent avenue to the southerly side of Walden place; thence westerly along said southerly side of Walden place and its prolongation westerwardly to the point or place of beginning; as such streets are shown upon the Final Maps and Profiles of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York; excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 24th day of January, 1901, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, October 5, 1900.

GUSTAVE S. DRACHMAN, Chairman,
MICHAEL COLEMAN,
MICHAEL SEXTON,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUFFY, Clerk.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, October 10, 1900.

PATRICK H. WHALEN, Chairman,
WILLIAM H. BAKER,
THOMAS H. WILSON,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUFFY, Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of Charles H.T. Collis, Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title in fee to certain lots, pieces or parcels of land, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, for the purpose of the construction of the SOUTH THIRD AVENUE APPROACH TO THE BRIDGE OVER THE HARLEM RIVER, connecting the southerly end of Third avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of said city, with the southerly end of Third avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of said city, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 473 of the Laws of 1896, entitled "An act to provide for the construction of a drawbridge over the Harlem river, in the City of New York, and for the removal of the present bridge at Third avenue in said city," and the various statutes amendatory thereof, and all other statutes in such case made and provided.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 18th day of December, 1900, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by the provisions of section 999 of title 4 of chapter 17 of chapter 38 of the Laws of 1897.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, December 5, 1900.

WILLIAM E. WYATT,
PETER BOWE,
ARTHUR INGRAHAM,
Commissioners.

JAMES A. C. JOHNSON, Clerk.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening MOHAWK AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Hunt's Point road to the Bronx river, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road, in the Twenty-third Ward of The City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate 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, and having objections thereto do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, Nos. 30 and 32 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 15th day of December, 1900, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 15th day of December, 1900, at 11 o'clock A. M.

Second—That the abstract of our said assessment, together with our benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 30 and 32 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said city, there to remain until the 15th day of January, 1901.

Third—That, pursuant to the notice heretofore given when we filed our estimate of damage, the limits of our assessment for benefit include all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate, lying and being in the Borough of the Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz: Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the southerly side of Lafayette avenue, with a line drawn parallel to the northwesterly side of Mohawk avenue (Garrison avenue) and distant 100 feet northwesterly therefrom; running thence northwesterly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southerly side of Hunt's Point road and distant 200 feet southwesterly therefrom; thence northwesterly along said parallel line to its intersection with the northerly side of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad; thence northwesterly along the southerly side of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad to its intersection with the northerly side of Whittier street; thence easterly along a line drawn parallel to Mohawk avenue (Garrison avenue) to the westerly side of the Bronx river; thence southerly along the westerly side of the Bronx river to its intersection with the middle line of the block between Seneca avenue and Mohawk avenue (Garrison avenue); thence westerly by said middle line to its intersection with the middle line of the block between Falls street and Hunt's Point road; thence southerly along said middle line to the northerly side of Seneca avenue; thence westerly to the easterly side of Hunt's Point road; thence westerly by the westerly prolongation of a line drawn parallel to Mohawk avenue (Garrison avenue) and said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the westerly side of Hunt's Point road and distant 20 feet westerly therefrom; thence southerly along said parallel line to its intersection with a line drawn parallel to the southerly side of Mohawk avenue (Garrison avenue) and distant 100 feet southwesterly therefrom; thence southwesterly along said parallel line to the northerly side of Lafayette avenue; thence westerly along the northerly side of Lafayette avenue to the point or place of beginning; as such streets are shown upon the final maps of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of The City of New York; excepting from said area all streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof, heretofore legally opened as such area is shown upon our benefit maps deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented 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 14th day of February, 1901, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, October 5, 1900.

GUSTAVE S. DRACHMAN, Chairman,
MICHAEL COLEMAN,
MICHAEL SEXTON,
Commissioners.

JOHN P. DUFFY, Clerk.