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OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Hearings on Legislative Bills.

PURSUANT TO STATUTORY REQUIREMENT, notice is hereby given that an act, Senate No. 896, Int. No. 788, has been passed by both branches of the Legislature, entitled:

An act to amend the Greater New York Charter, in relation to limiting the time within which an appeal may be taken to the appellate division from the final decree in condemnation proceedings.

Further notice is hereby given that a Public Hearing upon such bill will be held at the Mayor's Office in the City Hall in The City of New York, on Thursday, April 12, 1917, at 2.30 o'clock p. m.

Dated, City Hall, New York, April 9, 1917.

JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, Mayor.

PURSUANT TO STATUTORY REQUIREMENT, notice is hereby given that an act, Senate No. 710, Int. No. 630, has been passed by both branches of the Legislature, entitled:

An act to amend chapter seven hundred and twelve of the laws of nineteen hundred and seven, entitled "An act in relation to the use and occupancy of the hall of records in the county of New York," in relation to the leasing of any portion of such building to the state of New York.

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An act to amend the Greater New York charter, in relation to additional expenses of removing snow and ice from streets.

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PURSUANT TO STATUTORY REQUIREMENT, notice is hereby given that an act, Senate No. 1194, Int. No. 352, has been passed by both branches of the Legislature, entitled:

An act to amend the Greater New York Charter, in relation to the annual city budget.

Further notice is hereby given that a Public Hearing upon such bill will be held at the Mayor's Office in the City Hall in The City of New York, on Thursday, April 12, 1917, at 2.30 o'clock p. m.

Dated, City Hall, New York, April 9, 1917.

JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, Mayor.

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PURSUANT TO STATUTORY REQUIREMENT, notice is hereby given that an act, Assembly No. 1782, Int. No. 798, has been passed by both branches of the Legislature, entitled:

An act to amend the Greater New York Charter, in relation to the granting of leaves of absence to members of the police force.

Further notice is hereby given that a Public Hearing upon such bill will be held at the Mayor's Office in the City Hall in The City of New York, on Thursday, April 12, 1917, at 2.30 o'clock p. m.

Dated, City Hall, New York, April 9, 1917.

JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, Mayor.

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BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

Public Hearings by the Committee on General Welfare.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Committee on General Welfare of the Board of Aldermen will hold public hearings as follows:

THURSDAY, APRIL 12, 1917, at Public School No. 6, Steinway and Jamaica aves., L. I. City, at 8 p. m.

on the following matter:

No. 1242—Request of the Conference of Organized Labor to the Board to hold hearings and to invite the Board of Education and City Officials to answer why the demands for better educational facilities have not been respected.

All persons interested are invited to attend.

m23,a12 P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk and Clerk of the Board of Aldermen.

Department of Public Charities.

Report for Week Ended March 31, 1917.

Appointments — Hannah Borthwick, Margaret Lacey, Louise Ehringer, Helen Kelly, Pupil Nurses, \$120; Catherine Martin, Pupil Nurse, \$144; Helen A. Lee, Cecilia Quinlivan, Katherine Chisholm, Elizabeth McDonald, Hazel Thompson, Nell Beldon McCool, Kathleen Gleeson, Trained Nurses, \$600; Ford Ware, Ralph E. Curti, Bernard McCabe, Attendants, \$600; — MacDowell, Anna M. Kissouth, Sophia Gibney, Attendants, \$480; Edward J. Daly, Kate Fielding, Helen A. Smeltzer, James Waters, William Lewis, James Lynch, Patrick Kenny, William Cook, Peter J. Smith, Attendants, \$360; Edna A. Mayer, Richel E. C. Crowley, Clerks, \$200; John De Boue, Lizzie Chambers, Cooks, \$480; Elizabeth Chester, Cook, \$420; Alexander Chriani, Hospital Helper, \$480; Katie Kelly, Hospital Helper, \$210; James Dixson, Hospital Helper, \$180; Patrick Mullin, Neal Fisher, Firemen, \$3 a day; Hazel Benton, Institutional Inspector, \$1,500; Gertrude Kane, Gus Carrino, Assistant Institutional Clerks, \$480; George Brown, Assistant Institutional Clerk, \$300; Herbert S. Corrigan, Assistant Institutional Clerk, \$240; Elizabeth Knudsen, Regina C. Masters, Typewriting Copyists, \$600; Rose Sugarman, Stenographer and Typewriter, \$720; James Manning, Senior Hospital Helper, \$480; John Quinn, Senior Hospital Artisan, \$390; Michael Leavy, Engineer, \$4.50 a day; Ralph Naples, Auto Engineer, \$960; Loretta Cloughessy, Telephone Operator, \$600.

Construction Company, 1328 Broadway, N. Y. C.; furnishing labor and material for electric work in erection and completion of 21 pavilion buildings, a group building and a dining hall at Sea View Hospital, Richmond, \$16,545; surety, \$6,000.

VICTOR S. DODSWORTH, Secretary.

Borough of Manhattan.

Report for week ended March 17, 1917.

Division of Audit and Accounts—Orders numbers 871 to 921, inclusive, were issued; 50 requisitions were received and acted upon; three requisitions, including 11 vouchers amounting to \$38,003.19, were drawn on the Comptroller.

Cashier's Office—Restoring and Repaving Special Fund (water, sewer openings, etc.), \$8,118.88; redemption of obstructions seized, \$845; shed permits, \$21; sewer connections, \$60; subpoena fees, \$2; prints, \$30.75; auction sales, C. P. M. 37a, \$298.54; vault permits, \$673.59.

Permits Issued—To place building material on streets, 30; to construct street vaults, 8; to construct sheds, 4; for fences, 3; for subways, steam mains, electrical and various connections, 249; for railway construction and repairs, and to reset poles, 12; to repair sidewalks, 68; for sewer connections, 6; for water services, 62; for curbs, 3; for miscellaneous purposes, 12.

Division of Sidewalks—Obstructions removed from various streets and avenues, 317; inspections made, 617; notices served, 135; street signs erected, 1.

Inspection Division, Bureau of Highways—1,188 square yards concrete laid by corporations; 421 square yards concrete laid by concrete gangs and paving companies; 126 square yards macadam roadway resurfaced; 3,415 square yards macadam roadways cleaned; square yards of pavement repaired, 14,368; linear feet gutters cleaned, 2,415.

Repairs to Sewers—Linear feet of sewer built, 141; linear feet of sewer examined, 20,400; basins cleaned, 1; basins examined, 54; manhole heads and covers reset, 3; basin hoods put in, 3; basin covers put on, 4; basins relieved, 18; manholes examined, 14; manhole covers put on, 27; cubic feet of brickwork built, 103; linear feet of sewer relieved, 1,100; basin grates put in, 2; cuts opened and refilled, 7.

Laboring Force Employed—Repaving and renewal of pavements: Mechanics, 166; laborers, 335; teams, 14; carts, 50. Division of Sidewalks: Mechanics, 2; laborers, 5; carts, 2. Sewers, maintenance, cleaning, etc.: Mechanics, 24; laborers, 57; carts, 7. Cleaning public buildings, baths etc.: Bath attendants, 209; cleaners, 288.

MARCUS M. MARKS, President.

BUREAU OF BUILDINGS.

Report for Week Ended March 24, 1917.

Plans filed: For new buildings, 7; estimated cost, \$219,500. For alterations, 62; estimated cost, \$372,425. Buildings reported as unsafe, 44; other violations of law reported, 137.

Contracts Awarded—New York Con-

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APPROVED PAPERS.

FOR THE PERIOD ENDING APRIL 7, 1917.

No. 68.

An Ordinance to Amend Subdivision 2 of Section 213 of Article 17 of Chapter 10 of the Code of Ordinances, Relating to Certificate of Fitness.*Be it Ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York, as follows:*

Sec. 1. Subdivision 2 of section 213 of article 17 of chapter 10 of the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 2. Certificate of fitness. No person shall operate a blow-pipe or other similar device or apparatus for heating, melting or welding without a certificate of fitness.

Sec. 3. This ordinance to take effect immediately.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen January 30, 1917.

Received from his Honor the Mayor February 13, 1917, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 69.

Resolution to Fix the Compensation of Certain Janitors in the Department of Education.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted the following resolution at a stated meeting held December 22, 1916:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of rates of compensation for Janitors in the Department of Education, in addition to those heretofore established, in accordance with the following list:

Janitor, Public School 50, Manhattan, per month.....	\$175 00
Janitor, Public School 74, Manhattan, per annum, less \$221.....	2,508 00
Janitor, Public School 48 (old), The Bronx, per month.....	20 00
Janitor, Public School 81, Queens, per annum.....	2,790 00
Janitor, Public School 81, Queens, per annum.....	2,990 00
Janitor, Public School 4, Richmond, per annum.....	1,056 00
Janitor, Public School 13, Richmond, per annum.....	3,276 00
Janitor, Morris High School, per month.....	246 66

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

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen January 30, 1917.

Received from his Honor the Mayor February 13, 1917, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 70.

Resolution for Special Revenue Bonds, \$4,000, to Defray Expense of Erecting a Portable School Building on Mermaid Avenue, Borough of Brooklyn.

Resolved, that, in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of Four thousand dollars (\$4,000), the proceeds whereof to be used by the Board of Education for the purpose of defraying the expense, in part, of erecting a four-room portable building on Mermaid avenue near West 32d street, Borough of Brooklyn; all obligations contracted for hereunder to be incurred on or before December 31, 1917.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen January 30, 1917.

Received from his Honor the Mayor February 13, 1917, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 71.

Resolution Amending Special Revenue Bond Issue, \$2,500, for Removal and Re-erection of a School Building in the Borough of The Bronx.

Resolved, That the following resolution, adopted October 31, 1916, and approved November 10, 1916:

"Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,500), the proceeds whereof to be used by the Board of Education for the purpose of defraying cost of removal and re-erection of a school building in the Bronx. All obligations contracted for hereunder to be incurred on or before December 31, 1916."

—be and the same is hereby amended by striking therefrom the word and figures "December 31, 1916," and inserting in lieu thereof the word and figures "March 31, 1917."

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen January 30, 1917.

Received from his Honor the Mayor February 13, 1917, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 72.

Resolution to Authorize the Secretary to Draw Upon the Comptroller on Account of Certain Contingent Expenses.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized and empowered to advance to the Secretary of the Board of Education moneys from the Special School Fund for the year 1917, to be accounted for by vouchers to be subsequently submitted for approval, as follows:

(a) \$500 to be used for petty cash expenses of the principal of the Manhattan Trade School for Girls.

(b) \$100 to be used for petty cash expenses of the Bureau of Attendance.

(c) \$670 to be used for paying the carfares of pupils attending the Elementary and Trade School for the Deaf, Manhattan.

(d) \$700 to be used for paying the carfares of the pupils attending classes for the blind and the guides who accompany them to and from school.

(e) \$1,000 to be used for petty cash expenses of the Board of Education.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen January 30, 1917.

Received from his Honor the Mayor February 13, 1917, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 73.

Resolution to Fix the Compensation of the Janitor of Public School 81, Queens.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted the following resolution at a stated meeting held January 12, 1917:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of rate of compensation for Janitor in the Department of Education, in addition to those heretofore established, as follows:

Janitor, Public School 81, Queens, per annum..... \$4,032 00

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

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen January 30, 1917.

Received from his Honor the Mayor February 13, 1917, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 74.

Resolution for Special Revenue Bonds, \$125,700, to Enable the Fire Commissioner to Meet the Expense of a Trial of the Two Platoon System.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds to the amount of one hundred and twenty-five thousand seven hundred dollars (\$125,700), the proceeds whereof to be used by the Fire Commissioner for the purpose of making a trial of the two platoon system for a period of six months, the money therefor to be expended as follows:

1 Battalion Chief	\$3,300 00
1 Captain	2,500 00
2 Lieutenants	4,200 00

1 Engineer of Steamer	1,700 00
14 Firemen	114,000 00
Total.....	\$125,700 00

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen January 30, 1917.

Received from his Honor the Mayor February 13, 1917, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 75.

Resolution to Authorize the Secretary of the Board of Elections to Draw Upon the Comptroller on Account of Contingent Expenses.

Resolved, That for the purpose of defraying minor incidental expenses contingent to the office of the Board of Elections the Secretary of said Board may, by requisition, draw upon the Comptroller for a sum not to exceed \$500, and the said Secretary may in like manner renew the draft as often as may be deemed necessary, to extent of the appropriation set apart for Board of Elections in the Budget for 1917, entitled "Code No. 186, Contingencies"; but no such renewal shall be made until the money paid upon the preceding draft shall have been accounted for to the Comptroller by the transmittal of a voucher or vouchers, certified by said Secretary, covering the expenditure of the money paid thereon.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen January 30, 1917.

Received from his Honor the Mayor February 13, 1917, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 76.

Resolution to Amend Subdivision 1 of Section 2 of Article 2 of Chapter 11 of the Code of Ordinances, Relating to Discharge of Small Arms.*Be it Ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York, as follows:*
Section 1. Subdivision 1 of section 2 of article 2 of chapter 11 of the Code of Ordinances, relating to the discharge of small arms, is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof the following words: The territory embraced within the areas of the three reservoirs in Central Park, including the embankments thereof, to enable the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity to preserve waters of the city from pollution by seagulls.

Sec. 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen January 30, 1917.

Received from his Honor the Mayor February 13, 1917, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 77.

Resolution to Authorize the City Clerk to Draw on Account of Minor Incidental Expenses.

Resolved, That, for the purpose of defraying minor incidental expenses contingent to the office of the President of the Board of Aldermen and the office of the City Clerk, the City Clerk and Clerk of the Board of Aldermen may by requisition, draw upon the Comptroller for the sums given below, and may in like manner renew the drafts as often as may be deemed necessary, to the extent of the appropriation set apart for contingencies herein mentioned during the year 1917; but no such renewal shall be made until the money paid upon the preceding drafts shall be accounted for to the Comptroller by the transmittal of a voucher or vouchers, certified by the City Clerk and Clerk of the Board of Aldermen, covering the expenditure of the moneys paid thereon:

From "Code No. 4, Supplies." President of the Board of Aldermen, 1917, a sum not to exceed two hundred dollars (\$200) at any one time.

From "Code No. 4, Supplies." City Clerk, 1917, a sum not to exceed two hundred dollars (\$200) at any one time.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen January 30, 1917.

Received from his Honor the Mayor February 13, 1917, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 78.

Resolution Appointing Various Persons Commissioners of Deeds.

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

Edward J. Decker, 689 Vernon Ave., L. I. City, Queens.
Samuel Mandelbaum, 1 Sheriff St., Manhattan.
Frank Slevin, 1068 Park Ave., Manhattan.
George Augustus Lewis, 50 Vanderbilt Ave., Manhattan.
Martin B. Hoffman, 161 West 36th St., Manhattan.
Peter Blasius, 686 Fairview Ave., Ridgewood, Queens.
Horace Gace, 7 Delta Place, Glendale, Queens.
Oscar Cohn, 543 W. 150th St., Manhattan.
Edward G. Eihler, 35 Ft. Washington Ave., Manhattan.
Frank E. Karslen, Jr., 540 West 165th St., Manhattan.
John H. Bergen, 426 E. 146th St., Manhattan.
Albert Keck, 34 Hart St., Brooklyn.
Samuel H. Ganz, 160 Wilson St., Brooklyn.
Jacob Spiegel, 679 Park Ave., Brooklyn.
Terence F. Casey, 2836 Decatur Ave., Bronx.
Samuel M. Katz, 324 South 4th St., Brooklyn.
Henry Weinberg, 211 East Houston St., Manhattan.
Zella M. Abrams, 1587 St. Marks Ave., Brooklyn.
Edward Larkin, 604 Sackman St., Brooklyn.
Matthew Eisenberg, 457 Saratoga Ave., Brooklyn.
Joseph Fried, 321 Stone Ave., Brooklyn.
John J. Ring, 462 Belmont Ave., Brooklyn.
Sol Friedland, 1220 46th St., Brooklyn.
Alexander Bernardik, 299 Broadway, New York City.
William J. Garfunkel, 33 W. 114th St., Manhattan.
Erwin Joseph, 3 West 112th St., Manhattan.
Peter S. Doring, 875 Bedford Ave., Brooklyn.
Ella Gertrude Farber, 246 So. 9th St., Brooklyn.
Herman S. Greenhut, 148 Taylor St., Brooklyn.
Herman Geiler, 347 East 86th St., Manhattan.
William A. De Groot, 131 So. Briggs Ave., Rich. Hill, Queens.
Charles F. Jacobs, 537 Wicke St., Rich. Hill, Queens.
Frank Trazenfeld, 59 E. 117th St., Manhattan.
Harry Kurzweil, 71 Cook St., Brooklyn.
Mildred Vera Strutzel, 100 Columbia Heights, Brooklyn.
James Edward Orr, 91 Pineapple St., Brooklyn.
Mabel Laird, 35 Pineapple St., Brooklyn.
John Thomas Mulligan, 372 Douglas St., Brooklyn.
John F. Dolan, 345 Sackett St., Brooklyn.
Helen T. Whalen, 347 West 55th St., Manhattan.
Peter J. Knecht, 702 Leonard St., Brooklyn.
Armin Muller, 196 Monitor St., Brooklyn.
Henry Feldmann, 61 Elton St., Brooklyn.
Budd Samuel Weisser, 481 New Jersey Ave., Brooklyn.
Robert Bridger, 2948 Fulton St., Brooklyn.
Nathan Waxman, 287 Edgecombe Ave., Manhattan.
Michael Carey, 309 Columbus Ave., Manhattan.
George Henry Moss, 246 W. 76th St., Manhattan.
Samuel S. Pariser, 817 E. 181st St., Bronx.
Abigail Schrot, 1937 Clinton Ave., Bronx.
Harry Seiden, 1017 Intervale Ave., Bronx.
Henry Feuer, 1115 Boston Road, Bronx.
Lucille F. Rovenger, 851 East 163d St., Bronx.
Frank Rosenblum, 901 Fox St., Bronx.
Henry S. Saltzman, 810 Fox St., Bronx.
Conrad H. Wissemann, 295 East 7th St., Brooklyn.
Barney Mishkin, 4401 13th Ave., Brooklyn.
William M. Chapman, 2140 82d St., Brooklyn.
Thomas O'Rourke Gallagher, 390 East 2d St., Brooklyn.
Jacob D. Koehler, 1356 East 8th St., Brooklyn.
Frank A. Kister, 2913 W. 8th St., Brooklyn.

Louis Sturz, 8120 19th Ave., Brooklyn.
 Joseph V. Loscalzo, 21 Lee Ave., Queens.
 Abraham M. Schwartz, 3060 Barker Ave., Bronx.
 John Brucoli, 3648 White Plains Ave., Bronx.
 Harold N. Riedler, 237 W. 111th St., Manhattan.
 George D. Carrington, 308 W. 106th St., Manhattan.
 Lester A. Spackman, 1155 Bedford Ave., Brooklyn.
 Charles E. Newbury, 469 Hancock St., Brooklyn.
 Edward J. Gilgannon, 664 Greene Ave., Brooklyn.
 Joseph V. Gallagher, 179 Kingston Ave., Brooklyn.
 Tillie L. Jacobs, 2508 Avenue G, Brooklyn.
 William Thomas Gardner, 569 Eastern Parkway, Brooklyn.
 James J. McNicholas, 206 Troy Ave., Brooklyn.
 Solomon Selig, 250 Clinton St., Manhattan.
 Joseph Ross, 364 8th St., Brooklyn.
 Joseph H. Hobby, 551 Fourth St., Brooklyn.
 Thomas A. Rourke, 241 Elm St., Richmond.
 Louis Weinberger, 205 W. 101st St., Manhattan.
 Paul Joseph Donnelly, 435 McDonough St., Brooklyn.
 James Costigan, 251 W. 129th St., Manhattan.
 David Wischer, 220 W. 140th St., Manhattan.
 Adopted by the Board of Aldermen February 13, 1917.

No. 79.

Resolution Establishing Grade of Position of Clerk in the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted the following resolution at a stated meeting held February 9, 1917.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment in the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of the grade of position, in addition to those heretofore established, as follows:

Title.	Rate Per Annum.	Number of Incumbents.
Clerk	\$2,340 00	One

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, February 9, 1917. JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

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

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen February 13, 1917.

Approved by the Mayor February 16, 1917.

No. 80.

An Ordinance in Relation to Motor Cycle Repair Shops and Storage Places.

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

Section 1. Chapter ten of the Code of Ordinances is hereby amended by inserting therein a new article, to be article fourteen, and to read as follows:

ARTICLE 14.**Motor Cycle Repair Shops and Storage Places.****Section 190. Permit.****191. Restrictions.****192. Fire Prevention.****§190. Permit.**

Except upon premises for which a permit has been issued under this article, no person shall conduct a repair shop for motor cycles, nor store, house or keep, nor receive for storage, housing or keeping, more than four motor cycles containing gasoline in their fuel tanks; provided, however, that such a permit shall not be required for premises used as a garage under a permit duly issued therefor, nor for premises used for the storage or repair of motor cycles owned and operated by members of but one family.

§191. Restrictions.

1. Storage of Oil. Such permit shall state the amount of kerosene and lubricating oils which may be stored on such premises, which amount shall not be exceeded.

2. Basement Premises. No permit shall be granted for premises below the grade story of any building.

3. Tenement Houses, etc. No permit shall be issued for any premises situated in any tenement house, hotel or frame building, or in any non-fireproof building in which there is a factory or place of public assemblage, unless:

(a) The compartment enclosing such premises is of fire retarding material throughout, including doors and windows, and

(b) All doors and windows opening from each compartment into other portions of the building are self-closing.

§192. Fire Prevention.

In all premises for which a permit is issued under this article, the following regulations shall be complied with:

(a) No gasoline, except that in the fuel tanks of motor cycles, shall be permitted on the premises and such fuel tanks shall not be opened, drawn from or filled on the premises.

(b) No coal or oil burning stove shall be used.

(c) No motor cycle or part thereof shall, under any circumstances, be cleaned by the use of gasoline.

(d) Only electric lights shall be used, the bulbs of which shall be enclosed in wire cages or otherwise properly protected in a manner approved by the Fire Commissioner.

Except under special authority from the Fire Commissioner, no gas or open flame shall be used for heating, lighting, or repair purposes.

(e) Fire pails, filled with sand, approved fire extinguishers and "no smoking" signs shall be provided in such number as the Fire Commissioner may require.

§2. Section forty-three of such chapter is hereby amended by inserting therein a new subdivision, to be numbered twenty-six-a, and to read as follows:

26-a. Motor cycle repair shop or storage place, or both \$5 00

§3. This ordinance shall take effect on January first, nineteen hundred and eighteen.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen February 6, 1917.

Received from his Honor the Mayor February 20, 1917, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 81.

An Ordinance to Amend Section 601 of Article 29 of Chapter 5 of the Code of Ordinances, Relating to Shut-off Valves.

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

Section 1. Article 29 of chapter 5, section 601, of the Code of Ordinances of the City of New York is hereby amended to read as follows:

Every building hereafter erected and also every existing building, other than residence buildings occupied exclusively by one or two families and having not more than 15 sleeping rooms, which may be supplied from some outside source with gas, vapor or fluid, except potable waters, shall have a conveniently accessible stopcock or other suitable device fixed to the supply pipes leading into the building at a place outside of the building, so arranged as to allow the supply to be shut off. Such stopcock or other device shall be so marked as to indicate either the contents and purpose of the supply pipe to which it is attached, or the company to which the device belongs.

Sec. 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen February 6, 1917.

Received from his Honor the Mayor February 20, 1917, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 82.

Resolution to Authorize the President of the Borough of Brooklyn to Purchase an Automobile Without Public Letting.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of the Greater New York Charter, the President of the Borough of Brooklyn be and he is hereby authorized and empowered to purchase one automobile for the use of the Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, in the open market without public letting, at a cost not to exceed twelve hundred dollars (\$1,200).

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen February 6, 1917.

Received from his Honor the Mayor February 20, 1917, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 83.

Resolution to Authorize the Board of Trustees of Hunter College to Purchase Certain Supplies Without Public Letting.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Trustees of Hunter College be and it is hereby authorized and empowered to procure such books, chemical, physical and scientific apparatus and material and such other supplies as may be purchased from the advertised list of the Board of Education for the purposes of Hunter College, the High School and the Model School or Training Department, during the year 1917, at an expense not to exceed fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000), without public letting.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen February 6, 1917.

Received from his Honor the Mayor February 20, 1917, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 84.

Resolution to Authorize the President of the Borough of Manhattan to Purchase Gasoline Without Public Letting.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the President of the Borough of Manhattan be and he is hereby authorized and empowered to purchase gasoline, in the open market without public letting, to an amount not to exceed twenty-five hundred dollars (\$2,500).

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen February 6, 1917.

Received from his Honor the Mayor February 20, 1917, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 85.

Resolution to Authorize the Police Commissioner to Contract for the Boarding and Stabling of Horses Without Public Letting.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the Police Commissioner be and he is hereby authorized and empowered to enter into contract for the necessary boarding and stabling of Department horses for the year 1917, where the same cannot be cared for by the Department stables, without advertising for competitive bids or proposals.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen February 6, 1917.

Received from his Honor the Mayor February 20, 1917, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 86.

Resolution to Authorize the Board of Trustees of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals to Purchase Fresh Fruits and Vegetables Without Public Letting.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Trustees of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals be and it is hereby authorized and empowered to purchase fresh fruits and vegetables required during the year 1917 for the employees of the various hospitals of the department, in the open market without public letting, at a cost not to exceed twelve thousand dollars (\$12,000).

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen February 6, 1917.

Received from his Honor the Mayor February 20, 1917, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 87.

Resolution to Authorize the Police Commissioner to Purchase Horses Without Public Letting.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the Police Commissioner be and he is hereby authorized and empowered to purchase thirty-five horses in the open market instead of by contract at public letting, at an aggregated cost of eleven thousand two hundred dollars (\$11,200).

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen February 6, 1917.

Received from his Honor the Mayor February 20, 1917, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 88.

Resolution to Authorize the Board of Trustees of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals to Purchase Butter and Eggs Without Public Letting.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Trustees of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals be and it is hereby authorized and empowered to purchase butter and eggs required in the department during the months of January and February, 1917, in amounts not exceeding twenty-five hundred dollars (\$2,500) for butter and ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) for eggs, in the open market, without public letting.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen February 6, 1917.

Received from his Honor the Mayor February 20, 1917, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 89.

Resolution to Authorize the Commissioner of Correction to Purchase Lumber Without Public Letting.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the Commissioner of Correction be and he is hereby authorized and empowered to purchase lumber for the New Hampton Farms Reformatory during the year 1917, in the open market without public letting, in a sum not to exceed five thousand dollars (\$5,000).

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen February 6, 1917.

Received from his Honor the Mayor February 20, 1917, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 90.

Resolution to Authorize the Commissioner of Parks, Borough of The Bronx, to Purchase Parts for Lawn Mowers Without Public Letting.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the Commissioner of Parks for the Borough of The Bronx be and he is hereby authorized and empowered to purchase, in the open market without public letting, the several parts required to make necessary repairs to mowers, as follows:

Parts for auto lawn mowers	\$525 00
Parts for horse and hand mowers.....	1,022 00
	\$1,547 00

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen February 6, 1917.

Received from his Honor the Mayor February 20, 1917, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 91.

Resolution to Authorize the Commissioner of Parks, Borough of The Bronx, to Contract for Certain Building Construction Without Public Letting.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the Commissioner of Parks for the Borough of The Bronx be and he is hereby authorized and empowered to enter into three contracts, without public letting, as follows:

(1) For furnishing all labor and materials necessary for construction of a comfort station in Pelham Bay Park at a cost not to exceed the sum of \$6,848.

(2) For furnishing all labor and materials for installing plumbing, drainage and water supply in the comfort station at the Athletic Field in Pelham Bay Park, at a cost not to exceed the sum of \$3,100.

(3) For furnishing all labor and materials for the construction of an addition to the Golf House in Van Cortlandt Park, at a cost not to exceed the sum of \$9,170.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen February 6, 1917.

Received from his Honor the Mayor February 20, 1917, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 92.

Resolution to Authorize the Fire Commissioner to Contract for the Furnishing of a Six-Cylinder Power Plant to Be Attached to a Hook and Ladder Company Without Public Letting.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the Fire Commissioner be and he is hereby authorized and empowered to enter into contract, without advertising for bids, for the furnishing of a six-cylinder power plant to be attached to the aerial hook and ladder truck assigned to Hook and Ladder Company No. 132, in Brooklyn (wrecked by accident), at a cost not to exceed one thousand four hundred and fifty dollars (\$1,450).

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen February 6, 1917.

Received from his Honor the Mayor February 20, 1917, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 93.

Resolution to Authorize the Chief Clerk of the Children's Court to Draw on Account of Contingent Expenses.

Resolved, That, for the purpose of defraying minor and incidental expenses contingent to the Children's Court, the Chief Clerk of said Court may, by requisition, draw upon the Comptroller for a sum not to exceed one hundred and fifty dollars (\$150), and may, in like manner, renew the draft as often as he may deem necessary to the extent of the amount set apart in the Budget for 1917, Code No. 2897, Supplies; but no such renewal shall be made until the money paid upon the preceding draft shall have been accounted for to the Comptroller by the transmittal of a voucher or vouchers, certified by the said Chief Clerk, covering the expenditure of the money paid thereon.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen February 6, 1917.

Received from his Honor the Mayor February 20, 1917, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 94.

Resolution to Authorize the Central Purchase Committee to Purchase Overcoats Without Public Letting.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the Central Purchase Committee be and it is hereby authorized and empowered to purchase overcoats for the Department of Public Charities, in the open market without public letting, to an amount not to exceed eight thousand dollars (\$8,000).

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen February 6, 1917.

Received from his Honor the Mayor February 20, 1917, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 95.

Resolution Appointing Various Persons Commissioners of Deeds.

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

Moritz Tolki, 97 Forsyth St., Manhattan.
Samuel W. Rosenberg, 252 Jackson St., Brooklyn.
Frank A. Oggeri, 590 Grand St., Brooklyn.
Robert Morris Gluck, 64 E. 94th St., Manhattan.
William E. C. Heym, 58 E. 86th St., Manhattan.
John Harlin O'Connell, 106 E. 85th St., Manhattan.
Joseph C. Donohue, 251 W. 49th St., Manhattan.
John Chase Randall, 257 W. 23d St., Manhattan.
George Wilson Matheson, 1002 Bergen St., Brooklyn.
Edmond E. Ilg, 878 Sedgewick St., Ridgewood, Queens.
Martin C. Monroe, 116 Foxall St., Ridgewood, L. I., Queens.
George Jacobs, 45 Pinehurst Ave., Manhattan.
Clarence J. Carroll, 600 W. 170th St., Manhattan.
Marie Rose Langbein, 558 W. 183d St., Manhattan.
Victor Beaver, 522 W. 183d St., Manhattan.
Michael Myron Goldstein, 857 Beck St., Bronx.
Otto Schuttinger, 958 Rogers Pl., Bronx.
James G. Ditore, 223 Carroll St., Brooklyn.
Henry Joseph Schooner, 1263 Lind Ave., Bronx.
Joseph E. D. Murray, 928 Morris Ave., Bronx.
William J. Kindgen, 2043 Valentine Ave., Bronx.
Henry H. Nussbaum, 817 Park Ave., Brooklyn.
John Hartmann, 95 Sterling Pl., Brooklyn.
Harry Fischman, 156 South 4th St., Brooklyn.
Daniel John Langton, 74 Utica Ave., Brooklyn.
Anthony D. Yacobellis, 1997 Pacific St., Brooklyn.
Samuel D. Isaacson, 957 Eastern Pkwy., Brooklyn.
Benjamin Metz, 1986 Douglass St., Brooklyn.
William Aloysius Kane, 152 Washington Ave., Brooklyn.
Clarence Corney, 203 West 122nd St., Manhattan.
Stewart Engel, 166 Hewes St., Brooklyn.
Jose L. Armijo, 236 West 55th St., Manhattan.
Joseph P. Gillen, 835 Herald Ave., Richmond Hill, Queens.
Samuel Lemler, 1654 Madison Ave., Manhattan.
Isaac Finkelstein, 1399 5th Ave., Manhattan.
George J. Merked, 1216 Decatur St., Brooklyn.
Matthew A. Henkel, 139 E. 16th St., Manhattan.
Lotty K. Cotte, 488 Chauncy St., Brooklyn.
Katherine E. Rothermel, 1305 Bushwick Ave., Brooklyn.
Samuel F. Reynolds, 162 Rochelle St., City Island, Bronx.
Dorothea W. Hofmann, 986 Blake Ave., Brooklyn.
Pierce Joseph McCarty, 275 W. 145th St., Manhattan.
Alonzo A. La Duke, 605 W. 142d St., Manhattan.
Abraham Wielar, 287 Edgecomb Ave., Manhattan.
Bernard E. Frank, 336 Convent Ave., Manhattan.
John William Smith, 143 W. 138th St., Manhattan.
Udo W. Bock, 48 Albert Ave., Dongan Hills, Richmond.
Jacob P. Levinson, 1359 Findlay Ave., Bronx.
Emmanuel Halpern, 1215 Union Ave., Bronx.
Elsie E. Saxer, 1263 Webster Ave., Bronx.
Martin S. Rourke, 800 E. 8th St., Brooklyn.
John Elwood Rance, 314 Avenue J, Brooklyn.
Chas. D. Glickstein, 160 Bay 31st St., Brooklyn.
John C. Donavin, 821 Ave. N., Brooklyn.
George H. Whiteman, 1619 E. 15th St., Brooklyn.
Frank Anthony Bellucci, 8 Hunt Pl., Corona, L. I., Queens.
Anton Klug, 323 East 4th St., Manhattan.
Charles J. Holsten, 345 Halsey St., Brooklyn.
Anna Rogge, 331 74th St., Brooklyn.
George Helfgott, 759 Greene Ave., Brooklyn.
Joseph N. Neef, 345 East 32d St., Brooklyn.
William A. Moorehead, 558 Ocean Ave., Brooklyn.
Jacob Lubroth, 1284 St. Johns Pl., Brooklyn.
Harry S. Lucia, 2117 Foster Ave., Brooklyn.
Louis Caputo, 4 Roosevelt St., Manhattan.
Henry M. Lorey, 252 12th St., Brooklyn.
Francis E. Carberry, 367 Sixth Ave., Brooklyn.
Nathan Kosseff, 271 Broome St., Manhattan.
David Rabinowitz, 163 Westervelt Ave., New Brighton, Richmond.
Ezekiel Fixman, 230 West 97th St., Manhattan.
Samuel W. Murphy, 771 Macon St., Brooklyn.
Ida S. Knapp, 411a Decatur St., Brooklyn.
John Fred Bergesich, 62 Patchen Ave., Brooklyn.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen February 20, 1917.

No. 96.

An Ordinance to Amend Section 23 of Article 3 of Chapter 22 of the Code of Ordinances, Relating to Salting Tracks.

Be it Ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York as follows:
Section 1. Section 23 of article 3 of chapter 22 of the Code of Ordinances is hereby amended to read as follows:

§23. Salting Tracks.

No person shall throw, expose or place, or cause or procure to be thrown, exposed or placed in or upon any street or public place, except upon the curves, crossings or switches of railroad tracks, any salt, saltpetre or other substance for the purpose of dissolving any snow or ice which may have fallen or been deposited thereon; nor shall any person throw or place upon the curves, crossings or switches of railroad tracks any salt, saltpetre or other substance for the purpose of dissolving snow or ice, unless permission therefor be first obtained from the Borough President having jurisdiction. Nothing herein contained shall be construed to prohibit or interfere with any properly conducted tests or experiments by the Department of Street Cleaning, between January 1st, 1917, and April 1st, 1917.

Sec. 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen February 13, 1917.

Approved by the Mayor February 21, 1917.

No. 97.

Resolution to Relieve the American Bank Note Company of Certain Overtime Charges or Liquidated Damages.

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a stated meeting held January 20, 1917:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to the provisions of section 418 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen that the American Bank Note Company be released of the overtime charges or liquidated damages which have been incurred by reason of its failure to complete, within the time required by its contract, dated April 7, 1915, with the Public Service Commission for the First District, the demolition and removal of certain buildings owned by said American Bank Note Company at 111-113 and 115-123 Greenwich Street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, upon the filing by the American Bank Note Company in the Department of Finance of a bond in the sum of seven thousand two hundred dollars (\$7,200) to indemnify and save harmless The City of New York in the event of a claim being filed or action instituted by the Rapid Transit Subway Construction Company for damages sustained in connection with the construction of Section No. 1 of Routes 4 and 38 of the Seventh Avenue-Lexington Avenue Rapid Transit Railroad, by reason of the delay occurring in the demolition and removal of said buildings; said bond to be approved as to form by the Public Service Commission for the First District and the Corporation Counsel.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen February 13, 1917.

Approved by the Mayor February 21, 1917.

No. 98.

Resolution for Special Revenue Bonds, \$6,800, for Alterations and Repairs in the Criminal Courts Building.

Resolved, That in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of six thousand eight hundred dollars (\$6,800), the proceeds whereof to be used by the President of the Borough of Manhattan for the purpose of making alterations and repairs to rooms on the second floor of the Criminal Courts Building for use of the Grand Jury of New York County, and the purchase of necessary furniture and equipment required, at estimated costs as follows:

Removal of partitions and rubbish.....	\$30 00
New plastered partitions, including plain oak trim, base and doors.....	1,260 00
Platform	75 00
Iron railing	77 00
Tile floor and wainscot.....	130 00
Marble stall partitions.....	150 00
Sounding board	150 00
Painting	350 00
Hardware	80 00
Ventilators, new ducts and motors.....	900 00
Electric wiring and fixtures.....	450 00
Plumbing	300 00
Patching of walls and wood work.....	75 00
15% profit	604 00
1 telephone booth	50 00
1 oak table, 96 inches by 42 inches.....	50 00
2 oak tables, 60 inches and 42 inches.....	65 00
1 oak R. T. desk, 50 inches by 34 inches.....	50 00
1 oak F. T. desk, 50 inches by 34 inches.....	35 00
3 oak side chairs—no arms.....	15 00
13 oak revolving chairs.....	117 00
19 oak chairs—with arms.....	143 00
5 oak settees—6 feet long each.....	135 00
4 oak settees—8 feet long each.....	144 00
2 oak settees—12 feet long each.....	108 00
160 sq. yds. linoleum.....	240 00
146 yds. carpet.....	511 00
40 lin. ft. curved tables.....	280 00
8 coat trees.....	40 00
7 Venetian blinds.....	120 00
1 rug, 6 feet by 8 feet.....	50 00

Total \$6,784 00

All obligations contracted for hereunder to be incurred on or before December 31, 1917.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen February 13, 1917.

Approved by the Mayor February 21, 1917.

No. 99.

Resolution to Authorize the President of the Borough of Manhattan to Enter in Contract for Alterations and Repairs in the Criminal Courts Building Without Public Letting.

Resolved, That in pursuance of the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the President of the Borough of Manhattan be and he is hereby authorized and empowered to enter into contracts, without public letting, for the various kinds of work to be done in the making of alterations and repairs to the Criminal Courts Buildings so as to provide a new Grand Jury room, and the purchase of the necessary furniture and equipment for the same, to an amount not to exceed six thousand eight hundred dollars (\$6,800).

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen February 13, 1917.

Approved by the Mayor February 21, 1917.

No. 100.

Resolution for Special Revenue Bonds, \$92,260.30, for the Purchase of Fire Hose.

Resolved, That in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds to the amount of ninety-two thousand two hundred and sixty dollars and thirty cents (\$92,260.30), the proceeds whereof to be used by the Fire Commissioner for the purpose of the purchase of fire hose. All obligations contracted for hereunder to be incurred on or before December 31, 1917.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen February 13, 1917.

Approved by the Mayor February 23, 1917.

No. 101.

An Ordinance to Amend Subdivision 5 of Section 211 of Chapter 23 of the Code of Ordinances, Relating to Permits for Signs.

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

Section 1. Subdivision 5 of §211 of chapter 23 of the Code of Ordinances is hereby amended to read as follows:

5. Existing structures. Permits shall be issued for signs existing on the 29th day of May, 1914, not conforming to the requirements of §§212 and 213 of this chapter, provided such signs were erected and are maintained in conformity with the legal requirements in effect when they were erected, but no fees shall be charged for permits or registration for existing signs.

Sec. 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen February 13, 1917.

Received from his Honor the Mayor February 27, 1917, without his approval or

disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 102.

Resolution Amending Corporate Stock Issue for Acquisition of Site and Construction of a Building for a Women's Court, Women's Jail and Place of Detention, Manhattan.

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following amended resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a stated meeting held December 28, 1916:

Resolved, That, subject to the concurrence herewith by the Board of Aldermen, the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on June 26, 1913, and concurred in by the Board of Aldermen July 15, 1913, which authorized an issue of four hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$450,000) in corporate stock of The City of New York to provide means for the acquisition of a site and the construction of a building for a Women's Court, Women's Jail and Place of Detention for Women in the Borough of Manhattan under the jurisdiction of the Department of Correction, be and the same is hereby amended by making the amount therein authorized read "eighty-two thousand dollars (\$82,000)," thereby rescinding the sum of three hundred sixty-eight thousand dollars (\$368,000) in the fund C.P.M. 53.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen February 13, 1917.

Received from his Honor the Mayor February 27, 1917, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 103.

An Ordinance to Amend Section 3 of Article 2 of Chapter 1 of the Code of Ordinances by Providing for a Display of the American Flag Over all City-owned Buildings or other Buildings Occupied by City Departments.

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

Section 1. Section 3 of article 2 of chapter 1 of the Code of Ordinances is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof the following words:

And the American flag shall be displayed on all city-owned or other buildings occupied by any city department or institution of whatever character on all days of the year, excepting Sundays.

Sec. 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen February 13, 1917.

Received from his Honor the Mayor February 27, 1917, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 104.

Resolution for Special Revenue Bonds, \$2,600, for Installation of Lighting Plants in Recreation Centres.

Resolved, That in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds to the amount of two thousand six hundred dollars (\$2,600), the proceeds whereof to be used by the Commissioner of Parks for the purpose of installation of lighting plants in recreation centres. All obligations contracted for hereunder to be incurred on or before December 31, 1917.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen February 13, 1917.

Received from his Honor the Mayor February 27, 1917, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 105.

Resolution to Authorize the President of the Borough of Richmond to Draw on Account of Contingent Expenses.

Resolved, That for the purpose of defraying minor incidental expenses contingent to the office of the President of the Borough of Richmond the said President of the Borough of Richmond may, by requisition, draw upon the Comptroller for the sum of \$350, and may in like manner renew the draft as often as may be deemed necessary, to the extent of the appropriations set apart for his office during the year 1917; but no such renewal shall be made until the money paid upon the preceding draft on the funds of his office shall be accounted for to the Comptroller by the transmittal of a voucher or vouchers certified by the President of the Borough of Richmond covering the expenditures of the money paid thereon.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen February 13, 1917.

Received from his Honor the Mayor February 27, 1917, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 106.

Resolution to Authorize the Central Purchase Committee to Purchase Eggs Without Public Letting.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the Central Purchase Committee be and it is hereby authorized and empowered to purchase eggs for the Department of Public Charities and the Department of Correction, for use during the months of January and February, 1917, in the open market, without public letting, to an amount not to exceed twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000).

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen February 13, 1917.

Received from his Honor the Mayor February 27, 1917, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 107.

Resolution Appointing Various Persons Commissioners of Deeds.

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

Moritz Tolk, 97 Forsyth St., Manhattan.
Robert J. Brown, 770 Metropolitan Ave., Brooklyn.
Rudolph J. Vogt, 406 Stanhope St., Brooklyn.
Ruth E. Clough, 1690 Broadway, Manhattan.
William H. Brunjes, Dry Harbor Road, Elmhurst, Queens.
Henry Mollenhauer, Jr., 554 Rector St., Woodhaven, Queens.
August H. Schmidt, 25 Foxall St., Ridgewood, Queens.
Estella Z. Haas, 503 West 177th St., Manhattan.
Beatrice Ruth Marx, 851 West 181st St., Manhattan.
Gertrude Consuelo Dwyer, 216th St. and Park Terrace, "Marble House," Manhattan.
Arthur A. Hirsch, 240 Audubon Ave., Manhattan.
Morris Israel, 851 Hunts Point ave., Bronx.
Murray April, 851 Hunts Point ave., Bronx.
Isidore J. Haber, 949 Faile st., Bronx.
Laura S. Moering, 1057 Jackson ave., Bronx.
Joseph A. Wasserman, 1223 River ave., Bronx.
Samuel Ackerman, 210 East 103d st., Manhattan.
Max Midgen, 994 Myrtle ave., Brooklyn.
Samuel Zirn, 181a Vernon ave., Brooklyn.
Adolph C. Schieffer, 311 Linden ave., Brooklyn.
Paul Campagnac, 319 Hart st., Brooklyn.
Bertha Robinson, 777 Lafayette ave., Brooklyn.
Josephine Cecile Jacobs, 48 Charlton st., Brooklyn.
Leo Kraus, 105 East 4th st., Manhattan.
Lucella Hoffmann, 1006 E. 98th st., Brooklyn.
Bessie Ruth Bookstaver, 1325 Lincoln pl., Brooklyn.
Lena Jaffe, 272 Glenmore ave., Brooklyn.
Elias T. Hatch, 218 Bay Ridge ave., Brooklyn.
Alexander Andersen, 244 78th st., Brooklyn.
Ethel A. Stout, 434 59th st., Brooklyn.
Arnold Loeffel, 44 East 58th st., Manhattan.
Margaret Marie Bohem, 838 Bergen st., Brooklyn.
Max Littenberg, 225 West 110th st., Manhattan.
Francesco D. Pittaro, 590 Morris ave., Bronx.
Alfred Edward Schaefer, 763 Courtlandt ave., Bronx.
Solomon Pulver, 275 W. 122d St., Manhattan.
Benjamin Roth, 1324 Fifth Ave., Manhattan.
Max Joseph Rosen, 175 Hewes St., Brooklyn.
Samuel Freedman, 85 Morton St., Brooklyn.
Victor Gerard Merrill, 19 N. 14th St., Flushing, Queens.

Mary G. Murphy, 360 W. 23d St., Manhattan.
John A. Hartwein, 264 Fulton St., Jamaica, Queens.
John H. Cornell, 7 Highland Ave., Jamaica, Queens.
Almon G. Rasquin, 809 Hatch Ave., Woodhaven, Queens.
George F. Lebohner, Jackson Ave. and Walnut St., Queens.
Isaac Cohen, 16 E. 96th St., Manhattan.
John J. Ryan, 157 E. 8th St., Brooklyn.
William John England, 171a Cooper St., Brooklyn.
Clarence Gordon, 195 So. 9th St., Brooklyn.
Harry M. Armor, 184 St. Nicholas Ave., Brooklyn.
Walter William Wolff, 98 Henry St., Brooklyn.
Elwood Hughes, 210 West 34th St., Manhattan.
George J. Brigham, 105 Milton St., Brooklyn.
Eli Bruce Levy, 51 East 129th St., Manhattan.
Sadie F. Sheizman, 76 W. 114th St., Manhattan.
Max Rothaus, 485 Jerome St., Brooklyn.
Alice L. Wright, 462 Enfield St., Brooklyn.
Joseph Gilbert, 283 Vermont St., Brooklyn.
William A. Herman, 522 West 148th St., Manhattan.
Sadie Wiener, 522 W. 148th St., Manhattan.
James F. Cheevers, 275 W. 145th St., Manhattan.
Hugo J. Stelzner, Austin Pl., Tompkinsville, Richmond.
Gilbert W. Roberts, 185 State St., Flushing, Queens.
Clarence M. Lewis, 160 W. 87th St., Manhattan.
Austin P. Boleman, 1712 Longfellow Ave., Bronx.
Peter Petrone, 1718 So. Blvd., Bronx.
Louis Biloon, 8222 Boston Road, Bronx.
Aaron Baum, 542 E. 173d St., Bronx.
Julius Austin Newman, 1054 Faile St., Bronx.
Joseph Weiss, 1159 Vyse Ave., Bronx.
Isador Worth Freitag, 924 E. 181st St., Bronx.
Edward A. Rothman, 764 Tinton Ave., Bronx.
Hyman Schlesinger, 1056 Hoe Ave., Bronx.
Frederick S. Oliver, 1574 E. 22d St., Manhattan.
Harry L. deArrastia, 625 East 14th St., Brooklyn.
Patrick J. Reynolds, 278 Linden Ave., Brooklyn.
Thomas Joseph Stapleton, 525 61st St., Brooklyn.
Oliver Spitzer, 196 Marlborough Road, Brooklyn.
Maud Bradford, 1029 East 13th St., Brooklyn.
Elliott Coleman, 205 Webster Ave., Brooklyn.
Jacob C. Jentzer, 2821 West 17th St., Brooklyn.
Joseph C. Moran, 718 Ave. C, West Brooklyn.
Bertram B. Soloff, 1404 Ave. R, Brooklyn.
Bernard Louis Rullman, 50 Fillmore Ave., Corona, Queens.
Richard M. Crowley, 24 39th St., Corona, Queens.
L. Josephine Moses, 3413 White Plains Rd., Bronx.
Miriam Scofield, 205 W. 101st St., Manhattan.
John S. Klinger, 18 Herkimer St., Brooklyn.
Louis I. Elson, 1063 Eastern Parkway, Brooklyn.
Ernest M. Hollister, 319 Lenox Rd., Brooklyn.
Thomas Walworth Power, 319 E. 32nd St., Brooklyn.
Antonio Nitti, 443 13th St., Brooklyn.
John P. Deery, 315 Sterling Pl., Brooklyn.
Samuel Tilden Silverman, 236 E. 10th St., Manhattan.
Samuel Schleimer, 122 Suffolk St., Manhattan.
Joseph Kleinberg, 62-64 Forsyth St., Manhattan.
Leonard R. Hanover, 158 E. 111th St., Manhattan.
Charles H. Hang, 109 East 123rd St., Manhattan.
Louis Waxberg, 984 Greene Ave., Brooklyn.
Joseph William Kelly, 255 Decatur St., Brooklyn.
Marie E. Driscoll, 213 W. 127th St., Manhattan.
Adopted by the Board of Aldermen February 27, 1917.

No. 108.

Resolution to Authorize the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity to Contract for Installation of Water Mains in Walker Avenue, The Bronx, Without Public Letting.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity be and he is hereby authorized and empowered to enter into contract, without public letting, for furnishing, delivering and laying water mains and appurtenances in Walker avenue and Fort Schuyler road, Borough of The Bronx, in the sum of eighteen thousand four hundred and ninety dollars and seventy cents (\$18,490.70).

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen February 20, 1917.

Approved by the Mayor February 28, 1917.

No. 109.

Resolution Appointing Various Persons Commissioners of Deeds.

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

Thomas B. Cullen, 74a Conselyea St., Brooklyn.
Rudolph J. Vogt, 406 Stanhope St., Brooklyn.
James J. Lewis, 183 York St., Brooklyn.
Isidor L. Daniels, 47 Sheriff St., Manhattan.
Samuel B. Herbst, 1-3 Scammel St., Manhattan.
H. Seymour Eisman, 911 Park Ave., Manhattan.
Bernard Braun, 305 East 29th St., Manhattan.
Gustave Baecht, 623 Franklin Ave., Brooklyn.
Alfred John Hudson, 1200 Pacific St., Brooklyn.
William J. Morris, Jr., Bayview Ave., Far Rockaway, Queens.
Chester Arthur Ade, 1479 Metropolitan Ave., Middle Village, Queens.
Agnes E. Lux, 453 Lockwood St., Astoria, Queens.
William Johnson, 661 W. 179th St., Manhattan.
Harry Greenwald, 500 West 171st St., Manhattan.
Edna M. Gibbons, 245 West 4th St., Manhattan.
Joseph Edward McCarthy, 437 East 135th St., Bronx.
Harry Sheri, 354 Cypress Ave., Bronx.
John Furlan, 120 Ellery St., Brooklyn.
Bennett Cohen, 827 Lafayette Ave., Brooklyn.
John Fanelle, 203 Spring St., Manhattan.
Louis J. Catalanotto, 9506 Avenue L, Brooklyn.
Abraham J. Zirinsky, 1613 Prospect Pl., Brooklyn.
Elias Silpe, 381 Pennsylvania Ave., Brooklyn.
Herbert Cohen, 2110 Atlantic Ave., Brooklyn.
Sol H. Adler, 2019a Bergen St., Brooklyn.
George David Edensbaum, 1789 Union St., Brooklyn.
Charles Edwin Finken, 140 86th St., Brooklyn.
Charles B. Plitt, Jr., 64 W. 118th St., Manhattan.
Abraham Solomon, 66 West 113th St., Manhattan.
Frank J. Gunner, 605 E. 84th St., Manhattan.
Emma G. Goldbergh, 25 East 99th St., Manhattan.
Mary F. Flaherty, 141 Somers St., Brooklyn.
Max M. Lasky, 58 Cook St., Brooklyn.
Gaetano D. Fasullo, 188 Montrose Ave., Brooklyn.
Edward J. Dwiver, 175 Melrose St., Brooklyn.
Edward Alter Bank, 331 Atlantic Ave., Brooklyn.
Oswald R. McCarty, 372 State St., Brooklyn.
Harry Oliver Reeves, 404-6 West 44th St., Manhattan.
Henry Grossmann, 343 Bronx Park Ave., Bronx.
Peter Van Varick, 66 Granite St., Brooklyn.
Charles Rochford White, 644 Riverside Dr., Manhattan.
Benjamin Hunt, 226 West 140th St., Manhattan.
Henry P. Dausch, 303 W. 12th St., Manhattan.
Patrick H. Quinn, 648 Hudson St., Manhattan.
James D. Hines, 360 W. 15th St., Manhattan.
Maurice Sidney Levoff, 1116 Hoe Ave., Bronx.
Eugene Odell, 683 East 170th St., Bronx.
Samuel Goldberg, 1253 Franklin Ave., Bronx.

Loretta M. Callanan, 963 Grant Ave., Bronx.
 Frank Gorill, 419 East 151st St., Bronx.
 Lewis Levy, 1017 Trinity Ave., Bronx.
 Edward Lewin, 1039 Intervale Ave., Bronx.
 Joseph S. Byrne, 2112 East 14th St., Brooklyn.
 Oliver Edward Allard, 1422 Ave. J., Brooklyn.
 Emanuel Siegfried, 1606 Ave. V., Brooklyn.
 George H. Burtis, 1023 East 12th St., Brooklyn.
 Jacob J. Cohen, 10th St. and 1st Ave., College Point, Queens.
 Francis X. McCauley, 85 54th St., Corona, Queens.
 Robert Daniel Clements, 446 Manhattan Ave., Manhattan.
 Jerome L. Adler, 452 Riverside Drive, Manhattan.
 Edward E. Blakeslee, Jr., 167 Madison St., Brooklyn.
 Isabel Gertrude Black, 491A Madison St., Brooklyn.
 William R. Lockwood, 484 Rugby Road, Brooklyn.
 John D. Mahony, 815 St. Johns Place, Brooklyn.
 Frank Paul Luckes, 243 E. 106th St., Manhattan.
 Helena N. Zuckerman, 108 East 116th St., Manhattan.
 Thomas Frederick Small, 10 West 99th St., Manhattan.
 Herman Heppenheimer, 717 McDonough St., Brooklyn.
 Nathan Manasse, 414 Macon St., Brooklyn.
 Harry J. Sneedair, 601 West 137th St., Manhattan.
 Charles H. Dietrich, 152 West 128th St., Manhattan.
 Pedro J. Candeau, Jr., 150 West 130th St., Manhattan.
 Adopted by the Board of Aldermen March 1, 1917.

No. 110.

Resolution Appointing Various Persons Commissioners of Deeds.

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

Lillian A. DeMeritt, 1151 Dean St., Brooklyn.
 Anna R. Freudenheim, 220 Audubon Ave., Manhattan.
 Marion von Ulm, 530 West 174th St., Manhattan.
 Jacob Tulman, 234 East 100th St., Manhattan.
 Aaron Katzenberg, 768 Broadway, Brooklyn.
 Edward L. Johnson, 1147 66th St., Brooklyn.
 Ira L. Rosenson, 230 So. 2d St., Brooklyn.
 Edward P. Murnosk, 636 60th St., Brooklyn.
 Oliver Verne Kessler, 69 Ft. Greene Pl., Brooklyn.
 Albert Strauss, 440 Riverside Drive, Manhattan.
 Samuel Dauman, 152 West 118th St., Manhattan.
 Jacob Levin, 38 West 118th St., Manhattan.
 Philip Saslov, 72 Rush St., Brooklyn.
 Lillian Kornfeld, 56 Oxford Ave., Richmond Hill, Queens.
 Ben T. MacBeth, 111 State St., Brooklyn.
 Joseph S. Israel, 967 Sherman Ave., Bronx.
 David Berdon, 972 Leggett Ave., Bronx.
 Mary R. Kelly, 140 Hoyt St., Brooklyn.
 Anna B. Goldfaub, 860 E. 161st St., Bronx.
 Anton Adam, 3360 Ft. Hamilton Ave., Brooklyn.
 Agnes V. Lanz, 1427 Amsterdam Ave., Manhattan.
 Belle Wolf, 559 Jefferson Ave., Brooklyn.
 James W. Henderson, 395 Jefferson Ave., Brooklyn.
 John E. Smith, 655 Carroll St., Brooklyn.
 Richard E. K. McIlroy, 770 Union St., Brooklyn.
 Adopted by the Board of Aldermen March 1, 1917.

No. 111.

Resolution Establishing Various Grades of Positions in the Department of Education.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted the following resolution at a stated meeting held January 19, 1917:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment in the Department of Education of the grades of positions, in addition to those heretofore established, as follows:

Title.	Rate Per Annum.	Number of Incumbents.
Cleaner	\$624 00	Unlimited
Cleaner	648 00	Unlimited
Cleaner	672 00	Unlimited
Cleaner	696 00	Unlimited
Cleaner	720 00	Unlimited
Cleaner	744 00	Unlimited
Cleaner	768 00	Unlimited
Stoker	828 00	Unlimited
Stoker	876 00	Unlimited
Elevator Attendant	780 00	Unlimited
Elevator Attendant	924 00	Unlimited

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

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen February 20, 1917.

Received from his Honor the Mayor March 13, 1917, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 112.

Resolution Establishing the Grade of Position of Boilermaker in City Departments.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted the following resolution at a stated meeting held January 19, 1917.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment in City Departments of the grade of position, in addition to those heretofore established, as follows:

Title.	Rate Per Diem.	Number of Incumbents.
Boilermaker	\$4 50	Unlimited

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

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen February 20, 1917.

Received from his Honor the Mayor March 13, 1917, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 113.

Resolution Establishing the Grades of Positions of Bridge Mechanic, Housesmith and Bridgeman and Riveter in City Departments.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted the following resolution at a stated meeting held January 19, 1917:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment in City departments of the grades of position, in addition to those heretofore established, as follows:

Title.	Rate Per Diem.	Number of Incumbents.
Bridge Mechanic	\$5 50	Unlimited
Housesmith	5 50	Unlimited
Bridgeman and Riveter	5 50	Unlimited

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

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen February 20, 1917.

Received from his Honor the Mayor March 13, 1917, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 114.

An Ordinance to Amend Subdivision 2 of Section 13 of Article 2 of Chapter 24 of the Code of Ordinances, Relating to Peddlers, and Particularly to Restricted Streets.

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

Section 1. Subdivision 2 of section 13 of article 2 of chapter 24 of the code of ordinances, relating to peddlers, and particularly to restricted streets, is hereby amended in part at the appropriate place under the caption "Manhattan," so that it shall be read in such part as follows:

All streets lying within the territory bounded by 134th Street, Amsterdam Avenue, 181st Street and the North River, Manhattan.

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen February 20, 1917.

Received from his Honor the Mayor March 13, 1917, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 115.

Resolution to Authorize the President of the Borough of The Bronx to Purchase Asphalt Wearing Surface Sand Without Public Letting.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the President of the Borough of The Bronx be and he is hereby authorized and empowered to purchase asphalt wearing surface sand in the open market, without public letting, in an amount not to exceed six thousand dollars (\$6,000).

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen February 20, 1917.

Received from his Honor the Mayor March 13, 1917, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 116.

Resolution to Authorize the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity to Purchase Recorders, With Appurtenances, Without Public Letting.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity be and he is hereby authorized and empowered to enter into contract, without public letting, for the purchase of recorders, with appurtenances, to be placed on the distribution system in the Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx, at a cost not to exceed five thousand three hundred and eighty-one dollars (\$5,381).

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen February 20, 1917.

Received from his Honor the Mayor March 13, 1917, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 117.

Resolution to Authorize the Police Commissioner to Purchase Parts and Materials for Repair of Bicycles, Motorcycles and Automobiles Without Public Letting.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the Police Commissioner be and he is hereby authorized and empowered to purchase parts and materials to be used in the repair of bicycles, motorcycles and automobiles, in the open market without public letting, in an amount not to exceed eight thousand dollars (\$8,000).

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen February 20, 1917.

Received from his Honor the Mayor March 13, 1917, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 118.

Resolution to Fix the Compensation of Certain Janitors in the Department of Education.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted the following resolution at a stated meeting held February 2, 1917:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of rates of compensation for Janitors in the Department of Education, in addition to those heretofore established, in accordance with the following list:

Janitor, Public School 14, Manhattan, per annum, less \$299.....	\$3,636 00
Janitor, Public School 16, Manhattan, per annum, less \$299.....	1,728 00
Janitor, Public School 67, Manhattan, per annum, less \$299.....	3,036 00
Janitor, Public School 54, Brooklyn, per annum, less \$221.....	1,608 00
Janitor, Public School 143, Brooklyn, per annum, less \$221.....	3,600 00
Janitor, Public School 29, Queens, per annum, less \$221.....	1,032 00
Janitor, Public School 31, Queens, per month.....	50 00
Janitor, Public School 54, Queens, per annum.....	708 00
Janitor, Morris High School, per month.....	226 66
Janitor, Morris High School, per month.....	276 66
Janitor, Morris High School, per month.....	326 66

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

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen February 20, 1917.

Received from his Honor the Mayor March 13, 1917, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 119.

Resolution Establishing Various Grades of Positions in the New York City Department of the United States Volunteer Life Saving Corps.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted the following resolution at a stated meeting held February 2, 1917:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment in the New York City Department of the United States Volunteer Life Saving Corps, of the grades of positions, in addition to those heretofore established, as follows:

Title.	Rate per Annum.	Number of Incumbents.
Supervisor (Volunteer Life Saving Corps).....	\$1,500 00	One
Junior Typist	600 00	One
General Mechanic	1,080 00	One

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

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen February 20, 1917.

Received from his Honor the Mayor March 13, 1917, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 120.

Resolution Establishing the Grades of Positions of Painter and Bridge Painter in City Departments.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted the following resolution at a stated meeting held February 2, 1917:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment in City departments of the grades of positions, in addition to those heretofore established, as follows:

Title.	Rate per Diem.	Number of Incumbents.
Painter	\$5 00	Unlimited

No. 121.
Resolution Amending Resolution to Authorize the Central Purchase Committee to Draw on Account of Contingent Expenses.

Resolved, That the following resolution, which was adopted January 18, 1916,

"Resolved, That in order to defray minor incidental expenses contingent to the office of the Central Purchase Committee the Secretary of said Committee may, by requisition, draw upon the Comptroller for a sum not to exceed fifty dollars (\$50), and said Secretary may in like manner renew the draft as often as may be deemed necessary to the extent of the appropriation set apart for the Central Purchase Committee in the Budget for 1916, entitled, 'Code No. 3007, Contingencies'; but no such renewal shall be made until the money paid upon the preceding draft shall have been accounted for to the Comptroller by the transmittal of a voucher or vouchers, certified by said Secretary, covering the expenditure of the money paid thereon."

—be amended by striking therefrom the words and figures "fifty dollars (\$50)" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "one hundred dollars (\$100)."

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen February 20, 1917.

Received from his Honor the Mayor March 13, 1917, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 122.
Resolution to Authorize the Police Commissioner to Purchase Bicycles, Motorcycles and Automobiles Without Public Letting.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the authority conferred upon it, by the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the necessary funds being available, the Board of Aldermen hereby authorizes and empowers the Police Commissioner of The City of New York to purchase in the open market, instead of by contract with public letting, bicycles at a cost not to exceed \$5,800.00, motorcycles at a cost not to exceed \$10,000.00, and automobiles at a cost not to exceed \$8,417.50.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen February 27, 1917.

Received from his Honor the Mayor March 13, 1917, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 123.
Resolution to Authorize the Commissioner of Public Charities to Purchase Medical Supplies Without Public Letting.

Resolved, that, in pursuance of the provisions of Section 419 of the Greater New York Charter the Commissioner of Public Charities be and he hereby is authorized and empowered to purchase medical supplies in the open market without public letting at a cost not to exceed twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000).

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen February 27, 1917.

Received from his Honor the Mayor March 13, 1917, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 124.
Resolution to Authorize the Board of Trustees of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals to Purchase Two Motor Ambulances Without Public Letting.

Resolved, that, in pursuance of the provisions of the Greater New York Charter, the Trustees of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals be and they hereby are authorized and empowered to purchase two motor ambulances for use of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, in the open market without public letting at a total cost not to exceed five thousand dollars (\$5,000).

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen February 27, 1917.

Received from his Honor the Mayor March 13, 1917, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 125.
Resolution to Authorize the Commissioner of Plant and Structures to Contract for Furnishing and the Erection of Steel Work for the Elevator Storehouse on Blackwell's Island Without Public Letting.

Resolved, that, in pursuance of the provisions of Section 419 of the Greater New York Charter the Commissioner of Public Charities be and he hereby is authorized and empowered to enter into a contract for furnishing and erecting the steel work for the Elevator Storehouse on Blackwell's Island, in the open market without public letting at a cost not to exceed two thousand nine hundred and fifty-three dollars and ninety-five cents (\$2,953.95).

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen February 27, 1917.

Received from his Honor the Mayor March 13, 1917, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 126.
Resolution to Authorize the Commissioner of Correction to Purchase Broom Corn Without Public Letting.

Resolved, that, in pursuance of the provisions of the Greater New York Charter, the Commissioner of Correction be and he hereby is authorized and empowered to purchase broom corn in the open market without public letting, at a cost not to exceed seven thousand dollars (\$7,000).

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen February 27, 1917.

Received from his Honor the Mayor March 13, 1917, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 127.
Resolution to Establish the Grade of Position of Marine Engineer (Uniformed Force) in the Fire Department.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted the following resolution at a stated meeting held February 9, 1917:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment in the Fire Department of the grade of position, in addition to those heretofore established, as follows:

Title.	Rate	Number of
	Per Annum.	Incumbents.
Marine Engineer (Uniformed Force).....	\$1,700 00	Six.

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

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen February 27, 1917.

Received from his Honor the Mayor March 13, 1917, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 128.
Resolution to Establish the Grade of Position of Electrician in City Departments.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted the following resolution at a stated meeting held February 16, 1917:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment in City departments of the grade of position, in addition to those heretofore established, as follows:

Title.	Rate	Number of
	Per Diem.	Incumbents.
Electrician	\$5 00	Unlimited

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

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen February 27, 1917.

Received from his Honor the Mayor March 13, 1917, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 129.
Resolution to Establish the Grades of Positions of Moulder and Coremaker in City Departments.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted the following resolution at a stated meeting held February 16, 1917:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment in City departments of the grades of positions, in addition to those heretofore established, as follows:

Title.	Rate	Number of
	Per Diem.	Incumbents.
Moulder	\$4 25	Unlimited
Coremaker	4 25	Unlimited

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

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen February 27, 1917.

Received from his Honor the Mayor March 13, 1917, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 130.
Resolution to Establish the Grade of Machinist in City Departments.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted the following resolution at a stated meeting held February 16, 1917:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment in City departments of the grade of position, in addition to those heretofore established, as follows:

Title.	Rate	Number of
	Per Diem.	Incumbents.
Machinist.....	\$5 00	Unlimited

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

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen February 27, 1917.

Received from his Honor the Mayor March 13, 1917, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 131.
County Clerk, New York County—Resolution to Draw on Account of Contingencies.

Resolved, That for the purpose of defraying minor and incidental expenses contingent to the office of the County Clerk of New York County the said County Clerk may, by requisition, draw upon the Comptroller for a sum not exceeding one hundred dollars (\$100), and may in like manner renew the draft as often as he may deem necessary to the extent of the appropriation set aside for the office of the County Clerk of New York County in the Budget for the year 1917, entitled "Code No. 3068, 1917, Supplies"; but no such renewal shall be made until the money paid upon the preceding draft shall have been accounted for to the Comptroller by the transmittal of a voucher or vouchers certified by the County Clerk covering the expenditure of the money paid thereon.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen February 27, 1917.

Received from his Honor the Mayor March 13, 1917, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 132.
Resolution Appointing Various Persons Commissioners of Deeds.

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

John Mulholland, 837 Van Derveer Place, Queens.
 Wallace T. Macrery, 304 Washington St., Brooklyn.
 R. Randel Wangeman, 818 Ely Ave., Long Island City, Queens.
 Max Koplik, 233 Henry St., Manhattan.
 Samuel Leblang, 169 Rivington St., Manhattan.
 Louis Lipschitz, 306 Madison St., Manhattan.
 William Huehn, Jr., 227 West 46th St., Manhattan.
 Julia K. Lake, 252 West 45th St., Manhattan.
 Annie Pinsky, 248 West 46th St., Manhattan.
 David Cahn, 418 East 78th St., Manhattan.
 Frederick Bowers, 49 Herkimer St., Brooklyn.
 Thomas F. Reiley, 1056 Dean St., Brooklyn.
 Arthur W. Rippingsale, 233 Gates Ave., Brooklyn.
 George Christman, 52 Halleck Ave., Glendale, Queens.
 John F. Thompson, 3021 Bleecker St., Ridgewood, Queens.
 Joseph Siegel, Jr., 2420 Silver St., Ridgewood, Queens.
 Horace G. Harburger, 867 West 181st St., Manhattan.
 John Moncrieff, 501 West 148th St., Manhattan.
 Charles Condit Nave, 562 West 191st St., Manhattan.
 Frances Kaliski, 522 West 183rd St., Manhattan.
 Philip Goldfarb, 559 West 164th St., Manhattan.
 Arthur T. Stanley, 351 Wadsworth Ave., Manhattan.
 Leonard I. Roe, 453 West 152nd St., Manhattan.
 Joseph A. Stoddart, 453½ Henry St., Brooklyn.
 Edward A. Heffernan, 590 Henry St., Brooklyn.
 Bertha Grund, 873 Brook Ave., Bronx.
 Louis G. Aquilino, 564 Prospect Ave., Bronx.
 Isidor Egnuss, 522 E. 139th St., Bronx.
 Agnes M. Craig, 1982 Morris Ave., Bronx.
 Walter H. Stewart, 2312 Andrews Ave., Bronx.
 John Schmidling, 1343 Webster Ave., Bronx.
 James T. Bunt, 239 Walton Ave., Bronx.
 Mary E. Fitzgerald, 1827 Second Ave., Manhattan.
 Charles S. Rathbun, 243 88th St., Brooklyn.
 George H. Muessig, 400 Stanhope St., Brooklyn.
 Samuel Chugerman, 259 Throop Ave., Brooklyn.
 Bertha Wechsler, 795 DeKalb Ave., Brooklyn.
 Edgar A. Netherclift, 374 Kosciusko St., Brooklyn.
 Winfred B. Holton, 1220 Pacific St., Brooklyn.
 Joseph Fleischman, 56 Floyd St., Brooklyn.
 John J. Gruener, 283 Bleecker St., Brooklyn.
 Charles B. Farley, 683 Degrav St., Brooklyn.
 James O'Hara, 45 King St., Manhattan.
 Herman Greenberg, 437 Canal St., Manhattan.
 Anna C. Farrell, 8 Verona Pl., Brooklyn.
 Charles W. Field, 1302 Pacific St., Brooklyn.
 Sarah R. Engel, 369 Saratoga Ave., Brooklyn.
 Moses Maller, 351 Stone Ave., Brooklyn.
 Max Taub, 1075 Eastern Parkway.
 David B. Getz, 751 Howard Ave., Brooklyn.
 Walter V. Hinton, 247 89th St., Brooklyn.
 Sidney L. Warsawer, 421 84th St., Brooklyn.
 Charles Kallmeyer, 205 East 45th St., Manhattan.
 Louis B. Allen, 998 2nd Ave., Manhattan.
 Frank E. Moore, 131 East 43rd St., Manhattan.
 Joseph H. Gibbons, 331 East 57th St., Manhattan.
 Helen Mae Lannin, 191 Carlton Ave., Brooklyn.
 George Nye Halsey, 340 Sterling Place, Brooklyn.
 Jacob Pilipsky, 647 Caldwell Ave., Bronx.
 Israel Berman, 55 W. 110th St., Manhattan.
 George D. Frenz, 463 Third Ave., L. I. C., Queens.
 Caroline E. Sommer, 284 Huntington St., Woodhaven, Queens.
 Irving J. Berg, 34 W. 113th St., Manhattan.
 Louis Plitt, 64 W. 118th St., Manhattan.
 Dewitt C. Koupal, 240 W. 122nd St., Manhattan.
 Herman Frank, 2 W. 120th St., Manhattan.
 Julia Schlossberg, 54 St. Nicholas Ave., Manhattan.
 David Brodsky, 439 W. 22nd St., Manhattan.
 Frank Dilke Smith, 336 West 21st St., Manhattan.

Clifford C. Reeve, 4022 Ferriss St., Woodhaven, Queens.
 Max Hereth, 4 E. Windom St., Woodhaven, Queens.
 Frederick Chester Steup, 444 Chestnut St., Richmond Hill, Queens.
 William F. Barry, 265 Bleeker St., Brooklyn.
 John Young Fisher, 1325 Jefferson Ave., Brooklyn.
 Mae Agatha Bier, 287 Ralph Ave., Brooklyn.
 Ida M. Vogt, 307 Arlington Ave., Brooklyn.
 Joseph T. Waters, 1288 Herkimer St., Brooklyn.
 John J. O'Brien, 837 Herkimer St., Brooklyn.
 Owen J. Grimes, 133 Moffatt St., Brooklyn.
 Edward J. Garrity, 184 Hendrix St., Brooklyn.
 Charles Buchow, 20 Stuyvesant Ave., Brooklyn.
 Jere P. Costello, 30 Middagh St., Brooklyn.
 Gerald L. Wright, 24 Middagh St., Brooklyn.
 Rosemary A. Webber, 363 Henry St., Brooklyn.
 J. Harold Clare, 11 Court Square, Brooklyn.
 Agatha K. Pittarelli, 263 Bridge St., Brooklyn.
 Elizabeth A. Emslie, 393 Degraw St., Brooklyn.
 Henry J. Shields, 37 Hoyt St., Brooklyn.
 Patrick F. McSorley, 446 West 40th St., Manhattan.
 John J. Galvin, 73 East 120th St., Manhattan.
 John J. Garity, 324 Reid Ave., Brooklyn.
 Honora A. Burke, 310 W. 48th St., Manhattan.
 Samuel I. Golieb, 455 West 43rd St., Manhattan.
 Frederick William DeHoust, 410 Etna St., Brooklyn.
 Ward B. Yeomans, 100 Elton St., Brooklyn.
 Morris Leibowitz, 1836 Wallace Ave., Bronx.
 Isaac Levy, 103 W. 141st St., Manhattan.
 Martin S. Cohen, 2100 5th Ave., Manhattan.
 Hedwig Heymsfeld, 1477 Washington Ave., Bronx.
 Ralph Edwin Hecker, 192 Amity St., Flushing, Queens.
 Chester C. Frisbie, 11 Douglaston Ave., Douglaston, Queens.
 Simon Schiff, 166 W. 87th St., Manhattan.
 Bela Darwin Eisler, 302 W. 92nd St., Manhattan.
 Julius Bertram Gluck, 118 W. 90th St., Manhattan.
 Pasquale Farenga, 140 8th Ave., Manhattan.
 Henry D. Patton, 2470 Webb Ave., Bronx.
 Maud A. Barnard, 301 W. 113th St., Manhattan.
 M. Victor Abraham, 1063 Forest Ave., Bronx.
 Samuel Cowen, 891 Irving St., Bronx.
 John C. Gardiner, 2224 Adams Pl., Bronx.
 Benjamin A. Hibert, 1926 West Farms Rd., Bronx.
 Jacob I. Polstein, 965 Hoe Ave., Bronx.
 Patrick J. O'Connell, 1764 Vyse Ave., Bronx.
 Gerson C. Young, 934 E. 181st St., Bronx.
 William H. Hayden, 1234 Franklin Ave., Bronx.
 Charles Wiener, 1442 Bryant Ave., Bronx.
 Charles S. Russell, 1122 Tinton Ave., Bronx.
 Louis Cohen, 960 Tinton Ave., Bronx.
 Abraham Sussman, 1410 57th St., Brooklyn.
 Jessie Rosina Day, 1003 Lafayette Ave., Brooklyn.
 Theodore von Vanhausen, 6401 Fifteenth Ave., Brooklyn.
 Edwin Morde, 2215 Coney Island Ave., Brooklyn.
 James J. Byrne, Neptune Ave., Brooklyn, Sea Gate.
 Meyer Wexler, 1317 41st St., Brooklyn.
 Joseph A. Walsh, 5910 Bay Parkway, Brooklyn.
 Mary A. O'Connor, 1463 East 15th St., Brooklyn.
 Henry T. Bushman, 1768 45th St., Brooklyn.
 Henry A. Goldman, 2303 Surf Ave., Brooklyn.
 Jacob Sternberg, 1702 Surf Ave., Brooklyn.
 John J. Roche, 1969 66th St., Brooklyn.
 Edward J. Rose, 1501 43d St., Brooklyn.
 Edith M. Pfeifer, 30 Sunnyside Court, Brooklyn.
 Frank Lawyer Mayham, 1113 East 10th St., Brooklyn.
 Charles B. Nelcamp, 1553 East 19th St., Brooklyn.
 William Joseph Newman, Avenue V and West 13th St., Brooklyn.
 John Reid, 1 Ditmas Ave., Brooklyn.
 Peter Harper, Elmhurst and Roosevelt Aves., Elmhurst, Queens.
 Rosanna F. Cumiskey, 14 Victor Place, Elmhurst, Queens.
 F. Wm. Eggert, 652 East 241st St., Bronx.
 Harry S. Blot, 757 East 218th St., Bronx.
 Florence M. Cowan, 3756 Barnes Ave., Bronx.
 Wm. Alex. Campbell, 220 West 107th St., Manhattan.
 Sidney Forscher, 251 West 112th St., Manhattan.
 Francis J. Archer, 209 West 104th St., Manhattan.
 Harry Louis Becker, 352 West 120th St., Manhattan.
 Peter Cusack, 501 West 124th St., Manhattan.
 Amy M. Myers, 312 West 104th St., Manhattan.
 David Hershfield, 520 West 114th St., Manhattan.
 George Baumann, 154 Halsey St., Brooklyn.
 Thomas J. Lowns, 689 Ropers Ave., Brooklyn.
 Charles A. Peavey, 1102 Flushing Ave., Brooklyn.
 Thomas Ford, 989 Sterling Pl., Brooklyn.
 Joseph Cramer Shields, 2105 Foster Ave., Brooklyn.
 John E. Palmer, 216 Lenox Road, Brooklyn.
 Guy C. Heater, 33 Linden Ave., Brooklyn.
 Henry E. Rosenberg, 788 Park Pl., Brooklyn.
 John Nicholas Jett, 808 Park Pl., Brooklyn.
 Lesser Leiser, 44 Fuller Pl., Brooklyn.
 William J. McCurdy, 3310 Ave. D, Brooklyn.
 Benjamin Kronenberg, 269 East Broadway, Manhattan.
 Joseph P. Cantwell, 559 16th St., Brooklyn.
 Bessie M. Stewart, 374c 6th Ave., Brooklyn.
 Frances H. Carroll, 126 East 12th St., Manhattan.
 George P. Friedland, 24 Delancey St., Manhattan.
 William Haupt, 418 East 120th St., Manhattan.
 Arthur B. Widdecombe, 9 Castleton Park, New Brighton, Richmond.
 Marguerite S. O'Neill, 13 West 100th St., Manhattan.
 Hugh A. O'Hare, 174 West 96th St., Manhattan.
 Robert A. Fordham, 3 Glenada Pl., Brooklyn.
 Warren Coutant DuBois, 340a Decatur St., Brooklyn.
 Charles Henry Valentine, 326 McDonough St., Brooklyn.
 Felicie C. Levy, 721 Hancock St., Brooklyn.
 John Mowat Mitchell, 583 Putnam Ave., Brooklyn.
 Siegmund Maurice Zivi, 41 Convent Ave., Manhattan.
 Albert A. Bonner, 321 West 139th St., Manhattan.
 Adopted by the Board of Aldermen March 13, 1917.

No. 133.

An Ordinance to Provide the Necessary Means for the Support of the Government of The City of New York and the Counties of New York, Bronx, Kings, Queens and Richmond, and for Other Purposes, and to Levy Taxes on The Estates, Real and Personal, Subject to Taxation in The City of New York, Pursuant to Law, in and for the Year 1917.

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

Section 1. There shall be and there is hereby imposed and levied upon the estates, real and personal, subject to taxation of and within The City of New York, the sum of one hundred and sixty-seven million nine hundred and seventy-one thousand nine hundred and eighteen dollars and thirty-three cents (\$167,971,918.33), to pay the expenses included in the Budget for the year 1917, for conducting the public business of The City of New York in each Department and branch thereof—including, principal and interest of the City debt, and five million dollars (\$5,000,000.00) for deficiencies in taxes, pursuant to chapter 209 of the Laws of 1906, amounting in the aggregate to two hundred and eleven million one hundred and fourteen thousand one hundred and thirty-six dollars and eighty-two cents (\$211,114,136.82)—remaining after deducting therefrom the sum of seven million three hundred and fourteen thousand three hundred and seventeen dollars and twenty-three cents

(\$7,314,317.23), being the aggregate of the county charges and expenses of the Counties of New York, Bronx, Kings, Queens and Richmond, included therein, which sum is hereinafter levied and imposed upon said counties in the manner provided by the Greater New York Charter; and after also deducting the sum of thirty-five million eight hundred and twenty-seven thousand nine hundred and one dollars and twenty-six cents (\$35,827,901.26), supplied by the General Fund for the Reduction of Taxation, as stated by the Comptroller of The City of New York in a communication to this Board, dated February 21, 1917, transmitting his certificates of the amount of the appropriations made for the year 1917, copies of which communication and certificates relating to the said Budget are as follows:

Sec. 2. There shall be and there is hereby imposed and levied upon the estates, real and personal, subject to taxation, of and within the County of New York, the sum of three million eight hundred and fifty-three thousand one hundred and forty-eight dollars and eighty cents (\$3,853,148.80), to pay the expenses and charges of said county for the year 1917, included in the Budget, and the further sum of one hundred and ninety-three thousand three hundred and eighty-five dollars and sixty-nine cents (\$193,385.69), paid during the year 1916 from the proceeds of special revenue bonds, for county charges or liabilities of said county, as provided by subdivisions 3 and 7 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, amounting together to the sum of four million and forty-six thousand five hundred and thirty-four dollars and forty-nine cents (\$4,046,534.49).

Sec. 3. There shall be and there is hereby imposed and levied upon the estates, real and personal, subject to taxation, of and within the County of Bronx, the sum of seven hundred and seventy-six thousand nine hundred and thirty dollars and five cents (\$76,930.05), to pay the expenses and charges of said county for the year 1917, included in the Budget, and the further sum of forty thousand two hundred and eighty-six dollars and thirty-seven cents (\$40,286.37), paid during the year 1916, from the proceeds of special revenue bonds for county charges or liabilities of said county, as provided by subdivisions 3 and 7 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, amounting together to the sum of eight hundred and seventeen thousand two hundred and sixteen dollars and forty-two cents (\$817,216.42).

Sec. 4. There shall be and there is hereby imposed and levied upon the estates, real and personal, subject to taxation, of and within the County of Kings, the sum of two million and twenty-six thousand six hundred and eighty dollars and seventy-two cents (\$2,026,680.72), to pay the expenses and charges of said county for the year 1917, included in the Budget, and the further sum of sixty-one thousand one hundred and seventy-five dollars and sixty-two cents (\$61,175.62), paid during the year 1916, from the proceeds of special revenue bonds for county charges or liabilities of said county, as provided by subdivisions 3 and 7 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, amounting together to the sum of two million and eighty-seven thousand eight hundred and fifty-six dollars and thirty-four cents (\$2,087,856.34).

Sec. 5. There shall be and there is hereby imposed and levied upon the estates, real and personal, subject to taxation, of and within the County of Queens, the sum of five hundred and five thousand one hundred and seventy-six dollars and ninety cents (\$505,176.90), to pay the expenses and charges of said county for the year 1917, included in the Budget, and the further sum of twenty-eight thousand one hundred and ninety-five dollars and fifty-nine cents (\$28,195.59), paid during the year 1916, from the proceeds of special revenue bonds for county charges or liabilities of said county, as provided by subdivisions 3 and 7 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, amounting together to the sum of five hundred and thirty-three thousand three hundred and seventy-two dollars and forty-nine cents (\$533,372.49).

Sec. 6. There shall be and there is hereby imposed and levied upon the estates, real and personal, subject to taxation, of and within the County of Richmond, the sum of one hundred and fifty-two thousand three hundred and eighty dollars and seventy-six cents (\$152,380.76), to pay the expenses and charges of said county for the year 1917, included in the Budget, and the further sum of fourteen thousand four hundred and thirty-eight dollars and ninety cents (\$14,438.90), paid during the year 1916, from the proceeds of special revenue bonds, for county charges or liabilities of said county, as provided by subdivisions 3 and 7 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, amounting together to the sum of one hundred and sixty-six thousand eight hundred and nineteen dollars and sixty-six cents (\$166,819.66).

Sec. 7. There shall be and there is hereby imposed and levied upon the real property, subject to taxation, of and within the Borough of Manhattan, the sum of four hundred and forty-one thousand one hundred and sixteen dollars and eighty-nine cents (\$441,116.89), to pay assessments imposed upon the Borough of Manhattan, as provided by chapter 679, Laws of 1911 (section 247 of the Greater New York Charter), as follows:

"Acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the widening of Fordham Road, from Harlem River Terrace to Webster Avenue, and for the Public Park included within the lines of said Street opposite its junction with Kingsbridge Road, in the 24th Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, as amended and corrected by an order of the Supreme Court, First Department, bearing date the 9th day of October, 1913, and entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 10th day of October 1913, so as to relate to the acquisition of title for street purposes to the lands and premises required for the widening of Fordham Road, from Harlem River Terrace to Webster Avenue." Confirmed February 23, 1916, at a total cost of \$580,040.46; twenty (20) per cent. of the entire cost and expense of this proceeding shall be levied on the Borough of Manhattan, in accordance with a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted July 10, 1913 \$116,008 09

"Acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the public park (East River Park) bounded by Barclay street, Hoyt avenue, the bulkhead line of the East River and Ditmars avenue, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York." Confirmed February 14, 1917, at a total cost of \$928,882.29; thirty-five (35) per cent. of the entire cost and expense of this proceeding shall be levied on the Borough of Manhattan, in accordance with a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted July 31, 1913 325,108 80

Total Special Assessment, Borough of Manhattan \$441,116 89

Sec. 8. There shall be and there is hereby imposed and levied upon the real property, subject to taxation of and within the Borough of The Bronx, the sum of one hundred and seventy-four thousand and twelve dollars and fourteen cents (\$174,012.14), to pay assessments imposed upon the Borough of The Bronx, as provided by chapter 679, Laws of 1911 (section 247 of the Greater New York Charter), as follows:

"Acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the widening of Fordham Road, from Harlem River Terrace to Webster Avenue, and for the Public Park included within the lines of said street opposite its junction with Kingsbridge Road, in the 24th Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, as amended and corrected by an order of the Supreme Court, First Department, bearing date of the 9th day of October, 1913, and entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, on the 10th day of October, 1913, so as to relate to the acquisition of title for street purposes to the lands and premises required for the widening of Fordham Road, from Harlem River Terrace to Webster Avenue." Confirmed February 23, 1916, at a total cost of \$580,040.46; thirty (30) per cent. of the entire cost and expense of this proceeding shall be levied on the Borough of The Bronx, in accordance with a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted July 10, 1913 \$174,012 14

Total Special Assessments, Borough of The Bronx \$174,012 14

Sec. 9. There shall be and there is hereby imposed and levied upon the real property, subject to taxation, of and within the Borough of Brooklyn, the sum of three hundred and one thousand seven hundred and sixty-six dollars and fifty cents (\$301,766.50), to pay assessments imposed upon the Borough of Brooklyn, as provided by chapter 679, Laws of 1911 (section 247 of the Greater New York Charter), as follows:

"Acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the widening of Flatbush Avenue Extension, between Concord Street and Nassau Street, in the 4th Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York." Confirmed December 6, 1916, at a total cost of \$265,051.39; thirty-five (35) per cent. of the entire cost and expense of this proceeding shall be levied on the Borough of Brooklyn in accordance with a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted July 27, 1916.....\$92,767 98

"Acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the public park (East River Park), bounded by Barclay Street, Hoyt Avenue, the bulkhead line of the East River and Ditmars Avenue, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York." Confirmed February 14, 1917, at a total cost of \$928,882.29; twenty-two and one-half (22½) per cent. of the entire cost and expense of this proceeding shall be levied on the Borough of Brooklyn in accordance with a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted July 31, 1913.....208,998 52

Total Special Assessments, Borough of Brooklyn.....\$301,766 50

Sec. 10. There shall be and there is hereby imposed and levied upon the real property, subject to taxation, of and within the Borough of Queens, the sum of three hundred and one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six dollars and seventy-four cents (\$301,886.74) to pay assessments imposed upon the Borough of Queens, as provided by chapter 679, Laws of 1911 (section 247 of the Greater New York Charter), as follows:

"Acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the public park (East River Park), bounded by Barclay Street, Hoyt Avenue, the bulkhead line of the East River and Ditmars Avenue, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York." Confirmed February 14, 1917, at a total cost of \$928,882.29; thirty-two and one-half (32½) per cent. of the entire cost and expense of this proceeding shall be levied on the Borough of Queens in accordance with a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted July 31, 1913.....\$301,886 74

Total, Special Assessments, Borough of Queens.....\$301,886 74

Sec. 11. The assessment rolls of the estates, real and personal, subject to taxation, of and within the city of New York, for the year 1917, are hereby ratified, approved and confirmed, and the aggregate amount of the assessed valuations of said estates for such year is hereby fixed at the sum of eight billion six hundred and seventy-three million seven hundred and five thousand three hundred and fifteen dollars (\$8,673,705,315), in accordance with the returns of the Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments for said year, submitted to the Board of Aldermen on the first day of March, 1917.

Sec. 12. The rates of tax upon each dollar of assessed valuation upon the estates, real and personal, subject to taxation, of and within the city of New York, and the several counties and boroughs included within said city are, for the purpose of carrying out and making effective the foregoing sections of this ordinance, hereby fixed for the year 1917, as follows:

I. In the Borough of Manhattan (being also the County of New York)..... .0202
II. In the Borough of The Bronx (being also the County of Bronx)..... .0208
III. In the Borough of Brooklyn (being also the County of Kings)..... .0201
IV. In the Borough of Queens (being also the County of Queens)..... .0209
V. In the Borough of Richmond (being also the County of Richmond)..... .0212

Sec. 13. In addition to the sums mentioned in the preceding sections of this ordinance, to be levied and imposed upon the estates, real and personal, subject to taxation according to law, of and within the city of New York, there shall also be and there is hereby imposed upon the real estate in the Twenty-sixth Ward (former Town of New Lots) of the Borough of Brooklyn, bounded by that part of any street, avenue or highway in said ward improved by flagging, guttering, curbing and paving under authority of chapter 311 of the Laws of 1886, as amended by chapter 335 of the Laws of 1886, for the purpose of meeting the principal and interest on bonds issued for the above purposes, the sum of forty-five thousand five hundred and fifteen dollars and fifty-seven cents (\$45,515.57), as the same has been apportioned and assessed by the Commissioner of Taxes and Assessments on each lot, piece or parcel of land, in the proportion of benefit derived, as heretofore fixed and determined by the Commission charged with making said improvements; and there shall be and there is hereby imposed upon the real estate in the Thirty-first Ward (former Town of Gravesend), in said Borough of Brooklyn, bounded by that part of any street, avenue or highway in said ward benefited by local improvements for which the unpaid assessments heretofore levied in said town exceeding the sum of one hundred dollars are, under the provisions of chapter 118 of the Laws of 1892, and the amendments thereto, to be levied in forty annual installments, the sum of thirty-five thousand seven hundred and seventy-four dollars and thirty-one cents (\$35,774.31), as the same has been apportioned and assessed by the Board of Assessors on each lot, piece or parcel of land in proportion to the benefit derived, as heretofore fixed and determined.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen March 1, 1917, at 1:47 o'clock p. m.

Approved by the Mayor March 19, 1917, at 12 o'clock m.

No. 134.

An Ordinance Selecting Sites to Be Acquired for Use as a Refuse Destructor in the Bureau of Street Cleaning, Under the Jurisdiction of the President of the Borough of Queens.

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

Section 1. The Board of Aldermen hereby selects as sites to be acquired for use as refuse destructors in the Bureau of Street Cleaning, under the jurisdiction of the President of the Borough of Queens the following lands situate and lying in the Borough and County of Queens, State of New York, described in metes and bounds as follows, to wit:

The first, located in Flushing, is bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point at the intersection of the westerly line of Eastport Street and the northerly line of Connerton Avenue, as said street and avenue are laid down upon a map establishing the lines and grades of that portion of the Third Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York, and bounded by Uhland Avenue, White-stone Avenue, Jackson Avenue, Tallman Avenue and Fork Street and of Wakefield Street from Uhland Avenue to the old Village Line, adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 13th day of June, 1912, and filed at Jamaica on August 21, 1912.

Thence westerly 272.50 feet along the northerly line of Connerton Avenue, as said avenue is laid down on above map, adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, to the easterly line of Chesterfield Boulevard, the said easterly line of Chesterfield Boulevard being 10 feet measured at right angles and westerly of the easterly line of Chesterfield Boulevard as laid down on above adopted map.

Thence northerly deflecting to the right 89 degrees, 42 minutes, 07 seconds for 303.57 feet along the easterly line of Chesterfield Boulevard to the southerly line of Cadiz Place prolonged westerly, said line of Chesterfield Boulevard being parallel to and 10 feet westerly measured at right angles from the easterly line of Chesterfield Boulevard, as laid down upon adopted map above referred to.

Thence easterly deflecting to the right 90 degrees, 00 minutes, 00 seconds for 366.53 feet along the southerly line of Cadiz Place, and prolongation thereof, to the westerly line of Eastport Street.

Thence southerly deflecting to the right for 319.16 feet along the westerly line of Eastport Street to the northerly line of Connerton Avenue, the point or place of beginning.

The second, located in Jamaica, is bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the northerly line of Sampson Street, as said Sampson Street is defined by stone monuments upon five foot offsets measured at right angles southerly from the northerly line of Sampson Street distant 103.56 feet easterly from the easterly line of Highview Avenue, as said avenue is defined by a monument line situated 5 feet westerly measured at right angles from the easterly line of said Highview Avenue.

Thence northerly along a line distant 100.08 feet easterly measured at right angles from said Highview Avenue and parallel thereto for a distance of 512.04 feet

Thence easterly deflecting to the right 90 degrees, 00 minutes, 00 seconds for 154.32 feet.

Thence southerly deflecting to the right 89 degrees, 29 minutes, 50 seconds for a distance of 152.70 feet.

Thence southerly deflecting to the right 7 degrees, 46 minutes, 00 seconds for a distance of 47.02 feet.

Thence southerly deflecting to the right 14 degrees, 38 minutes, 10 seconds for a distance of 159.62 feet.

Thence southerly deflecting to the right 58 degrees, 00 minutes, 45 seconds for a distance of 1.89 feet.

Thence southerly deflecting to the left 59 degrees, 42 minutes, 00 seconds for a distance of 64.55 feet.

Thence southerly deflecting to the left 27 degrees, 58 minutes, 00 seconds for a distance of 83.93 feet.

Thence westerly deflecting to the right along the northerly line of Sampson Street as defined by a monument line upon a 5-foot offset southerly measured at right angles from the northerly line of Sampson Street for 79.97 feet to the point or place of beginning.

The third, located in Arverne, is bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point at the intersection of the northerly line of Thrusby Street (Morris Avenue) and the easterly line of Beach 63d Street (Sea View Avenue), Thrusby Street (Morris Avenue) being 50 feet in width, and being defined by two monuments placed upon a line 5 feet northerly measured at right angles from the southerly line thereof; Beach 63d Street (Sea View Avenue) being 60 feet wide and being defined by two monuments placed 5 feet easterly measured at right angles from the westerly line thereof.

Thence northerly 200 feet along the easterly line of Beach 63d Street (Sea View Avenue) to the southerly line of Elizabeth Place as laid down upon the aforementioned map, filed at the County Clerk's Office as Map 250.

Thence easterly deflecting to the right 90 degrees, for 355 feet, plus or minus, along the southerly line of Elizabeth Place to the mean high water line of Barbadoes Creek, Jamaica Bay.

Thence southerly along the mean high water line of Barbadoes Creek, as said line winds and turns to the northerly line of Thrusby Street (Morris Avenue).

Thence westerly along the northerly line of Thrusby Street (Morris Avenue) for 360 feet, plus or minus, to the easterly line of Beach 63d Street (Sea View Avenue), the point or place of beginning.

Sec. 2. The Corporation Counsel is hereby authorized and directed to institute condemnation proceedings for the acquisition of said lands and premises.

Sec. 3. This ordinance shall not preclude the acquisition of the above prescribed lands and premises or any part thereof, by purchase from the owner or the respective owners thereof at a price authorized by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

Sec. 4. The Clerk of this Board is hereby directed to prepare two similar surveys, maps or plans of said lands and premises and file the same—one in the office of this Board and the other in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, in accordance with the provisions of section 1436 of the Greater New York Charter.

Sec. 5. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen March 1, 1917.

Received from his Honor the Mayor March 20, 1917, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 135.

Resolution for Special Revenue Bonds, \$9,000, for the Purpose of Paving Fort Hamilton Parkway.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of Subdivision 8 of Section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of nine thousand dollars (\$9,000), the proceeds whereof to be used by the Commissioner of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn, for the purpose of paving Fort Hamilton Parkway, all obligations contracted for hereunder to be incurred on or before December 31, 1917.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen March 1, 1917.

Received from his Honor the Mayor March 20, 1917, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 136.

Resolution for Special Revenue Bonds, \$750, to Be Used by the Army and Navy Veterans, U. S. A., for Memorial Day Observances.

Resolved, That in pursuance of the provisions of Subdivision 8 of Section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of seven hundred and fifty dollars (\$750), the proceeds whereof to be used by the Army and Navy Veterans, U. S. A., for the purpose of providing means for Memorial Day Observances under the auspices of said organization, in the year 1917.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen March 1, 1917.

Received from his Honor the Mayor March 20, 1917, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 137.

Resolution for Special Revenue Bonds, \$45,000, for Alterations to the Hall of Records.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds to the amount of forty-five thousand dollars (\$45,000), the proceeds whereof to be used by the President of the Borough of Manhattan for the purpose of making alterations to the first, second, third, fourth, fifth, sixth and seventh floors of the Hall of Records building to provide for the occupancy of the Public Administrator, Register of New York County, Surrogates of New York County, Commissioner of Records of the Surrogates' Court, Commissioner of Records of the County of New York, and the County Clerk of New York County, in accordance with the provisions of a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund assigning space in the said building for the several offices enumerated. All obligations contracted for hereunder to be incurred on or before December 31, 1917.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen March 13, 1917.

Approved by the Mayor March 19, 1917.

No. 138.

Resolution Appointing Benjamin Abramowitz, M. D., as Physician to the New York County Jail.

Resolved, That, in compliance with the provisions of section 126 of the Code of Civil Procedure, Benjamin Abramowitz, of No. 236 East 5th Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, a physician duly authorized to practice medicine in the State of New York, be and he is hereby appointed as Physician to the County Jail of the County of New York.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen March 13, 1917.

Approved by the Mayor March 27, 1917.

No. 139.

Resolution Granting Permission to Storekeepers, Hucksters and Peddlers to Use Streets for Sale of Wares on Account of Jewish Holidays.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to storekeepers, hucksters and peddlers to stand on the sidewalk and in the carriage-way near the curb, on the streets and thoroughfares of the City of New York, excepting on such streets and thoroughfares on which all encroachments have been removed by direction of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, for the sale of their wares on account of the Jewish holidays, with the consent of the property owners and the Commissioner of Licenses, provided a free passageway be kept on the sidewalk for all pedestrians and on the carriage-way for all vehicles; such permission to continue only from March 19, 1917, to April 14, 1917, inclusive, and the ordinance or ordinances conflicting with the foregoing provisions are hereby suspended for the period of time above mentioned; the exercise of any privilege granted hereunder to be subject to supervision by the Police Department; furthermore, it is to be understood that this resolution shall not be in effect in any street where in the judgment of the Police Commissioner the privileges therein granted are apt to interfere with the religious repose of the residents or worshippers in the immediate neighborhood thereof.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen March 13, 1917.

Received from his Honor the Mayor March 27, 1917, without his approval or

disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 140.

An Ordinance to Amend Subdivision 2 of Section 2 of Article 1 of Chapter 11 of the Code of Ordinances, Relating to "Small-arms."

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

Section 1. Subdivision 4 of section 2 of article 1 of chapter 11 of the Code of Ordinances, relating to "small-arms," is hereby amended by adding thereto the following words: the premises of James I. Reynolds, 24 Degraw Avenue, Jamaica.

Sec. 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen March 13, 1917.

Received from his Honor the Mayor March 27, 1917, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 141.

Resolution for Special Revenue Bonds, \$766.66, Payment of Rent for Rooms for Use of the Public Administrator of the County of New York.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of Subdivision 8, Section 188, of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be, and it is, hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds in the amount of \$766.66, the proceeds whereof to be used by the Comptroller for the payment of rent for Rooms 1025 to 1031 inclusive, in the Temple Court Building (Annex), 119 Nassau Street, Borough of Manhattan, for use of the Public Administrator of the County of New York, for a period from January 1, 1917, to May 1, 1917, the same being a charge against the County of New York.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen March 13, 1917.

Received from his Honor the Mayor March 27, 1917, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 142.

Resolution for Special Revenue Bonds, \$900, Payment of Rent for Room for Use of Naval Militia.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of Subdivision 8, Section 188, of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be, and it is, hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds in the amount of \$900, the proceeds whereof to be used by the Comptroller for the payment of rent for Rooms 1027-1029 in the building No. 2 Rector Street, Borough of Manhattan, for use as headquarters by the Naval Militia, for a period from January 1, 1917, to December 31, 1917, the same being a charge against the County of New York.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen March 13, 1917.

Received from his Honor the Mayor March 27, 1917, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 143.

Resolution for Special Revenue Bonds, \$1,727.88, Payment of Rent for Rooms for Use of the Commissioner of Jurors of the County of New York.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of subdivision 8, section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds in the amount of \$1,727.88, the proceeds whereof to be used by the Comptroller for the payment of rent for use of Rooms 123 to 129, inclusive, in the Stewart Building, 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, occupied by the Commissioner of Jurors, for a period from January 1, 1917, to May 1, 1917, the same being a charge against the County of New York.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen March 13, 1917.

Received from his Honor the Mayor March 27, 1917, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 144.

Resolution for Special Revenue Bonds, \$624.25, Payment of Rent for Stalls for Use of the First Regiment, Field Artillery.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of subdivision 8, section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of six hundred and twenty-four dollars and twenty-five cents (\$624.25), the proceeds whereof to be used by the Comptroller for the payment of rent of 97 stalls in the stable building Nos. 512-16 West 53rd Street, Borough of Manhattan, for use of the First Regiment Field Artillery, from January 1, 1917, to February 26, 1917, the same being a charge against the County of New York.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen March 13, 1917.

Received from his Honor the Mayor March 27, 1917, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 145.

Resolution Appointing Various Persons Commissioners of Deeds.

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

Harry E. White, 302 W. 25th St., Manhattan.
John Manno, 569 Lorimer St., Brooklyn.
William Sheridan, 496 10th Ave., L. I. City, Queens.
Bernard J. Lynch, 330 Jackson Ave., Queens.
William Henry Nast, 505 Broadway, L. I. City, Queens.
John McClancy, 12 Pearson St., L. I. City, Queens.
Thomas F. Doyle, 98 Elm St., L. I. City, Queens.
Thomas J. Shelley, 1229 Madison Ave., Manhattan.
William E. O'Brien, 234 East 41st St., Manhattan.
Eugene S. Cartwright, 365 Greene Ave., Brooklyn.
Isaac Pichel, 600 W. 183d St., Manhattan.
George F. Mahnken, 601 West 18th St., Manhattan.
Martin Werdenbach, 123 Wadsworth Ave., Manhattan.
Rose Lucia Paone, 46 8th Ave., Manhattan.
Frederick L. Drescher, 52 East 9th St., Manhattan.
Edward T. Herbst, 826 Hewitt Place, Bronx.
Elizabeth Satljen, 764 East 155th St., Bronx.
William Kaufman, 723 Oakland Pl., Bronx.
Flora Applebaum, 616 Willoughby Ave., Brooklyn.
William J. Wiegard, 547 Carlton Ave., Brooklyn.
James M. Kelly, 301a Hart St., Brooklyn.
Rose E. Kley, 519 Halsey St., Brooklyn.
Charles Jacobs, 48 Charlton St., Manhattan.
Sumner H. Lark, 1583 Lincoln Pl., Brooklyn.
Peter Ferber, 2005 Fulton St., Brooklyn.
Irving E. Meller, 1606 Pitkin Ave., Brooklyn.
Emily Merz, 2005 Fulton St., Brooklyn.
Robert Janon, 311 Hopkinson Ave., Brooklyn.
Henry J. Beilman, Fulton St., cor. 1st Ave., Village of Queens, Queens.
Ethel Morlock, 328 45th St., Brooklyn.
Charles F. Halsted, 174 Prospect Pl., Brooklyn.
Walter G. Howell, 615 Carlton Ave., Brooklyn.
Matthew J. Hanrahan, 108 South 9th St., Brooklyn.
John Francis Pooler, 839 Thrall Ave., Woodhaven, Queens.
John Zink, 224 Hamilton Ave., Richmond Hill, Queens.
Samuel Wohlstetter, 1656 Madison Ave., Manhattan.
Anthony LaGattuta, 1844 Madison Ave., Manhattan.
Reuben R. Burkholz, 363 So. 4th St., Brooklyn.
Hilda Caruso, 37 Beaver St., Brooklyn.
William Walzer, 881a Lafayette Ave., Brooklyn.
Rosalie F. Janoer, 354 Henry St., Brooklyn.
Adam Valentine Hens, 433 West 40th St., Manhattan.
Joseph Edward Marks, 460 West 34th St., Manhattan.
Albert H. Curley, 158 East 127th St., Manhattan.
Joseph S. Starks, 206 East 123d St., Manhattan.
Arthur F. James, 2298 Creston Ave., The Bronx.
Herman Mendes, 460 Linwood St., Brooklyn.
Henry VonDrele, 560 Grant Ave., Brooklyn.

Harry S. Townsend, 177 12th St., Brooklyn.

Joseph A. Kennedy, 535 47th St., Brooklyn.

Daniel L. Donovan, 436 43d St., Brooklyn.

Daniel O'Connell, 2411 Poplar St., The Bronx.

George Tilden Van Valkenburgh, 2559 Frisby Ave., The Bronx.

Henry H. Harkavy, 523 West 143d St., Manhattan.

William Pfeiffer, 544 West 145th St., Manhattan.

Edward A. Ryan, 182 8th St., Midland Beach, Richmond.

Abram John Smith, 2490 Tiebout Ave., The Bronx.

Henry C. Meyer, 2246 Grand Concourse, The Bronx.

Clinton DeWitt Van Siclen, Second St., Bayside, Queens.

Charles F. Gullette, 124 W. 82d St., Manhattan.

Stanley Eugene Hubbard, 65 Central Park West, Manhattan.

David Ray Bernstein, 941 Faile St., Bronx.

Max Henry Ring, 2131 Vyse Ave., Bronx.

William J. McLaughlin, 2164 Crotona Ave., Bronx.

William L. Allen, 898 Cauldwell Ave., Bronx.

Levi Rittenberg, 963 Kelly St., Bronx.

Benjamin Abrams, 2082 66th St., Brooklyn.

Max Flaxman, 15 Thompson Pl., Coney Island, Brooklyn.

Charles A. Hahn, Jr., 3100 Surf Ave., 31st St., Brooklyn.

Ellen L. Keating, 680 East 226th St., Bronx.

Eugene L. Brisach, 3777 Willett Ave., Bronx.

Charles Welch, 1018 East 233d St., Bronx.

Henry Lawrence Jacobs, 751 Greene Ave., Brooklyn.

David A. Howell, 434 Jefferson Ave., Brooklyn.

Louis F. Hollenbach, 776 East 32d St., Brooklyn.

Harold S. Holywell, 615 Ocean Ave., Brooklyn.

William P. Burchell, 1031 Bergen St., Brooklyn.

DeWitt V. D. Reiley, 2022 Church Ave., Brooklyn.

Richard Henry McIntyre, 116 Winthrop St., Brooklyn.

David Kutner, 218 Henry St., Manhattan.

Lucio Ferrara, 711 Union St., Brooklyn.

Wm. A. Mundell, 438 First St., Brooklyn.

George E. Lovett, 812 Carroll St., Brooklyn.

Salvatore Ferreri, 24 E. 103d St., Manhattan.

Michael Florio, 215 E. 107th St., Manhattan.

James I. Fagan, 289 Potter Ave., West New Brighton, Richmond.

Frank J. Farrington, 336 W. 95th St., Manhattan.

Joseph Hatfield Morton, 319 W. 94th St., Manhattan.

Charles H. Karutz, 798 Quincy St., Brooklyn.

E. Elsie Goudge, 560 Madison St., Brooklyn.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen March 27, 1917.

No. 146.

Resolution to Authorize the Board of Elections to Contract for Certain Election Printing and Supplies Without Public Letting.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Elections of The City of New York be and it is hereby authorized and empowered to enter into contract, without public letting, with the M. B. Brown Printing & Binding Company for the necessary registration stationery and supplies, together with ballots and election day stationery and supplies, to be used for the special election called by the Governor for Thursday, April 12, 1917, pursuant to the provisions of section 292 of the Election Law, to fill the vacancy existing in the office of Representative in Congress for the 15th Congressional District, at a cost of approximately three thousand three hundred and twenty-five dollars (\$3,325).

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen March 20, 1917.

Approved by the Mayor March 28, 1917.

No. 147.

Resolution to Establish Various Grades of Positions in the Police Department.

Whereas, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted the following resolution at a stated meeting held March 23, 1917:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of the following rates of compensation for the uniformed force of the Police Department of The City of New York, in addition to rates already fixed, viz.:

Inspector, 1 at \$3,900 per annum.

Lieutenant, detailed as Acting Captain, 6 at \$3,150 per annum.

Sergeant, detailed as Acting Captain, 6 at \$2,650 per annum.

Sergeant, detailed as Acting Lieutenant, 18 at \$2,350 per annum.

Patrolman, detailed as Acting Sergeant, 72 at \$2,050 per annum.

—while detailed to carry out the provisions of chapter 64 of the Laws of 1917.

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

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen March 27, 1917.

Approved by the Mayor April 2, 1917.

No. 148.

Resolution to Permit the Temple of the Sons of Israel of The Bronx to Construct a Vault Without Payment of Fee.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Temple of the Sons of Israel of the Bronx to construct and maintain a vault in front of their premises No. 777 East 178th Street, in the Borough of Bronx, City of New York, which premises are on the north side of 178th Street, 100 feet west of Mapes Avenue, with a frontage of 45 feet, and which vault is to be 18 feet in length by 4 feet in width and is to be located underneath the sidewalk in front of the above premises, in the Borough of the Bronx. The privilege hereby conveyed to be exercised without payment of the usual fee, in accordance with the provisions of section 216 of the Greater New York Charter. The work to be done at the expense of the Temple of the Sons of Israel of the Bronx, under the direction of the President of the Borough of the Bronx. Such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen March 20, 1917.

Received from his Honor the Mayor April 3, 1917, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 149.

An Ordinance to Amend Section 10 of Article 2 of Chapter 22 of the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York, Relating to Throwing Refuse Into Streets.

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

Section 1. Section 10 of article 2 of chapter 22 of the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York is hereby amended to read as follows:

\$10. Throwing refuse into streets and vacant lots.

1. Prohibited. No person or persons shall throw, cast or lay, or direct, suffer or permit any servant, agent or employee to throw, cast or lay any ashes, offal, vegetables, garbage, dross, cinders, shells, straw, shavings, paper, dirt, filth, broken glassware, crockery, bottles or rubbish of any kind whatsoever in or upon any vacant lot, lots or plot, except where ashes or dirt may be used for filling in purposes under a permit secured from the department or bureau having jurisdiction, or in any street, either upon the roadway or sidewalk thereof.

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen March 20, 1917.

the public free of charge, shall be required to pay any fees for any permit required under the provisions of Chapter 12 of the Code of Ordinances, provided the material for which the permit is required is owned and used in connection with such institution.

Sec. 3. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen March 20, 1917.

Received from his Honor the Mayor April 3, 1917, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 151.

Resolution to Permit the Spanish-American War Veterans to Share Room Occupied by the G. A. R. in the Basement of the City Hall.

Resolved, That the Spanish-American War Veterans be and they are hereby permitted to use part of the room assigned for the use of the Grand Army of the Republic in the basement of the City Hall, the latter body agreeing thereto.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen March 20, 1917.

Received from his Honor the Mayor April 3, 1917, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 152.

Resolution to Authorize the President of the Borough of Richmond to Purchase a Stone Crusher, Bin and Screen Without Public Letting.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of Section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the President of the Borough of Richmond be and he is hereby authorized and empowered to purchase a stone crusher, bin and screen, in the open

market without public letting, at a cost approximately of one thousand six hundred and fifty dollars \$1,650.00.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen March 20, 1917.

Received from his Honor the Mayor April 3, 1917, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 153.

Resolution Concurring in Action of Board of Estimate and Apportionment in Amendments of Special Revenue Bond Issues.

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment February 16, 1917:

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment has authorized the issuance of special revenue bonds on the dates, for the purposes and in the amounts specifically set forth in the schedule hereto annexed and made a part hereof; and

Whereas, Full provision has been made for the accomplishment of the purposes for which the said authorizations were originally made, and there remain special revenue bonds authorized but unencumbered, as set forth in the aforementioned schedule, and the unencumbered balances of the authorizations of special revenue bonds are no longer necessary for the purposes originally contemplated; now therefore be it

Resolved, That each and every resolution specified in the following schedule be and the same is hereby *amended* to the effect that the authorization contained therein for the issuance of special revenue bonds shall be of the same amount as the total of the special revenue bonds issued, or to be issued, under each of the aforesaid resolutions, as set forth in the annexed schedule:

Revenue Bond Fund—For:	Authority.	Date of Resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.	Amount of Bonds Authorized to Be Issued.	Bonds Issued or to Be Issued.	Amount of Unencumbered Authorization Rescinded.
<i>Bellevue and Allied Hospitals.</i>					
RBH16 F Deficiency in Budget Item 2093—1914.....	Subd. 8, Sec. 188 of the Charter....	Dec. 11, 1914	\$1,994 32	\$1,800 00	\$194 62
RBH17 F Deficiency in Budget Item 2089—1915.....	Subd. 8, Sec. 188 of the Charter....	Dec. 10, 1915	14,000 00	13,000 00	1,000 00
RBH18 Deficiency in Appropriations, Salaries, 1916.....	Subd. 8, Sec. 188 of the Charter....	{ Mar. 31, 1916 }	64,955 00	53,955 00	11,000 00
RBL23 A Expenses of Entertainment of Atlantic Fleet, 1915.....	Subd. 8, Sec. 188 of the Charter....	May 13, 1915	10,000 00	9,000 00	1,000 00
<i>Department of Public Charities.</i>					
RCH36 A Preparing Recreation Pier at East 24th Street for Lodging House Pur- poses, 1915	Subd. 8, Sec. 188 of the Charter....	Feb. 11, 1915	13,180 00	10,780 00	2,400 00
RCH38 Additional Help for Municipal Lodging House, 1915.....	Subd. 8, Sec. 188 of the Charter....	Mar. 12, 1915	3,050 00	2,050 00	1,000 00
RCH38A Additional Nurses and Hospital Helpers, 1915.....	Subd. 8, Sec. 188 of the Charter....	Mar. 26, 1915	25,000 00	18,000 00	7,000 00
RCH39 Deficiency in Budget Item 1992—1915.....	Subd. 8, Sec. 188 of the Charter....	Nov. 19, 1915	25,000 00	20,000 00	5,000 00
RCH39C Deficiency in Budget Item 1996—1915.....	Subd. 8, Sec. 188 of the Charter....	Nov. 19, 1915	12,000 00	9,000 00	3,000 00
RCH39K Deficiency in Budget Item 2016—1915.....	Subd. 8, Sec. 188 of the Charter....	Dec. 10, 1915	2,500 00	1,781 59	718 41
RCH39T Deficiency in Budget Item 2030—1915.....	Subd. 8, Sec. 188 of the Charter....	Nov. 19, 1915	1,200 00	700 00	500 00
RCH39Z Deficiency in Budget Item 2042—1915.....	Subd. 8, Sec. 188 of the Charter....	July 21, 1915	2,500 00	1,500 00	1,000 00
RCH40 Portable House for N. Y. City Home for the Aged, Borough of Brook-lyn, 1915	Subd. 8, Sec. 188 of the Charter....	Aug. 19, 1915	1,500 00	1,188 00	312 00
<i>County Clerk, Queens County.</i>					
RCK209 C Deficiency in Budget Item 3526—1915.....	Subd. 8, Sec. 188 of the Charter....	Dec. 23, 1915	614 94	223 64	391 30
<i>College of The City of New York.</i>					
RCN7 A Reconstructing Laboratory Tables in Chemistry Hall.....	Subd. 8, Sec. 188 of the Charter....	June 9, 1916	2,600 00	2,000 00	600 00
<i>Surrogate's Court, Queens County.</i>					
RCT31 F Wages of Custodians and Watchmen	Subd. 8, Sec. 188 of the Charter....	Dec. 10, 1915	900 00	425 00	475 00
<i>District Attorney, New York County.</i>					
RDA8 Special Expenses in connection with the prosecution of Henry Siegel et al. Section 1542 of the Charter.....	Subd. 8, Sec. 188 of the Charter....	July 30, 1914	50,000 00	28,000 00	22,000 00
<i>Department of Correction.</i>					
RDC27 Deficiency in Budget Item 2651—1915.....	Subd. 8, Sec. 188 of the Charter....	Nov. 19, 1915	50,000 00	48,000 00	2,000 00
<i>Department of Health.</i>					
RDH34 F Salaries of Veterinarians for Meat Inspection, 1915.....	Subd. 8, Sec. 188 of the Charter....	July 1, 1915	4,950 00	3,950 00	1,000 00
RDH40 Establishment, Operation, etc., of Milk Stations at Ridgewood, Borough of Queens, 1915	Subd. 8, Sec. 188 of the Charter....	Apr. 1, 1915	2,423 00	2,023 00	400 00
<i>Department of Parks, Borough of The Bronx.</i>					
RDP108 Repairing Roads and Fencing Playgrounds.....	Subd. 8, Sec. 188 of the Charter....	Aug. 5, 1915	26,249 40	24,249 40	2,000 00
<i>Department of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn.</i>					
RDP208 Operation of Betsy Head Memorial Playground, 1915.....	Subd. 8, Sec. 188 of the Charter....	July 9, 1915	17,475 00	14,475 00	3,000 00
<i>Department of Street Cleaning.</i>					
RDS31 Refunding Budget Item 2409—1914.....	Section 546 of the Charter.....	Feb. 27, 1914	408,585 65	407,585 65	1,000 00
RDS37 Refunding Budget Item 2365—1914.....	Section 546 of the Charter.....	May 15, 1914	200,318 66	200,198 01	120 65
RDS39B Deficiency in Budget Item 2365—1915.....	Subd. 8, Sec. 188 of the Charter....	July 1, 1915	205,100 00	200,000 00	5,000 00
<i>Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.</i>					
RDW39A Additional Lighting, Public Buildings, Manhattan and The Bronx.....	Subd. 8, Sec. 188 of the Charter....	{ June 13, 1912 }	44,738 05	39,738 05	5,000 00
RDW43 E Deficiency in Budget Item 2244—1915.....	Subd. 8, Sec. 188 of the Charter....	Aug. 19, 1915	1,250 00	750 00	500 00
<i>President, Borough of Manhattan.</i>					
RPM14B Altering, Furnishing and Equipping Premises No. 151 East 57th Street for use of Various Courts.....	Chapter 659, Laws of 1910.....	July 11, 1912	15,000 00	14,000 00	1,000 00
<i>President, Borough of Queens.</i>					
RPM40B Altering and Improving 6th, 7th and 8th Floors of Hall of Records, 1915.....	Subd. 8, Sec. 188 of the Charter....	{ Nov. 5, 1915 }	3,700 00	3,200 00	500 00
<i>President, Borough of Queens.</i>					
RPQ8 P Repairs to Rockaway Turnpike, between New York Avenue and Hook Creek, 1914	Subd. 8, Sec. 188 of the Charter....	July 10, 1914	13,646 50	13,146 50	500 00
RPQ16 A Rebuilding Sea Wall on Boulevard, between Jamaica Avenue and Temple St., First Ward, Queens.....	Subd. 8, Sec. 188 of the Charter....	{ July 31, 1913 }	14,789 50	14,089 50	700 00
<i>President, Borough of The Bronx.</i>					
RPX14 M Repairing Bridge Over Railroad Tracks at East 153d Street, 1914.....	Subd. 8, Sec. 188 of the Charter....	June 5, 1914	35,000 00	32,500 00	2,500 00
RPX14 P Supplies and Equipment for Public Buildings, 1914.....	Subd. 8, Sec. 188 of the Charter....	July 2, 1914	8,370 00	7,870 00	500 00

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen March 20, 1917.

Received from his Honor the Mayor April 3, 1917, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 154.

Resolution Extending Time for Use of Special Revenue Bonds, \$23,550, So That the Amount of \$2,550 May Be Applied to Repairs to the Arsenal Restaurant in Central Park.

Resolved, That the following resolution adopted March 7, 1916, and effective March 21, 1916:

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds to the amount of twenty-three thousand five hundred and fifty dollars (\$23,550), the proceeds whereof to be used by the Department of Parks, Manhattan and Richmond, for the purpose of defraying cost of repairs to various buildings in Central Park. All obligations hereunder to be incurred before December 31, 1916;

—be and the same is hereby amended by striking therefrom the figures "1916" and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "1917," so that the amount of two thousand five hundred and fifty dollars (\$2,550) may be applied to the estimated cost of necessary

repairs to the Arsenal Restaurant in the Central Park.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen March 20, 1917.

Received from his Honor the Mayor April 3, 1917, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 155.

Resolution to Authorize the President of the Borough of Brooklyn to Draw on Account of Contingent Expenses.

Resolved, That, for the purpose of purchasing postage stamps, postal cards, and stamped envelopes for the departments under his jurisdiction, the President of the

Borough of Brooklyn may, by requisition drawn upon the Comptroller for a sum not exceeding three hundred dollars (\$300) and may, in like manner, renew the draft as often as may be deemed necessary to the extent of the appropriation set apart for Code 584, Office Supplies in his office during the year 1917; but no such renewal shall be made until the money paid on the preceding draft shall be accounted for to the Comptroller by the transmittal of a voucher or vouchers certified by the President of the Borough of Brooklyn covering the expending of the money thereon.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen March 20, 1917.

Received from his Honor the Mayor April 3, 1917, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 156.

Resolution for Special Revenue Bonds, \$800, Payment of Rent of Stable Premises for Use of the Second Regiment, New York Field Artillery.

Resolved, That in pursuance of subdivision 8, section 188, of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds to the amount of \$800, the proceeds whereof to be used by the Comptroller for the payment of rent of the 3-story brick stable premises at 4132-4134 Park Avenue, Borough of The Bronx, for use of the Armory Board (Second Regiment New York Field Artillery), for a period of two months from January 6, 1917, to March 6, 1917, the same being a charge against the County of The Bronx.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen March 20, 1917.

Received from his Honor the Mayor April 3, 1917, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 157.

Resolution for Special Revenue Bonds, \$261, Payment of Rent for Stabling Horses of Second Regiment, Field Artillery.

York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of Two Hundred and Sixty-one Dollars (\$261), the proceeds whereof to be used by the Comptroller for the payment of rent for stabling 87 horses in the premises at 166-172 Carlton Avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, for use of the Armory Board (Second Regiment Field Artillery), for the period from January 6, 1917, to February 6, 1917, the same being a charge against the County of Kings.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen March 20, 1917.

Received from his Honor the Mayor April 3, 1917, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 158.

Resolution for Special Revenue Bonds, \$261, Payment of Rent for Stabling Horses of Second Regiment, Field Artillery.

Resolved, That in pursuance of Subdivision 8, Section 188, of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be, and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of Two Hundred and Sixty-one Dollars (\$261), the proceeds whereof to be used by the Comptroller for the payment of rent for stabling 87 horses in the premises Nos. 166-172 Carlton Avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, for use of the Armory Board (Second Regiment, Field Artillery), for the period from February 6, 1917, to March 6, 1917, the same being a charge against the County of Kings.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen March 20, 1917.

Received from his Honor the Mayor April 3, 1917, without his approval or disapproval thereof; therefore, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, the same took effect as if he had approved it.

No. 159.

Resolution Appointing Various Persons Commissioners of Deeds.

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

Thomas A. Sullivan, 108 Beadel St., Brooklyn.
Chas. E. Armbruster, 1025 Madison St., Brooklyn.
Edward J. Nowaczek, 61 Woodbine St., Brooklyn.
Joseph Matthew McCloy, 121 Fifth St., L. I. C., Queens.
William P. Mitchell, 141 5th St., L. I. City, Queens.
Edward D. Scherrer, 30 Vernon Ave., L. I. City, Queens.
George C. Bogendoerfer, 286 Flushing Ave., L. I. City, Queens.
Samuel Mehler, 248 Rivington St., Manhattan.
Herman Graef, Station Ave., Pleasant Plains, Richmond.
Emma E. Fish, 443 Washington Ave., Brooklyn.
Henry Mohlman, 120 25th St., Elmhurst, Queens.
Chas. Rosenfeld, 600 West 165th St., Manhattan.
Nathan M. Eisenberg, 500 W. 175th St., Manhattan.
Robert Barko, 385 Clinton St., Brooklyn.
John F. X. McKeon, 401 E. 145th St., Bronx.
Charles E. Connolly, 192 W. 10th St., Manhattan.
J. J. Karby O'Kennedy, 2871 Concourse (198th St.), Bronx.
Joseph W. Ferris, 240 E. 105th St., Manhattan.
Alexander Mesard, 206 East 102d St., Manhattan.
George G. Green, 41 Sidney Place, Brooklyn.
Philip Liphshitz, 48 Woodruff Ave., Brooklyn.
George Wiener, 741 Saratoga Ave., Brooklyn.
Isaac Sargent, 914 Herkimer St., Brooklyn.
Albert J. Eckert, 871 Fulton St., Brooklyn.
Joseph H. Rose, 1512 Union St., Brooklyn.
John L. Danzilo, 375 87th St., Brooklyn.
Richard John Cronan, 50 Prospect Place, Manhattan.
Charles A. Laumeister, 420 E. 161st St., Bronx.
Frank Jerome McMann, 202 St. Johns Place, Brooklyn.
Archie Gladstone, 61 West 114th St., Manhattan.
John Freiman, 143 West 111th St., Manhattan.
Michael Rubenstein, 22 Lenox Ave., Manhattan.
Albert Weiss, 447 East 84th St., Manhattan.
Isidore Dornheimer, 333 Ego St., Manhattan.
Alfred C. Busch, 342 Waverly Place, Richmond Hill, Queens.
George Eckhard, South Wicks St., Richmond Hill, Queens.
George V. Kass, 880 St. Nicholas Ave., Manhattan.
James F. Uhlinger, 71 Forest Parkway, Woodhaven, Queens.
Arthur J. Collins, 95 Elmwood St., Woodhaven, Queens.
Joseph S. Green, 152 Wyckoff St., Queens.
John J. O'Connell, 25 E. 109th St., Manhattan.
Samuel D. Muncey, 397 West St., Manhattan.
Oscar J. Kappes, 58 Van Siclen Ave., Brooklyn.
Sadie Rosenthal, 195 Hopkinson Ave., Brooklyn.
Francis S. Coyle, 1124 Herkimer St., Brooklyn.
Katharine Yunker, 164 Covert St., Brooklyn.
Rosanna H. Foster, 73 Third St., Brooklyn.
Frederick R. Straus, 453 W. 56th St., Manhattan.
James T. Coughlin, 487 8th Ave., Manhattan.
William D. Bosler, 312 W. 24th St., Manhattan.
Joseph McGrade, 101 E. 123d St., Manhattan.
Thomas J. Totten, 3044 Albany Crescent, Bronx.
Jacob Hessel, 712 Schenck Ave., Brooklyn.
Carmen Knecht, 137 Railroad Ave., Brooklyn.
John F. Burke, 507 40th St., Brooklyn.
Thomas A. Brady, 1712 Filmore St., Bronx.
Cornelius B. Parker, 2543 Walker Ave., Bronx.
David C. Cornell, 500 West 143d St., Manhattan.
John M. Jaeger, 171 Pine Place, Richmond.
Nathan Schwartz, 1121 Teller Ave., Bronx.
Philip R. Hanley, 387 East 197th St., Bronx.
Thomas A. Lynch, 27 South 11th Ave., Whitestone, L. I., Queens.
Lilly Knott, 581 Seneca Ave., Ridgewood, Queens.
Henry Schwed, 228 West 78th St., Manhattan.
Nancy F. Cowles, 156 West 72nd St., Manhattan.
Frederick W. Sperling, 143 West 78th St., Manhattan.
Morris Bunderoff, 1314-16 Stebbins Ave., Bronx.
Mac M. Colbert, 1137 Tinton Ave., Bronx.
Joseph S. Kulkin, 946 East 181st St., Bronx.
Morris Memerson, 1808 Marmion Ave., Bronx.
Florence Augusta Rebecca Widen, 633 20th St., Brooklyn.
Kathryn F. Keenan, 753 E. 10th St., Brooklyn.
Morris L. Kaufman, 1129 Gravesend Ave., Brooklyn.
Wallace McCutcheon, Atlantic Ave., Sea Gate, Brooklyn.
Frank G. Walther, 2700 Ocean Ave., Brooklyn.
Abraham J. Herrick, 1326 45th St., Brooklyn.
Frederick C. Stewart, 45 East 3rd St., Brooklyn.
Abraham Bernstein, 83 West 115th St., Manhattan.
Paul F. Keller, 100 Avenue C, Manhattan.
William A. Rigoulet, 551 Throop Ave., Brooklyn.
James Henry Eckersley, 774 Flatbush Ave., Brooklyn.
Walter N. MacAdam, 462 E. 28th St., Brooklyn.
Maurice Benjamin Rich, 345 E. 26th St., Brooklyn.
Nathaniel H. Kramer, 363 E. 21st St., Brooklyn.
David William Hyland, 1541 Pacific St., Brooklyn.
John H. Leddy, 78 Kingston Ave., Brooklyn.
Isadore I. Steinberg, 271 E. Broadway, Manhattan.
Allan Bowie, 658 10th St., Brooklyn.
James F. McCool, 364 Grand St., Manhattan.
Edward A. Jarvis, 472 Bement Ave., Richmond.
Henry N. Steinert, 315 W. 99th St., Manhattan.
Franklin S. Faye, 460 Bainbridge St., Brooklyn.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen April 3, 1917.

P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk.

COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUND OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

Proceedings of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at a Meeting Held in Room 16, City Hall, at 11 o'Clock A. M., on Thursday, March 29, 1917.

Present—Frank L. Dowling, President, Board of Aldermen; Albert E. Hadlock, Deputy and Acting Comptroller; Milo R. Maltbie, Chamberlain; Francis P. Kenney, Chairman, Finance Committee, Board of Aldermen.

The minutes of the meeting held February 15 and 24, March 1, 15 and 22, 1917, were approved as printed.

Proposed Lease to the Vermont Hygeia Ice Company of Certain Land Under Water South of Dyckman St., North River.

This matter was on the calendar of the meeting held Feb. 8, 1917, laid over, and the Corporation Counsel requested to prepare form of lease in conformity with the report of the Committee presented at the meeting, together with a form of bond conditioned for the faithful performance of the terms and conditions of the lease, the form of lease and bond when so prepared, to be transmitted to this Board for consideration. The form of lease and bond not being ready, action thereon was laid over.

Board of Education—Renewal of Lease for, of Premises at 67-69 Broadway, Flushing, Queens.

Laid over.

Board of Education—Turning Over by, of Property at the Northwest Corner of Wadsworth Ave. and 182nd St., Manhattan.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

March 23, 1917.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—The Secretary of the Board of Education, in a communication to your Board, states that the Board of Education at a meeting held November 12, 1913, adopted a resolution surrendering to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund as being no longer required for school purposes, the property on the northwest corner of Wadsworth Avenue and 182nd Street, known as Lot No. 32, in Block 2164, Section 8, on the Tax Maps of the Borough of Manhattan, and requesting that the same be sold and the moneys realized therefrom deposited to the credit of the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt, and that, as an offset to this surrender, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be requested to authorize the acquisition of the vacant lot on Madison Street, known as Lot No. 36, in Block 267, Section 1, on the Tax Maps of the Borough of Manhattan, and adjoining the westerly side of Public School 12, Manhattan, for school purposes.

I therefore respectfully recommend that the Comptroller be authorized to derive such revenue as may be had from the premises at the northwest corner of Wadsworth Avenue and West 182nd Street, known as Lot No. 32, in Block 2164, Section 8, on the Tax Maps of the Borough of Manhattan, until the final disposition thereof shall be determined. Respectfully,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Whereas, The Board of Education, by resolution adopted November 12, 1913, having turned over as no longer required for school purposes the property at the northwest corner of Wadsworth Avenue and West 182nd Street, known as Lot No. 32 in Block 2164, Section 8, on the tax maps of the Borough of Manhattan, it is

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to derive such revenue therefrom as may be had from the temporary leasing thereof until the final disposition of the same is determined.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Health Department—Lease for, of Premises at 95 Suffolk St., Manhattan.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolutions:

March 26, 1917.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—The Secretary of the Department of Health, in a communication to your Board under date of March 10, 1917, requests a lease of the single store and rear room on the southerly side of the first floor of premises at 95 Suffolk Street, Borough of Manhattan, for use as a Baby Health Station, for a period of two years, from April 15, 1917, with the privilege of renewal for two years at a rental of \$456 per annum.

These premises are to take the place of the present station at 86 Clinton Street, now leased at \$420 a year, under a lease which expires on April 15, 1917, and is not to be renewed.

The premises proposed to be leased consist of a single store, 9 feet average wide by 44 feet deep, and adjoining rear room 9 feet 4 inches wide by 12 feet 10 inches deep.

For rental comparison, the adjoining similar store and rear room are now rented at \$540 a year.

Deeming the rent reasonable and just, I respectfully recommend that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopt a resolution authorizing a lease of the single store and room on the southerly side of the first or street floor of the premises No. 95 Suffolk Street, Borough of Manhattan, for a period of two years from April 15, 1917, with the privilege of renewal for a further term of two years upon the same terms and conditions, at an annual rental of \$456, payable quarterly at the end of each quarter; the lessor to pay taxes and water rates; cause the electric light outlets and useless wiring in show window, store and rear room to be removed; furnish and hang three suitable two-light gas pendants at store ceiling, one suitable two-light gas pendant to ceiling of rear room and extend piping from ceiling of passageway for a wall outlet and gas bracket in toilet; remove useless gas piping on side wall of passageway and leave pipe on side wall of rear room for hot plate connection. Provide a suitable toilet in the inclosure; also furnish and set a sink in rear room at old waste and supply connections, all properly connected and water supplied. Owner will give bin of size about 4 feet by 8 feet in rear part of cellar for storage purposes. Cause all glass to be cleaned of all painting and lettering and leave all glass clean and whole. Cause all other repairs to be made to floors, etc., as required. Provide keys for all doors, including cellar entrance. Remove all wall paper, superfluous strips, brackets, shelving, etc., and repair plastering of walls and ceilings of store, rear room, passageway and toilet and paint the said walls and ceilings and all woodwork with white paint; repaint the outside of store front as required for occupancy. Owner will make all exterior repairs and comply with all orders of Municipal Departments relative to exterior work. Owner will grant lessee the privilege of making slight interior alterations and repairs (not to include the removal of partitions) as the same may be required for occupancy. The lessee to furnish heat, light and janitor service. Lessor, The Loretta Corporation, 261 Broadway, Manhattan.

Respectfully, ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel be and is hereby requested to prepare a lease to the City from the Loretta Corporation of the single store and room on the southerly side of the first or street floor of the premises No. 95 Suffolk Street, Borough of Manhattan, for use of the Department of Health, for a period of two years from April 15, 1917, with the privilege of renewal for a further term of two years upon the same terms and conditions, at an annual rental of Four hundred and fifty-six dollars (\$456), payable quarterly at the end of each quarter; the lessor to pay taxes and water rates, cause the electric light outlets and useless wiring in show window, store and rear room to be removed, furnish and hang three suitable two-light gas pendants at store ceiling, one suitable two-light gas pendant to ceiling of rear room and extend piping from ceiling of passageway for a wall outlet and gas bracket in toilet, remove useless gas piping on side wall of passageway and leave pipe on side wall of rear room for hot plate connections, provide a suitable toilet in the inclosure, also furnish and set a sink in rear room at old waste and supply connections, all properly connected and water supply. The owner to give bin of size about 4 feet by 8 feet in rear part of cellar

for storage purposes, cause all glass to be cleaned of all painting and lettering and leave all glass clean and whole; cause all other repairs to be made to floors, etc., as required, provide keys for all doors, including cellar entrance, remove all wall paper, superfluous strips, brackets, shelving, etc., and repair plastering of walls and ceilings of store, rear room, passageway and toilet and paint the said walls and ceilings and all woodwork with white paint, repaint the outside of store front as required for occupancy. The owner to make all exterior repairs and comply with all orders of Municipal Departments relative to exterior work. The owner to grant the lessee the privilege of making slight interior alterations and repairs (not to include the removal of partitions) as the same may be required for occupancy; the lessee to furnish heat, light and janitor service, and the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made, the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute the same when prepared and approved by the Corporation Counsel, as provided by sections 149 and 217 of the Greater New York Charter.

The report was accepted, and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Health Department—Lease for, of Premises at 197 Hester St., Manhattan.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

March 20, 1917.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—The Secretary of the Department of Health, in a communication to your Board under date of February 26, 1917, requests the execution of a lease of the double store at No. 197 Hester Street, Borough of Manhattan, for use as a Baby Health Station, for a period of two years from May 1, 1917, with the privilege of renewal for an additional two years, at an annual rental of \$600.

These premises are to take the place of the present quarters at No. 122 Mulberry Street, the lease of which (at \$534 a year) expires May 1, 1917, and is not to be renewed.

The store proposed to be leased consists of a double store 17 feet 3 inches by 23 feet 8 inches, with "L" at rear 8 feet by 11 feet 4 inches and toilet, together with storage space in cellar. The only other available store is at 190 Hester Street, with a floor area of 332 square feet, the rent of which is \$420 a year. The store at No. 197 is a larger (with 500 square feet) and more desirable store, and is on the north side of the street, having better light.

I therefore respectfully recommend, the rent being reasonable and just, that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopt a resolution authorizing the execution of a lease of the double store on the westerly side of house entrance, size, 17 feet 3 inches by 23 feet 8 inches, with "L" 8 feet by 11 feet 4 inches, together with storage space in rear of cellar, in the six-story brick tenement building at No. 197 Hester Street, Borough of Manhattan, for use of the Department of Health, for a period of two years from May 1, 1917, with privilege of renewal for an additional period of two years, upon the same terms and conditions, at an annual rental of \$600, payable quarterly; the lessor to pay taxes and water rates, and cause the following repairs to be made: Remove the electric light pendants in show windows and at ceilings and properly seal the outlets; furnish and hang two suitable 2-light gas pendants in front part of store and one 2-light pendant in rear part of store; also provide piping and a gas bracket in toilet; leave the present piping and outlet for hot plate; furnish and set a sink with running water and overhaul toilet; provide two bins of size about 3 feet by 3 feet in rear part of cellar, for storage purposes; cause all glass to be cleaned and leave all glass clean and whole; cause all other repairs to be made to floors, etc., as required; provide keys for front doors; repair plastering and metal ceilings of store and "L"; also walls and ceiling of toilet and paint the walls and ceilings of store, "L" and toilet and all woodwork with white paint; repaint the outside of store front as required for occupancy; the lessee to furnish heat, light and janitor service. Lessor, Michael Graziano, Providence, Rhode Island; agent, Frank Pittelli, No. 128 Mulberry Street, Manhattan.

Respectfully, ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel be and is hereby requested to prepare a lease to the City from Michael Graziano of the double store on the westerly side of house entrance, size 17 feet 3 inches by 23 feet 8 inches, with "L," 8 feet by 11 feet 4 inches, together with storage space in rear of cellar in the six-story brick tenement building at No. 197 Hester Street, Borough of Manhattan, for use of the Department of Health, for a period of two years from May 1, 1917, with privilege of renewal for an additional period of two years upon the same terms and conditions, at an annual rental of Six hundred dollars (\$600), payable quarterly; the lessor to pay taxes and water rates and cause the following repairs to be made: Remove the electric light pendants in show windows and at ceilings and properly seal the outlets; furnish and hang two suitable 2-light gas pendants in front part of store and one 2-light pendant in rear part of store, also provide piping and a gas bracket in toilet, leave the present piping and outlet for hot plate, furnish and set a sink with running water and overhaul toilet, provide two bins of size each about 3 feet by 3 feet in rear part of cellar for storage purposes, cause all glass to be cleaned and leave all glass clean and whole, cause all other repairs to be made to floors, etc., as required, provide keys for front doors, repair plastering and metal ceilings of store and "L," also walls and ceiling of toilet and paint the walls and ceilings of store, "L" and toilet and all woodwork with white paint, repaint the outside of store front as required for occupancy, make all exterior repairs and comply with all orders of Municipal Departments relative to exterior work. The lessor to grant lessee the privilege of making slight interior alterations and repairs (not to include the removal of partitions) as the same may be required for occupancy; the lessee to furnish heat, light and janitor service; and the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made, the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute the same when prepared and approved by the Corporation Counsel, as provided by sections 149 and 217 of the Greater New York Charter.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Health Department—Renewal of Lease for, of Premises at No. 3731 Third Ave., Bronx.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

March 20, 1917.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—The Secretary of the Department of Health in a communication to your Board under date of March 1, 1917, requests a renewal of the lease of the premises occupied by the Department of Health as an office building, at No. 3731 Third Avenue, Borough of The Bronx, for a period of one year from April 30, 1917, with the privilege of renewal for an additional year at the same rental which is now paid, and otherwise upon the same terms and conditions.

The Comptroller in a communication to your Board under date of April 1, 1915, recommended a renewal of this lease for a period of two years from April 30, 1915, with the privilege of renewal for an additional term of two years, upon the same terms and conditions, at a rental of \$2,425 a year, the same as now asked, and said report was approved and renewal authorized at a meeting of your Board held April 7, 1915.

I therefore respectfully recommend, the rent being reasonable and just, and the same as previously paid, that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopt a resolution authorizing a renewal of the lease of premises consisting of a two-story and cellar brick dwelling known as No. 3731 Third Avenue, southwest corner of Third Avenue and St. Paul's Place, Borough of The Bronx, for use of the Department of Health, for a period of one year from April 30, 1917, with the privilege of renewal for an additional period of one year, upon the same terms and conditions, at a rental of \$2,425 a year, payable quarterly; the lessor to pay taxes and water rates, and make outside repairs, including repairs to roof; the lessee to furnish heat, light and janitor service, and make such inside alterations and repairs as it may deem

necessary; otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease. Lessor, Bernard Frank, No. 702 Third Avenue, Manhattan. Respectfully, ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute a renewal of the lease to the City of the premises consisting of a two-story and cellar brick dwelling known as 3731 Third Avenue, southwest corner of Third Avenue and St. Paul's Place, Borough of The Bronx, for use of the Department of Health, for a period of one year from April 30, 1917, with the privilege of renewal for an additional period of one year upon the same terms and conditions, at a rental of twenty-four hundred and twenty-five dollars (\$2,425) a year, payable quarterly; the lessor to pay taxes and water rates and make outside repairs, including repairs to roof; the lessee to furnish heat, light and janitor service and make such inside alterations and repairs as it may deem necessary; otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease; lessor, Bernard Frank; the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Health Department—Amendment to Resolution Authorizing a Renewal of the Lease to the City of Premises at 2380 Hughes Ave., Bronx.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

March 20, 1917.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—On December 21, 1916, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopted a resolution authorizing a renewal of the lease to the City of the store, with two rear rooms on the first or second floor of premises 2380 Hughes Avenue, Borough of The Bronx, for use of the Department of Health, for a period of one year from January 1, 1917, with the privilege of renewal for an additional year, upon the same terms and conditions, at an annual rental of \$324, payable quarterly; lessor, Josepina Ciampoli, No. 2380 Hughes Avenue, Borough of The Bronx.

The lessor now refuses to grant the privilege of renewal for an additional year from January 1, 1918, to January 1, 1919, except at an increased rental.

I therefore respectfully recommend that the resolution above mentioned be amended by striking therefrom the clause "with the privilege of renewal for an additional year upon the same terms and conditions." Respectfully,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by this Board at meeting held December 21, 1916, authorizing a renewal of the lease to the City of the store with rear rooms at No. 2380 Hughes Avenue, Borough of The Bronx, for use of the Department of Health, for a period of one year from January 1, 1917, with the privilege of renewal for an additional year, upon the same terms and conditions at an annual rental of \$324, payable quarterly, be and the same is hereby amended by striking out the words, "with the privilege of renewal for an additional year upon the same terms and conditions."

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Street Cleaning Department—Lease for, of the Premises at 142 West End Ave., Manhattan.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

March 20, 1917.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—The Commissioner of the Department of Street Cleaning in a communication to your Board under date of March 3, 1917, states that the lease of the two stores with four rear rooms and basements and yard space at No. 142 West End Avenue, Manhattan, occupied as a section station, at a rental of \$1,000 a year, will expire May 1, 1917. He requests the leasing of only one store, retaining the four rear rooms and one basement and yard at the same location, to which the owner has agreed, at an annual rental of \$60, thereby effecting a saving to the City of \$400 a year.

I therefore respectfully recommend, the rent being reasonable and just, that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopt a resolution authorizing a lease of the north store and four rear rooms, with basement and yard, 25 feet by 30 feet, in the five-story brick tenement building No. 142 West End Avenue, Borough of Manhattan, for use of the Department of Street Cleaning for a period of one year from May 1, 1917, at an annual rental of \$600, payable quarterly; the lessor to put and keep the premises in a tenable condition, and make inside and outside repairs during the term of the lease, pay taxes and water rates, and furnish heat and light; the lessee to furnish caretaker. Lessor, Elias Schliomowitz, No. 55 Lenox Avenue, Manhattan.

Respectfully, ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby approve of and consent to the execution by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning of a lease to the City from Elias Schliomowitz of the north store and four rear rooms with basement and yard 25 by 30 feet in the five-story brick tenement building No. 142 West End Avenue, Borough of Manhattan, occupied as a section station, for a period of one year from May 1, 1917, at an annual rental of six hundred dollars (\$600) payable quarterly; the lessor to put and keep the premises in tenable condition, and make inside and outside repairs during the term of the lease, pay taxes and water rates, and furnish heat and light; the lessee to furnish caretaker; the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Street Cleaning Department—Renewal of Lease for, of Premises at 58 Audubon Ave., Manhattan.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

March 20, 1917.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—The Commissioner of the Department of Street Cleaning in a communication to your Board under date of January 17, 1917, requests a renewal or the lease of the store at 58 Audubon Avenue, Borough of Manhattan, occupied as a section station, for a period of three years from May 1, 1917, at an annual rental of \$480.

The rental now paid for these premises is \$420 a year, but the owner refuses to renew the lease at this rate, the claim for increase in rental being based upon the increased cost of operating the building (an apartment house) in which the store is located. It has been found to be a very difficult matter to obtain premises in this vicinity for this purpose, and it therefore seems advisable to renew at the increase of \$60 per year, especially as heat and water are furnished by the lessor.

I therefore respectfully recommend, the rent being reasonable and just, that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopt a resolution authorizing a renewal of the lease of the store, 18x30 feet, at No. 58 Audubon Avenue, Borough of Manhattan, for use of the Department of Street Cleaning, for a period of three years from May 1, 1917, at an annual rental of \$480, payable quarterly; the lessor to pay taxes and water rates, provide heat and janitor service, and make outside repairs; the lessee to provide light and make such interior repairs as it may deem necessary. Lessor, John Randt, No. 83 Bleeker Street, Manhattan. Respectfully,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby approve of and consent to the execution by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, of a renewal of the lease to the City of the store at No. 58 Audubon Avenue, Borough of Manhattan, occupied as a section station, for a period of three years from May 1, 1917, at an annual rental of four hundred and eighty dollars (\$480), payable quarterly; the lessor to pay taxes and water rates, provide heat and janitor service and make outside repairs; the lessee to provide light and make such interior repairs as it may deem necessary; lessor, John Randt; the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interest of the City that such lease be made.

The report was accepted, and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Street Cleaning Department—Renewal of Lease for, of Premises at 323 Avenue A, Manhattan.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

March 20, 1917.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—The Commissioner of the Department of Street Cleaning, in a communication to your Board under date of March 14, 1917, requests a renewal of the lease of the store and cellar at 323 Avenue A, Manhattan, occupied as a section station, for a period of three years from May 1, 1917, at an annual rental of \$480, and otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease.

The Comptroller in a communication to your Board under date of March 6, 1916, recommended a renewal of this lease for a period of three years from May 1, 1914, at a rental of \$480 a year, the same as now asked, and said report was approved and renewal authorized at a meeting of your Board held March 18, 1914.

I therefore respectfully recommend, the rent being reasonable and just, and the same as previously paid, that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopt a resolution authorizing a renewal of the lease of the store, 20 ft. by 42 ft. by 15 ft. and irregular, with cellar, in the building 323 Avenue A, southwest corner of 20th Street, Borough of Manhattan, for use of the Department of Street Cleaning, for a period of three years from May 1, 1917, at an annual rental of \$480, payable quarterly; the lessor to pay taxes and water rates and keep the premises in good and tenantable condition; the lessee to furnish heat, light and janitor service, otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease. Lessor, Mrs. Margaret S. Schwind, 132 West 130th Street, Manhattan. Respectfully,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby approve of and consent to the execution by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning of a renewal of the lease to the City of the store, with cellar, at No. 323 Avenue A, southwest corner of 20th Street, Borough of Manhattan, for use of the Department of Street Cleaning, for a period of three years from May 1, 1917, at an annual rental of four hundred and eighty dollars (\$480), payable quarterly; the lessor to pay taxes and water rates and keep the premises in good and tenantable condition; the lessee to furnish heat, light and janitor service, otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease; lessor, Mrs. Margaret S. Schwind; the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made.

The report was accepted, and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Board of Elections—Renewal of Lease for, of the Premises at 368 E. 148th St., Bronx.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

March 20, 1917.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—The Chief Clerk of the Board of Elections in a communication to your Board under date of January 30, 1917, states that at a meeting of the Board of Elections held January 29, 1917, a resolution was adopted requesting a renewal of the lease of the third floor of the Markey Building, No. 368 East 148th Street, Borough of The Bronx, for use as the Bronx Borough Office of the Board of Elections, for a period of one year from May 1, 1917, at a rental of \$1,500 a year.

This is an increase in rental of \$300 a year, the former rental being \$1,200 a year. The floor area is 2,100 square feet, and at the new rental of \$1,500, is at the rate of about 71c per square foot, and even at that rate, is the lowest rental in the vicinity, considering that the owner furnishes heat, light, janitor and elevator service and makes all repairs.

I am informed by the Board of Elections that this lease will probably only be required for this year, as another location may have to be selected next year, owing to the proposed re-districting of the Borough.

I therefore respectfully recommend, the rent being reasonable and just, that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopt a resolution authorizing a renewal of the lease of the third floor in the Markey Building, No. 368 East 148th Street, Borough of The Bronx, for use of the Board of Elections, for a period of one year from May 1, 1917, at a rental of \$1,500 a year, payable quarterly; the lessor to pay taxes and water rates, furnish heat, light, janitor service and elevator service at all times up to 12 o'clock midnight, and make all outside and inside repairs, and maintain a heating temperature of at least 70 degrees Fahrenheit during the winter months. Lessor, Lincoln Mortgage Company, No. 233 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan. Respectfully,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute a renewal of the lease to the City of the third floor of the Markey Building, No. 368 East 148th Street, Borough of The Bronx, for use of the Board of Elections for a period of one year from May 1, 1917, at a rental of fifteen hundred dollars (\$1,500) a year, payable quarterly; the lessor to pay taxes and water rates, furnish heat, light and janitor service and elevator service at all times up to 12 o'clock midnight, and make all outside and inside repairs, and maintain a heating temperature of at least 70 degrees Fahrenheit, during the winter months; lessor, Lincoln Mortgage Company; the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made.

The report was accepted, and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

President, Borough of Brooklyn—Renewal of Lease for, of Premises at 209 Montague St., Brooklyn.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

March 20, 1917.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—The Commissioner of Public Works of the Borough of Brooklyn, in a communication to your Board under date of January 29, 1917, requests a renewal of the lease of the quarters occupied by the Topographical Bureau, at No. 209 Montague Street, Borough of Brooklyn, for a period of two years from May 1, 1917, at a rental of \$4,393.75 per annum.

The Comptroller in a communication to your Board under date of March 17, 1915, recommended a renewal of this lease for a period of two years from May 1, 1915, at a rental of \$4,393.75 per annum, the same as now asked, and said report was approved and renewal authorized at the meeting of your Board held March 24, 1915.

I therefore respectfully recommend, the rent being reasonable and just and the same as previously paid, that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopt a resolution authorizing a renewal of the lease of the entire second floor in the building No. 209 Montague Street, Borough of Brooklyn, having a total area of 3,515 square feet, for use of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, for a period of two years from May 1, 1917, at a rental of \$4,393.75 per annum, payable quarterly; the lessor to pay taxes and water rates, furnish heat, light and janitor service, provide extra space for a bin for storage in the cellar, make outside repairs, re-decorate the walls and ceilings of all the rooms and hall, and install additional lights in Rooms 3, 4 and 5; the lessee to make such inside alterations and repairs during occupancy as it may deem necessary, but not without the consent of the owners of the building; otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease. Lessor, Mechanics Bank, No. 215 Montague Street, Borough of Brooklyn. Respectfully,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute a renewal of the lease to the City of the entire second floor of the building No. 209 Montague Street, Borough of Brooklyn, for use of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, for a period of two years from May 1, 1917, at a rental of four thousand three hundred and ninety-three dollars and seventy-five cents (\$4,393.75) per annum, payable quarterly; the lessor to pay taxes and water rates, furnish heat, light and janitor service, provide extra space for a bin for storage in the cellar, make outside repairs, re-decorate the walls and ceilings of all the rooms and hall, and install additional lights in Rooms 3, 4 and 5; the lessee to make such inside alterations and repairs during occupancy as it may deem necessary, but not without the consent of the owners of the building, otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease; lessor, Mechanics Bank; the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

President, Borough of Brooklyn—Renewal of Lease for, of Premises at 215 Montague St., Brooklyn.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

March 20, 1917.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—The Commissioner of Public Works of the Borough of Brooklyn, in a communication to your Board, under date of March 6, 1917, requests a renewal of the lease of the rooms in the Mechanics Bank Building, No. 215 Montague Street, Borough of Brooklyn, occupied by the Bureau of Sewers, for a period of two years from May 1, 1917, at an annual rental of \$11,683.

The Comptroller, in a communication to your Board under date of February 18, 1915, recommended a renewal of this lease for a period of two years from May 1, 1915, at an annual rental of \$11,683, the same as now asked, and said report was approved and renewal authorized at meeting of your Board held March 24, 1915.

I therefore respectfully recommend, the rent being reasonable and just and the same as previously paid, that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopt a resolution authorizing a renewal of the lease of Rooms 911, 912, 913, 916, 917, 918 and 919 on the ninth floor, and Rooms 1005, 1006 and 1011 to 1019 inclusive, on the tenth floor, having a total floor area of 9347 square feet, in the Mechanics Bank Building, No. 215 Montague Street, Borough of Brooklyn, for a term of two years from May 1, 1917, for use of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, at an annual rental of \$11,683.00, payable quarterly; the lessor to pay taxes and water rates, supply heat, light, elevator and janitor service, and make all repairs; otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease. Lessor, Mechanics Bank, No. 215 Montague Street, Brooklyn. Respectfully,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute a renewal of the lease to the City, of rooms 911, 912, 913, 916, 917, 918 and 919, on the ninth floor, and rooms 1005, 1006 and 1011 to 1019, inclusive, on the tenth floor, having a total floor area of 9347 square feet, in the Mechanics Bank Building, No. 215 Montague Street, Borough of Brooklyn, for use of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, for a term of two years from May 1, 1917, at an annual rental of eleven thousand six hundred and eighty-three dollars (\$11,683), payable quarterly; the lessor to pay taxes and water rates, supply heat, light, elevator and janitor service and make all repairs; otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease; lessor, Mechanics Bank; the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Department of Public Charities—Renewal of Lease for, of Premises at 1022 Gates Ave., Brooklyn.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

March 20, 1917.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—The Commissioner of the Department of Public Charities, in a communication to your Board under date of March 14, 1917, requests a renewal of the lease of premises occupied by the Williamsburg District Office of the Bureau of Social Investigations, on the second floor of the building No. 1022 Gates Avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, for a period of one year from April 1, 1917, with the privilege of renewal for one year, and otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease.

The Comptroller, in a communication to your Board under date of February 18, 1916, recommended a renewal of this lease for a period of one year from April 1, 1916, at a rental of \$780 per annum, the same as now asked, and said report was approved and renewal authorized at a meeting of your Board held February 23, 1916.

I therefore respectfully recommend, the rent being reasonable and just and the same as previously paid, that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopt a resolution authorizing a renewal of the lease of three rooms on the second floor of the premises 1022 Gates Avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, for use of the Department of Public Charities, for a term of one year from April 1, 1917, with the privilege of renewal for an additional year upon the same terms and conditions, at an annual rental of \$780, payable quarterly; the lessor to pay taxes and water rates, furnish steam heat and janitor service and make inside and outside repairs; the lessee to furnish light, otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease. Lessor, Brooklyn Daily Eagle; Agents, The Chauncey Real Estate Company, 187 Montague Street, Brooklyn. Respectfully,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute a renewal of the lease to the City, of the three rooms on the second floor of the premises 1022 Gates Avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, for use of the Department of Public Charities, for a term of one year from April 1, 1917, with the privilege of renewal for an additional year upon the same terms and conditions, at an annual rental of seven hundred and eighty dollars (\$780), payable quarterly; the lessor to pay taxes and water rates, furnish steam heat and janitor service and make inside and outside repairs; the lessee to furnish light, otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease; lessor, Brooklyn Daily Eagle; the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Department of Public Charities—Renewal of Lease for, of Premises at Nos. 369-371 Lenox Rd., Brooklyn.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

March 23, 1917.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—The Commissioner of the Department of Public Charities, in a communication dated March 5, 1917, requests a renewal of the lease of premises at 369-371 Lenox Road, Brooklyn, for a period of one year from May 1, 1917.

The house is for use of the nurses attached to the Kings County Hospital. The Commissioner states that it is necessary to have the use of these premises for at least another year, as the new addition to the Nurses' Home on the hospital grounds will not be available for at least that length of time.

I therefore respectfully recommend, the rent being reasonable and just and the same as previously paid, that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopt a resolution authorizing a renewal of the lease of premises at 369-371 Lenox Road, Borough of Brooklyn, for use of the Department of Public Charities, for a period of one year from May 1, 1917, at an annual rental of \$1,200, payable quarterly; the lessor to pay taxes and water rates and make all repairs and have the privilege of storing furniture in the attic of the demised premises, it being understood that said lessor will make arrangements in advance with the General Medical Superintendent of Kings County Hospital as to the time when the privilege may be exercised; the lessee to furnish heat, light and janitor service, and otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease. Lessor, Mrs. Ella Jane Daniels, 460 Greene Avenue, Brooklyn.

Respectfully,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute a renewal of the lease to the City of premises at Nos. 369-371 Lenox Road, Borough of Brooklyn, for use of the Department of Public Charities, for a period of one year from May 1, 1917, at an annual rental of twelve hundred dollars (\$1,200), payable quarterly; the lessor to pay taxes and water rates and make all repairs, and have the privilege of storing furniture in the attic of the demised premises, it being understood that said lessor will make arrangements in advance with the General Medical Superintendent of Kings County Hospital as to the time when the privilege may be exercised; the lessee to furnish heat, light and janitor service and otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the existing lease. Lessor, Mrs. Ella Jane Daniels. The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Department of Public Charities—Request of, for Free Transportation for Physicians Serving on the Attending Staff of the Sea View Hospital, Staten Island.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report:

March 13, 1917.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—The Commissioner of the Department of Public Charities, in a communication addressed to your Board under date of February 28, 1917, requests that free transportation on the Municipal Ferries be granted to the following physicians residing in Manhattan and The Bronx, who are giving gratuitous service to the City by serving on the Attending Staff of the Sea View Hospital on Staten Island, which is one of our large public institutions:

Dr. Simon Baruch, 51 W. 70th St., Manhattan. Dr. Richard Walker Bolling, 40 E. 41st St., Manhattan. Dr. Eugene Wilson Caldwell, 480 Park Ave., Manhattan. Dr. Arthur H. Gilley, 126 E. 34th St., Manhattan. Dr. Bernard Solomon Denzer, 1 W. 85th St., Manhattan. Dr. Leo Francis English, 603 W. 114th St., Manhattan. Dr. Bernard J. Gertsch, 2394 Seventh Ave., Manhattan. Dr. Martin Kucher, 974 Prospect Ave., The Bronx. Dr. Michael Joseph Horan, 254 W. 113th St., Manhattan. Dr. Bruno Horowicz, 448 Central Park West, Manhattan. Dr. John Joseph McMahon, 212 W. 70th St., Manhattan. Dr. George Miller Mackee, 58 W. 58th St., Manhattan. Dr. George Manheimer, 41 W. 51st St., Manhattan. Dr. Alexander Nicoll, 119 W. 88th St., Manhattan. Dr. Samuel William Schapira, 1847 Madison Ave., Manhattan. Dr. Sidney L. Spielberg, 150 W. 87th St., Manhattan.

There are thirty attending physicians on the Hospital Staff, 14 residing in Richmond and 16 in Manhattan and The Bronx.

The Commissioner states that his department is obliged to depend for a great deal of this service upon specialists from Manhattan, and it hardly seems fair to ask these physicians to give their services free, taking the long trip beyond Castleton Corners to Sea View, and require them to pay for the transportation of themselves and their machines on the Municipal Ferries.

The sixteen physicians from Manhattan and The Bronx aggregate throughout the year about one-half dozen visits per week. Several of them go in motor cars and the expense to them on a single visit is all told between \$1.20 and \$1.50.

At a meeting of your Board held January 11, 1917, the Commissioner of Docks was authorized to issue a pass to Dr. John J. Reid of No. 853 Lexington Ave., Manhattan, who is attending physician at St. Joseph's Hospital by the Sea, Huguenot, S. I., for himself with automobile. St. Joseph's Hospital is not a public institution, although it does receive some patients who are accepted as proper public charges and are paid for by the City.

I therefore submit the request of the Commissioner for the consideration of the Board.

Respectfully, ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

After discussion, the following resolution was offered for adoption:

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Docks be and is hereby authorized and directed to issue passes on the Municipal Ferries to the following physicians (with or without automobile), who are giving gratuitous services to the City by serving on the attending staff of the Sea View Hospital on Staten Island:

Dr. Simon Baruch, 51 W. 70th Street, Manhattan; Dr. Richard Walker Bolling, 40 E. 41st Street, Manhattan; Dr. Eugene Wilson Caldwell, 480 Park Ave., Manhattan; Dr. Arthur H. Gilley, 126 E. 34th Street, Manhattan; Dr. Bernard Solomon Denzer, 1 W. 85th Street, Manhattan; Dr. Leo Francis English, 603 W. 114th Street, Manhattan; Dr. Bernard J. Gertsch, 2394 Seventh Ave., Manhattan; Dr. Martin Kucher, 974 Prospect Ave., The Bronx; Dr. Michael Joseph Horan, 254 W. 113th Street, Manhattan; Dr. Bruno Horowicz, 448 Central Park West, Manhattan; Dr. John Joseph McMahon, 212 W. 70th Street, Manhattan; Dr. George Miller Mackee, 58 W. 58th Street, Manhattan; Dr. George Manheimer, 41 W. 51st Street, Manhattan; Dr. Alexander Nicoll, 119 W. 88th Street, Manhattan; Dr. Samuel William Schapira, 1847 Madison Ave., Manhattan; Dr. Sidney L. Spielberg, 150 W. 87th Street, Manhattan.

Which resolution was adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Bellevue and Allied Hospitals—Lease for, of a Building to Be Erected on the South Side of East 26th St., 325 Feet East of First Ave., Manhattan.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

March 26, 1917.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, City of New York:

Gentlemen—The Secretary of the Board of Trustees of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, in a communication to your Board under date of March 14, 1917, states that there is urgent need for additional rooms for the nurses at Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, and requests that a lease be made of a building to be erected by Mrs. William Church Osborn, as President of the Board of Managers of the Bellevue Training School, on property owned by her to the west of Osborn Hall and adjoining that building on East 26th Street, for a period of two years, with the privilege of renewal for one year, at a rental of \$15,000 a year, to include heat, light, water, taxes and repairs; also all furniture necessary, exclusive of house linen and blankets, which the hospital will have to furnish. The hospital will also have to furnish the administration and service.

At present the capacity of the Nurses' Residence is overtaxed with 305 Nurses. The sitting rooms and kitchenettes have been turned into bedrooms. Seventy-six Nurses are now living outside of the residence, forty of them are temporarily housed in the old administration building of Bellevue Hospital, which was condemned a year ago by the Fire Department as sleeping quarters for the doctors. Thirteen Nurses live in the Alumnae Club House at No. 426 East 26th Street, for which the City pays a rental of \$2,700 a year. Twenty-three are allowed an addition to their salaries of \$300 a year each, as the department is not able to furnish them with rooming accommodations, and nineteen more Nurses are required immediately to staff some of the new departments about to be opened.

The Trustees of Bellevue Hospital in 1914, made application to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for corporate stock for the construction of additional wings to the Nurses' Residence, but their request has not been granted as yet, and it is very doubtful that the extensions will be completed before the expiration of the proposed lease.

The proposed building will be eight stories and shaped like an "L," being 50 feet front by 40 feet deep with a rear extension 25 feet wide by 44 feet deep, on a lot 50 feet by 98.9 feet deep. The owner also owns the property in the rear thereof and extending through to 25th Street, and proposes to reserve a lot 25 by 100 for light and air to the rear of the building on 25th Street.

The building will contain 80 bedrooms for Nurses, 10 servants' rooms and two sitting rooms on the ground floor. In the basement will be the laundry for the servants, and trunk and storage rooms. Heat will be furnished from Osborn Hall. The estimated cost of construction is \$150,000; the furnishing will cost approximately \$15,000 and the land is valued at \$21,000, making the total investment \$180,000. The rental of \$15,000 a year is therefore at the rate of about 8 1/16 per cent, or 6 per cent, and taxes.

I therefore respectfully recommend, the rent being reasonable and just, that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund authorize a lease from the Board of Managers of the Bellevue Training School for Nurses, 1st Avenue and 26th Street, Borough of Manhattan, of an eight-story building, containing 80 bedrooms for Nurses, 10 servants' rooms, two sitting rooms on the ground floor, and laundry for the servants and trunk and storage rooms in the basement, to be erected on a plot 50 feet by 98 feet 9 inches, adjacent to and adjoining on the west the present building known as Osborn Hall, which is located on the south side of East 26th Street distant about 325 feet east of 1st Avenue, Borough of Manhattan, for use of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, for a period of two years from January 1, 1918, or as soon thereafter as the building is ready for occupancy, with the privilege of renewal for an additional year upon the same terms and conditions at an annual rental of \$15,000, payable quarterly at the end of each quarter; the lessor to pay taxes and water rates, make all repairs and furnish heat, light and all furniture necessary, exclusive of house linen and blankets, which will be furnished by the lessee.

Respectfully, ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel be and is hereby requested to prepare a

lease to the City from the Board of Managers of the Bellevue Training School for Nurses, of the eight story building to be erected on a plot 50 by 98 feet 9 inches adjacent to and adjoining on the west the present building known as Osborn Hall, which is located on the south side of East 26th Street, distant about 325 feet east of First Avenue, Borough of Manhattan, containing 80 bedrooms for nurses, 10 servants rooms, 2 sitting rooms on the ground floor, and laundry for the servants and trunk and storage rooms in the basement, for use of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, for a period of two years from January 1, 1918, or as soon thereafter as the building is ready for occupancy, with the privilege of renewal for an additional year upon the same terms and conditions, at an annual rental of fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000), payable quarterly at the end of each quarter; the lessor to pay taxes and water rates, make all repairs and furnish heat, light and all furniture necessary, exclusive of house linen and blankets, which will be furnished by the lessee, and the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made, the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute the same when prepared and approved by the Corporation Counsel, as provided by sections 149 and 217 of the Greater New York Charter.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Department of Plant and Structures—Renewal of Lease for, of Premises at 305 E. 60th St., Manhattan.

Laid over.

Department of Plant and Structures—Amendment to Resolution Authorizing a Renewal of the Lease to the City of Strip of Land on E. 177th St., Bronx.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

March 21, 1917.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—At a meeting of your Board held March 1, 1917, a resolution was adopted, authorizing a renewal of the lease of a strip of land on East 177th Street, in the Borough of The Bronx, for use of the Department of Plant and Structures, for a period of four months from April 1, 1917, at a rental at the rate of \$600 per annum, payable monthly. Lessor, Henry Ruhl. I am informed that the lessor, Henry Ruhl, is now dead, and the above property is owned by Annie C. Ruhl.

I therefore respectfully recommend that the above mentioned resolution adopted by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund March 1, 1917, be amended by substituting as the name of the lessor, "Annie C. Ruhl," in place of "Henry Ruhl."

Respectfully, ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by this Board at meeting held March 1, 1917, authorizing a renewal of the lease to the City of a strip of land on East 177th Street, Borough of The Bronx, for use of the Department of Plant and Structures, for a period of four months from April 1, 1917, with the privilege of monthly renewals thereafter on the same terms and conditions, for a period not to exceed four months at a rental at the rate of six hundred dollars (\$600) per annum, be and the same is hereby amended by substituting as the name of the lessor "Annie C. Ruhl" in place of "Henry Ruhl."

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

President, Borough of Richmond—Hiring bv. of Plot of Ground on Hannah St., 100 Feet West of Bay St., Richmond.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

March 26, 1917.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—The Acting President of the Borough of Richmond, in a communication to your Board under date of January 29, 1917, requests a renewal of the lease of premises on Hannah Street, Tompkinsville, Borough of Richmond, occupied as a storage yard, for one year from May 1, 1917.

The Comptroller in a communication to your Board under date of June 22, 1916, recommended the payment of this rent for a period not exceeding one year from May 1, 1916, at the rate of \$23 a month, the same as now asked, and said report was approved and payment authorized at a meeting of your Board held June 22, 1916.

I therefore respectfully recommend, the rent being reasonable and just under the circumstances, and the same as previously paid, that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopt a resolution authorizing the Comptroller to pay on a month to month basis, without the necessity of entering into a lease, rent at the rate of \$23 a month, for a period not exceeding one year from May 1, 1917, to the St. Andrews' Realty Company, Room 904, 26 Cortlandt Street, Manhattan, for use of the vacant plot of ground, 105 feet by 140 feet and irregular, on the south side of Hannah Street, 100 feet west of Bay Street, Borough of Richmond, for use of the President of the Borough of Richmond, said occupancy to be terminable at any time by either party upon giving thirty days' notice of its intention so to do. Respectfully,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to pay to the St. Andrews' Realty Company, Room No. 904, 26 Cortlandt Street, Borough of Manhattan, rent at the rate of twenty-three dollars (\$23) a month, upon a month to month basis, for a period not exceeding one year from May 1, 1917, for use by the President of the Borough of Richmond, of the vacant plot of land 105 by 140 feet and irregular on the southerly side of Hannah Street, 100 feet west of Bay Street, Borough of Richmond, as a storage yard; said occupancy to be terminable at any time by either party upon giving 30 days' notice of its intention so to do; payment to be made without the necessity of entering into a lease.

The report was accepted, and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Armory Board—Lease for, of Premises Known as Manor Farm on Martling Ave., Richmond.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report:

March 8th, 1917.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—On December 21, 1916, a resolution was adopted by your Board authorizing a renewal of the lease to the City of the premises known as the Manor Farm, containing 11.01 acres, together with the dwelling, stable and hay barn thereon, located on the southerly side of Martling Avenue, 568 feet east of Manor Road, Borough of Richmond, for use of the Armory Board, for a period of one year from January 1, 1917, at an annual rental of \$900, payable quarterly; the lessor to pay taxes and to grant the lessee the privilege of making such inside and outside repairs and alterations during occupancy as it may deem necessary; whatever improvements, if any, put upon the premises during the term of the lease, with the exception of the gun racks, to become the property of the lessor upon the expiration of the lease. The lessee to pay for water, furnish heat, light and caretaker, and make such inside and outside alterations and repairs during occupancy as it may deem necessary.

On December 29, 1916, or two days before the expiration of the lease, this Department received a communication from the owners, dated December 28, 1916, to the effect that if the City remained in possession after January 1, 1917, the rental would be increased \$600 a year, or at a new rate of \$1,500 a year, and to include an extra plot of land, containing approximately seven acres, which, however, is not required for the use of the Troop.

The premises included in the lease which expired on December 31, 1916, are reasonably worth \$18,000, and the rental of \$1,500 a year which the owners demand would be at the rate of 8 1/3 per cent, or 6 per cent and taxes. If the extra plot is included, the property would then be worth \$25,000, and the rent of \$1,500 a year would be at the rate of 6 per cent, or 4 per cent and taxes.

The Comptroller has been unable to induce the owners to renew the lease at the same rental as previously paid, or \$900 a year, and there is no other place available for this purpose at a less rental.

The matter is therefore presented to your Board for such action as you may deem necessary, bearing in mind that the extra plot is not required, and there are no other premises available for this purpose. Respectfully,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

After discussion the following resolutions were offered for adoption:

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by this Board at meeting held December 21, 1916, authorizing a renewal of the lease to the City of the premises known as the Manor Farm, containing 11.01 acres, together with the dwelling, stable and hay barn thereon, located on the southerly side of Martling Ave., 568 feet east of Manor Road, Borough of Richmond, for use of the Armory Board, for a period of one year from January 1, 1917, at an annual rental of nine hundred dollars (\$900), be and the same is hereby rescinded.

Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel be and is hereby requested to prepare a lease to the City, from Morton W. Smith and Edward Gould Smith, as Executors and Trustees under the last will and testament of Lucy P. Smith, deceased, of the premises known as the Manor Farm, containing approximately 18 acres, together with the dwelling, stable and hay barn thereon, located on the southerly side of Martling Avenue, 568 feet east of Manor Road, Borough of Richmond, for use of the Armory Board, for a period of one year from January 1, 1917, at an annual rental of fifteen hundred dollars (\$1,500), payable quarterly; the lessor to pay taxes and to grant the lessee the privilege of making such inside and outside repairs and alterations during occupancy as it may deem necessary; whatever improvements, if any, put upon the premises during the term of the lease, with the exception of gun racks, to become the property of the lessor upon the expiration of the lease; the lessee to pay for water, furnish heat, light and caretaker, and make such inside and outside alterations and repairs during occupancy as it may deem necessary, otherwise upon the same terms and conditions as contained in the lease which expired December 31, 1916; and the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the said rent fair and reasonable, and that it would be for the interests of the City that such lease be made, the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute the same when prepared and approved by the Corporation Counsel as provided by sections 149 and 217 of the Greater New York Charter.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby requested to arrange for new quarters for the use of Troop F, N. G., N. Y., now occupying the premises known as the Manor Farm, on Martling Avenue, Borough of Richmond, beginning January 1, 1918.

Which resolutions were severally adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Armory Board—Approval of Request of, for Permission to Issue an Open Market Order for the Installing of a Section of Extra Heavy Cast Iron Drain Pipe in the 8th Coast Defense Command Armory.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

March 19, 1917.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—On February 27, 1917, the Secretary of the Armory Board requested permission to issue an open market order to William Messer & Co. for installing a section of extra heavy cast iron drain in place of the broken vitrified drain pipe in the northwest corner, new 8th Coast Defense Command Armory, Jerome Avenue and Kingsbridge Road, The Bronx, at a cost not to exceed \$29.55.

The vitrified drain pipe for sewer connection, exterior of the northwest corner of the building, had been left exposed and was broken during the progress of the contract for filling in the premises. It was deemed advisable to replace the broken vitrified pipe with extra heavy cast iron pipe, to avoid the danger of it being broken again. This work has been satisfactorily performed and the price charged is reasonable.

However, the cost of this work could be charged against the T. Cotter Contracting Co., who have paid the City the sum of \$1,360 for the dumping privilege on the premises, in accordance with their contract dated Nov. 25, 1914. Paragraph 9 of the specifications of that contract provides:

"9. Protection. The Contractor shall protect against damage, by himself or his employees, all work of other Contractors in a manner satisfactory to the architects, and shall maintain such covering and protection during his occupancy of the premises."

It is proposed to pay the cost of this work from the Corporate Stock fund entitled "C. A. B.—2B, Armory Fund, Eighth Coast Artillery District, Erection of Completed Armory, including architect's fees," authorized by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, as follows:

December 18, 1911.....	\$1,150,000 00
December 17, 1913.....	29,000 00
July 27, 1916	98,850 00
And by cash transferred by Board of Estimate and Apportionment as follows:	
July 2, 1914	55,363 62
December 4, 1914	31,000 00

Total amount authorized \$1,364,213 62

Several contracts and open market orders aggregating \$1,298,045.31 have been registered against this fund (C. A. B.—2B), leaving an unencumbered balance of \$66,168.31.

The proposed charge being reasonable I advise the adoption of the attached resolution approving the request.

Respectfully, ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby approve the expenditure and grant permission to the Armory Board to issue an open market order in the sum of \$29.55 for installing a section of extra heavy cast iron drain in place of the broken vitrified drain pipe in the northwest corner of the new 8th Coast Defense Command Armory, Jerome Avenue and Kingsbridge Road, The Bronx, the cost to be charged to Corporate Stock fund entitled C. A. B.—2B, Armory Fund, Eighth Coast Artillery District, Erection of Completed Armory, including architect's fees.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Armory Board, Approval of Request of, for Permission to Issue an Open Market Order to Furnish Labor and Material in Conjunction with Turning on of the Water in the 8th Coast Defense Command Armory.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

March 19, 1917.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—On February 27, 1917, the Secretary of the Armory Board requested permission to issue an open market order to William Messer & Company to furnish necessary labor and material in conjunction with turning on the water and providing a water supply outlet for boiler room use in the new 8th Coast Defense Command Armory, Jerome Avenue and Kingsbridge Road, The Bronx, at a cost not to exceed \$14.39.

A temporary ejector was required to discharge the water from the sump pit in the boiler room until the permanent ejector could be installed, requiring additional water supply connections.

The work has been satisfactorily performed and the price charged is reasonable. It is proposed to pay the cost of this work from the Corporate Stock fund entitled "C. A. B.—2B, Armory Fund, Eighth Coast Artillery District, Erection of Completed Armory, including architect's fees," authorized by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, as follows:

December 18, 1917.....	\$1,150,000 00
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July 2, 1914	55,363 62
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Total amount authorized \$1,364,213 62

Several contracts and open market orders aggregating \$1,298,045.31 have been registered against this fund (C. A. B.—2B), leaving an unencumbered balance of \$66,168.31.

The above change being reasonable I advise the adoption of the attached resolution approving the request.

Respectfully, ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby approve the expenditure and grant permission to the Armory Board to issue an open market order in the sum of \$14.39 to furnish necessary labor and material in conjunction with turning on of the water and providing a water supply outlet for boiler room use in the new 8th Coast Defense Command Armory, Jerome Avenue and Kingsbridge Road, The Bronx, the cost to be charged to Corporate Stock fund entitled C. A. B.—2B, Armory Fund, Eighth Coast Artillery District, Erection of Completed Armory, including architect's fees.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity—Turning Over by, of Lands and Buildings on the Northerly Side of 6th St., Near 3d Ave., Brooklyn.

The following communication was received from the Department:

February 13, 1917.

Mr. JOHN KORB, Jr., Secretary, Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, Municipal Building, New York City:

Dear Sir—Under a contract between Silas W. Titus and this department, relating to the purchase of water, the City became the owner of a pumping station, several smaller buildings and a parcel of land on the northerly side of Sixth Street, 255 feet 9 inches easterly from Third Avenue, and extending to the Fifth Street basin, in the Borough of Brooklyn. Owing to the poor quality of water obtainable from this station, it was abandoned several years ago. The buildings and land are no longer required for the purposes of this department, and pursuant to section 205 of the Charter, as amended, I hereby transfer them to the jurisdiction of the Sinking Fund Commission. The property is shown upon Department Map 11389-Z, copy of which is herewith submitted, and annexed thereto is a description of the property and also a description of each of the buildings. Respectfully,

WILLIAM WILLIAMS, Commissioner.

In connection therewith, the Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

March 20, 1917.

To the Honorable, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—The Commissioner of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, in a communication to your Board under date of February 13, 1917, surrenders to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund as no longer required, the following described lands and buildings on the northerly side of 6th Street, 255 feet 9 inches easterly from Third Avenue, and extending to the Fifth Street Basin, in the Borough of Brooklyn, as shown on Map 11389-Z of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

Description of 6th Street Store Yard Property.

All that certain piece or parcel of land situated in the Borough of Brooklyn, County of Kings, City and State of New York, outlined in red on Map No. 11389-Z, on file in the office of the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, said parcel also being known as Lot No. 95, Block No. 980, of the Brooklyn Tax Map, and more fully described as follows:

Beginning at a point situated on the northeasterly side of 6th Street, at a point distant 255 feet 9 inches southeasterly from the northeasterly corner of 3rd Avenue and 6th Street, and running thence southeasterly along the northeasterly side of 6th Street 100 feet; thence northeasterly and parallel with 3rd Avenue 305 feet, more or less, to the southwesterly side of the 5th Street Basin of the Brooklyn Improvement Company; thence northwesterly along said 5th Street Basin 100 feet; and thence southwesterly again parallel with 3rd Avenue 305 feet more or less, to the northeasterly side of 6th Street, to the point or place of beginning, containing within said bounds 0.700 acre, more or less.

Description of Buildings at 6th Street Yards.

1. Stucco on metal lath ceiling, 50 feet by 150 feet by 25 feet high, 1 story; concrete floor; building in good condition.

2. Wooden shed 20 feet by 60 feet by 12 feet high; open on one side; no floor; fair condition.

3. Brick stack 10 feet outside diameter by 100 feet high; in good condition.

I therefore respectfully recommend that the Comptroller be authorized to derive such revenue therefrom as may be had from the temporary leasing thereof until the final disposition of the same shall be determined. Respectfully,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Whereas, The Commissioner of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity in a communication dated February 13, 1917, having turned over as no longer required, the following described lands and buildings:

Description of 6th Street Store Yard Property.

All that certain piece or parcel of land situated in the Borough of Brooklyn, County of Kings, City and State of New York, outlined in red on map No. 11389Z, on file in the office of the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, said parcel also being known as Lot No. 95, Block No. 980 of the Brooklyn Tax Map, and more fully described as follows:

Beginning at a point situated on the northeasterly side of 6th Street, at a point distant 255 feet 9 inches southeasterly from the northeasterly corner of 3rd Avenue and 6th Street, and running thence southeasterly along the northeasterly side of 6th Street 100 feet; thence northeasterly and parallel with 3rd Avenue 305 feet, more or less, to the southwesterly side of the 5th Street Basin of the Brooklyn Improvement Company; thence northwesterly along said 5th Street Basin 100 feet, and thence southwesterly again parallel with 3rd Avenue 305 feet, more or less, to the northeasterly side of 6th Street, to the point or place of beginning, containing within said bounds 0.700 acres, more or less.

Description of Buildings at 6th Street Yard.

1. Stucco on metal lath building, 50 feet by 150 feet by 25 feet high, 1 story; concrete floor; building in good condition.

2. Wooden shed, 20 feet by 60 feet by 12 feet high, open on one side; no floor; fair condition.

3. Brick stack, 10 feet outside diameter by 100 feet high; in good condition.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed to derive such revenue therefrom as may be had from the temporary leasing thereof until the final disposition of the same is determined.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Refunding of Croton Water Rents Overpaid in Error.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

March 23, 1917.

Hon. Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—Applications have been made, as per statement herewith, for refund of Croton water rents paid in error.

The applications are severally approved by the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity or the Receiver of Taxes, and the amount so paid, \$207, has been deposited in the City Treasury to the credit of the Sinking Fund for the Payment of the Interest on the City Debt.

The attached resolution is necessary to replenish the account "Croton Water Rent Refunding Account" for amount to be refunded. Yours very truly,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Receiver of Taxes, \$23; Title Guarantee & Trust Company, \$7.54; A. G. Hauber, \$20; Hyman German, \$5; William W. Young, attorney for Kate W. Young, \$2; Title Guarantee & Trust Company, \$32; Carrie L. Geismar, \$10; I. Langner, \$1.45; Israel Sachs, \$5.75; Mutual Company, \$18.27; Joseph Bachrach, \$2; Drew King Robinson, treasurer of Andrew J. Robinson Co., \$2.79; 1985 Mapes Avenue Company, Inc., \$58.80; Martha Buse, \$18.40; total, \$207.

Resolved, That a warrant payable from the Sinking Fund for the Payment of the Interest on the City Debt be drawn in favor of the Chamberlain in the sum of \$207 for deposit in the City Treasury to the credit of "Croton Water Rent Refunding Account" for refunding of erroneous and overpayments of Croton Water Rents, as per statement submitted.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Refunding of Jury Fees Paid in Cases Settled Before Trial.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

March 23, 1917.

Hon. Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—On various dates the attorneys mentioned in the schedule attached paid as jury fees to the clerks of the several District Municipal Courts of the City of New York the sums stated in said schedule.

Pursuant to Section 118 of the Municipal Court Code and in accordance with the directions of the Bureau of Law and Adjustment of the Department of Finance, approved by the Deputy Comptroller, these sums are to be returned to the payors, the actions having been settled or discontinued and not brought to trial.

Said accounts were deposited with the Chamberlain of the City of New York to the credit of the Sinking Fund for the Payment of the Interest on the City Debt, and the refunds will be made from that fund through an account known and designated as Code T 52 Jury Fees Refunding Account.

The attached resolution is necessary to replenish the said account for the amount to be paid. Yours very truly,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Kiendl & Gross, \$3; Louis J. Gold, \$3; Edward A. Alexander, \$3; M. & B. Jaffe, \$3; Louis Fabricant, \$3; total, \$15.

Resolved, That a warrant payable from the Sinking Fund for the Payment of the Interest on the City Debt be drawn in favor of the City Chamberlain in the sum of \$15 for deposit in the City Treasury to the credit of Jury Fees Refunding Account for refunding of jury fees, as per statement submitted.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Refund to Sol. Cohen of Amount of Fine.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

March 23, 1917.

Hon. Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—In the matter of the People of the State of New York against Sol. Cohen, the defendant appealed to the Appellate Division, Second Department, on the 2nd day of February, 1917, from a judgment of conviction of the Regular Term of the County Court, County of Kings, Part 5 thereof, held at the Court House, County of Kings, on April 26th, 1915, wherein the defendant was adjudged guilty of receiving stolen property and a fine of \$250 was imposed, which was paid and subsequently deposited with the Chamberlain of the City of New York to the credit of the Sinking Fund for the Payment of the Interest on the City Debt.

The appeal was argued at a Term of the Appellate Division, Second Department, on February 2, 1917, and by a decision of that Court a new trial was ordered.

At a Regular Term of the County Court of the County of Kings, Part 5 thereof, held at the Court House, County of Kings, on the 28th of February, 1917, it was ordered that the Comptroller of the City of New York refund to the defendant, Sol. Cohen, or his attorney, Leon Kauffman, the sum of \$250.

I attach hereto a resolution for adoption to carry into effect the provisions of such order. Respectfully,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That a warrant payable from the Sinking Fund for the Payment of the Interest on the City Debt be drawn in favor of Sol. Cohen, or his attorney, Leon Kauffman, for the sum of \$250, refunding that amount paid as a fine in the County Court, County of Kings, on April 26, 1915, in accordance with the order of the Regular Term of the County Court of the County of Kings.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Refund to Charles R. Darcy of Amount of Fine.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

March 23, 1917.

Hon. Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—In the matter of the People of the State of New York against Charles R. Darcy, the defendant appealed at a Term of the Court of General Sessions of the Peace held in and for the County of New York in the Criminal Courts Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 8th day of March, 1917, from a judgment of conviction in the Magistrate's (Traffic) Court, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on November 1st 1916, wherein the defendant was adjudged guilty of a violation of Chapter 24, Article 2, Section 17, Subdivision 3 of the Code of City Ordinances of the City of New York and a fine of \$25 was imposed, which was paid and subsequently deposited with the Chamberlain of the City of New York to the credit of the Sinking Fund for the Payment of the Interest on the City Debt.

The appeal was argued at a Term of the Court of General Sessions of the Peace held in and for the County of New York in the Criminal Courts Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, and by a decision of that Court the judgment of conviction was reversed and it was ordered that the Comptroller of the City of New York refund to the defendant the sum of \$25.

I attach hereto a resolution for adoption to carry into effect the provisions of such order. Yours very truly,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That a warrant payable from the Sinking Fund for the Payment of the Interest on the City Debt be drawn in favor of Charles R. Darcy in the sum of \$25, refunding him that amount paid as a fine in the Magistrate's (Traffic) Court, Borough of Manhattan, pursuant to an order of the Court of General Sessions of the Peace held in and for the County of New York, City of New York.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Refund to Benjamin Marcus of Amount Paid as a Filing Fee.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

March 23, 1917.

Hon. Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—Application has been made by Benjamin Marcus for the refund of \$1.00 for amount paid in error as a filing fee to the Clerk of the 7th District Municipal Court, Borough of Manhattan, in an action entitled Samuel Kaplan vs. David Snow, et al.

After an examination made by the Bureau of Law and Adjustment of this Department, it is recommended that the sum of \$1.00 so erroneously paid be refunded.

As the aforesaid sum of \$1.00 paid as a filing fee was deposited with the City Chamberlain to the credit of the Sinking Fund for the Payment of the Interest on the City Debt, I attach hereto a resolution for adoption. Yours very truly,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That a warrant payable from the Sinking Fund for the Payment of the Interest on the City Debt be drawn in favor of Benjamin Marcus for \$1, refunding him that amount paid as a filing fee in the 7th District Municipal Court, Borough of Manhattan, in an action entitled Samuel Kaplan vs. David Snow, et al.

The report was accepted, and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Refund to George W. Douglass of Amount of Fine.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

March 23, 1917.

Hon. Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—In the matter of the People of the State of New York on complaint of Edward Van Cleef vs. George W. Douglass, the defendant appealed at a Stated Term Part 1, of the Court of General Sessions of the Peace, held in and for the County of New York at the Criminal Courts Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, from a judgment of conviction in the Magistrate's (Traffic) Court on the 1st day of November, 1916, wherein the defendant was adjudged guilty of a violation of Subdivision 3, Section 17, Article 2, Chapter 24 of the Code of Ordinances

of the City of New York, and a fine of \$35.00 was imposed, which was paid and subsequently deposited with the Chamberlain of the City of New York to the credit of the Sinking Fund for the Payment of the Interest on the City Debt.

The appeal was argued at a Stated Term, Part 1, of the Court of Special Sessions of the Peace, held in and for the County of New York at the Criminal Courts Building in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 15th day of March, 1917, and by a decision of that court the judgment of conviction was reversed and it was ordered that the Comptroller of the City of New York refund to the defendant George W. Douglass, or his attorneys, Katz and Sommerich, the sum of \$35.00.

I attach hereto a resolution for adoption to carry into effect the provisions of such order. Yours very truly,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That a warrant payable from the Sinking Fund for the Payment of the Interest on the City Debt be drawn in favor of George W. Douglass, or his attorneys, Katz & Sommerich, in the sum of \$35, refunding that amount paid as a fine in the Magistrate's (Traffic) Court, Borough of Manhattan, pursuant to an order of a Stated Term, Part 1, Court of General Sessions of the Peace held in and for the County of New York, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

The report was accepted, and the resolution adopted, all the members voting in the affirmative.

Fines Payable to the Humane Society of New York and the American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

March 23, 1917.

Hon. Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—Fines for violation of the laws with regard to cruelty to animals, etc., have been imposed and collected in the several City Magistrates' Courts and Courts of Special Sessions of the City of New York during the month of February, 1917, and paid into the Sinking Fund for the Payment of the Interest on the City Debt.

Pursuant to law, said fines are payable to the several societies indicated. An enumeration of such fines so paid is as follows:

Humane Society of New York.

(Sec. 5, Chapter 490, Laws of 1888.)

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

First District: Feb. 1, Nicola Nigro, \$3. Feb. 2, Isaac Imber, \$3. Feb. 3, Hayes Watkins, \$3. Feb. 6, Thos. Bradford, \$5; Salvator Antonelli, \$4. Feb. 8, Harry Wiggins, \$3; Daniel Nichols, \$5. Feb. 10, Salvatore Vitoria, \$5. Feb. 13, Eugene M. Decker, \$2. Feb. 14, Cantu Ceaser, \$5; William Kistenmacher, \$5. Feb. 16, George E. Miller, \$10; Feb. 19, Peter West, \$10; Adam Burger, \$10; Meyer Sklar, \$10. Feb. 20, Abr. Wordman, \$5; Sam Cohen, \$5; William H. Douglas, \$5. Feb. 21, Jos. F. Day, \$5; William McMahon, \$5. Feb. 23, Steward Connors, \$3; Isaac Stark, \$4. Feb. 27, John Keller, \$3; Chas. Marcus, \$5. Feb. 27, Angelo Ferrantino, \$5. Feb. 28, Jas. Crowley, \$5.

Second District: Feb. 1, Samuel Cohn, \$5; Robert Ewing, \$10. Feb. 2, And. Durante, \$5. Feb. 5, Morris Cohen, \$5. Feb. 9, Morris Kleinberg, \$5. Feb. 10, Samuel Leinowitz, \$3. Feb. 26, Johnson, \$10.

Third District: Feb. 7, Max Coslit, \$5. Feb. 9, Jos. Geldzahler, \$5. Feb. 10, Geo. Kriess, \$10. Feb. 13, Simon Marks, \$3. Feb. 14, Louis Winter, \$3. Feb. 15, Isaac Lichtenthal, \$25. Feb. 16, John Pavick, \$5; William Simon, \$5. Feb. 21, Louis Steinberg, \$3.

Fourth District: Feb. 1, John Condon, \$10. Feb. 2, Louis Ostrow, \$5. Feb. 3, Abr. Gendehnsen, \$10. Feb. 5, Edw. Hudson, \$5. Feb. 14, Samuel Deutsch, \$15. Feb. 19, Robt. Saul, \$5.

Fifth District: Feb. 1, Isidor Bilenky, \$10. Feb. 9, Chas. H. Coleman, \$10. Feb. 13, Kerchuk Wooley, \$5. Feb. 14, Aaron Sommer, \$5. Feb. 15, Michael Neubauer, \$5. Feb. 17, William Greenwald, \$5. Feb. 19, Bernard Miller, \$10. Feb. 20, Jacob Klein, \$10. Feb. 21, Nathan Lieberman, \$5; Samuel Farna, \$3. Feb. 23, Jas. Pollard, \$5.

Sixth District: Feb. 14, Chas. Bermelin, \$5.

Seventh District: Feb. 2, Benj. Topol, \$5. Feb. 7, Pat. Marquardt, \$10; Conrad Wiegand, \$5. Feb. 9, Samuel Fuchs, \$5. Feb. 26, Jacob Feige, \$5.

Twelfth District: Feb. 13, Isidore Herten, \$5. Feb. 15, Michael Baratz, \$10. Feb. 19, George Engel, \$5. Feb. 20, Giuseppe Golando, \$5.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

First District: Feb. 26, Angelo Sacco, \$2.

Sixth District: Feb. 13, Harry Schoff, \$5. Feb. 19, Henry Emmerick, \$5.

Fifth District: Feb. 6, Isaac Zuchs, \$5. Feb. 14, Michael Seitz, \$10.

Seventh District: Feb. 3, Jas. Votta, \$2. Feb. 8, John Frohesen, \$10. Feb. 27, Jacob Pogorsky, \$5.

Ninth District: Feb. 6, Fred Schlachter, \$10. Feb. 10, Fred Nelson, \$10.

Tenth District: Feb. 6, Frank Dedde, \$10. Feb. 17, Nat. Manning, \$10; Salvadore Lacario, \$5. Feb. 21, Frank Michlin, \$10.

American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals.

(Sec. 5, Chapter 490, Laws of 1888.)

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

Second District: Feb. 3, Otto Boletz, \$15; Feb. 6, Frank Cecegone, \$5; Feb. 15, Joseph Neary, \$3; Feb. 16, Michael Carberry, \$3; Feb. 19, Onarto Salvatore, \$3.

Third District: Feb. 23, Louis Fisher, \$3; Feb. 26, Dan Mucerino, \$5.

Fourth District: Feb. 2, Wm. Salsberg, \$10; Feb. 10, Joseph Gammira, \$5; Feb. 13, Walter Badger, \$5; Benjamin Rubin, \$10; Feb. 26, Jack Tuhaman, \$10; Feb. 27, Carlo Ferrara, \$10.

Fifth District: Feb. 2, Samuel Copenstein, \$10; Feb. 5, Frederick Strecker, \$10; Samuel Adler, \$3; Feb. 19, Andrew Bayer, \$5; John Caputo, \$10; Alexander Brook, \$5; Feb. 20, Joseph Ferony, \$5; Feb. 23, Eden Memmet, \$10; Feb. 27, Alex. Meschuck \$25; Feb. 28, Joseph Blitz, \$10.

Sixth District: Feb. 13, Herman Kramer, \$5; Feb. 15, John Pope, \$5.

Seventh District: Feb. 13, Joseph Barbarie, \$5.

Eighth District: Feb. 2, Joseph Weckstein, \$3; Feb. 27, Salvatore Longo, \$5.

Twelfth District: Feb. 17, Henry Torborg, \$5; Feb. 21, Pietro Eyecaino, \$5; Joseph Buff, \$5.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

First District: Feb. 6, Solomon Chedekel, \$3; Feb. 7, Joseph Condrill, \$2.

Fifth District: Feb. 6, Walter Moriarity, \$2; Feb. 7, Isaac Meineroff, \$5.

Sixth District: Feb. 16, Thomas Carlowcho, \$10; Feb. 24, Adolph Palowice, \$5; Feb. 22, Jacob Falder, \$10.

Ninth District: Feb. 6, Frank D. Bedell, \$20. Feb. 10, Charles Youman, \$5. Feb. 16, Ralph Sepe, \$5.

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

Fourth District: Feb. 9, James Petrosina, \$5. Feb. 14, Edward Littell, \$10. Feb. 23, John Hendrickson, \$50. Feb. 26, Wolf Brandt, \$10.

All of the above cases, it is certified, were prosecuted by officers of the respective societies to which the fines are payable, and none of them has been previously paid.

A resolution authorizing payment to the respective societies is herewith attached.

Yours very truly, ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That warrants, payable from the Sinking Fund for the Payment of the Interest on the City Debt, be drawn in favor of the following societies for amount of fines imposed and collected in City Magistrate's Courts and Courts of Special Sessions of the City of New York during the month of February, 1917, as per statement submitted:

Humane Society of New York..... \$522 00

American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to

For Municipal Ferry Transfers collected by the New York Railways Company during the month of February, 1917, 121,857 at 3 cents.... \$3,655 71
New York Railways Company transfers collected by the Municipal Ferry for the same period, 112,155 at 2 cents..... 2,243 10

Balance due N. Y. Railways Company..... \$1,412 61
Attached to the above bill is a recommendation of the Acting Commissioner of Docks that the amount due be paid to the New York Railways Company.

The bill is rendered in accordance with a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, dated October 16th 1913, said resolution being approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at a meeting held October 29th, 1913.

The amounts so collected by the Municipal Ferry have been deposited in the Sinking Fund for the Payment of the Interest on the City Debt.

I attach hereto a resolution for adoption. Yours very truly,
ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.
FEBRUARY, 1917.

Date.	Municipal Ferry Transfers Collected by N. Y. Railways Co.	N. Y. Railways Co. Transfers Collected by Municipal Ferry.	Daily Amounts Due N. Y. Railways Co.
1.....	4,822	4,450	\$55 66
2.....	4,562	4,316	50 54
3.....	4,568	4,161	53 82
4.....	2,962	2,628	36 30
5.....	2,726	3,281	16 16
6.....	4,888	3,831	70 02
7.....	4,806	4,275	58 68
8.....	4,777	4,314	57 03
9.....	4,622	4,238	53 90
10.....	4,527	4,297	49 87
11.....	3,015	2,636	37 73
12.....	3,179	2,860	38 17
13.....	4,565	4,137	54 21
14.....	4,717	4,339	54 73
15.....	4,595	4,042	57 01
16.....	4,381	4,133	48 77
17.....	5,080	4,718	58 04
18.....	4,285	3,555	57 45
19.....	4,815	4,572	53 01
20.....	4,297	4,274	43 43
21.....	4,963	4,510	58 69
22.....	3,145	2,471	44 93
23.....	4,623	4,714	44 41
24.....	5,018	4,707	56 40
25.....	3,653	3,344	42 71
26.....	5,041	4,698	57 27
27.....	4,464	4,445	45 02
28.....	4,761	4,209	58 65
	121,857	112,155	\$1,412 61

Resolved, That a warrant payable from the Sinking Fund for the Payment of the Interest on the City Debt be drawn in favor of the New York Railways Company, as follows:

\$1,412.61 in payment of bill rendered by the New York Railways Company for 121,857 Municipal Ferry transfers at 3c lifted by it during the month of February, 1917 (\$3,655.71), less 112,155 New York Railways transfers lifted on Municipal Ferry for same period at 2c (\$2,243.10), leaving balance due to New York Railways Company \$1,412.61.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Department of Correction—Assignment to, of Five Horses Turned Over by Street Cleaning Department.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

March 10, 1917.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, The City of New York:

Gentlemen—The Department of Street Cleaning on March 2, 1917, surrendered to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund as no longer required the property described in the accompanying resolution.

The Department of Correction, in a communication dated March 7, 1917, requested the assignment of this property. The adoption of the said resolution authorizing the assignment is therefore recommended.

Respectfully, ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 205 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby assign to the Department of Correction the following property turned over by the Department of Street Cleaning as no longer required:

Five (5) horses; stock numbers, 6001, 6035, 6878, 6501, 3206.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Department of Correction—Assignment to, of Fifty Feet of 8-inch Pipe Turned Over by Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

March 10, 1917.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, The City of New York:

Gentlemen—The Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity on March 7, 1917, surrendered to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund as no longer required, the property described in the accompanying resolution.

The Department of Correction in a communication, dated September 27, 1917, requested the assignment of this property. The adoption of the said resolution authorizing the assignment is, therefore recommended. Respectfully,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 205 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby assign to the Department of Correction the following property turned over by the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity as no longer required:

Fifty (50) ft. 8-inch steel pipe, 3 lengths; one (1) 8-inch tee; one (1) 8-inch flange and fittings.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Department of Correction—Assignment to, of One Drafting Table, Etc., Turned Over by the Court House Board.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

March 15, 1917.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, The City of New York:

Gentlemen—The Court House Board on March 12, 1917, surrendered to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund as no longer required, the property described in the accompanying resolution.

The Department of Correction, in a communication dated March 13, 1917, requested the assignment of this property. The adoption of the said resolution authorizing the assignment is therefore recommended. Respectfully,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That pursuant to the provisions of section 205 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby assign to the Department of Correction the following property turned over by the Court House Board as no longer required:

One (1) draughting table; two (2) stools; one (1) lot of carpet.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Department of Correction—Assignment to, of One Bookcase, Etc., Turned Over by the Municipal Civil Service Commission.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

March 13, 1917.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, The City of New York:

Gentlemen—The Municipal Civil Service Commission on March 3, 1917, surrendered to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, as no longer required, the property described in the accompanying resolution.

The Department of Correction, in a communication dated March 7, 1917, requested the assignment of this property. The adoption of the said resolution authorizing the assignment is therefore recommended. Respectfully,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 205 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby assign to the Department of Correction the following property, turned over by the Municipal Civil Service Commission as no longer required:

One (1) bookcase, glass door; one (1) wardrobe; one (1) 60-inch roll top desk; two (2) 8-drawer cabinets.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Department of Correction—Assignment to, of 8 Sets of Truck Harness, Traces, Etc., Turned Over by the Park Department, Manhattan.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

March 10, 1917.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York:

Gentlemen—The Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, on February 26, 1917, surrendered to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund as no longer required the property described in the accompanying resolution.

The Department of Correction, in a communication dated March 7, 1917, requested the assignment of this property. The adoption of the said resolution authorizing the assignment is therefore recommended. Respectfully,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 205 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby assign to the Department of Correction the following property turned over by the Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, as no longer required:

8 sets truck harness; 6 pairs truck traces; 6 sets cart harness; 37 truck blankets; 1 pair cart hames; 4 pairs hames and traces for carriage harness; 14 driving collars, patent leather; 3 pairs broken truck traces; 6 old cart saddles; 6 broken cart britches; 2 pairs broken cart tugs; 1 felt cart saddle pad; 21 old truck harness pads; 45 old collars for truck and cart harness; 5 driving saddles and britches; 2 driving bridles; 6 broken surcingle; 8 broken feed bags; 14 old canvas storm horse covers; 1 lot broken parts of harness.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Department of Correction—Assignment to, of One Lot of Iron Railing, Etc., Turned Over by the Children's Court.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

March 8, 1917.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, The City of New York:

Gentlemen—The Children's Court of The City of New York on December 2, 1915, surrendered to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund as no longer required, the property described in the accompanying resolution.

The Department of Correction, in a communication dated February 15, 1917, requested the assignment of this property. The adoption of the said resolution authorizing the assignment is therefore recommended. Respectfully,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 205 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby assign to the Department of Correction the following property turned over by the Children's Court of The City of New York as no longer required:

One (1) lot of iron railing, oak top.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Department of Street Cleaning—Assignment to, of 20 Oak Fellos Turned Over by the Fire Department.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

March 10, 1917.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, The City of New York:

Gentlemen—The Fire Department on March 7, 1917, surrendered to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund as no longer required, the property described in the accompanying resolution.

The Department of Street Cleaning in a communication, dated February 17, 1917, requested the assignment of this property. The adoption of the said resolution authorizing the assignment is therefore recommended. Respectfully,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 205 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby assign to the Department of Street Cleaning the following property turned over by the Fire Department as no longer required:

Twenty (20) oak fellos 4 in. by 4½ in. for 56-in. wheels.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Health Department—Assignment to, of Three Horses Turned Over by the President, Borough of Brooklyn.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

March 10, 1917.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, The City of New York:

Gentlemen—The President of the Borough of Brooklyn, on March 7, 1917, surrendered to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, as no longer required, the property described in the accompanying resolution.

The Department of Health, in a communication dated March 7, 1917, requested the assignment of this property. The adoption of the said resolution authorizing the assignment is, therefore, recommended. Respectfully,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 205 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby assign to the Department of Health the following property turned over by the President of the Borough of Brooklyn as no longer required:

Three (3) horses, stock numbers 2, 9, 12.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Health Department—Assignment to, of Five Horses Turned Over by the Department of Street Cleaning.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

March 10, 1917.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, The City of New York:

Gentlemen—The Department of Street Cleaning, on March 2, 1917, surrendered to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, as no longer required, the property described in the accompanying resolution.

The Department of Health, in a communication dated March 7, 1917, requested the assignment of this property. The adoption of the said resolution authorizing the assignment, is, therefore, recommended.

Respectfully, ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 205 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby assign to the Department of Health the following property turned over by the Department of Street Cleaning as no longer required:

Five (5) horses, stock numbers 5247, 4445, 7033, 4961, 5,318.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

President, Borough of Queens—Assignment to, of 78 Tons of No. 1 Buckwheat Coal Turned Over by the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

March 13, 1917.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, The City of New York:

Gentlemen—The Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity on March 6, 1917, surrendered to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund as no longer required the property described in the accompanying resolution.

The President of the Borough of Queens, in a communication dated March 5, 1917, requested the assignment of this property. The adoption of the said resolution authorizing the assignment is therefore recommended. Respectfully,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 205 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby assign to the President of the Borough of Queens the following property, turned over by the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, as no longer required:

Seventy-eight (78) tons No. 1 Buckwheat coal, located at Hawtree Creek road and the Conduit.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

President, Borough of Queens—Assignment to, of 300 Feet of Rope Turned Over by the Dock Department.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

March 15, 1917.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, The City of New York:

Gentlemen—The Department of Docks and Ferries on March 5, 1917, surrendered to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund as no longer required the property described in the accompanying resolution.

The President of the Borough of Queens, in a communication dated March 9, 1917, requested the assignment of this property. The adoption of the said resolution authorizing the assignment is therefore recommended. Respectfully,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That pursuant to the provision of section 205 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby assign to the President of the Borough of Queens the following property turned over by the Department of Docks and Ferries as no longer required:

Three hundred feet of 4½-inch rope.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Park Department, Manhattan—Assignment to, of One Horse Turned Over by the Health Department.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

March 15, 1917.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, The City of New York:

Gentlemen—The Department of Health, on March 14, 1917, surrendered to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, as no longer required, the property described in the accompanying resolution.

The Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, in a communication dated March 8, 1917, requested the assignment of this property. The adoption of the said resolution authorizing the assignment is therefore recommended.

Respectfully, ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 205 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby assign to the Department of Parks, Borough of Manhattan and Richmond the following property turned over by the Department of Health as no longer required:

One (1) horse, No. 103.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Park Department, Brooklyn—Assignment to, of 300 Spokes, Etc., Turned Over by the Street Cleaning Department.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

March 15, 1917.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, The City of New York:

Gentlemen—The Department of Street Cleaning on March 9, 1917, surrendered to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund as no longer required the property described in the accompanying resolution.

The Department of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn, in a communication dated October 20, 1916, requested the assignment of this property. The adoption of the said resolution authorizing the assignment is therefore recommended.

Respectfully, ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That pursuant to the provisions of section 205 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby assign to the Department of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn, the following property turned over by the Department of Street Cleaning as no longer required:

Three hundred (300) 1¾-inch spokes; two hundred (200) 1½-inch spokes.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Fire Department—Assignment to, of 60 Pounds of Aluminum Turned Over by the President, Borough of The Bronx.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

March 10, 1917.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, The City of New York:

Gentlemen—The President of the Borough of The Bronx, on February 16, 1917, surrendered to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, as no longer required, the property described in the accompanying resolution.

The Fire Department, in a communication dated March 7, 1917, requested the assignment of this property. The adoption of the said resolution authorizing the assignment is therefore recommended. Respectfully,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That pursuant to the provisions of section 205 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby assign to the Fire Department the following property turned over by the President of the Borough of The Bronx as no longer required:

Sixty (60) pounds of aluminum.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Armory Board—Assignment to, of One Oak Rolltop Desk Turned Over by the Dock Department.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

March 10, 1917.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, The City of New York:

Gentlemen—The Department of Docks and Ferries, on March 8, 1917, sur-

rendered to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund as no longer required, the property described in the accompanying resolution.

The Armory Board, in a communication dated December 29, 1916, requested the assignment of this property. The adoption of the said resolution authorizing the assignment is therefore recommended. Respectfully,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy Comptroller.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 205 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby assign to the Armory Board the following property turned over by the Department of Docks and Ferries as no longer required:

One (1) oak rolltop desk.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Law Department—Assignment to, of Seven Oak Armchairs, Etc., Turned Over by the Court House Board.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

March 10, 1917.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York:

Gentlemen—The Court House Board on March 7, 1917, surrendered to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, as no longer required, the property described in the accompanying resolution.

The Law Department, in a communication dated March 8, 1917, requested the assignment of this property. The adoption of the said resolution authorizing the assignment is therefore recommended. Respectfully,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy Comptroller.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 205 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby assign to the Law Department the following property turned over by the Court House Board as no longer required:

Seven (7) oak armchairs; one (1) oak shelf; one (1) oak table.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Commissioner of Accounts—Assignment to, of Two Oak Library Tables Turned Over by the Court House Board.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

March 15, 1917.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, The City of New York:

Gentlemen—The Court House Board, on March 7, 1917, surrendered to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, as no longer required, the property described in the accompanying resolution.

The Commissioner of Accounts, in a communication dated March 13, 1917, requested the assignment of this property. The adoption of the said resolution authorizing the assignment is therefore recommended. Respectfully,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy Comptroller.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 205 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby assign to the Commissioner of Accounts the following property turned over by the Court House Board as no longer required:

Two (2) oak library tables.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Health Department—Assignment to, of a Quantity of Drugs Turned Over by the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

March 19, 1917.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, The City of New York:

Gentlemen—The Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity on March 13, 1917, surrendered to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, as no longer required, the property described in the accompanying resolution.

The Department of Health, in a communication dated March 12, 1917, requested the assignment of this property. The adoption of the said resolution authorizing the assignment is therefore recommended.

Respectfully, ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy Comptroller.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 205 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby assign to the Department of Health the following property turned over by the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, as no longer required:

Acetone, 1-pound bottles, Merck's, 25 pounds; acid, hydrochloric, C. P., 6-pound bottles, E. & A., 12 pounds; balance, 84, 96 pounds; acid, sulphuric, fuming, C. P., B. & A., 5 pounds; alcohol, ethyl, absolute, 1 pound-bottles, Merck's, 70 pounds; alcohol, methyl, Columbian spirits, 5 gallons; alcohol, methyl, common wood, 10 gallons; barium chloride, C. P., B. & L., 10 E. & A., 5, 15 pounds; *benzol, technical (1 gallon), 7 pounds; camphor, refined, in bulk, 5 pounds; carbon, disulphide, C. P. (B. & L., 1 gallon, Baker 1 gallon), 20 pounds; carbon, tetrachloride, C. P., Baker, 15 pounds; chloroform, C. P., E. & A., 1-pound bottles, 25 pounds; ether, C. P., Squibb's, 1-pound cans, 15 pounds; *ether, commercial, 11 pounds; gelatin, Gold Label, in sheets, 300 pounds; iron sulphate, ferrous, C. P., cryst., 5 pounds; mercuric, chloride, C. P., cryst., B. & L., 10 pounds; nitrobenzol, C. P., 10 pounds; nitronaphthalene, B. & L., 3 pounds; pyridine, pure, B. & L., 10 pounds; salol, pure cryst., Heyden, 1-pound bottles, 8 pounds; sodium thiosulphate, C. P., Squibb's, 1-pound bottles, 20 pounds; sugar dextrose, C. P., cryst., in bulk, 50 pounds; petroleum ether, 88 degrees redistilled, 1-gallon cans (B. P. 40-50 degrees C.), 5 gallons.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Department of Correction—Assignment to, of One Horseshoeing Wagon Turned Over by the Fire Department.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

March 19, 1917.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, The City of New York:

Gentlemen—The Fire Department on March 12, 1917, surrendered to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, as no longer required, the property described in the accompanying resolution.

The Department of Correction, in a communication dated March 10, 1917, requested the assignment of this property. The adoption of the said resolution authorizing the assignment is therefore recommended.

Respectfully, ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy Comptroller.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 205 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby assign to the Department of Correction the following property turned over by the Fire Department as no longer required:

One (1) horseshoeing wagon No. 3, equipped with forge and anvil.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Department of Public Charities—Assignment to, of 200 Pairs of Blankets Turned Over by the Health Department.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

March 19, 1917.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, The City of New York:

Gentlemen—The Department of Health on March 9, 1917, surrendered to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund as no longer required the property described in the accompanying resolution.

The Department of Public Charities in a communication dated March 14, 1917,

*Not in original containers.

Watson Avenue proceeding, in the Borough of The Bronx, to permit the improvement of the street.

This encroachment consists of a two-story frame building on Damage Parcel No. 360, the estimated removal value of which is \$25, which amount should be realized by its sale.

I therefore request that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, pursuant to the authority vested in them by Sections 205 and 1553 of the Revised Charter adopt a resolution authorizing and ordering that said encroachment be offered for sale at the upset or minimum price named above, and also authorizing and ordering the President of the Borough of The Bronx to demolish and remove this encroachment if it is not sold at the said upset price, as an encumbrance upon a public street, and such a resolution is herewith transmitted. Yours respectfully,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Whereas, The President of the Borough of The Bronx has requested the removal of an encroachment lying within the lines of Watson Avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx; and

Whereas, If this improvement is offered for sale at an upset price it would probably realize a fair return in proportion to the award given; it is therefore

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, hereby authorize and order the sale at public auction or by sealed bids, Damage Parcel No. 360, consisting of a two-story frame building lying within the lines of Watson Avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, at the upset or minimum price of \$25, upon the terms and conditions for the sale of buildings, etc., as authorized by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at meetings held October 4, 1910, and January 18, 1916, and the President of the Borough of The Bronx is hereby authorized and ordered to demolish and remove this encroachment if it does not realize the said upset price, as an encumbrance upon a public highway, in the manner provided by section 205 of the Revised Charter, as amended by chapter 398 of the Laws of 1909.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Sale and Removal of the Four Brick Buildings Under the Manhattan Approach of the Williamsburg Bridge.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

March 21, 1917.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—A request has been received from the Commissioner of Plant and Structures for the sale and removal of four brick buildings under the Manhattan approach of the Williamsburg Bridge, formerly used for school purposes by the Board of Education, as the City has no further use for these buildings.

I therefore request that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, pursuant to the authority vested in them by section 1553 of the Revised Charter, adopt a resolution authorizing the sale of the said buildings, and such a resolution is herewith transmitted. Yours respectfully,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Whereas, The Commissioner of Plant and Structures has requested the sale of certain buildings hereinafter described, located in the Borough of Manhattan, acquired for school purposes.

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, hereby authorize and order the sale at public auction or by sealed bids, at the highest marketable price, of the four brick buildings under the Manhattan approach of the Williamsburg Bridge, in the Borough of Manhattan, which are more particularly described on a certain map on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room 368, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, upon the terms and conditions for the sale of buildings, etc., as authorized by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at meetings held October 4, 1910, and January 18, 1916.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Sale of Platforms on Piles, Houses and Houseboats, Etc., Located Between the Easterly Side of the Boardwalk Leading to Manhattan Beach, at the Foot of Ocean Ave., Sheepshead Bay, Brooklyn.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

March 21, 1917.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—A request has been received from the Commissioner of Docks for the sale and removal of certain structures consisting of platforms on piles, houses, houseboats, etc., located between the easterly side of the boardwalk leading to Manhattan Beach at the foot of Ocean Avenue, Sheepshead Bay, Borough of Brooklyn, and a line 133 feet easterly therefrom, in order to fit the premises for further improvement.

I therefore request that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, pursuant to the authority vested in them by section 1553 of the Revised Charter, adopt a resolution authorizing and ordering the sale of the said platforms and buildings, and such a resolution is herewith transmitted. Yours truly,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Whereas, The Commissioner of Docks has requested the sale of certain structures hereinafter described, located in the Borough of Brooklyn, acquired for dock purposes.

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, hereby authorize and order the sale at public auction or by sealed bids, at the highest marketable price, of the platforms on piles, houses and house-boats, etc., located between the easterly side of the boardwalk leading to Manhattan Beach at the foot of Ocean Avenue, Sheepshead Bay, Borough of Brooklyn, and a line 133 feet easterly therefrom, which are more particularly described on a certain map on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room 368, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, upon the terms and conditions for the sale of buildings, etc., as authorized by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at meetings held October 4, 1910, and January 18, 1916.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Petition of Israel Schulman for a Release of the City's Interest in Two Parcels of Land on the Westerly Side of W. 1st St., Between Sheepshead Bay Rd. and Sea Breeze Ave., Brooklyn.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

March 27, 1917.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—I am in receipt of a communication on behalf of Israel Schulman, requesting a release of the City's interest in two parcels of land located on the westery side of West 1st Street, between Sheepshead Bay Road and Sea Breeze Avenue, Borough of Brooklyn. The strips of land requested to be released by him are included in an old right-of-way adjoining West 1st Street, which was discontinued and closed by chapter 769 of the Laws of 1897.

The interest of the City in this property has been appraised at \$800.

I therefore respectfully recommend that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund authorize a release to Israel Schulman, No. 44 Mermaid Avenue, Coney Island, Borough of Brooklyn, of the interest of the City in and to the following described premises:

All those two certain lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, City and State of New York, bounded and described as follows:

Parcel 1.

Beginning at a point on the westerly line of the right of way, now discontinued and closed by virtue of chapter 769 of the Laws of 1897, distant 861 feet southerly from the point of intersection of the said westerly line of said right of way and the southerly line of Sheepshead Bay Road, and running thence easterly at right angles to the said westerly line of said right-of-way 25 feet to the westerly line of West 1st Street, as now laid out; running thence southerly along the said westerly line of West 1st Street, as now laid out, 100 feet;

running thence westerly at right angles to the said westerly line of said right-of-way 25 feet to the westerly line of said right-of-way; running thence northerly along the said westerly line of said right-of-way 100 feet to the point or place of beginning; also

Parcel 2.

Beginning at a point on the westerly line of the right-of-way, now discontinued and closed by virtue of chapter 769 of the Laws of 1897, distant 131 feet 6 1/8 inches southerly from the point of intersection of the said westerly line of said right-of-way and the southerly line of Sheepshead Bay Road, and running thence easterly at right angles to the said westerly line of said right-of-way 25 feet to the westerly line of West 1st Street, as now laid out; running thence southerly and along the westerly line of West 1st Street, as now laid out, 60 feet; running thence westerly at right angles to the said westerly line of said right-of-way 25 feet to the westerly line of said right-of-way; running thence northerly and along the westerly line of said right-of-way 60 feet to the point or place of beginning,

—in consideration of the sum of \$800, plus an additional charge of \$12.50 for the preparation of the necessary papers. The release to contain the following terms and conditions:

That the grantee waive any and all claim for damages arising out of the closing of the street or avenue.

That the grantee is the owner of the land fronting on the section of the right-of-way street or avenue to be conveyed.

The deed not to be delivered until the grantee has paid whatever taxes and assessments are liens against the premises to be conveyed.

Respectfully, ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Whereas, Israel Schulman, in a communication addressed to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, requests a release of the City's interest in two parcels of land located on the westerly side of West First Street, between Sheepshead Bay Road and Sea Breeze Avenue, Borough of Brooklyn.

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby determine that the land described as follows is not needed for any public use;

All those two certain lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, bounded and described as follows:

Parcel 1.

Beginning at a point on the westerly line of old right of way, now discontinued and closed by virtue of Chapter 769 of the Laws of 1897, distant 861 feet southerly from the point of intersection of the said westerly line of said right of way and the southerly line of Sheepshead Bay Road, and running thence easterly at right angles to the said westerly line of said right of way 25 feet to the westerly line of West 1st Street, as now laid out; running thence southerly along the said westerly line of West 1st Street, as now laid out, 100 feet; running thence westerly at right angles to the said westerly line of said right of way 25 feet to the westerly line of said right of way; running thence northerly along the said westerly line of said right of way 100 feet to the point or place of beginning; also

Parcel 2.

Beginning at a point on the westerly line of the right of way, now discontinued and closed by virtue of Chapter 769 of the Laws of 1897, distant 131 feet 6 1/8 inches southerly from the point of intersection of the said westerly line of said right of way and the southerly line of Sheepshead Bay Road, and running thence easterly at right angles to the said westerly line of said right of way 25 feet to the westerly line of West 1st Street, as now laid out; running thence southerly and along the westerly line of West 1st Street, as now laid out, 60 feet; running thence westerly at right angles to the said westerly line of said right of way 25 feet to the westerly line of said right of way; running thence northerly and along the westerly line of said right of way 60 feet to the point or place of beginning

—and be it further

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 205 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby authorize a release to Israel Schulman, No. 44 Mermaid Avenue, Coney Island, Borough of Brooklyn, of the interest of the City of New York in and to the property hereinabove in this resolution bounded and described in consideration of the sum of eight hundred dollars (\$800) plus an additional charge of twelve dollars and fifty cents (\$12.50) for the preparation of the necessary papers. The release to contain the following terms and conditions:

That the grantee waive any and all claim for damages arising out of the closing of the street or avenue.

That the grantee is the owner of the land fronting on the section of the right of way, street or avenue to be conveyed.

The deed not to be delivered until the grantee has paid whatever taxes and assessments are liens against the premises to be conveyed.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Redemption of Mortgages and Payment of Interest Authorized on Certain Property on Inwood Hill, Manhattan.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

March 24, 1917.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—At meetings of the Sinking Fund Commission held respectively on June 1, 1916, and on July 13, 1916, resolutions were duly adopted authorizing the acquirement by exchange of certain property theretofore owned by Mitchell A. C. Levy, the parcels of property conveyed to the City being subject to mortgages in the aggregate sum of \$107,000, as more particularly set forth in the statement marked "Exhibit A," hereto attached and forming part of this report, giving the amounts, maturity dates, rates of interest, due dates of latter, and amount of interest payable on the mortgages which were thus assumed by the City in the acquirement of the properties by exchange referred to herein.

On July 28, 1916, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment approved the resolutions and the action of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund and consented to the exchange of the property referred to.

In closing the transaction the City received \$1,039.46 as interest accrued to August 9, 1916, on mortgages held on property known as Lots 80, 90, 95, 431 and 455, Block 2256, Section 8, Borough of Manhattan, acquired, as previously stated herein, from Mitchell A. C. Levy. Of the amount thus received \$25.44 was used in the payment of interest falling due on September 1st on a mortgage of \$1,375 held by the Postal Life Insurance Company, and \$1,002.64 was used in payment of interest falling due on October 28th on mortgages of \$22,000 and of \$7,500 respectively held by L. Napoleon Levy and a mortgage of \$5,000 held by Robert J. McManamy.

There was no provision whatever made for the payment of the interest on the seven separate mortgages on these properties, aggregating \$107,000, which the City took over with the properties it acquired, other than the amount of \$1,039.46 which the City received as interest accrued to August 9, 1916, on the properties known as Lots 80, 90, 95, 431 and 455, of Block 2256, Section 8, Manhattan; neither has there been any provision whatever made for taking up the mortgages.

The mortgage of \$45,000 held by the Union Dime Savings Institution is past due, and all of the others may be taken up at any time. Three of these mortgages carry 5 1/2 per cent and three of them 6 per cent interest. It would seem a wise policy on the part of the City to take up these mortgages at the earliest possible date.

Section 205 of the Charter, as amended by Chapter 259, Laws of 1913, provides in part that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund—

"* * * shall * * * have power to sell * * * any city property. * * * The proceeds of said sale * * * shall, on receipt thereof, after paying necessary charges, be immediately paid to the credit of the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt; except that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund shall have power to provide that the proceeds derived from any sale of real estate or interest therein remaining after the payment therefrom of the necessary charges of the sale and of any liens and charges upon the property sold, be paid to the credit of an appropriately designated fund, hereby created, and applied to the purchase of other real estate deemed necessary for public purposes when and as authorized, pursuant to the provisions of this act, with

the same force and effect as if such disbursement was from the proceeds of the sale of corporate stock authorized to be issued for the purchase of real estate. *The fund hereby created shall be under the control of the said Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, * * **

Under the discretionary authority vested in them by the foregoing amendment to the Charter the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund have created a special account titled—

"S.109-L—Sales of City Property, under Section 205 of the Charter, as amended by Chapter 259, Laws of 1913."

The City of New York, Department of Finance, Bureau of Accountancy—Statement Giving Amounts, Maturity Dates, Rates of Interest, Due Dates of Letter, and Amount of Interest Payable on Mortgages Assumed by the City in the Acquisition of Certain Property by Exchange, Authorized July 13, 1916, and July 28, 1916.

There is a balance of \$386,075.72 in said Fund (March 24, 1917), and it would seem from the provisions of the Charter hereinbefore quoted that this would be the proper fund from which to take up and pay off the mortgages of \$107,000 at such date as may be determined upon by resolution of the Sinking Fund Commissioners. To accomplish this I herewith submit the following resolutions for action by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, which would authorize the payment of the mortgages referred to herein from the moneys in account S.109-L. Respectfully,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

The City of New York, Department of Finance, Bureau of Accountancy—Statement Giving Amounts, Maturity Dates, Rates of Interest, Due Dates of Letter, and Amount of Interest Payable on Mortgages Assumed by the City in the Acquisition of Certain Property by Exchange, Authorized July 13, 1916, and July 28, 1916.

Mortgagee.	Date.	Amount.	Date of Maturity.	Rate of Interest.	Interest Payable.	Interest Payable in 1917 to				Interest Payable in 1916.		
						Janu- ary 13th.	Febru- ary 1st.	March 1st.	April 7th.	Sep- tember.	Octo- ber.	Novem- ber.
1. Union Dime Savings Institu- tion	Jan. 27, 1909	\$45,000 00	Past due	5 1/2%	Nov. and May	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	\$1,237 50
2. L. Napoleon Levy	Jan. 27, 1914	22,000 00	May 28, 1917	*.....	Apr. 28-Oct. 28	.....	.....	.....	\$534 42	.....	\$635 87	.....
3. L. Napoleon Levy	Apr. 12, 1915	7,500 00	May 28, 1917	*.....	Apr. 28-Oct. 28	.....	.....	.....	182 19	.....	216 77	.....
4. Robert J. McManamy	Apr. 28, 1916	5,000 00	Apr. 28, 1917	6%	Apr. 28-Oct. 28	.....	.....	.....	132 50	.....	150 00	.....
5. Postal Life Insurance Com- pany	May 10, 1916	1,375 00	Apr. 28, 1917	6%	March 1	.....	.....	.....	\$41 25	8 48	\$25 44	.....
6. Sterling Holding Corporation	July 17, 1916	2,500 00	Apr. 19, 1917	6%	Jan. 13-July 13	\$73 33	.....	.....	35 00	.....	.....	.....
7. L. Napoleon Levy	Aug. 1, 1916	23,625 00	Aug. 1, 1917	5 1/2%	Feb. 1-Aug. 1	.....	.....	.....	\$649 69	241 82	.....	.....
Total Mortgages		\$107,000 00				\$73 33	\$649 69	\$41 25	\$1,134 41	\$25 44 a	\$1,002 64 b	\$1,237 50
										Total Jan. 13 to Apr. 7, 1917, \$1,898 68.	All of which has been paid.	

*6% to Aug. 9, 1916; thereafter 5 1/2%. aFrom accrued Interest received at exchange of property. bRevenue Bond Fund for Claims—Miscellaneous.

Whereas, On January 7, 1916, the matter of the exchange of property of private owners at Inwood Hill for property owned by the City of New York was referred to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund; and

Whereas, At meetings held by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund on June 1, 1916, and on July 13, 1916, respectively, resolutions were adopted, authorizing exchanges of property owned by the City of New York for land owned by private owners, as specifically described in the resolutions of the Sinking Fund Commission, adopted on said dates; and

Whereas, Among the property thus conveyed to the City of New York were certain parcels owned by Mitchell A. C. Levy, subject to mortgages in the aggregate sum of one hundred and seven thousand dollars (\$107,000), which mortgages were assumed by the City of New York; and

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment on July 28, 1916, in accordance with the provisions of Section 205a of the Greater New York Charter, duly approved the previous resolutions and the action of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund and consented to the exchange of the properties referred to; and

Whereas, No resolution having heretofore been adopted or provision made for the paying off of the mortgages of one hundred and seven thousand (\$107,000) dollars assumed by the City of New York in the exchange of these properties, and as the payment of such mortgages is in effect a purchase of real estate and, as such, would be payable from account S. 109-L under resolutions duly adopted by the Sinking Fund Commission authorizing such use of said moneys; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized to take up and redeem the seven separate mortgages, aggregating one hundred and seven thousand (\$107,000) dollars, which mortgages are more specifically described in the communication of the Comptroller to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund with respect thereto, dated March 24, 1917; said redemption of or taking up of said mortgages to be made payable from the moneys derived from sales of City property and which, in accordance with the discretionary provisions of Section 205 of the Charter, as amended by Chapter 259, Laws of 1913, have been credited to account S. 109-L, which moneys the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund may apply to the purchase of real estate deemed necessary for public purposes; and be it further

Resolved, That the interest payable on said mortgages up to the date on which the principal of each mortgage will be redeemed, shall be payable as a claim against the City and be paid from and charged against the Revenue Bond Fund for Claims.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

The following matters on the calendar requiring a unanimous vote were laid over:

33. Manhattan College—Petition of, for the cancellation of certain assessments.
34. Church of the Holy Nativity—Petition of, for the cancellation of certain assessments.
35. Tremont Temple Congregation, Gates of Mercy—Petition of, for the cancellation of certain assessments.
36. St. Michael's Roman Catholic Church—Petition of, for the cancellation of certain assessments.
37. The Academy of Mount St. Ursula—Petition of, for the cancellation of certain assessments.
38. The Salvation Army—Petition of, for the cancellation of certain assessments.
39. Mott Avenue Methodist Episcopal Church—Petition of, for the cancellation of certain assessments.

The following matters not on the calendar were considered by unanimous consent:

Voluntary Defense Committee—Assignment to, of Premises at 57 Centre St., Manhattan.

The Deputy and Acting Comptroller presented the following report and offered the following resolution:

March 29, 1917.

To the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Gentlemen—I am in receipt of an application from the Chairman of the Voluntary Defenders' Committee for the assignment of space in a City building, near the Criminal Courts Building, to be used for counsel for needy defendants in criminal cases.

This Committee is a benevolent and charitable organization which proposes to employ a staff of attorneys and investigators who will offer their services free of charge to the Criminal Court in cases where the law provides for the assignment of counsel to the defendant. This application has the approval of the District Attorney, Judge Mulqueen of the Court of General Sessions and the Commissioner of the Department of Correction.

The second floor of the building owned by the City at 57 Centre Street, occupied by the Department of Public Charities, has been surrendered by that department, and the Corporation Counsel advises me that it may be assigned to this Committee.

I therefore respectfully recommend that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopt a resolution assigning the entire second floor of the building owned by the City at 57 Centre Street, Borough of Manhattan, to the Voluntary Defenders Committee, such assignment to continue during the pleasure of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund. Respectfully,

ALBERT E. HADLOCK, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Resolved, That, pursuant to law, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund hereby assign to the Voluntary Defenders' Committee the entire second floor of the building owned by the City at No. 57 Centre Street, Borough of Manhattan, said assignment to continue during the pleasure of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

The report was accepted and the resolution adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Dock Department—Temporary Subletting by the Hamburg-American Line of Pier 65, North River, and Pier at the Foot of 33rd St., South Brooklyn, Authorized.

The following was received from the Commissioner of Docks:

March 27, 1917.

Hon. JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, Mayor and Chairman of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

Sir—Referring to the verbal statement made by me before your Honorable Board on March 15, 1917, I now beg to submit for your consideration the following:

Resolution to Oppose Bill Introduced in the Legislature to Abolish the Sinking Fund Commission.

The President of the Board of Aldermen brought up the matter of a bill introduced in the Legislature to abolish the Board of Commissioners of the Sinking Fund and to vest its powers and duties in the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and requested an expression of opinion in regard to it.

The President called attention to the fact that neither the Board of Estimate and Apportionment nor the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund request this legislation; that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment is already overburdened with public business and that the proposed legislation would serve no good purpose; that the Sinking Fund Commission as at present constituted is practically no expense to the City, all the work of the Commission being done by employees in the Department of Finance in addition to their regular routine work; that the sinking fund securities are in the care and custody of the Comptroller and all the accounts of the various sinking funds are kept by bookkeepers in the Department of Finance; that all matters to come before the Commission for action are investigated and reported on by the Comptroller, who is the financial officer of the corporation, with a large staff of Accountants, Engineers and Real Estate Experts, which reports and other information necessary to intelligent action on the part of the Board as a whole, are presented to the Board for their guidance before any action is taken; that if the bill is not defeated it would mean the creation of a new bureau in the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to handle its new functions, meaning an increase in the cost of government without corresponding advantage in the dispatch of public business.

After discussion, it was the opinion of all the members that the bill should be defeated.

The Chairman of the Finance Committee, Board of Aldermen, thereupon offered the following resolution:

Whereas, There has been introduced in the Legislature a Bill known as Assembly Introductory No. 1342, being an Act to amend the Greater New York Charter to the end that the Board of Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of the City of New York be abolished and to vest its powers and duties in the Board of Estimate and Apportionment; and

Whereas, In view of the fact that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment is

already heavily burdened with public business and in further view of the fact that such legislation will increase the cost of government without corresponding advantage in the despatch of public business; it is therefore

Resolved, That it is the sense of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund that this Bill should be opposed and defeated, and it is further

Resolved, That the Secretary be and is hereby directed to transmit a copy of this resolution to the Chairman of the Senate Committee on Affairs of the City of New York; to the Chairman of the Assembly Committee on Affairs of Cities and to the representative of the Corporation Counsel in Albany.

Which resolution was adopted, all the members present voting in the affirmative.

Public Service Commission—Communication from, Requesting the Turning Over to the Commission, at a Valuation of \$125,000, of Certain Premises at Jerome Ave. and Mosholu Parkway, Bronx.

At a meeting of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund held March 15, 1917, this matter was referred to a Committee consisting of the Chamberlain, Comptroller and Chairman of the Finance Committee, Board of Aldermen.

The Chamberlain announced that a public hearing on this matter will be given at the next regular meeting of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, which will be held on Thursday, April 12, 1917.

Adjourned.

JOHN KORB, Jr., Secretary.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

Minutes of Meeting of the Municipal Civil Service Commission of The City of New York, Held Wednesday, Feb. 14, 1917, at 10:30 A. M.

Present—Dr. Henry Moskowitz, President, and Darwin R. James Jr., Commissioner. The President presided.

A public hearing was had on the proposed amendment of the Municipal Civil Service Classification by including in the Exempt Class, under the heading "Department of Plant and Structures," the following: Examiner (Confidential). The Secretary presented communication dated Jan. 26 from the Commissioner of Plant and Structures requesting the exemption referred to. George T. Keyes, Secretary of the Civil Service Reform Association, appeared in opposition.

There were no other appearances and the Chair declared the hearing closed.

A public hearing was had on the proposed amendment of the Municipal Civil Service Classification by striking from the exempt class, under the heading "Department of Public Charities," the line "10 Chaplains" and substituting therefor the line "11 Chaplains." Clifford J. Gordon, Clerk in the Department of Public Charities, appeared in favor of the proposed amendment. There were no other appearances and the Chair declared the hearing closed.

A public hearing was had on the proposed amendment of the Municipal Civil Service Classification by including in the Labor Class, Part III, the title "Mason (Sewer Repair)." Daniel V. Duff, a Salary and Grade Examiner of the Bureau of Personal Service of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and William Klein, General Inspector in the Bureau of Sewers, Manhattan, appeared in favor of the proposed amendment. There were no other appearances and the Chair declared the hearing closed.

The Commission then went into regular session and the minutes of the meeting held Jan. 10 were approved.

On motion, it was

Resolved, that, subject to the approval of the Mayor and the State Civil Service Commission, the Municipal Civil Service Classification be and the same hereby is amended by including in the Exempt Class, under the heading "Department of Plant and Structures," the following title: Examiner (Confidential).

On motion, it was

Resolved, that the classification of positions in the exempt class, under the heading "Department of Public Charities," be and the same hereby is amended by changing the line "10 Chaplains" to read: "11 Chaplains."

On motion, the matter of the proposed amendment of the Municipal Civil Service Classification by including in the Labor Class, Part III, the title "Mason (Sewer Repair)," was laid over for the opinions of the Borough Presidents who were not represented at the public hearing, and the Secretary was instructed to certify under a special certificate the payrolls of the persons employed as Masons (Sewer Repair) in the office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan pending a decision as to the classification of that position.

A communication dated Feb. 13 was presented from the Secretary of the Department of Public Charities with further reference to the request of the Commissioner of that department that the position of Caretaker (Mortuary) be included in the Non-Competitive Class therefor. It appearing that the department had found it impossible to secure an appointee from the appropriate eligible list of Attendant, on motion, it was

Resolved, that the Municipal Civil Service Classification be and the same hereby is amended by including in the Non-Competitive Class, Part I, under the heading "Positions in the Department of Public Charities, at compensations not exceeding the amounts set forth below (City Institutions)," the following: Caretaker (Mortuary), \$840 per annum (without maintenance).

The following resolutions were adopted after a hearing of each of the persons named therein:

Resolved, that the request of James J. Wilson, 225 E. 71st st., Manhattan, that his name be removed from the list of persons disqualified for employment in the City Service be and the same hereby is denied.

Resolved, that the following names be and the same hereby are removed from the list of persons disqualified for employment in the City Service: William J. Moroney, 2444 Valentine ave., Bronx; Domenico Mantanino, 258 N. 7th st., Brooklyn.

Resolved, that Michael H. Bennett, 633 First ave., Manhattan, be and he hereby is marked "Qualified" for employment as Automobile Engineer (Ambulance) in the Department of Public Charities under clause 11 of Rule XVIII.

Resolved, that the name of Edward J. Boylston, 321 E. 169th st., The Bronx, be and the same hereby is removed from the eligible list of Plan Examiner, Grade C, under the provisions of clause 14 of Rule VII, and placed upon the list of persons disqualified for employment in the City Service.

Resolved, that the name of Edward Saphir, 447 Schenck ave., Brooklyn, be and the same hereby is removed from the eligible list of Junior Law Assistant and placed upon the list of persons disqualified for employment in the City Service.

Resolved, That the disqualification appearing against the name of Albert D. Salmon on the eligible list of Institutional Inspector be and the same is hereby removed.

Resolved, That the disqualification appearing against the name of Peter F. Murphy, 266 Nepperham ave., Yonkers, N. Y., on the eligible list of Patrolman be and the same is hereby removed.

Resolved, That the following names be and the same hereby are removed from the eligible list of Patrolman under the provisions of clause 14 of Rule VII, and placed upon the list of persons disqualified for employment in the City service: Otto H. Schmitz, 184 Prince Bay rd., Prince Bay, S. I.; Michael J. Toolan, 343 E. 133d st., Bronx; Anthony J. Spicariach, 3910 Bailey ave., Bronx. Francis J. Sullivan, 176 Lewis st., Manhattan; William J. Donnelly, 504 Prospect ave., Brooklyn; Peter McKeever, 63 North Prince st., Flushing, L. I.; Frank J. Greimel, 613 Third ave., Manhattan.

Sam Manus, 33 Sumner ave., Brooklyn, failed to appear, as directed, to show cause why his name should not be removed from the eligible list of Fireman on account of physical disability. On motion, it was

Resolved, That the name of Sam Manus, 33 Sumner ave., Brooklyn, be and the same hereby is removed from the eligible list of Fireman under the provisions of clause 14 of Rule VII. on account of physical disability.

William Spielberg, 211 Henry st., Manhattan, appeared, as directed, in connection with the removal of his name from the eligible list of Physician, Clinic. The action of the Commission remained unchanged.

Edward Stalter, 324 W. 49th st., Manhattan, failed to appear, as directed, in connection with his request that his name be removed from the disqualified list and the request was denied.

The following named candidates on the eligible list of Patrolman appeared as

directed and their cases were laid over: Daniel M. Tierney, 165 St. Nicholas ave., Manhattan; Henry L. Everitt, 210 E. 70th st., Manhattan.

James F. Hennessy, 1008 W. 1st st., Brooklyn, a candidate on the eligible list of Patrolman, failed to appear, as directed, and the Secretary was instructed to continue the disqualification appearing against his name on the eligible list.

Charles Sesselman, 100 Van Deventer ave., L. I. City, a candidate on the eligible list of Blacksmith, appeared as directed. In connection with his case the Commission considered a report dated Feb. 13 from the Examiner in Charge of the Bureau of Investigation. On motion, it was

Resolved, That the disqualification appearing against the name of Charles Sesselman, 100 Van Deventer ave., L. I. City, on the eligible list of Blacksmith be and the same hereby is removed.

The Commission confirmed the action of the Secretary in revoking certification of the name of Nahum Fieldman to Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, from the eligible list of Pharmacist and placing it on the list of persons disqualified for employment in the City Service.

Upon the recommendation of the Committee on Transfers, the following transfers were approved: John Peterson, Assistant Engineer, Designer, from office of the President, Borough of Manhattan, at \$1,800 per annum to Board of Water Supply at \$2,100 per annum; Harry A. Maloney, Clerk at \$300 per annum, from Tenement House Department, to Department of Plant and Structures; Solomon Unger, Clerk at \$660 per annum, from Tenement House Department, to Department of Finance; Arthur O'Sullivan, Clerk at \$300 per annum, from Department of Health to Law Department; Harry Berkowitz, from Laundryman at \$1,320 per annum, to Supervisor of Laundry at \$1,320 per annum, Bellevue and Allied Hospitals (clause 3 of Rule XIV.); Thomas R. Corneilson, Clerk, from Department of Education at \$480 per annum, to Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity at \$540 per annum; Wilma Flanagan, Stenographer and Typewriter, from Department of Education at \$600 per annum, to Board of City Record at \$720 per annum; John W. Fallon, Inspector of Carpentry and Masonry at \$1,200 per annum, from office of the President, Borough of Manhattan, to Bureau of Buildings, Bronx; Louis J. McNally, from Storekeeper at \$1,560 per annum, to Steward at \$1,800 per annum in Department of Public Charities (clause 3 of Rule XIV.); Stephen McDonald, Licensed Fireman, from Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity to office of the President, Borough of Queens; Arthur W. Tidd, Assistant Engineer, from Board of Water Supply at \$3,000 per annum, to Board of Estimate and Apportionment at \$2,400 per annum; W. S. Korwan, Topographical Draftsman at \$1,320 per annum, from office of the President, Borough of Manhattan, to office of the President, Borough of Queens; Pietro Linquitto, from Sweeper to Driver in Department of Street Cleaning, effective Feb. 3, 1917; Edward H. Tomblin, Stationary Engineer at \$4.50 a day, from Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, to Department of Docks and Ferries; Giuseppe Caggiano, from Laborer to Driver in office of the President, Borough of Richmond; Jeremiah Haggerty, Laborer, from office of the President, Borough of Manhattan, to Police Department; Patrick Powers, from Driver to Sweeper in Department of Street Cleaning; James V. Collins, Stenographer and Typewriter, from Department of Street Cleaning at \$660 per annum to Fire Department at \$780 per annum; John F. Farrell, Carpenter, from Department of Parks, Manhattan and Richmond, to office of the President, Borough of Manhattan.

Upon the recommendation of the Committee on Transfers, the Commission disapproved the transfer of Edward Cain from Laborer in Department of Parks, Queens, to Sweeper in office of the President, Borough of Queens.

Upon the recommendation of the Committee on Reinstatements, the following reinstatements were approved: Thomas Finnen as Water Tender, Department of Docks and Ferries; Della A. Fergus as Nurse, Department of Health; Salvatore Alfieri as Laborer, office of the President, Borough of Brooklyn (section 1543-b of the Charter).

On the recommendation of the Committee on Special and Temporary Appointments, the following appointments were approved in accordance with the requests of the several departments on the dates specified:

CLAUSE 3, RULE XII.

Feb. 7—Office of the President of the Borough of Queens, pending promotion lists specified: Frederick H. Sheppard, Assistant Engineer at \$2,460, pending list for Assistant Engineer, Grade E, Bureau of Administration; Joseph F. Burns, Clerk at \$1,200, pending list for Clerk, Grade 3, Bureau of Administration; Thomas Hart, Clerk at \$1,200, pending list for Clerk, Grade 3, Bureau of Highways; May A. Toomey, Clerk at \$600, pending list for Clerk, Grade 2, Bureau of Sewers.

SPECIAL CERTIFICATE.

Feb. 9—William F. Bleibtreu, Watchman, Department of Finance, from Feb. 6 to 9, 1917, pending appointment from eligible list.

CLAUSE 4, RULE XII.

Feb. 2—Department of Docks and Ferries, for thirty days each: Richard W. C. Aiken, John R. Fairbanks, as Chief Marine Engineers at \$1,800 per annum; John H. O'Higgins, Timothy J. Harrington, John W. Cobb, as Marine Engineers at \$1,650 per annum; John P. Robinson as Captain at \$1,920 per annum; Alfred Squier, as Quarter-master at \$1,200 per annum; Robert Nott, Jr., as Mate at \$900 per annum. Feb. 2—Francis E. Gates, Thomas F. Ryan, Clerks, Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, at \$840 per annum, for two periods of fifteen days each.

Feb. 6—Hyman M. Epstein, Gas Inspector, Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, at \$1,200 per annum, for fifteen days from Jan. 31, 1917.

Feb. 20—Jacob J. Tuck, Clerk, College of the City of New York, at \$600 per annum, on Jan. 16, 1917.

Feb. 7—Interpreters, Coroners' Office, Borough of Brooklyn, at \$5 a day, for periods stated: Davis Slackman, Polish, for 5 days; Morris Salpeter, German and Hebrew, for 2 days.

Feb. 5—George B. Pettit, Examiner of Purchase and Supplies, Central Purchase Commission, at \$2,160 per annum, for thirty days from Jan. 1, 1917.

Jan. 31—Harold C. McKenna, Clerk, Department of Parks, Manhattan and Richmond, at \$300 per annum, for two periods of fifteen days each from Jan. 30, 1917.

Feb. 6—Interpreters, City Magistrates' Courts, at \$5 a day: Henry Van Zyl, Belgian, on Jan. 29; James J. Tully, Deaf and Dumb, on Jan. 31; George Lautem, Flemish and French, on Jan. 31; D. S. Signers, Hindu, on Feb. 2.

Feb. 10—John F. McKenna, Clerk, Bureau of Buildings, Manhattan, at \$540 per annum, for two periods of fifteen days each from Feb. 10, 1917.

Jan. 29—Harold Clemens, Accountant, Department of Finance, at \$2,400 per annum, for ten days from Jan. 16, 1917.

Feb. 9—Beryl D. Leist, Stenographer and Typewriter, Department of Finance, at \$840 per annum, for fifteen days from Feb. 9, 1917.

Feb. 5—Clerks, Department of Finance, for two periods of fifteen days each: William S. Hojer, at \$300 per annum, from Feb. 8; Samuel Druckman, at \$300 per annum, from Feb. 7.

Feb. 7—Evelyn L. McKenna, Stenographer and Typewriter, Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, at \$720 per annum, for a second period of fifteen days.

Dec. 23—Thomas Harkins, Electrician, Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, at \$1,200 per annum, for three days from Dec. 23, 1916.

Feb. 9—Bernard Reynolds, General Plant Operator, Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, at \$1,320 per annum, for fifteen days from Feb. 6, 1917.

Feb. 2—Clerks, Board of Child Welfare, for fifteen days each: Lillian Woolley, \$600; Maud Holeston, \$360.

Jan. 30—Social Investigators, Board of Child Welfare, at \$1,080 per annum, for fifteen days each: Frances O'Connell, Hazel Weston.

Feb. 2—Marion Bayard, Social Investigator, Board of Child Welfare, at \$1,080 per annum, for a second period of fifteen days from Feb. 2, 1917.

Feb. 7—Department of Public Charities: Rudolph Navarette, Caretaker, Mortuary, \$660, for fifteen days from Feb. 1, 1917; Ernestine Doychert, Physician, \$1,200, for a second period of fifteen days from Jan. 27, 1917; William Miller, Clerk, \$840, for six days from Feb. 1, 1917; Henry Schlesinger, Physician, \$4 a day, on Jan. 13, 20, 27 and Feb. 3, 1917.

Feb. 6—Clerks, Department of Health, for two periods of fifteen days each: Cornelius B. Callahan, Abraham J. Rojofsky, \$600, from Jan. 1, 1917; Benjamin Resnick, \$300, from Feb. 2, 1917.

Feb. 7—Elizabeth Lucken, Anna M. Harrington, Stenographers and Typewriters, Department of Street Cleaning, at \$4 a day, for seven days each from Dec. 15, 1916.

Jan. 10—Louis Ortner, Assistant Engineer, Power Plant Supervision, Department of Public Charities, at \$3,000 per annum, from Jan. 1 to 7, inclusive.

Jan. 26—Prison Keepers, Department of Correction, at \$900 per annum: Louis

K. Kiefer, from Jan. 11 to 23, inclusive; Joseph Faust, James E. Shields, from Jan. 23 to 31, inclusive.

Feb. 7—William Miller, Clerk, office of President of the Borough of Manhattan, at \$600 per annum, for fifteen days from Feb. 7, 1917.

CLAUSE 12, RULE XVIII.

Feb. 5—Department of Health, for fifteen days each: Internes at \$120 per annum, from Jan. 1, 1917: Arthur G. Cooke, Marshall Ford Morris, Jr., Samuel Adams Cohen, Lawrie Wilson Blake. Nurses at \$600 per annum, from Jan. 1, 1917: Marie Catherine Cotter, Nellie Frances Murray, Margaret J. Walsh, Ella Florence Way.

Feb. 8—Ernest A. Hellman, Orderly, Department of Health, at \$600 per annum, for thirty days from Jan. 27, 1917.

Feb. 6—Krikon Davidian, Head Cook, Department of Public Charities, at \$720 per annum, for fifteen days from Feb. 1.

Feb. 8—Harry Hogan, Auto Engineman (Ambulance), Department of Public Charities, at \$960 per annum, for six days from Feb. 7, 1917.

Feb. 7—Trained Nurses, Department of Public Charities, at \$600 per annum, for thirty days each: Agnes C. Tully, Jean Reid Lecates, M. A. McGinley, Mary Clarke, Florence A. Purcell, Florence R. Mintzes, Loretta F. McC. Miller, Margaret Ruth Howard, Alyce L. Webber, Agnes K. Carnes, Julia Strong Phillips, Mildred A. Knapp.

CLAUSE 11, RULE XIX.

Feb. 6—Department of Docks and Ferries, at \$1,140 per annum, for thirty days from Feb. 5, 1917: Water Tenders: Edw. E. Finn, Martin Herbert, James Newman. Oilers: William H. Gallagher, John White. Feb. 6—James McCusker, Mechanic's Helper, Board of Water Supply, at \$3 a day, for three periods of five days each from Jan. 27, 1917. Feb. 6—Victor Magnotti, Driver, office of President of the Borough of Richmond, at \$792 per annum, for five days from Feb. 5, 1917.

Feb. 9—Patrick Kellett, Licensed Fireman, Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, at \$3 a day, from Jan. 25 to 30, 1917, inclusive.

Feb. 3 (2)—John Mulvey, Thomas Gentles, Licensed Firemen, Department of Public Charities, at \$3 a day, for ten days each. Henry McCarthy, Cleaner, Department of Public Charities, at \$360 per annum, for ten days from Jan. 29, 1917.

Feb. 6—Laborers on snow removal, Department of Plant and Structures, at 30 cents per hour: Frank Kruss and 7 others, Pat Nolan and 43 others, on Feb. 5, 1917; Thos. Cunningham and 72 others, Billie Gona and 14 others, on Feb. 5 and 6, 1917; P. Brown and 27 others, on Feb. 6, 1917.

Feb. 2—John H. Gardiner, Oiler, Department of Docks and Ferries, at \$1,140 per annum, for thirty days from Feb. 8, 1917.

Feb. 6—Peter Brady, Auto Truck Driver, Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, at \$900 per annum, from Jan. 1 to 19, 1917.

Feb. 9—283 Sweepers, 559 Drivers, Department of Street Cleaning, for week ending Feb. 3, 1917.

Feb. 9—Henry J. Bomford, Asphalt Worker, office of President of the Borough of Brooklyn, pending eligible list.

Feb. 7—Licensed Firemen, College of the City of New York: William J. McKenna on Feb. 2 and 3, 1917; Michael Craig on Feb. 3, 1917; John Nailed on Feb. 4 and 5, 1917; William J. McKenna, Patrick Kellett, John Rush, for five days each from Feb. 6, 1917.

Feb. 7—Thomas Murphy, Coal Passer, College of the City of New York, on Feb. 2, and five days from Feb. 4, 1917; Thomas Murphy, Laborer, College of the City of New York, on Feb. 3, 1917. Cleaners, College of the City of New York: Thomas Murphy, five days from Jan. 28, 1917; John Flood, five days from Feb. 5, 1917.

Jan. 30—Charles Reilly, Licensed Fireman, office of President of the Borough of Brooklyn, from Jan. 20 to 23, inclusive; Feb. 2 and 3, and five days from Feb. 5, 1917.

On the recommendation of the Committee on Special and Temporary Appointments, the request contained in a communication from the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, dated Feb. 2, 1917, for the continuation of the employment of Joseph Politi, as Stationary Engineer, for an additional period of thirty days, under the provisions of clause 1, Rule XII, was denied for lack of power, the eligible list from which Mr. Politi was appointed having expired.

The Commission approved the action of the Committee on Special and Temporary Appointments in adopting the recommendations contained in the following reports of Assistant Chief Examiner Fuld:

Report (C-137) dated Feb. 9 recommending that Frederick A. Leslie be marked qualified for employment as Pharmaceutical Chemist in the Department of Health, under clause 3 of Rule XII.

Report (C-124) dated Feb. 9 recommending that Arthur A. McNally be marked "Qualified" for employment as Elevator Inspector in the Bureau of Buildings, Manhattan, under clause 3 of Rule XII.

Reports (L-81b, L-87, L-88, L-93b, L-95 and L-102) dated Feb. 13 recommending that the following-named persons be marked "Qualified" for employment as Trained Nurses in the Department of Public Charities, under clause 11 of Rule XVIII: Grace M. Dymmette, Bessie Boswell, Mary G. Gribben, Rosamond E. McDonald, Ellen Brady, Florence Spaulding, Mary Verdier, Margaret M. O'Neill, Lucy A. Connelly, Mary K. Feeney, Bessie A. Vojik.

Report (L-74) dated Feb. 13 recommending that Archibald Thompson be marked "Qualified" for employment as Auto Engineman (Ambulance) in the Department of Public Charities, under clause 11 of Rule XVIII.

Report (L-82a) dated Feb. 13 recommending that William E. Ball be marked "Qualified" for employment as Medical Interne in the Department of Public Charities, under clause 11 of Rule XVIII.

Report (L-105) dated Feb. 9 recommending that William Dickson be marked "Qualified" for employment as Foreman of Laborers in the Department of Public Charities, under clause 11 of Rule XVIII.

Upon the recommendation of the Acting Chief Examiner, in a report dated Feb. 13, it was

Resolved, that Joseph L. Mayer, 274 W. 140th st., Manhattan, be and he hereby is appointed an Expert Examiner in the office of the Commission, under the provisions of clause 8 of Rule XII, in connection with the examination for Chemist (Pharmaceutical).

A report dated Feb. 7 was presented from the Acting Chief Examiner, relative to the request of the Police Commissioner for an eligible list from which to appoint two Police Surgeons for a temporary period. The Secretary was instructed to certify the preferred list of Medical Examiner, Grade 3, Department of Street Cleaning, for one of the vacancies, provided the Commissioner or Street Cleaning certified that the person whose name appeared thereon had served part time in his department, and to inform the Police Commissioner that the other vacancy might be filled under the provisions of clause 3 of Rule XII, pending promulgation of the eligible list of Police Surgeon and Medical Officer, Fire Department.

Upon the recommendation of the Acting Chief Examiner, in a report dated Feb. 8, it was

Resolved, that the employment of Lieutenant S. C. Saulnier as Expert Examiner in connection with the pistol test in the examination for promotion to Sergeant, Police Department, on Feb. 3, in the place and stead of Lieutenant R. A. Osman, who had been previously appointed for such test, be and the same hereby is approved under clause 8 of Rule XII.

A report dated Feb. 7 was presented from the Acting Chief Examiner, transmitting a communication dated Dec. 29, 1916, from the Corporation Counsel, in which he notified the Commission, among other matters, of the restoration in salary of Charles R. Hartmann, a Law Clerk, to \$2,340 per annum. The restoration in salary was approved under clause 24 of Rule XV.

A report dated Feb. 9, was presented from the Acting Chief Examiner, recommending that an examination be ordered for promotion to Clerk, Second Grade, office of the Mayor, Bureau of Weights and Measures, to be open to all Clerks, First Grade, eligible. The recommendation was adopted.

A report (Y-92) dated Feb. 8, was presented from Mr. Fuld, Assistant Chief Examiner, relative to the alleged improper assignment of a laborer in the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity to perform the duties of a clerk. The matter was referred to Examiner Mayers for investigation.

A report (S-227) dated Feb. 10, was presented from Mr. Fuld, Assistant Chief Examiner, relative to the complaint of candidate No. 2415, in the examination for promotion to Sergeant, Police Department, that he did not receive his questions on time. The report was ordered filed.

A report (Y-94) dated Feb. 10, was presented from Mr. Fuld, Assistant Chief

Examiner, relative to the alleged improper assignment of Pearl Fisher, a trained nurse in the Department of Health. The matter was referred to Examiner Mayers for investigation.

A report (Y-93) dated Feb. 10, was presented from Mr. Fuld, Assistant Chief Examiner, relative to a complaint received against the alleged employment of aliens in the Dietary Department of Sea View Hospital, Department of Public Charities. The Secretary was instructed to take the matter up with the Commissioner of Public Charities.

Upon the recommendation of the Advisory Board in reports (2) dated Feb. 13, it was

Resolved, That the Secretary be and he hereby is instructed to proceed with open competitive examinations for the following positions:

Laboratory Assistant (Pathological Laboratory, Histology or Bacteriology and Serology).

Prison Keeper (Correction Officer).

Upon the recommendation of the Advisory Board in the same reports, the following forms of advertisements for the said examinations were approved:

Laboratory Assistant (Pathological Laboratory-Histology or Bacteriology and Serology).

Applicants must be citizens of the United States and residents of the State of New York.

The subjects and weights of the examination are: Experience, 4; 70% required. Practical Test, 6; 70% required.

A qualifying physical examination will be given.

Applications for this examination must be filed on a special blank, Form B, with insert.

Duties—To assist in the routine work of the Pathological Laboratory in one of the large City hospitals. The work includes the preparation of bacteriological media, of tissues for microscopical examination, and the performance of complement fixation and other serological tests.

Requirements—Candidates should have at least six months' experience in a hospital or research laboratory where the work above described is carried on. A practical test will be held in a laboratory. Candidates will be required to demonstrate their practical knowledge of (1) histological technique; or (2) of bacteriological and serological methods. Candidates will be required to indicate in which of these subjects they wish to be examined at the practical test, but they will be allowed to take both of the above practical tests.

The usual salary is \$720 per annum, with maintenance.

Candidates must be at least 21 years of age on or before the closing date for the receipt of applications.

There is one vacancy at present in the Department of Public Charities in the City Hospital at \$600 per annum, with maintenance.

The term of the eligibility of the list resulting from this examination is fixed at not less than one year nor more than four years.

Prison Keeper (Correction Officer).

Applicants must be citizens of the United States and residents of the State of New York.

The subjects and weights of the examination are: Physical examination, 3; 70% required. Mental examination, 5; 70% required. Experience, 2. 70% general average required.

The subjects and weights of the mental examination are: Duties, 8; Arithmetic, 1; Handwriting, 1.

Applications for this examination must be filed on a special blank, Form B.

Duties—To guard, discipline, care for and instruct inmates of correctional institutions.

Requirements—Candidates should have a common school education or its equivalent. Experience in the handling of men or in skilled trades will receive special consideration. Candidates must be not less than 5 feet 7 inches in height and not less than 140 pounds in weight. Candidates must be at least 21 years of age and not more than 40 years of age on or before the closing date for the receipt of applications. Candidates will be required to submit with their application a transcript of the records of the Bureau of Vital Statistics showing the date of birth, or, in lieu thereof, an authenticated transcript from the records of the church in which they were baptized, or other satisfactory proof.

The compensation rates proposed by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for this position are from \$900 to \$1,260 per annum. Under the terms and conditions of the budget for the year 1917, appointments will, as a rule, be made at the lowest compensation rate.

Vacancies in the Department of Correction occur from time to time.

The term of the eligibility of the list resulting from this examination is fixed at not less than one year nor more than four years.

Upon the recommendation of the Advisory Board in reports (2) dated Feb. 13, the following forms of advertisement for the examinations for Mate and Electrician were approved:

Mate.

Applicants must be citizens of the United States and residents of the State of New York.

The subjects and weights of the examination are: Duties, 3; 70% required. Experience, 7; 70% required.

A qualifying physical examination will be given.

Applications for this examination must be filed on a special blank, Form B.

Duties—To act as Mate on the steamboats used for carrying passengers and freight to the islands in the East River and Long Island Sound, under the jurisdiction of the Departments of Correction and Public Charities. The tonnage of the largest boat is about 1,000 tons.

Requirements—Candidates must hold the United States Mate's license for the harbor of New York. Before appointment, candidates holding licenses limited to less than 1,000 tons may be required to secure a license for 1,000 tons.

Candidates must be at least 21 years of age and not more than 45 years of age on or before the closing date for the receipt of applications.

The compensation rates proposed by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for this position are from \$888 to \$984. Under the terms and conditions of the budget for the year 1917, appointments will, as a rule, be made at the lowest compensation rate.

Vacancies occur from time to time in the Department of Correction and the Department of Public Charities.

The term of the eligibility of the list resulting from this examination is fixed at not less than one year nor more than four years.

Electrician.

Applicants must be citizens of the United States and residents of the State of New York.

The subjects and weights of the examination are: Experience, 3; 70% required. Technical, 4; 75% required. Practical, 3; 75% required.

A qualifying physical examination will be given.

Applications for this examination must be filed on a special blank, Form B.

Duties—The duties of electricians are to install electric appliances, to set and repair meters, to install and repair motors, dynamos, switchboards, electric fans and other electric fixtures, to assemble and repair electric machines and to perform such other work as may properly be required of electricians.

Requirements—Applicants must present evidence of at least three years of experience as a lineman, wireman electric worker or as a journeyman on installation or in an electric testing laboratory or equivalent experience.

Candidates must be at least 21 years of age on or before the closing date for the receipt of applications.

The compensation rate proposed by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for this position is \$5 a day.

There are no vacancies at present.

The term of the eligibility of the list resulting from this examination is fixed at not less than one year nor more than four years.

A report dated Feb. 13 was presented from the Advisory Board submitting a form for certification by appointing officers that all persons eligible for promotion from the labor to the competitive class have been notified.

The form was approved.

Upon the recommendation of the Advisory Board in a report dated Feb. 13, it was

Resolved, That paragraph 1 of Regulation VII, of the regulations of the Municipal Civil Service Commission be and the same hereby is amended to read as follows:

"The limits of age on the last day of the receipt of applications for the following positions in the competitive class shall be as follows: Fireman, minimum 21, maximum 29; Patrolman, minimum 21, maximum 29; Prison Keeper, minimum 21, maximum 40; Police Matron, minimum 30, maximum 40; Clerk, First Grade, maximum 18; Clerk, Second Grade, minimum 17, maximum 25; Stenographer and Typewriter, minimum 18; Axeman, minimum 18; Junior Draughtsman, minimum 18; and for all other positions, unless otherwise prescribed, minimum 21.

A report dated Feb. 8, was presented from the Examiner in Charge of the Bureau of Investigation relative to five candidates in the examination for Pathologist. The Secretary was instructed to summon Charles F. Scudder before the Commission and to mark the four other candidates "Qualified," and, on motion, it was

Resolved, That the eligible list of Pathologist be and the same hereby is promulgated.

A report dated Feb. 8, was presented from the Examiner in Charge of the Bureau of Investigation relative to Arthur H. Miller, a candidate for employment as Caretaker in the Department of Education under the provisions of Clause 11 of Rule XVIII. The application of the candidate for the employment referred to was rejected and the Secretary was instructed to direct the Board of Education to terminate the employment of the said Arthur H. Miller as Caretaker under clause 12 of Rule XVIII, he having refused to fill out an investigation sheet as required.

A report dated Feb. 7 was presented from the Examiner in Charge of the Bureau of Investigation relative to Alexander V. Housen, a candidate on the eligible list of Patrolman, whose case had been referred back for further investigation at a previous meeting of the Commission. On motion, it was

Resolved, That the name of Alexander V. Housen, 302 E. 57th St., Manhattan, be and the same hereby is removed from the eligible list of Patrolman under the provisions of clause 14 of Rule VII and placed upon the list of persons disqualified for employment in the City Service.

Reports (2) dated Feb. 9 were presented from the Examiner in Charge of the Bureau of Investigation recommending that Michael J. McElroy and Frederick Hamner, candidates on the eligible list of Patrolman, be summoned before the Commission. The recommendations were adopted.

A report dated Feb. 8 was presented from the Examiner in Charge of the Bureau of Investigation recommending that Thomas J. Bannon be marked "Qualified" on the eligible list of Bricklayer. The recommendation was adopted.

The following reports were presented from the Examiner in Charge of Service Records recommending that the service ratings of the departments specified be accepted by the Commission:

Report dated Feb. 7, Department of Parks, Queens, for the periods ending June 30, Sept. 30 and Dec. 31, 1916.

Report dated Feb. 8, Office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, for the period ending Sep. 30, 1916.

Report dated Feb. 9, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, for the periods ending March 31, and June 30, 1916.

Report dated Feb. 9, Board of Assessors, for the period ending Dec. 31, 1916.

The recommendations were adopted.

A report dated Feb. 8 was presented from Joseph A. Kene, Medical Examiner, relative to William Dill, a candidate on the eligible list of Patrolman, stating that the candidate was in satisfactory physical condition, and was not suffering from obesity (as stated by the Police Surgeons) but was over weight, and recommending that the candidate be given an extension of time in which to reduce his weight to conform with the Commission's standards. The report was approved.

The Secretary was instructed to note on the records the following reassessments to duty in accordance with notifications from the departments concerned under the dates specified:

Department of Street Cleaning—Jan. 31, Israel Lyons, Sweeper; Feb. 3, Benedetto Parente, Sweeper; Feb. 2, Michael Logan, Hostler, and John Chalupka, Sweeper. President of the Borough of Richmond—Feb. 5, William Mackay, Sweeper; Feb. 6, Francesco Destasio, Sweeper; Feb. 7, Alfonso Pappa, Laborer. Dept. of Parks, Manhattan and Richmond—Feb. 2, Peter Lee, Laborer. Bureau of Buildings, Manhattan—Feb. 2, Michael J. Russell, Inspector of Plumbing and Drainage. President of the Borough of Manhattan—Feb. 6, Charles Fey, Laborer; Feb. 8, William H. Sullivan, Elevatorman. Department of Plant and Structures—Feb. 2, Daniel Harvey, Laborer; Feb. 5, Timothy Fitzmaurice, Driver. Department of Docks and Ferries—Feb. 3, James J. Somers, Tinsmith; Feb. 5, Arthur A. Hemmer, Tinsmith and Roofer. President of the Borough of The Bronx—Feb. 6, Peter J. Tracy, Leveler. President of the Borough of Queens—Feb. 1, Conrad Hauer, Sweeper; Feb. 8, May A. Toomey, Clerk.

The following communications were presented:

Communication dated Feb. 3, from the Curator of the College of the City of New York requesting approval of the employment of Herman Weinstein, Jacob Klein and Shirley J. Epstein in the text book room of the College for about fifteen days, with compensation at the rate of \$1.50 a day.

Communication dated Feb. 2, from the Bureau of Buildings, Manhattan, requesting approval of the employment of F. S. Benedict, to make a survey of an unsafe building in the Borough of The Bronx at a compensation not to exceed \$100.

Communication from Bellevue and Allied Hospitals dated Feb. 1, requesting approval of the employment of Mrs. L. Toomey, and M. E. Edmiston, M. O'Rourke, Louise Morrow and Ruth Davis as Special Nurses and transmitting vouchers in their favor in the amounts of \$24, \$21, \$18, \$15 and \$6, respectively.

The employment of all the above named persons was authorized under clause 8 of Rule XII.

Upon the request of the Department of Health in communications dated Feb. 6 and Feb. 7 (2), it was

Resolved, That under authority of clause 6a of Rule XII, of the Rules of the Municipal Civil Service Commission, the following-named be and they hereby are excepted from examination to be employed in the Department of Health during the year 1917 to conduct religious services at the Municipal Sanatorium at Otisville, N. Y.; provided, however, that the total compensation in each case shall not exceed the amount specified: Richard Colfer, Middletown, N. Y., \$260; James S. Burton, Otisville, N. Y., \$130; Hannah Blum, 596 Riverside Drive, Manhattan, \$260.

Upon the request of the Commissioner of Parks, Borough of Queens, in a communication dated Feb. 10, it was

Resolved, That the limitation of compensation (\$100) fixed in the case of W. L. Johnson, Veterinarian, employed in the Department of Parks, Queens, for a period of one year ending June 21, 1917, under the provisions of clause 6a of Rule XII be and the same hereby is waived, and a total compensation of \$150 is hereby authorized.

A communication dated Feb. 9 was presented from the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, requesting approval of a voucher in the amount of \$2, in favor of A. J. Doncourt, Veterinarian. The voucher was approved under clause 6a of Rule XII.

A communication dated Feb. 3 was presented from the Corporation Counsel requesting approval of the increase in salary of James H. McCool, an Examiner, from \$1,200 to \$1,300 per annum, and requesting that the name of Anthony Horn appearing first on the promotion list of Examiner, Grade 1, be removed therefrom for the reason that he had been appointed an Examiner at \$1,200 per annum from a competitive list of Examiner. Both requests were denied for lack of power, the request for approval of the increase in salary for the reason that Mr. McCool was ineligible for the proposed increase in salary under the provisions of clause 4 of Rule XI, inasmuch as Mr. Horn had declined appointment at a salary of \$1,200 per annum, and Mr. McCool had not served for a period of one year.

A communication dated Feb. 9 was presented from the Acting Secretary of the Department of Docks and Ferries relative to the record of service in his department of John Coffey, a candidate on the preferred list of Dock Builder. The Secretary was instructed to note on the records the appointment of the said John Coffey as Laborer on April 28, 1892, and his discharge from that position on April 19, 1895. The Commission ruled that in view of the fact that the services of the said employee were not continuous from April 28, 1892, to Oct. 21, 1898 (when he was reappointed as Laborer), he could not be given credit on the preferred list of Dock Builder for services rendered prior to that date.

The following reports of departmental boards of examiners for positions in the Non-Competitive Class were approved upon the recommendation of the Acting Chief Examiner:

Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, Dec. 19, Feb. 1, and two undated reports.

Department of Public Charities, Feb. 1 (3), 3 (5) and 7.

Department of Correction, Jan. 29.

A report dated Feb. 14 was presented from the Certification Clerk, submitting a statement of certifications of names in excess of the number prescribed by the rules. The certifications were approved, the additional names having been certified to anticipate declinations on account of salary, location, etc.

The declinations of appointment of the following-named candidates from the eligible lists specified on account of illness, impracticability of leaving other employment, etc., were approved: Boilermaker: Charles F. Bunce. Cleaner, Men, Education, Manhattan: Joseph Sabella, Giuseppe Falina, Albert Ehrhardt, George Roberts, Hugh McGirney, Jacob Fibus. Electrician's Helper: Frederick W. Betts, Harry Zinberg. Laboratory Assistant, Bacteriological Laboratory: Frank Appel, Dorothy J. Provost. Auto Truck Driver: Charles Ney, William A. Barry, Wm. A. Carroll, Walter H. Carman. Bookkeeper, Third Grade: Louis Siegel. Topographical Draughtsman, Grade C. Henry Dinenberg. Lay Sanitary and Tenement House Inspector: John L. Pleines. Attendant: Henry T. Weiss. Inspector, Bureau of Fire Prevention: P. F. Hatney.

The declinations of appointment of the following named persons from the eligible lists specified for the reasons above set forth were also approved, and the Secretary was instructed to withhold certification of their names until further notice: Paul Clifford and Samuel F. O'Sullivan, Clerk, Second Grade; Anthon F. Darin, Junior Draughtsman, Grade B; Gabriel Cohen, Pearl Rosenlicht and Jeremiah J. Guiney, Stenographer and Typewriter, Grade 2; Abraham Ginsburg, Physician, Clinic, Grade 1; Benjamin Ascher and Walter S. St. John, Engineer Inspector, Architectural, Grade C; Walter S. Rush, Temporary Electrician; Thomas J. Kenny, Temporary Preferred List of Attendant; Laurence J. Hodes, Attendance Officer.

The requests of the following named candidates that their names be restored to the eligible lists specified were granted, their failure to reply to notices regarding appointment, declinations of appointment, etc., having been satisfactorily explained to the Commission: Sylvester S. Shea, Jr., and Joseph Reilly, Clerk, First Grade; Richard F. Decker, Fireman, Uniformed Force; Michael Sullivan and Naftali Alster, Sweeper; Charles A. Kelly, Electrician; George H. Dorly, Jr., Auto Engineman; Matthew P. McKenna, Sergeant, on Aqueduct, Preferred; Harold S. Shulman, Dentist, Grade 2, for temporary appointment; Phineas Rotrosen, Topographical Draughtsman, Grade C, Preferred; Isabel T. Mullan, Social Investigator, for temporary work; Harold Simmeljaer, Temporary Clerk, Preferred; William A. Carroll, Auto Truck Driver; Lily Bayern, Preferred List of Temporary Playground and Gymnasium Attendant.

The declination of appointment of Thomas F. Clowry from the eligible list of Clerk, Second Grade, was disapproved and the Secretary was instructed to record him as ineligible for further certification therefrom.

The Secretary was instructed to note on the records that the following named persons did not desire certification from the eligible lists specified at less than the amounts set forth: Jennie Behl, Stenographer and Typewriter, \$900 per annum; Isabel S. MacIntyre, Clerk, First Grade, \$540 per annum; Jacob Brimberg, Topographical Draughtsman, Grade C, \$1,500 per annum; Anna L. Goldsant, Stenographer and Typewriter, Grade 2, \$1,140 per annum.

The Secretary was instructed to note on the records that George F. Stiles of 417 E. 139th st., The Bronx, desired his name removed from the eligible list of Bookkeeper, Third Grade.

The Secretary was instructed to summon Joseph Goodman and Joseph H. Barrett before the Commission in connection with their requests that their names be removed from the Commission's disqualified list.

The request of Mrs. Mary Brennan for permission to amend her statements as to date of birth where in error in her papers in the examination for Nurse's Assistant was granted.

Matters Not Upon the Calendar Considered by Unanimous Consent.

Upon the recommendation of the Acting Chief Examiner in reports dated Feb. 13, Feb. 14 and Feb. 14, respectively, it was

Resolved, That the following promotion eligible lists be and the same hereby are promulgated: Ticket Agent, Grade 2, Department of Docks and Ferries; Process Server, Grade 2, Law Department; Rodman, Grade B, Office of the President of the Borough of Queens.

A report dated Feb. 13 was presented from the Acting Chief Examiner, stating that no list had resulted from the examination for promotion to Rodman, Grade C, Office of the President of the Borough of Richmond. The Secretary was instructed to note the fact on the records.

Upon the recommendation of the Acting Chief Examiner in reports (4) dated Feb. 7, the following promotion examinations were ordered:

First to Second Grade in the Tenement House Department.

First to Second Grade Clerk in the Board of City Record.

Marine Stoker, Oilier and Water Tender to Stationary Engineer in the Bureau of Ferries, Department of Docks and Ferries. (Candidates must have either a Stationary Engineer's license issued by the Police Department or certificates from three licensed engineers certifying to their ability to perform the duties of the position.)

Second to Third Grade Clerk in the office of the Commissioner of Accounts.

A report dated Feb. 7 was presented from the Acting Chief Examiner relative to the complaint of Harry W. Brinley, a Third Grade Clerk in the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, that he had not been informed that an examination had been ordered for Fourth Grade Clerk in his department. The Secretary was instructed to communicate the contents of the report to the said employee.

The following reports were presented from the Acting Chief Examiner:

Report dated Feb. 7 recommending that the Commission accept the application (presented on the form of application used for promotion from the Labor to the Competitive Class) of William J. Brophy, an Electrician in the Board of Education, for promotion to the position of Electrical Inspector, Grade 2, it appearing that no record had ever been kept of his efficiency for the reason that he had been performing duties the same as Batterymen, Wiremen, etc., in the Labor Class.

Report dated Feb. 7 recommending that an examination be ordered for promotion from Stenographer and Typewriter, Grade 2, to Stenographer and Typewriter, Grade 3, in the Board of Standards and Appeals, no applications having been filed for the examination previously ordered, and that pending the result of the promotion examination the assignment of John J. Roche to the position of Stenographer and Typewriter, Third Grade, be authorized under clause 3 of Rule XII, effective Feb. 1, 1917.

Report dated Feb. 7 recommending that the Commission approve the restoration to a salary of \$4 a day of Cornelius E. Cummings, a Foreman in the office of the President of the Borough of Richmond, under clause 24 of Rule XV.

The recommendations were adopted.

A report dated Feb. 7 was presented from the Acting Chief Examiner, transmitting reports of Examiners Shaughnessy and Ihlseng relative to the request of the Department of Education for an open competitive examination for the position of Mechanical Engineer from which to fill a vacancy in that position should the Board of Estimate and Apportionment amend the salary schedules of the Department by striking out one position of Inspector of Light and Ventilation at \$2,093.33 per annum and inserting in lieu thereof one position of Mechanical Engineer at the same salary. The Acting Chief Examiner recommended certification of the eligible list resulting from the examination for Mechanical Engineer, Grade E, recently held, should the vacancy referred to occur, and also recommended that upon promulgation of the eligible list of Mechanical Engineer, Grade E, the employment of Charles O'Connor as Inspector of Heating and Ventilating under clause 3 of Rule XII be terminated. The report was approved.

A report dated Feb. 9 was presented from F. E. Mullen, Examiner, recommending certification of the eligible list of Inspector, Disposal of Trade Waste, Female, to the Commissioner of Street Cleaning as an appropriate list from which to appoint Assistant Municipal Examiners, Female, and that in the event of the Street Cleaning Commissioner being unable to secure appointees therefrom the eligible list of Civil Service Investigator, Female, be certified. The recommendations were adopted.

A report dated Feb. 9 was presented from Charles S. Shaughnessy, Engineering Examiner, recommending that an examination be ordered for promotion from Laborer to Watershed Inspector in the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, to be open to all laborers employed in Putnam and Westchester Counties serving the necessary three years. The recommendation was adopted.

Upon the recommendation of the Certification Clerk, in a report dated Feb. 10, it was

Resolved, That the Secretary be and he hereby is instructed to proceed with an examination for Asphalt Worker.

Reports (2) dated Feb. 13 were presented from the Certification Clerk, requesting approval of his action in certifying from the eligible lists of Stenographer and Typewriter, Second Grade, Female, and Telephone Operator, Grade 1, Male, the names of candidates not reported upon by the Bureau of Investigation. The action of the Certification Clerk was approved.

The following communications were presented from the Secretary of the State Civil Service Commission:

Communication dated Feb. 10 stating that at a meeting of that Board held Feb. 7, 1917, the following resolutions of the Municipal Commission had been approved:

Excepting from examination under the provisions of clause 6a of Rule XII, John E. Quinn, to be employed by the President of the Borough of Brooklyn as Expert Engineer at a total compensation of \$1,500.

Excepting from examination under the provisions of clause 6a of Rule XII, John P. Fox, to be employed by the Committee on City Plan of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment as Transit Expert at a total compensation of \$850.

Amending the classification by striking from the exempt class, under the heading "Municipal Court," the following: Clerk to each Justice, and substituting therefor the following: Clerk to each Justice except the President-Justice; Private Secretary to the President-Justice.

Amending the classification of positions in the exempt class, under the heading "Department of Correction," by changing the line "10 Chaplains" to read "13 Chaplains."

Communication dated Feb. 13 stating that at a meeting of that board held Feb. 7, 1917, the following resolutions of the Municipal Commission had been approved:

Amending the classification by including in the Non-competitive Class, Part I, under the heading "Positions in the Board of Inebriety at compensations not exceeding the amounts set forth below," the following: Chief Trained Nurse, \$900 per annum (with maintenance), and by including in Part II, under the same heading, the following: Senior Hospital Helper, \$600 per annum (with maintenance).

Amending the classification by striking from the Non-competitive Class, Part I, under the heading "Positions in the Department of Public Charities, at compensations not exceeding the amounts set forth below (City Institutions)," the line 3 Special Investigators (Nurses), \$900 per annum (without maintenance), and substituting therefor the following: 3 Field Nurses (Special), \$900 per annum (without maintenance).

Excepting from examination, under clause 6a of Rule XII, William A. Wirt, to be employed as Educational Consultant to the Committee on Education of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment during the year 1917, at a compensation of \$10,000.

Amending the classification of positions in the exempt class, under the heading "Bellevue and Allied Hospitals," by changing the line "7 Assistant Superintendents of Nurses" to read "9 Assistant Superintendents of Nurses."

Amending the classification of positions in the Non-competitive Class, Part I, under the heading "Positions in the Department of Education, at compensations not exceeding the amounts set forth below," as follows: By striking therefrom, under the sub-heading "New York Parental School," the following: Gardener-Driver, \$900 per annum (without maintenance), and substituting therefor Gardener-Driver, \$960 per annum (with maintenance), and changing the line Caretaker, \$720 per annum (with maintenance), to read Caretaker, \$780 per annum (with maintenance).

The communications were ordered filed.

Upon the request of the Coroners of the Borough of Brooklyn, in a communication dated Feb. 9, it was

Resolved, That, under clause 6a of Rule XII, Morris Salt peter be and he hereby is excepted from examination to be employed as Interpreter (Hebrew and German) in the office of the Coroners, Borough of Brooklyn, from time to time during the year 1917; provided, however, that his total compensation shall not exceed the sum of \$400.

Communications (2), dated Feb. 9, were presented from the Superintendent of Buildings, Borough of Manhattan, requesting approval of the promotion of Carl A. Baas and David J. Finn to the position of Inspector of Elevators, Grade 2, at \$1,200 per annum, under clause 23 of Rule XV. The promotions were approved.

A communication, dated Feb. 10, was presented from the Superintendent of Buildings, Manhattan, with further reference to his request for approval of the restoration to a salary of \$1,200 per annum of Theodore N. Melvin and Joseph F. Hawkes, Clerks, and James A. Garvey, an Inspector of Masonry and Carpentry. The restorations in salary were approved, under clause 24 of Rule XV.

A communication dated Feb. 5 was presented from the Chief of Staff of the office of the Commissioner of Accounts, requesting authority to continue the employment of C. K. Feldman, L. Goodgold, W. Marks, M. E. Tecklen, L. M. Cowen and P. Pollett, as Third Grade Accountants for an additional period of six months. The request was denied, the said persons having been appointed from the eligible list of Bookkeeper, Third Grade, and having served the six months allowed under clause 1 of Rule XII.

Communications dated Feb. 8 and Feb. 9, respectively, were presented from the Curator of the College of the City of New York, stating that William Gilmore, Richard Johnson and John Donohue, certified to him from the preferred list of Laborer, Manhattan, were physically unable to perform the work required in the college on account of their age. The Secretary was instructed to mark the candidates "Not Qualified" for certification to City College and to arrange a medical examination for them by the Commission's physicians.

A communication dated Jan. 26 was presented from the Secretary of the Department of Public Works, Manhattan, requesting that the records be amended by noting thereon the date of resignation of John S. H. Whelpley, Telephone Operator, as Jan. 21, 1917, instead of Jan. 23, 1917. The Secretary was instructed to amend the records accordingly.

A communication dated Feb. 6 was presented from the Commissioner of Correction requesting an amendment of the classification by striking from the Non-Competitive Class, Part I, for his department the line "Baker Foreman, \$1,050 per annum, with maintenance" and including therein the line "Baker Foreman, \$1,260 per annum, without maintenance." The Secretary was instructed to advertise a public hearing in the matter.

A communication dated Feb. 8 was presented from the General Medical Superintendent of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, requesting an amendment of the classification by including in Part I of the Non-Competitive Class for his department the position of Laundry Mechanic at \$900 per annum without maintenance. The Secretary was instructed to advertise a public hearing in the matter.

A communication dated Feb. 10 was presented from the Commissioner of Accounts, requesting authority to employ Leonard H. Davidow as special investigator at \$8 a day under the provisions of clause 8 of Rule XII. The Secretary was instructed to request that a representative of the department appear before the Commission in connection with the matter.

The Secretary was instructed to summon the following named persons to appear before the Commission at its meeting of Feb. 21, 1917, in connection with the case of Elias Price, a candidate on the eligible list of Patrolman: Elias Price, the candidate, and his brother, Henry Price; Messrs. Cregan and Meany, former employers of Elias Price; Max Kornblum, alleged by the Police Investigators to be a former employer of Elias Price. The investigators of the Police Department who investigated the record of Elias Price.

The Commission then adjourned, to meet Wednesday, Feb. 21, 1917, at 10.30 a. m.

ROBERT W. BELCHER, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

WARRANTS MADE READY FOR PAYMENT IN DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE MONDAY, APRIL 9, 1917.

Below is a statement of warrants made ready for payment on the above date, showing therein the Department of Finance voucher number, the dates of the invoices or the registered number of the contract, the date the voucher was filed in the Department of Finance, the name of the payee and the amount of the warrant.

Where two or more bills are embraced in the warrant, the dates of the earliest and latest are given, excepting that, when such payments are made under a contract, the registered number of the contract is shown in the place of the second invoice date.

Where the word "final" is shown after the name of the payee, payment will not be made until thirty days after the completion and acceptance of the work, but all of the other warrants mentioned will be forwarded through the mail unless some

reason exists why payment is to be made in person, in which event written notice will be promptly given to the claimant.

In making a written or verbal inquiry at this office for any of the above mentioned warrants, it is requested that reference be made by the Department of Finance voucher number.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

Finance Voucher No.	Invoice Dates or Contract Number.	Received in Depart- ment of Finance.	Name of Payee.	Amount.
Board of Aldermen.				
50612	1- 5-17	3-23-17	John Wanamaker, New York.....	\$238 10
53642	10-21-16	4- 2-17	William Farrell & Son.....	36 25
53638	10-24-16	4- 2-17	Cavanagh Bros. & Co.....	2 50
53647	3-13-17	4- 2-17	Charles F. Hubb & Co.....	58 74
53650	3- 3-17	4- 2-17	Cavanagh Bros. & Co.....	19 50
53648	3-16-17	4- 2-17	Cavanagh Bros. & Co.....	59 30
53640	12- 7-16	4- 2-17	Walter F. Keenan & Bro.....	12 60
53641	1-25-17	4- 2-17	Cavanagh Bros. & Co.....	4 50
53654	2- 9-17	4- 2-17	Hammacher, Schlemmer & Co.....	13 50
53655	2-19-17	4- 2-17	The Jeffrey Mfg. Co.....	8 00
53653	2- 1-17	4- 2-17	Charles B. Spies.....	6 00
53652	1-27-17	4- 2-17	McKesson & Robbins, Inc.....	3 00
53649	3-13-17	4- 2-17	Standard Oil Co. of New York.....	5 45
53651	3-13-17	4- 2-17	The Woolf Laboratories, Inc.....	11 25
53646	3- 1-17	4- 2-17	The Peerless Towel Supply Co.....	2 89
53639	11-15-16	4- 2-17	The Vibroplex Co., Inc.....	8 25
Board of Standards and Appeals.				
53938		4- 3-17	Rudolph P. Miller	25 00
Department of Plant and Structures.				
53431	3- 7-17. 3-14-17	3-31-17	Stanley & Patterson, Inc.....	36 50
51367		4-27-17	New York Telephone Company.....	211 33
51366		4-27-17	New York Telephone Company.....	139 33
51365		4-27-17	New York Telephone Company.....	321 20
Bellevue and Allied Hospitals.				
52487		3-29-17	Loose, Wiles Biscuit Company.....	81 02
52485		3-29-17	Frances H. Leggett & Co.....	40 39
53149	2-21-17	3-30-17	The Schaeffer & Budenberg Mfg. Co.....	16 62
53146	1-31-17	3-30-17	Peerless Rubber Manufacturing Co.....	6 30
53148	2-13-17	3-30-17	Johnson Service Company	8 82
53151	2- 7-17	3-30-17	L. Barth & Son	25 20
54772		4- 4-17	Elizabeth R. V. Wilson.....	13 50
51228		4-27-17	Standard Oil Co. of New York.....	664 83
51236	1-24-17. 1-26-17	3-27-17	John Bellmann	379 92
51242	2-17-17	3-27-17	J. & R. Rollins	139 50
51243	2-10-17	3-27-17	The Electric Smelting and Aluminum Co.....	405 00
51229	1-11-17	3-27-17	B. Heller & Co.....	226 25
51245	2- 9-17. 2-21-17	3-27-17	Gimbel Brothers	257 40
53139		3-30-17	Robert Ferguson	34 17
51230	2- 1-17	3-27-17	Wm. A. Sander	215 00
51233	2-12-17	3-27-17	T. J. Cummins Plumbing Company.....	264 00
51225		4-27-17	L. Crocco & Sons	2,455 44
51226		4-27-17	Meeker & Co.....	1,893 97
51248	2-21-17	3-27-17	Kniffin & Demarest Co.....	160 74
51234	3- 1-17	3-27-17	Westchester Fish Co.....	695 09
51240	1-18-17	3-27-17	Westchester Fish Co.....	127 76
51264	2-17-17	3-27-17	Cooper, Hewitt Electric Company.....	125 00
51237	2-28-17	3-27-17	Edward West	158 64
51227		3-27-17	James A. Miller	208 80
Municipal Civil Service Commission.				
4365	2-10-17	4- 3-17	Jay P. Hopkins	90 00
52720	3-26-17	3-29-17	Wm. B. Hitz	12 65
4513	3-12-17	4- 3-17	Frank A. McGuire, M. D.....	60 00
County Court, Bronx County.				
53873	3-31-17	4- 3-17	Nickel Towel Supply	5 25
52745	3-17-17. 3-20-17	3-29-17	Popular Motor Car Distributors.....	31 05
County Clerk, Kings County.				
51397	2-23-17	3-27-17	Royal Law Printing Co.....	203 95
College of The City of New York.				
51426	10- 5-16	3-27-17	Holgan Bros	\$400 00
51425	10- 9-16	3-27-17	Lenz & Naumann, Inc.....	324 00
51423	8-22-16. 10-28-16	3-27-17	C. H. Stoelting Co.....	186 03
51424	1-17-17	3-27-17	Lloyd & McCahan	245 00
51420	10- 9-16. 1-26-17	3-27-17	Doniger & Co.....	456 00
Department of Correction.				
51945	3-13-17	3-28-17	Consolidated Gas Co. of New York..	\$33 40
51947	3- 6-17	3-28-17	W. R. Ostrander & Co.....	20 00
51475	3-10-17	3-27-17	Shaw-Walker Co. of New York.....	176 28
51484	3-17-17			

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53841	4- 3-17	Charles J. Rosene	9 00	53219	3-24-17	3-31-17	Mrs. Willis Mekeel	70 00	
54423	12-13-16	4- 4-17 A. J. Nystrom & Co.	37 25	53216	3-15-17	3-31-17	Warren Jordan Company, Inc.	2 95	
52225	3-29-17	The Kny-Scheerer Corporation	81 18	53213	3-26-17	3-31-17	Edward Burger	9 89	
51289	46404	3-27-17 German Exchange Bank, Assignee of Philip Mittleman	1,723 50	53209	3-23-17	3-31-17	Cornelius J. Drislane	33 70	
51288		3-27-17 C. L. Dooley, Inc.	5,436 00	53206	3-22-17	3-31-17	Philipstown Garage	1 35	
51316	41640	3-27-17 Scott, Foresman & Co.	121 00	53204	3-24-17	3-31-17	H. B. Anderson	4 01	
51317	41629	3-27-17 American Book Company	622 91	53194	3-22-17	3-31-17	Mrs. A. Pelton	35 00	
51318	44708	3-27-17 New York Telephone Company	138 00	53272	3-22-17	3-31-17	Mrs. Charlotte M. Holmberg	26 50	
51314	44766	3-27-17 New York Telephone Company	230 75	53199	3-23-17	3-31-17	The Montross Stable	15 00	
52184	12- 7-16	3-29-17 Sinclair & Valentine Co.	25 00	53478	3-20-17	4- 2-17	Creed Brothers	15 27	
52277	1- 3-17	3-29-17 Brooklyn Public Library	99 22				Creed Brothers	7 80	
52194	1-23-17	3-29-17 M. B. Brown Printing & Binding Co.	75 08	54136	4- 3-17	3-20-17	Bronx Parkway Commission. Theodosius F. Stevens, Counsel	\$56 94	
		Department of Finance.		49133	2- 7-17		Douglas Knox	1,221 00	
54613	4- 4-17	Val F. Keller	\$336 97				Department of Parks.		
55586	4- 6-17	Bernard Bauersfeld, bank messenger	11 50	52881	3-14-17	3-30-17	Douglas Bros. Hardware Co., Inc.	\$15 00	
55587	4- 6-17	Henry J. Bernstein	10 75	52882	2-23-17	3-30-17	A. P. Dienst Co., Inc.	12 00	
55596	4- 6-17	Sidney H. Goodacre, Collector	30 80	51360		3-27-17	The American Museum of Natural History	1,481 87	
55590		David E. Kemlo, Chief Auditor of Accounts	234 61				Police Department.		
55591	4- 6-17	William C. Hecht, Receiver of Taxes	3 78	52474	3-17-17	3-29-17	National Equipment Company	10 00	
55588	4- 6-17	Maurice Breen, Chief	68 74	52475	3- 8-17	3-29-17	Orchard Iron and Steel Corp.	35 00	
55594	4- 6-17	Chandler Withington, Chief Engineer	70 82	52713	2-26-17	3-29-17	Frederic Godfrey	60 00	
55589	4- 6-17	Daniel Moynahan, Collector of Assessments and Arrears	76 90	54009	3- 8-17	4- 3-17	Western Union Telegraph Co.	1 74	
55597	4- 6-17	Albert C. Baur, Chief Clerk	18 75	51712		4- 3-17	Finnan & Lee	184 50	
55585	4- 6-17	Wolf Sheinberg	2 30	54010	2-28-17	4- 3-17	The United Electric Light and Power Co.	12 44	
52303	3-23-17	3-29-17 James Murane	75 00				President of the Borough of Manhattan.		
4412		3-29-17 Robert E. Heslin	10 00	45849	2-27-17		Peter Cramer	379 48	
52301	3-15-17	John Wanamaker, New York	65 50	37745	3-27-17		Fifth National Bank of the City of N. Y., or Richard Kelly, Attorney	1,380 95	
		Fire Department.		51607			Impervious Products Co., or Kurzman, Frankenheimer & Gutman, Attorneys ..	177 70	
51127	3-12-17	46683 3-26-17 First National Bank of Brooklyn, assignee of J. W. Gasteiger & Son	\$2,200 00	54472	4- 4-17		Clifford M. Pinckney, Asst. Engineer ..	128 16	
51127		46683 3-26-17 J. W. Gasteiger & Son	103 04	51606	44654	3-27-17	New York Telephone Company	451 22	
52091		46998 3-28-17 Thos. C. Dunham, Inc.	50 50	51608	44444	3-27-17	Warren Chemical and Mfg. Co.	1,043 17	
52098		46452 3-28-17 Long Island Wood Co.	17 50	52613	3- 1-17	3-29-17	F. F. Fuhrmann	51 45	
		Department of Health.		52606	9-20-16	3-29-17	The J. W. Pratt Co.	82 60	
47823	1- 5-16	3-16-17 Norwich Pharmacal Co.	\$37 20	55116	4- 5-17	4- 5-17	United States Rubber Company	75 32	
44406	12-11-16	3- 8-17 Agent and Warden, Auburn Prison	73 50	55495	4- 5-17	4- 5-17	Thomas E. Preston	19 00	
47495	1-24-17	3-15-17 P. Delany & Co.	11 50				President of the Borough of The Bronx.		
52102		46926 3-28-17 Conron Bros. Company	25 68	42002	3- 1-17		Harris-Rose Construction Corporation	506 78	
52537	12-29-16	3-29-17 John Wanamaker, New York	25 34	38238	2-23-17		Anita Construction Co.	100 00	
52556	3-13-17	3-29-17 The H. B. Clafin Corporation	75 78				President of the Borough of Brooklyn.		
52552	2- 8-17	3-29-17 Burton & Davis Co.	36 25	49736	4- 7-16		The National City Bank of Brooklyn, Assignee of Norton & Gorman Contracting Co.	16,352 21	
52550		3-29-17 Knickerbocker Ice Company	52 00	43362	3- 1-17		Wm. Buchanan	29 75	
51031		3-26-17 Alfred E. Shipley, M.D., Secretary	2,131 73	38295	2-23-17		Shadbolt Manufacturing Co.	19 75	
55154	4- 5-17	4- 5-17 Lincoln Hospital	35 00	51772	3- 2-17		Progressive Paper Products Co.	400 00	
55148	4- 5-17	4- 5-17 New York Hospital	872 50	51787	1-29-17		Theo. Gaus' Sons	116 10	
55147	8- -16	4- 5-17 New York Infirmary for Women and Children	1 25	51755	46677	3-27-17	Saverno Products Co., Inc.	438 35	
55149	12- -16	4- 5-17 Montefiore Home and Hospital	116 25	51771	2-21-17	3-15-17	The Pride of the Kitchen Co., Inc.	640 00	
55150	9- -16	4- 5-17 The Saint Mary Hospital of the City of Brooklyn	210 00	53192	3-24-17	3-30-17	H. & B. Auto Sales Co.	82 98	
55151	6- -16	4- 5-17 The Methodist Episcopal Hospital	11 25	53162	3-17-17	3-30-17	The Holbrook Mfg. Co.	24 00	
55152	9- -16	4- 5-17 Methodist Episcopal Hospital	20 00	51756	3-13-17	3-27-17	J. E. Bristol	473 25	
55153	7- -16	4- 5-17 German Hospital of Brooklyn	187 50				President of the Borough of Queens.		
55186	8- -16	4- 5-17 German Hospital of Brooklyn	563 75	54732	4- 4-17		Charles W. Baylis	14 90	
		Board of Inebriety.		48674	3-19-17		J. J. Hart, Inc.	479 40	
51436	8-25-16	10- 1-16 3-27-17 Wilson & Co., Inc.	\$466 72	53589	3-19-17		The Long Island Hardware Company	3 10	
51428	3- 8-17	3-27-17 H. J. Parsells, ticket agent	114 40	53591	3-21-17		The Long Island Hardware Company	36 99	
		Commissioner of Jurors, New York County.		53586	3-19-17		4- 2-17 The Long Island Hardware Company	3 40	
54433		4- 4-17 Thorndyke C. McKenney, Commr.	\$21 32	52591	9- 7-16	10-18-16	4- 2-17 American Can Company	52 63	
		Department of Licenses.		51681	3-10-17		3-27-17 Matheson Lead Company	100 00	
54641	4- 4-17	George H. Bell, Commissioner	\$172 65	53558	2-24-17		4- 2-17 Edward F. Martin	3 00	
54130	4- 3-17	George H. Bell, Commissioner	71 33	51693	2-28-17		3-27-17 The Speed Key Selling Agency of New York, Inc.	3 15	
54132		Law Department.		53596	3- 7-17		4- 2-17 New York and Queens Electric Light and Power Company	33 92	
53560	46742	4- 2-17 New York Telephone Company	\$68 08				President of the Borough of Richmond.		
53559	46742	4- 2-17 New York Telephone Company	68 48	53627	3-20-17		4- 2-17 Louis Blum	5 18	
52969	3- 7-17	3-30-17 Remington Typewriter Co.	75	53626	3-20-17		4- 2-17 Schutte Brothers	59 63	
		Miscellaneous.		53622	3-20-17		4- 2-17 New Brighton Coal Yard	5 00	
54442	4- 4-17	Henry Leach	\$6 00	53621	3-15-17		4- 2-17 Brady Brothers	40 00	
54691	4- 4-17	Fidelity & Deposit Company of Maryland	37 50	53623	3-20-17		4- 2-17 New Brighton Coal Yard	40 00	
54690	4- 4-17	American Surety Company of New York	37 50				Public Service Commission.		
54689	4- 4-17	Massachusetts Bonding and Insurance Company	37 50	49884	49868	3-21-17	Lee and J. J. Shubert	165 00	
54688	4- 4-17	London & Lancashire Indemity Co. of America	25 00			3-22-17	Lee and J. J. Shubert	55 03	
54692	4- 4-17	National Surety Company	58 26	49710	12-30-16		Department of Public Charities.		
54440	4- 4-17	The New York Central Railroad Company	7 00	51587	11-24-16	2-23-17	3-21-17 Albert White	398 00	
54448	4- 4-17	Daniel Zuprich	150 00	51547	1-26-17	1-31-17	3-21-17 E. T. Joyce	247 37	

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53706	2-28-17	4-2-17	Yawman & Erbe Mfg. Co.	3 75	51809	2-27-17	3-27-17	The Washburn Shops of the Worcester Polytechnic Institute	162 67		
53709	2-3-17	4-2-17	Standard Dental Supply Co.	50 00			Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.				
53708	2-26-17	4-2-17	Hammacher, Schlemmer & Co.	6 30	53450	3-19-17	3-31-17	William Bratter & Co.	\$3 00		
53714	2-17-17	4-2-17	W. E. Pruden Hardware Company	3 88	50046	3-5-17	3-23-17	Addressograph Co.	15 27		
53712	2-16-17	4-2-17	Phineas Jones & Co., Inc.	46 80	53462	8-15-16	3-31-17	Standard Oil Co. of New York	8 00		
53723	2-28-17	4-2-17	Henry Frank, Jr.	1 82	53463	1-15-17	3-31-17	Gavin Rowe	6 00		
53725	2-26-17	4-2-17	Hammacher, Schlemmer & Co.	18 00							
53721	2-26-17	4-2-17	Henry Frank, Jr.	2 04	51725		43911	3-27-17	New York & Queens Electric Light & Power Co.	33,562 06	
53720	2-23-17	4-2-17	Henry Frank, Jr.	6 72	51728		46394	3-27-17	Richmond Light & Railroad Co.	12,541 27	
53727	2-27-17	4-2-17	P. J. Langler	39 00	51730		46614	3-27-17	The Standard Gas Light Co. of the City of New York	600 00	
53728	2-24-17	4-2-17	Pierce, Butler & Pierce Mfg. Corp.	77 70							
53738	1-31-17	4-2-17	C. F. Harris Company	5 00	51731		46612	3-27-17	Northern Union Gas Co.	604 72	
53742	1-24-17	4-2-17	J. M. Saulpaugh's Sons	21 00	51737		46364	3-27-17	Kings County Lighting Co.	213 75	
51988	3-10-17	3-28-17	John A. Potter	35 00	51738		46394	3-27-17	Richmond Light & Railroad Co.	2,636 82	
51445		46641	3-27-17	Standard Oil Co. of New York	948 05	51742		46394	3-27-17	Richmond Light & Railroad Co.	551 10
51444		46925	3-27-17	Frank J. Lennon Co.	7,471 08	51727		46395	3-27-17	United Electric Light & Power Co.	1,441 12
51802		46355	3-27-17	Michael J. Cavanagh	730 55	51745		46165	3-27-17	The A. P. Smith Mfg. Co.	5,825 25
51804		46357	3-27-17	John J. O'Connor	1,519 56	51352	1-31-17				
51803		46356	3-27-17	John J. O'Connor	1,831 41						
51805		46922	3-27-17	Thomas M. Blake	12,830 47						
51446		46623	3-27-17	Heilbrunn & Kahn, Inc.	3,243 50	51337	3-2-17				
51439		44759	3-27-17	New York Telephone Co.	240 74	51335	2-14-17				
51440		44759	3-27-17	New York Telephone Co.	734 46	51335	2-14-17				
51438		44701	3-27-17	New York Telephone Co.	381 35	51739		46390	3-27-17	The Flatbush Gas Co.	499 72
51441		44701	3-27-17	New York Telephone Co.	284 96	51729		46601	3-27-17	Central Union Gas Co.	1,064 02
51447		46169	3-27-17	The Robertson Construction Co.	17,080 18	51733		46390	3-27-17	The New York Mutual Gas Light Co.	873 45
					51735		46390	3-27-17	The Flatbush Gas Co.	1,066 94	
					51735		46362	3-27-17	The Flatbush Gas Co.	354 22	
					51736		46361	3-27-17	The Flatbush Gas Co.	119 47	
					51741						
					51743						
4516	3-31-17		4-4-17	Frank B. Sheridan	\$85 50	51732		46391	3-27-17	Edison Electric Illuminating Co. of Brooklyn	4,774 29
51616	3-17-17		3-27-17	International Time Recording Co.	\$216 20					44,516 20	
50815		30241	3-24-17	Mason & Hanger Co.	\$50,000 00						
51806	3-2-17		3-27-17	Massachusetts Bonding & Insurance Co.	35 00						

VOUCHERS RECEIVED IN DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, MONDAY, APRIL 9, 1917.

A statement is herewith submitted of all vouchers filed in the Department of Finance on this date, in which is shown the Department of Finance voucher number, the date of the invoices or the registered number of the contract, the name of the payee and the amount of the claim. Where two or more bills are embraced in one voucher the date of the earliest is given, excepting that when such vouchers are submitted under a contract the registered number of the contract is shown instead.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

Invoice Finance Date	Vouch- or Con- tract No.	Name of Payee.	Amount.
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Board of Standards and Appeals.

56028 Daniel Williams \$ 5 00

57091 3-31-17 N. Y. Telephone Co. 15 89

The Chamberlain.

56042 National Surety Co. 6 66

56043 Abraham L. Johnson 6 05

56044 3-17-17 F. F. Fuhrmann 7 45

56045 3-31-17 New York Telephone Co. 4 87

56046 Multipost Sales Agency 3 00

56047 3-20-17 Remington Typewriter Co. 2 10

Coroners, Borough of Brooklyn.

57084 3-8-17 Underwood Typewriter Co. 75

57085 4-1-17 The Peerless Towel Supply Co. 1 60

57086 4-3-17 Ernest C. Wagner 10 00

57087 Philip J. Coffey 5 40

57088 3-12-17 Kestler Auto Service Co. 23 75

57089 G. W. Tong 11 20

57090 Chas. Wuest, M. D. 13 40

Surrogate's Court, Bronx County.

55954 Edw. N. Patterson 24 92

Court of Special Sessions.

55976 3-28-17 Knickerbocker Ice Co. 25 12

55977 Initial Towel Supply Co. 9 75

55978 3-28-17 Berkshire Products Co. 30 00

55959 3-15-17 Berkshire Products Co. 64 87

The General Fireproofing Co. 419 25

55960 4-1-17 Centadrink Filters Co., Inc. 14 00

55961 2-15-17 Underwood Typewriter Co. 3 50

55962 Burns Bros. Ice Co. 7 02

55963 3-31-17 Knickerbocker Towel Supply Co. 12 00

55964 3-31-17 Nickel Towel Supply Co. 1 00

55965 3-31-17 Library Bureau 10 13

55966 3-11-17 M. Lamden 5 00

55967 3-27-17 Stevenson & Marsters 1 65

55968 3-25-17 A. S. Wickert 2 75

55969 The New York Law Journal 7 00

55970 3-28-17 Wm. F. Albers 2 50

Court of General Sessions.

57096 Edward R. Carroll 42 12

57097 3-30-17 Holtz Freystedt 54 00

57098 Broad Exchange Cafe & Restaurant Co. 18 00

County Clerk, Richmond County.

57083 3-31-17 N. Y. Tel. Co. 7 89

City Court of The City of New York.

56766 Gretchen Bevins 4 60

56767 3-31-17 New York Tel. Co. 35 03

56761 Knickerbocker Ice Co. 21 50

56762 3-31-17 Knickerbocker Towel Supply Co. 9 10

56763 3-31-17 U. S. Tel. Supply Co. 6 00

56764 3-31-17 Berkshire Products Co., Inc. 4 50

56765 4-3-17 Funk & Wagnalls Co. 1 50

Department of Correction.

56712 1-17-17 The Texas Company 268 80

56713 3-12-17 Thomas Donovan 4 00

56714 3-10-17 The Eagle Spring Water Co. 4 50

56715 3-21-17 Ayres & Galloway Hardware Co. 1 65

56716 3-16-17 Gimbel Bros. 431 30

56717 3-21-17 Ayres & Galloway Hardware Co. 37 00

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56971	2-24-17 N. J. Frame & Picture Co..	5 40	56889	3- 6-17 Grand Wood Turning Co..	455 55	57052	3-26-17 Lorentz Christensen	8 00
56972	2-27-17 Hoffman, Corr Mfg. Co....	27 00	56890	2-19-17 American Railway Supply Co.	405 00	57053	2- 3-17 Grand Terrance Constr. Co.	27 00
56973	2-28-17 Syndicate Trading Co.	19 69	56891	3-13-17 Savage Arms Co.	367 50	57054	3- 7-17 De Paoli & Kelly	49 50
56974	2-28-17 Hoffman, Corr Mfg. Co....	17 20	56894	11-23-16 N. Y. Telephone Co.	310 55	57055	3- 1-17 Emil Lazansky	10 50
56975	2-20-17 Agent and Warden, Auburn Prison	7 50	56895	11-24-16 Fulton Blue Print Co.	3 98	56930	3-14-17 H. J. Heinz Co.	192 00
56976	2-20-17 Agent and Warden, Auburn Prison	21 00	56896	3-17-17 E. J. Dailey, Jr.	57 50	56931	3-14-17 L. Crocco & Sons.	2 64
56977	2-26-17 Herman Kornahrens, Inc.	2 25	56897	3-12-17 A. J. Picard & Co.	1 10	56932	3-12-17 John Bellmann	24 00
56978	2-26-17 Henry J. Fink	1 75	56898	2- 7-17 Walter J. Best	30 00	56933	3- 2-17 The Arlington Chemical Co.	4 98
56979	2-15-17 Eimer & Amend	9 55	56899	2- 2-17 E. P. Gleason Mfg. Co.	6 00	56934	3-13-17 Armour & Co.	182 00
56980	2-27-17 E. Schoonmaker Co., Inc....	47 42	56900	1-13-17 Conner, Fendler & Co.	16 40	56935	1-12-17 Samuel E. Hunter	3 48
56981	2-27-17 Agent and Warden, Clinton Prison	75 00	56901	3-12-17 Patterson, Gottfried & Hunter	11 20	56936	2-21-17 Henneberger & Herold	552 00
56985	2-28-17 J. M. Horton Ice Cream Co.	61 05	56902	3-21-17 John Simmons Co.	33 30	56937	2-27-17 Henneberger & Herold ...	889 80
56986	2-28-17 J. M. Horton Ice Cream Co.	38 49	56903	3- 9-17 A. F. Brombacher & Co.	23 76	56938	2-26-17 Grand Central Market.	4 06
56987	3- 1-17 The Fleischmann Co.	25 20	56904	3-26-17 J. H. Williams & Co.	27 27	56939	3- 6-17 Andrew Manillo	17 76
56988	2-28-17 J. M. Horton Ice Cream Co.	14 40	56905	3-22-17 Sargent & Co.	75	56940	1-30-17 Louis H. Green	21 90
56989	2-26-17 E. Leitz, Inc.	7 50	57060	46672 M. L. Bird	2,680 25	56941	1-19-17 L. Crocco & Sons.	545 22
56990	2-17-17 The Holbrook Mfg. Co.	52 65	57061	46641 Standard Oil Co. of N. Y.	299 18	56942	3- 6-17 John Bellmann	64 02
56991	3- 1-17 Troy Laundry Machinery Co., Ltd.	43 41	57062	46641 Standard Oil Co. of N. Y.	98 77	56943	3-12-17 Frank J. Lennon Co.	508 25
56992	2-23-17 The Harral Soap Co., Inc..	41 40	57063	3-20-17 Eimer & Amend	12 90	56944	3- 6-17 John Campbell	49 00
56993	3- 1-17 S. Hubbs	1 85	57064	35774 Dayton Hedges	\$508 71	56945	3- 6-17 Burns Bros.	1,629 97
56994	2- 1-17 Knickerbocker Ice Co.	38 85	57065	45104 W. J. Fitzgerald	4,665 39	56946	3-21-17 Gavin Rowe	152 40
56995	1-31-17 Chas. G. Fedden	7 58	57066	45104 W. J. Fitzgerald	56947	3-21-17 Cold Indian Spring Water Co.	1 90	
56996	Knickerbocker Ice Co.	6 08	57067	46672 M. L. Bird	56948	3- 6-17 Andrew Manillo	1 80	
56997	3- 1-17 John D. Killian Auto Co., Inc.	69 20	57068	46672 M. L. Bird	56949	1-10-17 Nathan Strauss	600 20	
56998	Board of Inebriety. Chas. G. Anderson	2 80	57069	46672 M. L. Bird	56950	2- 5-17 Cook & Bernheimer Co.	8 16	
56999	Edward W. France	2 95	57070	46672 M. L. Bird	56951	2-21-17 Harral Soap Co.	315 00	
57000	John Monroe	5 45	57071	46672 M. L. Bird	56952	2-18-17 American Disinfecting Co.	226 80	
57001	Law Department. Lamar Hardy	597 92	57072	46672 M. L. Bird	56953	3- 9-17 Carbondale Calcium Co.	39 04	
57002	Miscellaneous. J. A. Long	56 00	57073	46672 M. L. Bird	56954	3-10-17 John Greig	51 79	
57003	Charles Murphy	31 34	57074	46672 M. L. Bird	57020	1- 2-17 James T. Dougherty	77 62	
57004	Abraham Rosenberg	475 00	57075	46672 M. L. Bird	57021	2- 9-17 Emil Greiner Co.	26 00	
57005	Wm. C. Bergen	150 00	57076	46672 M. L. Bird	57022	1-30-17 Goodyear's India Rubber Selling Co.	6 60	
57006	4- 3-17 D. & J. D. Mooney	50 00	57077	46672 M. L. Bird	57023	3- 6-17 Paul B. Hoeber	1 35	
57007	10-31-16 James C. Cowley	50 00	57078	46672 M. L. Bird	57024	3-20-17 Brooklyn Ladder Co.	10 00	
57008	Corn Exchange Bank	93 75	57079	46672 M. L. Bird	57025	3-10-17 James S. Barron & Co.	21 75	
57009	Louis Lese	300 00	57080	46672 M. L. Bird	57026	3-16-17 Goulds Mfg. Co.	15 75	
57010	Siebrand Nienhous	1,425 00	57081	46672 M. L. Bird	57027	3-24-17 C. H. & E. S. Goldberg	2 00	
57011	Central Purchase Committee. F. X. A. Purcell	50 00	57082	46672 M. L. Bird	57028	3-15-17 Eureka Fire Hose Mfg. Co.	148 00	
57012	Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond. Wm. S. Thompson Son....	42 50	57083	46672 M. L. Bird	57029	3-14-17 H. Kohnstamm & Co.	11 00	
57013	3-14-17 Hugh J. Christie	4 00	57084	46672 M. L. Bird	57030	3-20-17 A. Leschen & Sons Rope Co.	17 10	
57014	2-13-17 Surpless, Dunn & Co.	4 00	57085	46672 M. L. Bird	57031	3- 9-17 The Leavitt Machine Co.	14 50	
57015	1- 2-17 Library Bureau	32 63	57086	46672 M. L. Bird	57032	3- 8-17 Gough & Horn	17 40	
57016	1-24-17 Baker-Barron, Inc.	118 00	57087	46672 M. L. Bird	57033	2-27-17 Duparquet, Huot & Moneuse Co.	6 49	
57017	1-18-17 Dweeney & Gray	80 00	57088	46672 M. L. Bird	57034	1-27-17 Agent and Warden, Auburn Prison	3 38	
57018	1-23-17 J. L. Mott Iron Works....	13 75	57089	46672 M. L. Bird	57035	3-17-17 Chas. W. Brucher	5 34	
57019	3- 2-17 Neal & Brinker Co.	58 20	57090	46672 M. L. Bird	57036	2-19-17 Bramhall, Deane Co.	108 80	
57020	1-29-17 James H. Rhodes & Co.	25 00	57091	46672 M. L. Bird	57037	2-26-17 L. Barth & Son	162 50	
57021	2-26-17 Standard Oil Co. of N. Y.	135 71	57092	46672 M. L. Bird	57038	3- 6-17 Agent and Warden, Sing Sing Prison	60 00	
57022	1-19-17 Kalt Lumber Co.	70 20	57093	46672 M. L. Bird	57039	2- 2-17 Lenz Apparatus Co., Inc.	9 00	
57023	3- 7-17 Stern-Picard Co.	183 71	57094	46672 M. L. Bird	57040	2-19-17 E. Leitz	14 90	
57024	2- 9-17 Chilton Paint Co.	24 50	57095	46672 M. L. Bird	57041	2- 1-17 Hodgman Rubber Co.	275 50	
57025	2- 5-17 J. K. Larkin & Co.	5 58	57096	46672 M. L. Bird	57042	2-12-17 Consolidated Dental Mfg. Co.	2 86	
57026	2- 5-17 Kieley & Mueller	2 25	57097	46672 M. L. Bird	57043	1-29-17 Hynson, Westcott & Dunn	11 20	
57027	2-17-17 Richmond Waterproof Products Co.	86 00	57098	46672 M. L. Bird	57044	2- 7-17 Bruen, Ritchey & Co.	23 90	
57028	2- 7-17 Jos. Ruppert	109 00	57099	46672 M. L. Bird	57045	1-26-17 L. E. Knott Apparatus Co., Inc.	18 00	
57029	1-31-17 Quaker City Rubber Co.	9 90	57100	46672 M. L. Bird	57046	1-19-17 J. E. Kennedy & Co.	354 34	
57030	1-31-17 Lord & Burnham Co.	68 16	57101	46672 M. L. Bird	57047	2- 2-17 Knauth Bros.	35 00	
57031	1-18-17 Wm. S. Van Cleef & Sons..	316 50	57102	46672 M. L. Bird	57048	1-31-17 The Kny-Scheerer Corp.	1 85	
57032	3- 2-17 Patterson Bros.	68 38	57103	46672 M. L. Bird	57049	1-17-17 The Kny-Scheerer Corp.	743 13	
57033	2-19-17 S. W. Merritt Co.	42 00	57104	46672 M. L. Bird	57050	2- 4-17 Carbondale Calcium Co.	88 31	
57034	1- 9-17 John Gleason	1 20	57105	46672 M. L. Bird	57051	2-17-17 S. D. Woodruff & Sons.	2 10	
57035	10-30-16 Cushman's Sons, Inc.	58 95	57106	46672 M. L. Bird	57052	3-16-17 Cumberland Garage Co.	27 00	
57036	9- 6-16 Department of Correction..	162 00	57107	46672 M. L. Bird	57053	2-17-17 Baum's Castorine Co.	7 50	
57037	10-16-16 John Simmons Co.	1 80	57108	46672 M. L. Bird	57054	3-15-17 Library Bureau	170 7	

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56914	12-29-16	Standard Oil Co. of N. Y.	45 78	56839	11-16-16	Heywood Bros. & Wakefield Co.	139 50	56748	2- 1-17	Worthington Pump & Machinery Corp.	34 52
56915	11-21-16	Standard Oil Co. of N. Y.	251 16	56837	12-30-16	F. F. Fuhrmann	30 00	56749	1-13-17	John Sharkey	5 45
56916	11-20-16	Standard Oil Co. of N. Y.	95 48	56840	12-18-16	Fellsen Tire Co., Inc.	38 70	56750	1-13-17	John Sharkey	5 75
56917	11- 9-16	Carbondale Sponge Co.	54 00	56841	12- 1-16	A. M. G. Richter	548 80	56751	11-27-16	Thomas F. Mulligan	8 44
56918	4- 8-16	Standard Oil Co. of N. Y.	19 16	56842	1-28-17	Ford Motor Co.	3 00	56730	12-29-16	Benjamin Electric Mfg. Co.	17 10
56919	5-12-16	Standard Oil Co. of N. Y.	22 50	56843	12-22-16	Ford Motor Co.	3 66	56731	12-29-16	Sibley-Pitman Elec. Corp.	108 73
56920	10-16-16	Standard Oil Co. of N. Y.	28 05					56732	10- 2-16	Transit Development Co.	22 14
56921	11-18-16	Standard Oil Co. of N. Y.	47 56					56733	3-19-17	Powers Accounting Machine Co.	20 20
56922	12- -16	Standard Oil Co. of N. Y.	27 67					56734	3-15-17	E. H. Walsh	2 90
56923	12-12-16	General Vehicle Co., Inc.	675 00					56735	3- 1-17	Robert H. Dickinson	1 75
56924	12-12-16	General Vehicle Co., Inc.	10 56					56736	3-30-17	Sibley-Pitman Elec. Corp.	3 38
56925	9-18-16	General Vehicle Co., Inc.	19 05					56737	2-21-17	Guarantee Typewriter Repair Co.	8 00
56926	9-28-16	General Vehicle Co., Inc.	10 40					56738	2- 1-17	The Flatbush Gas Co.	9 59
56927	3- 7-17	General Vehicle Co., Inc.	53 30					56739	3- 1-17	Stewart, Warner Speedometer Corp.	6 55
56928	9-16-16	General Vehicle Co., Inc.	270 10								
56929	12- 5-16	General Vehicle Co., Inc.	265 97								
56831	11-14-16	Chas. Pickler	19 35								
56832	1-13-17	E. H. Walsh	12 50								
56833	12-27-16	Miller, Tompkins & Co.	12 00								
56834	9-19-16	Art Metal Const. Co.	24 80								
56835	8-2-16	F. F. Fuhrmann	36 50								
56836	12-26-16	F. F. Fuhrmann	4 .55								
56838	12-12-16	Heywood Bros. & Wakefield Co.	69 25								
			56747	2- 1-17	William Johnston	4 53		56760	Wm. Flannery	11 52	

Fire Department.

Abstract of Transactions from March 12 to March 17, 1917, Both Days Inclusive.

MARCH 12.

Contract Executed—Horseshoe pads, \$3,206; Revere Rubber Co., principal; U. S. Fidelity & Guaranty Co., surety.

Fires Reported—Week ended March 10, 1917: Manhattan, Bronx and Richmond, 161; Brooklyn and Queens, 73.

Bills Audited—Open market orders, \$1,040.06; miscellaneous, \$196.65; contracts, \$1,844.42.

MARCH 13.

Opening of Proposals—For furnishing, delivering and installing subsidiary pipes and delivering and installing fire alarm posts from 82nd st. to Fort George ave., Manhattan: Knight & DeMicco, Inc., 2353 Washington ave., Bronx, \$59,508; Christopher Nally, 710 Columbus ave., Manhattan, \$65,793; Hickey Contracting Co., 841 Broadway, Manhattan, \$59,994; Thomas Crimmins Contracting Co., 444 E. 69th st., Manhattan, \$56,048. Award of contract deferred.

Trial—Before Deputy Fire Commissioner Clarence H. Fay, March 7, 1917: Fireman Joseph A. Corley, Engine Co. 73, for reckless driving; charge dismissed.

Extension of Time Granted—To James H. Rhodes & Co. until Jan. 29, 1917, on contract dated March 2, 1916, for cleaning materials, etc., items 61, 61a and 72.

MARCH 14.

Opening of Proposals—For furnishing and delivering 1,500 terminal boxes for fire alarm posts: L. S. Brach Supply Co., 127 Suffolk st., Newark, N. J., \$22 250; York Electric & Machine Co., York, Pa., \$24,050; Foote, Pierson & Co., 18-20 Rose st., Manhattan, \$22,250. Award of contract deferred. For furnishing, delivering and installing one 8-section 80-cell storage battery for Engine Co. 217, Brooklyn: Meder-Staudt Co., Inc., 1904 Broadway, Manhattan, \$895. Award of contract deferred.

Official Designation—Pursuant to the provisions of sections 721 and 739 of the Greater New York Charter, Deputy Fire Commissioner Clarence H. Fay was this day authorized and directed to conduct trials and examine into charges preferred against members of the uniformed force in and for the Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens on Wednesday, March 14, 1917.

Bills Audited—Miscellaneous, \$300.

MARCH 15.

Trials—Before the Fire Commissioner, March 15, 1917: Fireman Carl A. Dangel, Engine Co. 44, for reckless driving; charge dismissed. Fireman Francis M. Lennon, Engine Co. 55, for being under the influence of liquor, drug or compound; one regular leave of absence allowed under section 154, Rules and Regulations, ordered withheld.

Appointed—As Ununiformed Firemen for a probationary period of three months at rate each of \$1,000 per annum with assignments specified, to take effect 8 a. m., March 16, 1917: William C. Riedy, Engine Co. 9; Samuel F. Phelan, Engine Co. 18; Antonio Baccichetti, Engine Co. 24; John R. Hebe, Engine Co. 29; Walter A. J. Tierney, Engine Co. 91; Alexander G. Stilwell, Engine Co. 219; Myles McHugh, H. and L. Co. 2; William L. Treisner, H. and L. Co. 11; John J. Mulligan, Engine Co. 12; John F. Gunner, Engine Co. 22; John J. Campwell, Engine Co. 25; Thomas F. Quinn, Engine Co. 44; John J. Cannon, Engine Co. 288; Charles W. Frevele, Engine Co. 251; Edward P. McConville, H. and L. Co. 5; Walter Marquardt, H. and L. Co. 106. To take effect 8 a. m., March 21, 1917: Henry J. Lupien, Engine Co. 216.

Promoted—To take effect 8 a. m., March 16, 1917: The following named Captain to rank of Chief of Battalion at rate of

\$3,300 per annum, with assignment specified: Albert Reid, Engine Co. 73, as Reining Officer. The following named Lieutenants to rank of Captain at rate of \$2,500 per annum with assignments specified: William G. Walters, Engine Co. 5; William R. Lanahan, Engine Co. 10; William Meurer, Engine Co. 157; Daniel Rogers, Engine Co. 214; Dennis H. Slatery, H. and L. Co. 17; John K. Ormond, H. and L. Co. 113. The following named Engineers of Steamer and Firemen, 1st Grade, to rank of Lieutenant, at rate of \$2,100 per annum, with assignments specified: Engineers of Steamer: Peter J. McKenzie, Engine Co. 20; John T. Lenahan, Engine Co. 25; James Shaw, Engine Co. 44; Edward F. Mullally, Engine Co. 74. Peter Brennan, Engine Co. 280. Firemen, 1st Grade—William J. Pickle, Engine Co. 76; Richard L. Schmeling, Engine Co. 224; Irwin R. Froemert, H. and L. Co. 5. The following named Firemen, 1st Grade, to position of Engineer of Steamer at rate of \$1,700 per annum with assignments specified: Thomas H. McKenney, Engine Co. 18; Charles A. H. Johanson, Engine Co. 21; Effingham N. McKav, Engine Co. 31; John J. Murphy, No. 2, Engine Co. 33; Thomas V. Croake, Engine Co. 65; James J. Clark, Engine Co. 154; William J. Grady, Engine Co. 203; John J. Maguire, Engine Co. 216; Victor W. Hauschild, Engine Co. 231; Otto Scharf, Engine Co. 279. The following named Firemen to position of Pilot at rate of \$1,500 per annum with assignments specified: Charles P. Hearon, 1st grade, Engine Co. 66; Archie Kenny, 2nd Grade, Engine Co. 57; James J. Gully, 2nd Grade, Engine Co. 66.

Transferred—To take effect 8 a. m., March 16, 1917: One Chief of Battalion, 7 Captains, 8 Lieutenants, 11 Engineers of Steamer, 72 Firemen of various grades in the uniformed force.

Resigned—To take effect 4.30 p. m., March 16, 1917: Machinist Thomas C. Nutting, Bureau of Repairs and Supplies, Division of Apparatus, Manhattan.

Retired—To take effect 8 a. m., March 16, 1917: Fireman Frank E. Corson, Engine Co. 87, on annual pension of \$725.

Old Charge Dismissed—Pursuant to the provisions of Special Order No. 163, Paragraph IV, dated Sept. 13, 1916, the charge of neglect of duty, on which Fireman Bartholomew Daly, Hook and Ladder Co. 11 (now of Hook and Ladder Co. 76), was tried before Fire Commissioner, March 9, 1916, found guilty and sentence suspended, was this day dismissed.

MARCH 16.

Opening of Proposals—For furnishing and delivering three portable insulation testing outfits: Leeds & Northrup Co., 4901 Stanton ave., Philadelphia, Pa. (informal), \$540; Thompson-Levering Co., 323 Arch st., Philadelphia, Pa., \$570; Stanley & Patterson, Inc., 23 Murray st., Manhattan, \$750. Contract awarded to Thompson-Levering Co., the lowest formal bidder, \$570.

Retired—To take effect 8 a. m., March 17, 1917: Fireman John Ruff, No. 1, Engine Co. 41, on annual pension of \$725. To take effect 8 a. m., March 19, 1917: Fireman Henry Doersch, Engine Co. 240, on annual pension of \$725.

Death Reported—Fireman Henry F. H. Koopman, Engine Co. 42, at 8.50 p. m., March 14, 1917.

Bills Audited—Contracts, \$11,510.61.

MARCH 17.

Contract Awarded—(Public Letting March 7, 1917): Ornamental Foundry Co., Anniston, Ala.; for furnishing and delivering upper parts of 161 fire alarm posts, \$3,593.30. J. L. Mott Iron Works, 118 Fifth ave., Manhattan; for furnishing and delivering 1,400 twin fire alarm posts, \$.0874 per pound.

Contract Executed—For furnishing, delivering and installing subsidiary pipes and

delivering and installing fire alarm posts south of 14th st., Manhattan, \$43,127; Hickey Contract Co., principal; Aetna Accident and Liability Co., surety.

Death Reported—Fireman William J. Lecher, Engine Co. 67, at 12.15 a. m., March 17, 1917.

Bills Audited—Open market orders, \$1,554.54.

ROBERT ADAMSON, Fire Commissioner.

Police Department.

Report for Week Ended March 31, 1917.

MARCH 26.

Probationary Patrolman Isaac S. Slocum was appointed a Patrolman in the Police Department of the City of New York, his conduct and capacity while on probation having been satisfactory.

Whereas, I deemed an emergency to exist and that such emergency demanded the appointment of Special Patrolman;

Therefore, under and by virtue of the provisions of section 18, title XI, chapter 583 of the Laws of 1888 and of section 274 of the Greater New York Charter, the following named person was appointed a Special Patrolman in the employ of the Police Department of the City of New York at \$4.21 a day, effective this day: Charles J. Gallagher.

Granted—Petition for pension of Nellie McCauley, widow of Patrolman Edward McCauley; date of marriage, June 2, 1891; amount of pension awarded, \$300 per annum. Hannah Meyer, an allowance of \$240 from the Police Relief Fund, as Guardian of John H. Meyer, infant child of Patrolman Henry C. Meyer, deceased, payable in monthly installments of \$20, dating from April 1, 1917. Application of Christopher Mehling, Acting Detective Sergeant, 2nd Grade, Detective Bureau, for permission to accept reward of \$50, less the usual deduction for the Pension Fund, from the U. S. Government for the arrest of a deserter from the Army.

Application of Patrolman Louis F. Tagliani, 3rd District, to be reimbursed in the sum of \$13.75 for revolver lost in the performance of duty.

Mask Ball Permits Granted—M. Robinowitz, Belmont Hall, Brooklyn, March 24, \$5; L. B. Tillinghast, Bronx Park Boat Club, Bronx, March 29, \$5; J. Bonguet, Amsterdam Opera House, Manhattan, March 31, \$25.

The appointment of the following named as emergency policemen was revoked: Millard P. Banks, Russell D. Haskell, Alfred F. Moran, Adelbert T. Wendt, Edward A. Sieber, Valentine Johnson, James Dado, John J. Kelly, Henry J. Walsh, Jacob Natter, William L. Boehles.

The following member of the Force, having been tried on charges before a Deputy Commissioner and found guilty, was dismissed from the Police Force of the Police Department of the City of New York, to take effect 1.05 p. m., March 24, 1917: Patrolman Alexander R. McConaghay, Shield No. 2604, 153rd precinct; charge, Oct. 27, 1915, conduct unbecoming an officer, prejudicial to good order and violation of the rules; (1) struck and kicked a man; (2) pointed a revolver at man and pulled trigger of same.

Revocation of appointment as Special Patrolman: James E. Morris, Shield No. 336, with the Police Department, March 16, 1917.

MARCH 27.

So much of the proceedings of March 23, 1917, as revokes the appointment of Special Patrolman James E. Morris, to take effect as of March 16, 1917, was amended to read "to take effect as of March 21, 1917."

The resignation of the following named Special Patrolman in the employ of the Police Department was accepted, to take

effect midnight, March 26, 1917: James J. O'Neill, Shield No. 789.

The appointment of the following named as emergency policemen was revoked: Effective March 22, 1917, James Ferguson, Charles Prasse; effective March 23, 1917, Edward H. Magee; effective March 24, 1917, Harry M. Walsh.

Accepted—Resignation of Samuel E. Gordon, Caretaker, effective March 26, 1917; resignation of Harry Renson, Caretaker, effective March 26, 1917.

ael F. McTighe, John H. Miller, Jr., Barney Mishkind, Milton H. Mosher, John J. Mullins, Elias Nadel, William L. Baily, George J. Bertie, Andrew Brénnan, Walter R. Brey, John H. Bent, Harry N. Carter, Joseph W. Burke, Harry Force, James A. Cole, Harold J. Crookston, Joseph Damiano, William DeVaughn, John A. Donovan, Michael Douglas, Thomas E. Drake, Maurice H. Dunn, Jr., Joseph A. Egan, Arthur J. Fay, Walter D. Foley, Edwin F. Greeley, William B. Garrigan, James F. Dowling, August Wassman, Jr., John F. Healy, Raymond E. Hearne, Howard J. Herbert, George E. Hooker, Frank J. Johnston, James J. Kane, Edward J. Kirwin, Frederick G. Kunnische, Louis Lofrano, Francis X. Loughran, Arslaw J. Mazim, Timothy J. McCrohan, James F. McDermott, Patrick McGowan, Charles F. L. Meade, Charles W. Miller, Harry Moskowitz, Walter S. Muir, John A. Murphy, Ernest Neithardt, William J. Norwin, John J. O'Brien, Patrick D. O'Connor, Patrick O'Neill, William H. Pinto, Frank N. Queran, Richard E. Rodgers, William J. Ryan, George M. Sanders, Andrew G. Schofield, Stephen J. Smith, Herman Stockfish, John E. J. Torpey, Joseph F. Troy, Albert D. Van Varick, Herman A. Von Keller, Leonard M. Weisels, Arthur N. Winterling, Robert H. Smallman, William P. Butler, John D. Murphy, Joseph Noth, Jr., Timothy O'Brien, Joseph M. O'Neill, Daniel J. Phelan, Lawrence W. Powers, John J. Reilly, James M. Rustin, Frank J. Sabater, William G. Schick, David Schwartz, George R. Steinert, Frank A. Sullivan, Charles Tracy, Edward W. Van Name, Joseph J. Velten, Albert A. R. Vooris, George R. White, George Zimmerman, Joseph W. Taylor, Joseph Bush.

The appointment of the following named as emergency policemen was revoked, to take effect March 28, 1917: Alexander Bayer, Isidore Hittner, Louis Levensen.

Mask Ball Permit Granted—H. Motz, Harlem River Casino, Manhattan, March 31, \$25.

MARCH 29.

His Honor, the Mayor, having certified to the Police Commissioner that, in his judgment, an emergency exists, as described in chapter 64, Laws of 1917, and His Excellency, the Governor, having approved such certificate, the Police Commissioner appointed the following named, under authority of said chapter 64, Laws of 1917, to act as emergency policemen, at a compensation not to exceed \$1,000 per annum, such appointments to terminate at the pleasure of the Police Commissioner, to perform duty in the Counties of Westchester, Putnam, Orange, Ulster and Nassau, State of New York: Alexander Bayer, Americac Ferella.

Whereas, I deemed an emergency to exist and that such emergency demanded the appointment of Special Patrolmen:

Therefore, under and by virtue of the provisions of Section 18, Title XI, chapter 583, of the Laws of 1888, and of Section 274 of the Greater New York, the following named person is hereby appointed Special Patrolman in the Police Department of the City of New York, with compensation at the rate of \$4.21 a day, and to take effect this day: Thos G. Egan. The following members of the Force were relieved and dismissed from the Police Force and Service and placed on the roll of the Police Pension Fund and were warded the following pension on Police Surgeons' Certificate to take effect 12 p. m., March 30, 1917: Patrolmen Edward Redden, Shield No. 6142, 143d Precinct, at \$725 per annum; appointed June 15, 1893. Francis J. Kramer, Shield No. 5915, 164th Precinct, at \$725 per annum; appointed Jan. 10, 1894. To take effect 12 p. m., March 31, 1917: Patrolman James M. Cusack, Shield No. 484, 144th Precinct, at \$725 per annum. Appointed Aug. 7, 1907.

ARTHUR WOODS, Police Commissioner.

Changes in Departments, Etc.

CITY COURT.

Died—George W. Rulison, Librarian, at \$3,000 per annum, March 31; Martin B. Furlong, Assistant Court Clerk, at \$1,800 per annum, April 6.

The following members of the Force were relieved and dismissed from the Police Force and Service and placed on the roll of the Police Pension Fund and were awarded the following pension, to take effect 12 p. m., March 28, 1917: On Police Surgeons' certificate, Captain Frederick G. Carson, Central Office Squad, at \$1,560 per annum; appointed Nov. 17, 1888. Patrolman Frederick H. Schilling, Shield No. 8867, 6th precinct, at \$725 per annum; appointed Jan. 7, 1909. On his own application, Patrolman Carl J. Larsen, Shield No. 6111, 14th precinct, at \$725 per annum; appointed March 25, 1892.

The following resignations were accepted, to take effect 12 p. m., March 28, 1917: Patrolmen Maximilian H. Weber, Shield No. 9130, 22nd precinct; Robert Harvey, Shield No. 6478, 22nd precinct.

The following death was reported: Patrolman Edward W. Bull, Shield No. 2895, 173rd precinct, at 12.50 p. m., March 28, 1917.

MARCH 30.

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The appointment of the following named as emergency policemen was revoked as of March 28, 1917: Joseph Bush, Louis Lofrano, Milton H. Mosher, James J. Kane, Edward F. McCue, Frederick M. Johnson.

Granted—Application of Acting Captain Grant Williams, Detective Bureau, that Walter J. Kenny and August Wickman, Active Detective Sergeants, 2nd Grade, be permitted to accept reward of \$100, to be divided equally, less the usual deduction for the Pension Fund, from the Chief of Police, Nahant, Mass., for the arrest of James M. Mills and Barak L. Smith.

Mask Ball Permit Granted—A. Sucss, kind, Terrace Garden, Manhattan, April 7, \$25.

The following members of the Force, having been tried on charges before a Deputy Commissioner and found guilty, were dismissed from the Police Force of the Police Department of the City of New York, to take effect 4.55 p. m., March 29, 1917: Patrolmen John Ryan, Shield No. 7934, 43rd precinct; one charge, Jan. 24, 1917; conduct unbecoming an officer and violation of the rules; struck motorman of a trolley car. Francis J. Mang, Shield No. 3445, 146th precinct; two charges, Feb. 3, 1917; violation of the rules; absent from residence without permission while on sick report; March 22, 1917, violation of the rules and disobedience of orders. (1) Absent from residence without permission while on sick report. (2) Failed to report at Police Surgeon's office. (3) Failed to report at Police Surgeon's office.

Revocation of appointment as Special Patrolmen: Frank J. Cummings, Shield No. 538, with the Police Department, March 26, 1917.

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Municipal Building, 3d floor, Telephone, 4198.

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Clerk's Office, Municipal Building, 2nd floor, Telephone, 4430.

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Supervisor's office, Municipal Building, 8th

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Municipal Building, 24th floor, Telephone, 1610 Worth.

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435-445 Fulton st. Telephone, 1932 Main.

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64 Jackson ave., L. I. City. Telephone, 3375

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NEW YORK COUNTY.**COUNTY CLERK.**

County Court House. Telephone, 5388 Cortlandt, 9 a. m. to 2 p. m., during July and August. Wm. F. Schneider, County Clerk.
DISTRICT ATTORNEY.
Criminal Court Building, 9 a. m. to 5.15 p. m.; Saturdays, to 12 noon. Telephone, 2304 Franklin. Edward Swann, District Attorney.
COMMISSIONER OF JUDGES.
280 Broadway. Telephone, 241 Worth. Frederick O'Byrne, Commissioner.
PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.
119 Nassau st. Telephone, 6376 Cortlandt. William M. Hoes, Public Administrator.
COMMISSIONER OF RECORDS.
Hall of Records. Telephone, 3900 Worth. Charles K. Lexow, Commissioner.
REGISTER.

Hall of Records. Telephone, 3900 Worth, 9 a. m. to 2 p. m. during July and August. John J. Hopper, Register.
SHERIFF.
51 Chambers st. Telephone, 4300 Worth. New York County Jail, 70 Ludlow st. Alfred E. Smith, Sheriff.
SURROGATES.
Hall of Records. Telephone, 3900 Worth. John P. Cahalan, Robert Ludlow Fowler, Surrogates. William Ray De Lano, Chief Clerk. John F. Curry, Commissioner of Records.

KINGS COUNTY.**COUNTY CLERK.**

Hall of Records. Telephone, 4930 Main. William E. Kelly, County Clerk.
COUNTY COURT.

County Court House. Court opens at 10 a. m. daily and sits until business is completed. Part I, Room 23; Part II, Room 10; Part III, Room 14; Part IV, Room 1, Court House. Clerk's Office, Rooms 17, 18, 19 and 22; open daily from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturday to 12 noon. Telephone, 4154 Main. John L. Grav, Chief Clerk.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

66 Court st., 9 a. m. to 5.30 p. m.; Saturday to 1 p. m. Telephone, 2954 Main. Harry E. Lewis, District Attorney.

COMMISSIONER OF JUDGES.

381 Fulton st. Telephone, 330-331 Main. Jacob Brenner, Commissioner.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.

44 Court st. Telephone, 2840 Main. Frank V. Kelly, Public Administrator.

COMMISSIONER OF RECORDS.

Hall of Records. Telephone, 6988 Main. Edmund O'Connor, Commissioner.

REGISTER.

Hall of Records. Telephone, 2830 Main. Edward T. O'Loughlin, Register.
SHERIFF.

50 Court st. Telephone, 6845 Main. Edward Riegelmann, Sheriff.

SURROGATE.

Hall of Records. Court opens at 10 a. m. Telephone, 3954 Main. Herbert T. Ketcham, Surrogate. John H. McCooey, Chief Clerk.

BRONX COUNTY.**COUNTY CLERK.**

Civil Records—161st st. and 3d ave. Telephone, 9266 Melrose.

Criminal Branch, 1918 Arthur ave. James Vincent Ganly, County Clerk.

COUNTY JUDGE.

Bergen Building Annex, Tremont and Arthur ayes. Telephone, 3205 Tremont. Louis D. Gibbs, County Judge.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

Tremont and Arthur ayes. Telephone, 1100 Tremont. Francis Martin, District Attorney.

COMMISSIONER OF JUDGES.

1932 Arthur ave. Telephone, 3700 Tremont. John A. Mason, Commissioner.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.

2808 Third ave. Telephone, 9816 Melrose, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturday to 12 noon.

REGISTER.

1932 Arthur ave. Telephone, 6694 Tremont. Edward Polak, Register.

SHERIFF.

1932 Arthur ave. Telephone, 6600 Tremont. James F. O'Brien, Sheriff.

SURROGATE.

Bergen Building Annex, 1918 Arthur ave.

George M. S. Schulz, Surrogate.

QUEENS COUNTY.**COUNTY CLERK.**

364 Fulton st., Jamaica. Telephone, 2608 Jamaica. Alexander Dujat, County Clerk.

COUNTY COURT.

County Court House, L. I. City. Telephone, 596 Hunters Point. Court opens at 10 a. m. Trial Term begins first Monday of each month, except July, August and September, and on Friday of each week.

Clerk's office open 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturday to 12.30 p. m. Telephone, 551 Jamaica.

County Judge's office always open at 336 Fulton st., Jamaica. Telephone, 551 Jamaica.

Burt Jay Humphrey, County Judge.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

County Court House, L. I. City. Telephone, 3871 Hunters Point. 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturday to 12 noon.

Denis O'Leary, District Attorney.

COMMISSIONER OF JUDGES.

County Court House, L. I. City. Telephone, 963 Hunters Point.

Thorndyke C. McKenney, Commissioner.

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362 Fulton st., Jamaica. Telephone, 223 Jamaica. Randolph White, Public Administrator.
SHERIFF.
County Court House, L. I. City. Telephone, 3766 Hunters Point. Samuel J. Mitchell, Under Sheriff.
SURROGATE.
364 Fulton st., Jamaica. Telephone, 397 Jamaica. Daniel Noble, Surrogate.

RICHMOND COUNTY.

COUNTY CLERK.
County Office Building, Richmond. Telephone, 28 New Dorp. C. Livingston Bostwick, County Clerk.
COUNTY JUDGE AND SURROGATE.
Trial Terms, with Grand and Trial Jury, second Monday of March, first Monday of October. Trial Terms with Trial Jury only, first Monday of May, first Monday of December. Special Terms, without Jury, Wednesday of each week, except the last week of July, the month of August and the first week of September.

SURROGATE'S COURT.

Monday and Tuesday of each week at the Borough Hall, St. George, and on Wednesday at the Surrogate's Court at Richmond, except during the session of the County Court. There will be no Surrogate's Court during the month of August.

Surrogate's Court and Office, Richmond. Surrogate's Chambers, Borough Hall, St. George.

Harry Tiernan, County Judge and Surrogate.

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SHERIFF.

County Court House, Richmond. Telephone, 120 New Dorp. Spiro Pitou, Jr., Sheriff.

THE COURTS.

CITY COURT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.
City Hall Park. Special Term Chambers held from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m. Clerk's office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. Telephone, 122 Cortlandt.

Thomas F. Smith, Clerk.

CITY MAGISTRATES' COURTS.

Boroughs of Manhattan and Bronx. William McAdoo, Chief City Magistrate, 300 Mulberry st. Telephone, 6213 Spring.

Municipal Term—Room 500 Municipal Building, Manhattan.

First District—Criminal Courts Building.

Second District—125 Sixth ave.

Third District—24th ave. and 1st st.

Fourth District—151 E. 57th st.

Fifth District—121st st. and Sylvan pl.

Sixth District—162d st. and Washington ave.

Seventh District—314 W. 54th st.

Eighth District—1014 E. 181st st. Bronx.

Ninth District (Night Court for Females)—125 Sixth ave.

Tenth District (Night Court for Males)—151 E. 57th st.

Eleventh District (Domestic Relations)—151 E. 57th st.

Twelfth District—1130 St. Nicholas ave.

Thirteenth District (Domestic Relations)—1014 E. 181st st. Bronx.

Office of the Chief Probation Officer, 300 Mulberry st. Telephone, 8713 Spring.

Borough of Brooklyn.

Office of Deputy Chief Clerk, Wm. F. Delaney, 44 Court st. Telephone, 7411 Main.

First District—31st Adams st.

Second District—Court and Butler sts.

Fifth District—361 Bedford ave.

Sixth District—495 Gates ave.

Seventh District—31 Snider ave., Flatbush.

Eighth District—W. 8th st., Coney Island.

Ninth District—5th ave. and 23d st.

Tenth District—133 New Jersey ave.

Domestic Relations—Myrtle and Vanderbilt ayes.

Borough of Queens.

First District—St. Mary's Lyceum, L. I. City.

Second District—Town Hall, Flushing.

Third District—Central ave., Far Rockaway.

Fourth District—Town Hall, Jamaica.

Borough of Richmond.

First District—Lafayette ave., New Brighton.

Second District—Village Hall, Stapleton.

All courts open daily from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., except on Saturdays, Sundays and legal holidays, when only morning sessions are held.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

Criminal Court Building. Court opens at 10.30 a. m. Clerk's office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

on Saturdays until 12 noon.

Edward R. Carroll, Clerk.

MUNICIPAL COURTS.

The Clerk's offices are open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturday, to 12 noon.

Board of Justices—_____. Secretary.

264 Madison st., Manhattan. Telephone, 2596 Orchard.

Borough of Manhattan.

First District—146 Grand st. Telephone, 9611 Spring. Additional part is held at the southwest corner of 6th ave. and 10th st. Telephone, 2513 Chelsea.

Second District—264-266 Madison st. Telephone, 4300 Orchard.

Third District—314 W. 54th st. Telephone, 5450 Columbus.

Fourth District—207 E. 32d st. Telephone, 4358 Murray Hill.

Fifth District—2565 Broadway. Telephone, 4006 Riverside.

Sixth District—155 E. 88th st. Telephone, 4343 Lenox.

Seventh District—70 Manhattan st. Telephone, 6334 Morningside.

Eighth District—121st st. and Sylvan pl. Telephone, 3950 Harlem.

Ninth District—Madison ave. and 59th st. Telephone, 3873 Plaza.

Borough of The Bronx.

First District—Town Hall, 1400 Williamsbridge rd. Telephone, 457 Westchester.

Second District—Washington ave. and 162d st. Telephone, 3042 Melrose.

Borough of Brooklyn.

First District—State and Court sts. Telephone, 7091 Main.

Second District—495 Gates ave. Telephone, 504 Bedford.

THE SALE OF TAX LIENS FOR UNPAID taxes, assessments and water rents for the Borough of Bronx, as to liens remaining unsold at the termination of the sale of Jan. 15, Feb. 19 and April 2, 1917, has been continued to

MONDAY, APRIL 23, 1917.

at 2.30 p. m., pursuant to Section 1028 of the Greater New York Charter, and will be continued at that time on the 4th floor of the Bergen Building, corner of Arthur and Tremont aves., Borough of Bronx, City of New York.

DANIEL MOYNAHAN, Collector of Assessments and Arrears.

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Confirmation of Assessments.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessments for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN:

SECTION 13.

MILLER AVE.—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING, from Crosby ave. to Highland Boulevard. Area of assessment affects block 3885.

SECTION 17.

57TH ST.—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING from 16th ave. to the Long Island Railroad. Area of assessment affects blocks 5492 and 5497.

SECTION 19.

81ST ST.—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING from 19th ave. to 21st ave. Area of assessment affects blocks 6286, 6287, 6297 and 6298.

SECTIONS 20 AND 22.

E. 147TH ST.—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING from Kings Highway to Avenue U. Area of assessment affects blocks 6796, 6797, 6819, 6820, 7292, 7293, 7318 and 7319.

SECTION 24.

FLATLANDS AVE.—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING from Rockaway ave. to E. 92d st. Area of assessment affects blocks 8180 to 8184, 8200 to 8204.

AVENUE L.—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING from E. 92d to E. 96th sts. Area of assessment affects blocks 8238 to 8241 and 8257 to 8260.

The above assessments were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on April 3, 1917, and entered April 3, 1917, in the Records of Titles of Assessments kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid on or before June 2, 1917, which is sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment interest will be collected thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from ten days after the date of said entry to the date of payment, as provided by Sections 159 and 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at his office in the Offerman Building, 503 Fulton st., Brooklyn, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 noon.

Dated, New York, April 3, 1917.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

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IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 986 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 assessment for OPENING AND ACQUIRING TITLE to the following named avenues and streets in the BOROUGH OF QUEENS:

SECOND WARD.

OPENING AND EXTENDING SYBILLA ST. from Metropolitan ave. to Viola pl.; THE RESA PL., from Metropolitan ave. to Sybilla st.; URUSLA PL., from Metropolitan ave. to Union Turnpike; and VIOLA PL., from Metropolitan ave. to Ursula pl. Confirmed March 8, 1917. Entered March 30, 1917. Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point on the southerly line of Union turnpike where it is intersected by the prolongation of a line distant 100 feet southwesterly from and parallel with the southerly line of Ursula pl. as this street is laid out where it adjoins Union turnpike, the said distance being measured at right angles to Ursula pl. and running thence northwesterly and northwesterly along a line, always distant 100 feet southwesterly and westerly from and parallel with the southerly and westerly lines of Ursula pl. and the prolongation thereof to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly line of Metropolitan ave., the said distance being measured at right angles to Metropolitan ave.; thence eastwardly along the said line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection with the southerly line of Ursula pl. and the prolongation thereof to a point distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Sybilla st.; thence westwardly and northwesterly and always distant 100 feet southerly and westerly from and parallel with the southerly and westerly line of Sybilla st. and the prolongations thereof to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly line of Metropolitan ave., the said distance being measured at right angles to Metropolitan ave.; thence eastwardly along the said line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection with the southerly line of Ursula pl. and the prolongation thereof to a point distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Sybilla st.; thence westwardly and northwesterly and always distant 100 feet southerly and westerly from and parallel with the southerly and westerly line of Sybilla st. and the prolongations thereof to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly line of Union turnpike; thence southwardly at right angles to Union turnpike a distance of 225 feet; thence westwardly and parallel with Union turnpike to the intersection with a line at right angles to Union turnpike and passing through the point of beginning; thence northwardly along the said line at right angles to Union turnpike to the point or place of beginning.

The above entitled assessment was entered on the day hereinbefore given in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid on or before May 29, 1917, which is sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from ten days after the date of said entry to the date of payment, as provided by sections 159 and 987 of the Greater New York Charter.

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at his office in the Municipal Building, Court House Square, L. I. City, Borough of Queens, between the hours

of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 noon.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

Dated, New York, March 30, 1917.

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IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessments for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS IN THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS:

FIRST WARD.

PAYNTAR AVE.—REGULATING AND PAVING from Sherman st. to Crescent st. Area of assessment affects blocks 86, 87, 88, 89, 101 to 104, and 146.

SECOND WARD.

FOREST AVE.—REGULATING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS from Hallieck ave. to Myrtle ave. Area of assessment affects blocks 2503, 2504, 2505, 2508, 2555, 2556, 2563 and 2564.

—that the above assessment was confirmed by the Board of Assessors on March 27, 1917, and entered March 27, 1917, in the Record of Titles of Assessments kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid on or before May 26, 1917, which is sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from ten days after the date of said entry to the date of payment, as provided by Sections 159 and 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at his office in the Municipal Building, Court House Square, L. I. City, Borough of Queens, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 noon.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

Dated, New York, March 27, 1917.

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IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessments for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS IN THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX:

SECTION 9.

150TH ST. (SOUTH SIDE)—FLAGGING AND REFLAGGING the sidewalk west of Mott ave. Area of assessment affects block 2347.

—that the above assessment was confirmed by the Board of Assessors on March 27, 1917, and entered March 27, 1917, in the record of Titles of Assessments kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid on or before May 26, 1917, which is sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from ten days after the date of said entry to the date of payment, as provided by Sections 159 and 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at his office in the Offerman Building, 503 Fulton st., Brooklyn, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 noon.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

Dated, New York, March 27, 1917.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 986 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 assessment for OPENING AND ACQUIRING TITLE to the following named avenues and streets in the BOROUGH OF QUEENS:

THIRD WARD.

OPENING AND ACQUIRING TITLE TO CALIFORNIA (CYPRESS) AVE., from 16th st. to the center line of Broadway; and RAT-TOONE PL. (30TH ST.), from Cypress ave. to the center line of Broadway. Confirmed Feb. 23, 1917. Entered March 29, 1917. Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point on the easterly line of Sixteenth st. (Dutchess st.) where it is intersected by a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the southerly line of Sanford ave. and the northerly line of Cypress ave. (California ave.) as these streets are laid out adjoining Sixteenth st. (Dutchess st.) on the east, and running thence eastwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the southerly line of Sanford ave. and the northerly line of Cypress ave. (California ave.) as these streets are laid out between 22nd st. (Joslin st.) and 23rd st. (Kendall pl.); thence eastwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the southerly line of Broadway (Jackson ave.) and the northerly line of Cypress ave. (California ave.) as these streets are laid out east of 26th st. (Norwood pl.); thence eastwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly line of Cypress ave. (California ave.) as these streets are laid out between 26th st. (Norwood pl.) and 27th st. (Stiles pl.); thence eastwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of 31st st. (Stiles pl.); thence eastwardly and parallel with 31st st. (Stiles pl.) to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Cypress ave. (California ave.) and Franciona ave.; thence westwardly along the said line midway between Cypress ave. (California ave.) and Franciona ave. and along the prolongation thereof to the intersection with a line at right angles to Union turnpike; thence southwardly at right angles to Union turnpike a distance of 225 feet; thence westwardly and parallel with Union turnpike to the intersection with a line at right angles to Union turnpike and passing through the point of beginning; thence northwardly along the said line at right angles to Union turnpike to the point or place of beginning.

The above entitled assessment was entered on the day hereinbefore given in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid on or before May 28, 1917, which is sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from ten days after the date of said entry to the date of payment, as provided by Sections 159 and 987 of the Greater New York Charter.

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at his office in the Offerman Building, 503 Fulton st., Brooklyn, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 noon.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

Dated, New York, March 29, 1917.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessments for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN:

SECTION 11.

EVERGREEN AVE.—REGULATING, GRADING, PAVING, CURBING AND FLAGGING between Chauncey st. and Pilling st. Area of assessment affects blocks 3451 and 3452.

—that the above assessment was entered on the day hereinbefore given in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid on or before May 28, 1917, which is sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from ten days after the date of said entry to the date of payment, as provided by Sections 159 and 987 of the Greater New York Charter.

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at his office in the Municipal Building, Court House Square, L. I. City, Borough of Queens, between the hours

of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 noon.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

Dated, New York, March 27, 1917.

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IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 986 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 assessment for OPENING AND ACQUIRING TITLE to the following named street in the BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN:

SECTIONS 5, 12, 15 AND 24.

E. 98TH ST.—OPENING from East New York ave. to the Manhattan Division of the Long Island Railroad and from Rockaway ave. to Forster ave. Confirmed Feb. 7, 1917. Entered March 29, 1917. Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, which taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point on the northerly line of East New York ave. where it is intersected by the prolongation of a line midway between Union st. and Tapscott st. and running thence southwardly along the said line midway between Union st. and Tapscott st. and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with Pitkin ave. and Sutter ave., as these streets are laid out east of Howard ave.; thence eastwardly along the said prolongation of a line midway between Pitkin ave. and Sutter ave., as these streets are laid out between East New York ave. and Sutter ave.; thence southwardly along the said line midway between Tapscott st. and Howard ave., as these streets are laid out between East New York ave. and Sutter ave.; thence eastwardly along the said line midway between Tapscott st. and Howard ave., as these streets are laid out between East New York ave. and Sutter ave.; thence southwardly along the said line midway between Tapscott st. and Howard ave., as these streets are laid out between East New York ave. and Sutter ave.; thence eastwardly along the said line midway between Tapscott st. and Howard ave., as these streets are laid out between East New York ave. and Sutter ave.; thence southwardly along the said line midway between Tapscott st. and Howard ave., as these streets are laid out between East New York ave. and Sutter ave.; thence eastwardly along the said line midway between Tapscott st. and Howard ave., as these streets are laid out between East New York ave. and Sutter ave.; thence southwardly along the said line midway between Tapscott st. and Howard ave., as these streets are laid out between East New York ave. and Sutter ave.; thence eastwardly along the said line midway between Tapscott st. and Howard ave., as these streets are laid out between East New York ave. and Sutter ave.; thence southwardly along the said line midway between Tapscott st. and Howard ave., as these streets are laid out between East New York ave. and Sutter ave.; thence eastwardly along the said line midway between Tapscott st. and Howard ave., as these streets are laid out between East New York ave. and Sutter ave.; thence southwardly along the said line midway between Tapscott st. and Howard ave., as these streets are laid out between East New York ave. and Sutter ave.; thence eastwardly along the said line midway between Tapscott st. and Howard ave., as these streets are laid out between East New York ave. and Sutter ave.; thence southwardly along the said line midway between Tapscott st. and Howard ave., as these streets are laid out between East New York ave. and Sutter ave.; thence eastwardly along the said line midway between Tapscott st. and Howard ave., as these streets are laid out between East New York ave. and Sutter ave.; thence southwardly along the said line midway between Tapscott st. and Howard ave., as these streets are laid out between East New York ave. and Sutter ave.; thence eastwardly along the said line midway between Tapscott st. and Howard ave., as these streets are laid out between East New York ave. and Sutter ave.; thence southwardly along the said line midway between Tapscott st. and Howard ave., as these streets are laid out between East New York ave. and Sutter ave.; thence eastwardly along the said line midway between Tapscott st. and Howard ave., as these streets are laid out between East New York ave. and Sutter ave.; thence southwardly along the said line midway between Tapscott st. and Howard ave., as these streets are laid out between East New York ave. and Sutter ave.; thence eastwardly along the said line midway between Tapscott st. and Howard ave., as these streets are laid out between East New York ave. and Sutter ave.; thence southwardly along the said line midway between Tapscott st. and Howard ave., as these streets are laid out between East New York ave. and Sutter ave.; thence eastwardly along the said line midway between Tapscott st. and Howard ave., as these streets are laid out between East New York ave. and Sutter ave.; thence southwardly along the said line midway between Tapscott st. and Howard ave., as these streets are laid out between East New York ave. and Sutter ave.; thence eastwardly along the said line midway between

for the sale for removal of the above described buildings and appurtenances thereto, and the award will be made to the highest bidder within twenty-four hours, or as soon as possible thereafter.

Each parcel must be bid for separately and will be sold in its entirety, as described in above advertisement.

Each and every bid must be accompanied by a deposit of cash or certified check in a sum equal to 25 per cent. of the amount of the bid, except that a minimum deposit of \$50 will be required with all bids, and that a deposit of \$500 will be sufficient to entitle bidders to bid on any or all of the buildings.

Deposits of unsuccessful bidders will be returned within twenty-four hours after successful bidders have paid purchase price in full and given security, and those of successful bidders may be declared forfeited to The City of New York by the Comptroller upon the failure of the successful bidder to further comply with the requirements of the terms and conditions of the sale as set forth hereinafter.

Successful bidders will be required to pay the purchase money and deposit the required security within twenty-four hours of the receipt of notification of the acceptance of their bids.

The Comptroller reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any defects or informities in any bid should it be deemed in the interest of The City of New York to do so.

All bids must state clearly (1) the number or description of the building or buildings bid for, (2) the amount of the bid, (3) the full name and address of the bidder.

All bids must be enclosed in properly sealed envelopes, marked "Proposals to be opened April 23, 1917," and must be delivered, or mailed in time for their delivery, prior to 11 a. m. of that date, to the "Collector of City Revenue, Room 368, Municipal Building, New York City," from whom any further particulars regarding the buildings to be disposed of may be obtained.

THE BUILDINGS WILL BE SOLD FOR IMMEDIATE REMOVAL ONLY, SUBJECT TO THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS PRINTED ON THE LAST PAGE OF THIS ISSUE OF THE "CITY RECORD."

E. D. FISHER, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.
City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, March 30, 1917. a6,23

AT THE REQUEST OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUND, BY VIRTUE OF THE POWERS VESTED IN THEM BY LAW, WILL OFFER FOR SALE BY SEALED BIDS CERTAIN ENCROACHMENTS STANDING UPON PROPERTY OWNED BY THE CITY OF NEW YORK, ACQUIRED BY IT FOR STREET OPENING PURPOSES IN THE

Borough of The Bronx.

BEING the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., standing within the lines of Parcel No. 360 of the Watson avenue proceeding, in the Borough of The Bronx, which are more particularly described on a certain map on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Room 368, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, until 11 a. m., on the 19th day of April, 1917, and then publicly opened, for the sale for removal of the above described buildings and appurtenances thereto, and the award will be made to the highest bidder within twenty-four hours, or as soon as possible thereafter.

Successful bidders will be required to pay the purchase money and deposit the required security within twenty-four hours of the receipt of notification of the acceptance of their bids.

The Comptroller reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any defects or informities in any bid should it be deemed in the interest of The City of New York to do so.

All bids must state clearly (1) the number or description of the building or buildings bid for, (2) the amount of the bid, (3) the full name and address of the bidder.

All bids must be enclosed in properly sealed envelopes, marked "Proposals to be opened April 19, 1917," and must be delivered, or mailed in time for their delivery, prior to 11 a. m. of that date, to the "Collector of City Revenue, Room 368, Municipal Building, New York City," from whom any further particulars regarding the buildings to be disposed of may be obtained.

THE BUILDINGS WILL BE SOLD FOR IMMEDIATE REMOVAL ONLY, SUBJECT TO THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS PRINTED ON THE LAST PAGE OF THIS ISSUE OF THE "CITY RECORD."

E. D. FISHER, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, March 30, 1917. a3,19

AT THE REQUEST OF THE COMMISSIONER OF DOCKS, PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUND, BY VIRTUE OF THE POWERS VESTED IN THEM BY LAW, WILL OFFER FOR SALE BY SEALED BIDS CERTAIN STRUCTURES STANDING UPON PROPERTY OWNED BY THE CITY OF NEW YORK, FORMERLY USED FOR DOCK PURPOSES, IN THE

Borough of Brooklyn.

BEING the platforms on piles, houses and houseboats, etc., located between the easterly side of the boardwalk leading to Manhattan Beach at the foot of Ocean ave., Sheepshead Bay, and a line 133 feet easterly therefrom, in the Borough of Brooklyn, which are more particularly described on a certain map on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room 368, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan.

PURSUANT to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted at a meeting held March 29, 1917, the sale by sealed bids at the upset or minimum prices named in the description of each parcel of the above buildings and appurtenances thereto, will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

FRIDAY, APRIL 20, 1917,

at 11 a. m., in lots and parcels, and in manner and form, and at upset prices as follows:

Parcel No. 360—Two-story frame house on triangular plot at Watson ave., Castle Hill ave. and E. 177th st. Upset price, \$25.

Sealed bids (blank forms of which may be obtained upon application) will be received by the Comptroller at the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Room 368, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, until 11 a. m., on the 20th day of April, 1917, and then publicly opened, for the sale for removal of the above described buildings and appurtenances thereto, and the award will be made to the highest bidder within twenty-four hours, or as soon as possible thereafter.

Each parcel must be bid for separately and will be sold in its entirety, as described in above advertisement.

Each and every bid must be accompanied by a deposit of cash or certified check in a sum equal to 25 per cent. of the amount of the bid, except that a minimum deposit of \$50 will be required with all bids, and that a deposit of \$500 will be sufficient to entitle bidders to bid on any or all of the buildings.

Deposits of unsuccessful bidders will be returned within twenty-four hours after successful bidders have paid purchase price in full and given security, and those of successful bidders may be declared forfeited to The City of New York by the Comptroller upon the failure of the successful bidder to further comply with the requirements of the terms and conditions of the sale as set forth hereinafter.

Successful bidders will be required to pay the purchase money and deposit the required security within twenty-four hours of the receipt of notification of the acceptance of their bids.

The Comptroller reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any defects or informities in any bid should it be deemed in the interest of The City of New York to do so.

All bids must state clearly (1) the number or description of the building or buildings bid for, (2) the amount of the bid, (3) the full name and address of the bidder.

All bids must be enclosed in properly sealed envelopes, marked "Proposals to be opened April 20, 1917," and must be delivered, or mailed in time for their delivery, prior to 11 a. m. of that date, to the "Collector of City Revenue, Room 368, Municipal Building, New York City," from whom any further particulars regarding the buildings to be disposed of may be obtained.

E. D. FISHER, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, March 30, 1917. a4,20

AT THE REQUEST OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUND, BY VIRTUE OF THE POWERS VESTED IN THEM BY LAW, WILL OFFER FOR SALE BY SEALED BIDS CERTAIN ENCROACHMENTS STANDING UPON PROPERTY OWNED BY THE CITY OF NEW YORK, ACQUIRED BY IT FOR STREET OPENING PURPOSES IN THE

Borough of The Bronx.

BEING the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., standing within the lines of Parcels No. 33 to No. 39 of the proceeding for the opening and widening of Eastchester rd., from Williamsbridge rd. to Laconia ave., in the Borough of The Bronx, which are more particularly described on a certain map on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room 368, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan.

PURSUANT to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted at a meeting held March 29, 1917, the sale by sealed bids at the upset or minimum prices named in the description of each parcel of the above buildings and appurtenances thereto, will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

THURSDAY, APRIL 19, 1917.

at 11 a. m., in lots and parcels and in manner and form and at upset prices, as follows:

Parcel No. 33—Part of two-story frame house No. 1673 Eastchester rd. Cut 3.2 feet from front by 0.5 feet on north side. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 34—Part of two-story frame house No. 1679 Eastchester rd. Cut 8.8 feet on south side by 7.8 feet on north side. Upset price, \$50.

Parcel No. 35—Two-story frame house No. 1685 Eastchester rd. Upset price, \$50.

Parcel No. 37A—Part of two and one-half story frame house No. 1701 Eastchester rd. Cut 23.3 feet on south side by 13.4 feet on north side. Upset price, \$50.

Parcel No. 37B—Two-story frame house No. 1711 Eastchester rd. and part of extension. Cut 23.3 feet on south side by 5.5 feet on north side of rear entry. Upset price, \$50.

Parcel No. 37C—Part of two-story frame house No. 1729 Eastchester rd. Cut 13.6 feet on south side by 12.3 feet on north side. Upset price, \$25.

Parcel No. 38—Stone wall north of Parcel No. 37C. Upset price, \$5.

Sealed bids (blank forms of which may be obtained upon application) will be received by the Comptroller at the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Room 368, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, until 11 a. m., on the 19th day of April, 1917, and then publicly opened, for the sale for removal of the above described buildings and appurtenances thereto, and the award will be made to the highest bidder within twenty-four hours, or as soon as possible thereafter.

Each parcel must be bid for separately and will be sold in its entirety, as described in above advertisement.

Each and every bid must be accompanied by a deposit of cash or certified check in a sum equal to 25 per cent. of the amount of the bid, except that a minimum deposit of \$50 will be required with all bids, and that a deposit of \$500 will be sufficient to entitle bidders to bid on any or all of the buildings.

Deposits of unsuccessful bidders will be returned within twenty-four hours after successful bidders have paid purchase price in full and given security, and those of successful bidders may be declared forfeited to The City of New York by the Comptroller upon the failure of the successful bidder to further comply with the requirements of the terms and conditions of the sale as set forth hereinafter.

Successful bidders will be required to pay the purchase money and deposit the required security within twenty-four hours of the receipt of notification of the acceptance of their bids.

The Comptroller reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any defects or informities in any bid should it be deemed in the interest of The City of New York to do so.

All bids must state clearly (1) the number or description of the building or buildings bid for, (2) the amount of the bid, (3) the full name and address of the bidder.

All bids must be enclosed in properly sealed envelopes, marked "Proposals to be opened April 19, 1917," and must be delivered, or mailed in time for their delivery, prior to 11 a. m. of that date, to the "Collector of City Revenue, Room 368, Municipal Building, New York City," from whom any further particulars regarding the buildings to be disposed of may be obtained.

THE BUILDINGS WILL BE SOLD FOR IMMEDIATE REMOVAL ONLY, SUBJECT TO THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS PRINTED ON THE LAST PAGE OF THIS ISSUE OF THE "CITY RECORD."

E. D. FISHER, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, March 30, 1917. a6,23

wide, together with a one-story frame structure, formerly used as a waiting room, located on said platform about 88 feet south of Emmons ave., 15.3 feet long, 19 feet wide and 7.60 feet high along the sides of the structure and 9.30 feet high along the ridge at center.

Lot 8—Platform on piles, located 70 feet at inner end and 40 feet at outer end east of the Boardwalk and 134 feet south of Emmons ave., 105.7 feet long and 20 feet wide, together with a one-story frame structure at outer end of same 8.20 feet high on one side and 9.20 feet high on other side, 12.25 feet wide and 14 feet long; also a runway 16.2 feet long and 4 feet wide connecting said platform with platform mentioned in Parcel 7. Also a group of piles located about 28 feet south of platform described in this parcel.

Lot 9—Platform on piles, located 106.4 feet long and 11 feet wide, located 10 feet east of Boardwalk, 10 feet long and 15.5 feet wide.

Houseboats, should the same be still there at time of sale:

Lot 10—Houseboat about 8 feet high, 24.45 feet long and 12.05 feet wide, with awning roof on top, on scow 33.60 feet long, 17.40 feet wide, located 11 feet east of Boardwalk and 77 feet south of Emmons ave.

Lot 11—Houseboat about 8 feet high, 41 feet long and 11 feet wide, with awning roof on top, on scow 48.2 feet long, 11 feet wide, located about 63 feet east of Boardwalk and 63 feet south of Emmons ave.

SPECIAL CONDITIONS.

All of the lots as described above will be sold as one parcel.

All supporting piles under platforms, houseboats, or structures mentioned in the foregoing parcel, are to be entirely removed by the successful bidder, it being the intention of the City to have the entire area above described cleared of all obstructions.

The time for removal is limited to fifteen days from the date of sale, and any structures, etc., not fully removed at the expiration of that period will be taken away by the Department of Docks and Ferries and the expense of such removal will be paid out of the security deposited by the Purchaser.

Sealed bids (blank forms of which may be obtained upon application) will be received by the Comptroller at the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Room 368, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, until 11 a. m., on the 18th day of April, 1917, and then publicly opened, for the sale for removal of the above described buildings and appurtenances thereto, and the award will be made to the highest bidder within twenty-four hours, or as soon as possible thereafter.

Successful bidders will be required to pay the purchase money and deposit the required security within twenty-four hours of the receipt of notification of the acceptance of their bids.

The Comptroller reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any defects or informities in any bid should it be deemed in the interest of The City of New York to do so.

All bids must state clearly (1) the number or description of the building or buildings bid for, (2) the amount of the bid, (3) the full name and address of the bidder.

All bids must be enclosed in properly sealed envelopes, marked "Proposals to be opened April 18, 1917," and must be delivered, or mailed in time for their delivery, prior to 11 a. m. of that date, to the "Collector of City Revenue, Room 368, Municipal Building, New York City," from whom any further particulars regarding the buildings to be disposed of may be obtained.

THE BUILDINGS WILL BE SOLD FOR IMMEDIATE REMOVAL ONLY, SUBJECT TO THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS PRINTED ON THE LAST PAGE OF THIS ISSUE OF THE "CITY RECORD."

E. D. FISHER, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, March 30, 1917. a2,19

AT THE REQUEST OF THE COMMISSIONER OF DOCKS, PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUND, BY VIRTUE OF THE POWERS VESTED IN THEM BY LAW, WILL OFFER FOR SALE BY SEALED BIDS CERTAIN STRUCTURES STANDING UPON PROPERTY OWNED BY THE CITY OF NEW YORK, FORMERLY USED FOR DOCK PURPOSES, IN THE

Borough of Brooklyn.

BEING the platforms on piles, houses and houseboats, etc., located between the easterly side of the boardwalk leading to Manhattan Beach at the foot of Ocean ave., Sheepshead Bay, and a line 133 feet easterly therefrom, in the Borough of Brooklyn, which are more particularly described on a certain map on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room 368, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan.

PURSUANT to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted at a meeting held March 29, 1917, the sale by sealed bids of the above buildings and appurtenances thereto will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 18, 1917,

at 11 a. m., in lots and parcels, and in manner and form, as follows:

Parcel A—Structures consisting of platforms on piles, frame houses, houseboats, etc., between the easterly side of the boardwalk leading to Manhattan Beach at the foot of Ocean ave., Sheepshead Bay, Borough of Brooklyn, and a line 133 feet easterly therefrom, in the Borough of Brooklyn, which are more particularly described on a certain map on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room 368, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan.

SPECIAL CONDITIONS.

E. D. FISHER, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, March 29, 1917. a2,18

Sureties on Contracts.

UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE SURETY COMPANIES WILL BE ACCEPTED AS SUFFICIENT AS UPON THE FOLLOWING CONTRACTS TO THE AMOUNTS NAMED:

Supplies of Any Description, Including Gas and Electricity.

One company on a bond up to \$50,000.

Item 12-3 cubic yards brick masonry.
Item 13-2 water manhole heads and covers complete.

The time allowed for the full completion of the work will be twelve (12) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be \$500, and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid will be five per cent. (5%) of the amount of security.

The bidder must deposit with the Borough President on or before the time of making his bid samples and affidavit, or the letter in regard to samples and affidavit, as required in the specifications.

NO. 4. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH SHEET ASPHALT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF 54TH ST. FROM 6TH AVE. TO 7TH AVE. TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

Item 3-630 linear feet new 5-inch bluestone curbstone.

Item 3b-20 linear feet new 6-inch granite corner curbstone.

Item 4-940 linear feet old curb redressed.

Item 5-150 square feet concrete sidewalk, Class A.

Item 6-30 linear feet granite headers.

Item 6a-10 linear feet temporary headerstone.

Item 8-2,620 square yards sheet asphalt pavement.

Item 9-10 square yards sheet asphalt pavement in approaches.

Item 10-4 sewer manhole heads and covers complete.

Item 11-1 cover for sewer manhole.

Item 12a-1 ring for sewer manhole.

Item 13-1 water manhole head and cover complete.

The time allowed for the full completion of the work shall be twenty-two (22) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be \$2,000, and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five per cent. (5%) of the amount of security.

The bidder must deposit with the Borough President on or before the time of making his bid samples and affidavit, or the letter regarding samples and affidavit, as required by the specifications.

NO. 5. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH SHEET ASPHALT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF 75TH ST. FROM WEST END AVE. TO RIVERSIDE DRIVE, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

Item 3-760 linear feet new 6-inch granite curbstone.

Item 4-10 linear feet old curb redressed.

Item 5-10 square feet concrete sidewalk, Class A.

Item 6a-10 linear feet temporary headerstone.

Item 7-320 cubic yards concrete.

Item 8-1,680 square yards sheet asphalt.

Item 9-90 square yards sheet asphalt pavement in approaches.

Item 12-3 cubic yards brick masonry.

Item 13-1 water manhole head and cover complete.

The time allowed for the full completion of the work shall be eighteen (18) consecutive calendar working days.

The amount of security required will be \$1,500, and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid will be five per cent. (5%) of the amount of security.

The bidder must deposit with the Borough President on or before the time of making his bid samples and affidavit, or the letter in regard to samples and affidavit, as required by the specifications.

NO. 6. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH SHEET ASPHALT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF 126TH ST. FROM A POINT 180.5 FEET EAST OF THE EAST HOUSE LINE TO A POINT 41.1 FEET WEST OF WEST HOUSE LINE OF LEXINGTON AVE. TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

Item 3-120 linear feet new 5-inch bluestone curbstone.

Item 4-120 linear feet old curb redressed.

Item 5-10 linear feet temporary headerstone.

Item 7-140 cubic yards concrete.

Item 8-740 square yards sheet asphalt.

Item 10-2 sewer manhole heads and covers complete.

Item 11-1 cover for sewer manhole.

Item 12a-1 ring for sewer manhole.

Item 13-3 cubic yards brick masonry.

Item 13-1 water manhole head and cover complete.

The time allowed for the full completion of the work shall be fifteen (15) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be \$500, and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five per cent. (5%) of the amount of security.

The bidder must deposit with the Borough President on or before the time of making his bid samples and affidavit, or the letter in regard to samples and affidavit, as required by the specifications.

NO. 7. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH BITUMINOUS CONCRETE ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF 215TH ST. FROM WESTERLY HOUSE LINE OF PARK TERRACE EAST TO EASTERLY HOUSE LINE OF PARK TERRACE WEST, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

Item 3-10 linear feet new 5-inch bluestone curbstone.

Item 4-150 linear feet old curb redressed.

Item 6-30 linear feet temporary headerstone.

Item 7-190 cubic yards concrete.

Item 8-1,080 square yards bituminous concrete pavement.

The time allowed for the full completion of the work shall be twenty (20) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be \$600, and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five per cent. (5%) of the amount of security.

The bidder must deposit with the Borough President on or before the time of making his bid samples and affidavit, or the letter regarding samples and affidavit, as required in the specifications.

NO. 8. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH GRANITE BLOCK PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY FROM CURB TO RAIL OF 3D AVE., 60TH TO 79TH STS. AND WITH REDRESSED GRANITE BLOCK PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAYS OF CENTRAL PARK TRANSVERSE ROADS NO. 1 FROM 5TH AVE. AND 65TH ST. TO CENTRAL PARK WEST AND 65TH ST. AND CENTRAL PARK TRANSVERSE RD. NO. 2 FROM 5TH AVE. AND 79TH ST. TO CENTRAL PARK WEST AND 81ST ST. TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

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Item 3-3,800 linear feet new 5-inch bluestone curbstone.

Item 3a-8,320 linear feet new 6-inch granite curbstone.

Item 3b-940 linear feet new 6-inch granite corner curbstone.

Item 4-7,710 linear feet old curb redressed.

Item 5-68,750 square feet concrete sidewalk, Class A.

Item 5a-150 square feet concrete sidewalk, Class A, no maintenance.

Item 6a-30 linear feet temporary headerstone.

Item 7-8,250 cubic yards concrete outside of railroad area.

Item 8-25,370 square yards granite block pavement outside of railroad area.

Item 9-115 square yards sheet asphalt pavement in approaches.

Item 10-27 sewer manhole heads and covers complete.

Item 11-7 covers for sewer manholes.

Item 11a-7 rings for sewer manholes.

Item 12-9 cubic yards brick masonry.

Item 13-20 water manhole heads and covers complete.

Item 16-18,170 square yards redressed granite block pavement.

Item 17-120 linear feet 3-inch cast iron pipe.

Work in Railroad Area.

Item 7a-30 cubic yards concrete.

Item 8a-140 square yards wood block pavement.

Item 10-1 sewer manhole head and cover complete.

Item 11-1 cover for sewer manhole.

Item 11a-1 ring for sewer manhole.

Item 12-3 cubic yards brick masonry.

Item 13-1 water manhole head and cover complete.

Item 16-11 cover for sewer manhole.

Item 16a-1 ring for sewer manhole.

Item 17-115 square yards sheet asphalt.

Item 18-10,000 feet B. M. planking on concrete.

Item 19-10,000 feet B. M. planking on concrete.

Item 20-10,000 feet B. M. planking on concrete.

Item 21-10,000 feet B. M. planking on concrete.

Item 22-10,000 feet B. M. planking on concrete.

Item 23-10,000 feet B. M. planking on concrete.

Item 24-10,000 feet B. M. planking on concrete.

Item 25-10,000 feet B. M. planking on concrete.

Item 26-10,000 feet B. M. planking on concrete.

Item 27-10,000 feet B. M. planking on concrete.

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Item 29-10,000 feet B. M. planking on concrete.

Item 30-10,000 feet B. M. planking on concrete.

Item 31-10,000 feet B. M. planking on concrete.

Item 32-10,000 feet B. M. planking on concrete.

Item 33-10,000 feet B. M. planking on concrete.

Item 34-10,000 feet B. M. planking on concrete.

Item 35-10,000 feet B. M. planking on concrete.

Item 36-10,000 feet B. M. planking on concrete.

Item 37-10,000 feet B. M. planking on concrete.

Item 38-10,000 feet B. M. planking on concrete.

Item 39-10,000 feet B. M. planking on concrete.

Item 40-10,000 feet B. M. planking on concrete.

Item 41-10,000 feet B. M. planking on concrete.

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Item 67-10,000 feet B. M. planking on concrete.

Item 68-10,000 feet B. M. planking on concrete.

BELLEVUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS, DEPARTMENTS OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, CORRECTION, HEALTH, WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY, STREET CLEANING, AND PARK BOARD.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY Bellevue and Allied Hospitals and the Departments of Public Charities, Correction, Health, Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Street Cleaning and the Park Board at the office of the Central Purchase Committee, Room 1220, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 2:30 p. m. on **MONDAY, APRIL 16, 1917.**

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING PAINTS, OILS AND VARNISHES AND PAINTERS' SUPPLIES.

The time for the performance of the contract is on or before June 30, 1917.

The amount of security required is thirty (30) per cent. of the contract amount awarded.

No bid will be considered unless it is accompanied by a deposit. Such deposit shall be in an amount not less than one and one-half (1½) per cent. of the total amount of the bid.

The bidder will state the price per unit, as called for in the schedules of quantities and prices, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total and awards, if made, made to the lowest bidder on each item or class, as stated in the schedules.

Bids must be submitted in duplicate, each copy in a separate envelope. No bid will be accepted unless this provision is complied with.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Central Purchase Committee, 12th floor, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

BELLEVUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS,

JOHN W. BRANNAN, M. D., President.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,

JOHN A. KINGSBURY, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION,

BURDETTE G. LEWIS, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH,

HAVEN EMERSON, M. D., Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS

AND ELECTRICITY,

WILLIAM WILLIAMS, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING,

JOHN T. FETHERSTON, Commissioner.

PARK BOARD,

CABOT WARD, President;

THOMAS W. WHITTLE, RAYMOND V. INGERSOLL,

JOHN E. WIEBER, Commissioners.

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last page, last column, of the "City Record,"

except for the address of the office for receiving and opening bids.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Commissioner of Street Cleaning at his office, Room 1244, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 12 noon on **WEDNESDAY, APRIL 18, 1917.**

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING (CLASS 1) 12 COMBINATION FLUSHING AND COLLECTION GASOLINE MOTOR TRUCKS AND (CLASS II) PARTS.

The time allowed for the delivery of materials and supplies and the full performance of the contract is 120 consecutive calendar days.

The amount of security required for the faithful performance of the contract is 30 per cent. of the amount of the contract price.

Bids must be submitted in duplicate in separate envelopes.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the schedules per unit, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total for each class and awards made to the lowest bidder on each class.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Department of Street Cleaning, Manhattan.

J. T. FETHERSTON, Commissioner.

Dated, April 5, 1917. **a7,18**

See General Instructions to Bidders on

last page, last column, of the "City Record."

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, at Room 1244, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 12 noon, on **FRIDAY, APRIL 13, 1917.**

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING LEATHER.

The time allowed for the delivery of materials and supplies and the full performance of the contract is sixty (60) consecutive calendar days.

The amount of security required for the faithful performance of the contract is 30 per cent. of the amount of the contract price.

Bids must be submitted in duplicate in separate envelopes.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the schedule, per pound, side, or hide, by which the bids will be tested.

The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total of each item and awards made to the lowest bidder on each item.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Department of Street Cleaning, Manhattan.

J. T. FETHERSTON, Commissioner.

Dated, March 31, 1917. **a3,13**

See General Instructions to Bidders on

last page, last column, of the "City Record."

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Commissioner of Docks at his office, Pier "A," foot of Battery pl., North River, Manhattan, until 12 noon on **FRIDAY, APRIL 13, 1917,**

Borough of Manhattan.

CONTRACT NO. 1563.

FOR REPAIRING THE ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON THE MARGINAL STREET AND PIERS, NORTH, EAST AND HARLEM RIVERS, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of Dec. 31, 1917.

The amount of security required is \$5,700.

The bidder shall state, both in writing and in figures, a price per square yard for doing all of the work called for. The contract, if awarded, will be awarded to the bidder whose price per square yard is the lowest for doing all of the work called for and whose bid is regular in all respects.

in writing will be considered as the bid.

The estimate of the quantity of the work is about 7,500 square yards.

Work must be done at the time and in the manner and in such quantities as may be directed.

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

R. A. C. SMITH, Commissioner of Docks.

Dated, March 30, 1917. **a2,13**

See General Instructions to Bidders on

last page, last column, of the "City Record."

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Commissioner of Docks at his office, Pier "A," foot of Battery pl., North River, Manhattan, until 12 noon, on **FRIDAY, APRIL 13, 1917,**

CONTRACT NO. 1568.

FOR FURNISHING HORSES, WITH HARNESS AND DRIVERS, FOR CARTING COAL TO AND REMOVING ASHES, ETC., FROM THE MUNICIPAL FERRYBOATS AND FERRY TERMINALS IN THE BOROUGHS OF MANHATTAN, BROOKLYN AND RICHMOND (CLASS 1), AND IN THE BOROUGHS OF MANHATTAN AND RICHMOND (CLASS 2).

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of each class of the contract is on or before the expiration of Oct. 31, 1917.

The amount of security required in each class is as follows:

Class 1—For about 877½ days' service of horses, with harness and drivers, the sum of \$1,200.

Class 2—For about 2,340 days' service of horses, with harness and drivers, the sum of \$3,200.

The bidder shall state, both in writing and in figures, a price per day of eight hours for the services of one horse with harness and driver, at which unit price he is prepared to furnish all of the service required in the class upon which a bid is submitted. Bids may be submitted on one or both classes, as each class will be the basis of a separate and distinct contract. Award on either of the two classes, if made, will be to the bidder whose unit price per day is the lowest and whose bid is regular in all respects.

In case of discrepancy between the written price and that given in figures, the price in writing will be considered as the bid.

Horses, with harness and drivers, must be furnished at the time and in the manner and in such quantities as may be directed.

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

R. A. C. SMITH, Commissioner of Docks.

Dated, March 30, 1917. **a2,13**

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DEPARTMENT OF PLANT AND STRUCTURES.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Commissioner of Plant and Structures at his office, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 2 p. m. on **THURSDAY, APRIL 19, 1917,**

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING WOOD PAVING BLOCKS.

The time allowed for the full delivery of the material and for the complete performance of the contract will be ninety (90) calendar days after the date of certification of the contract by the Comptroller of the City.

The amount of security to guarantee the faithful performance of the contract will be thirty (30) per cent. of the total amount for which the contract is awarded.

The right is reserved by the Commissioner to reject all the bids, should he deem it to the interest of the City so to do.

Blank forms and specifications may be obtained at the office of the Department of Plant and Structures.

F. J. H. KRACKE, Commissioner.

Dated, April 5, 1917. **a7,19**

See General Instructions to Bidders on

last page, last column, of the "City Record."

BELLEVUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS, DEPARTMENTS OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, CORRECTION AND HEALTH.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY Bellevue and Allied Hospitals and the Departments of Public Charities, Correction and Health, at the office of the Central Purchase Committee, Room 1220, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 2:30 p. m. on **MONDAY, APRIL 16, 1917,**

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING MILK AND CREAM.

The time for the performance of the contract is on or before Sept. 30, 1917.

The amount of security required is thirty (30) per cent. of the contract amount awarded.

No bid will be considered unless it is accompanied by a deposit. Such deposit shall be in an amount not less than one and one-half (1½) per cent. of the total amount of the bid.

The bidder will state the price per unit, as called for in the schedules of quantities and prices, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total and awards, if made, made to the lowest bidder on each item or class, as stated in the schedules.

Bids must be submitted in duplicate, each copy in a separate envelope. No bid will be accepted unless this provision is complied with.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Central Purchase Committee, Room 1220, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

J. T. FETHERSTON, Commissioner.

Dated, March 31, 1917. **a3,13**

See General Instructions to Bidders on

last page, last column, of the "City Record."

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Commissioner of Docks at his office, Pier "A," foot of Battery pl., North River, Manhattan, until 12 noon on **FRIDAY, APRIL 13, 1917,**

Borough of Manhattan.

CONTRACT NO. 1563.

FOR REPAIRING THE ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON THE MARGINAL STREET AND PIERS, NORTH, EAST AND HARLEM RIVERS, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of Dec. 31, 1917.

The amount of security required is \$5,700.

The bidder shall state, both in writing and in figures, a price per square yard for doing all of the work called for. The contract, if awarded, will be awarded to the bidder whose price per square yard is the lowest for doing all of the work called for and whose bid is regular in all respects.

an amount not less than one and one-half (1½) per cent. of the total amount of the bid.

The bidder will state the price per unit, as called for in the schedules of quantities and prices, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total and awards, if made, made to the lowest bidder on each item or class, as stated in the schedules.

Bids must be submitted in duplicate, each copy in a separate envelope. No bid will be accepted unless this provision is complied with.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Central Purchase Committee, 12th floor, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

BELLEVUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS,

JOHN W. BRANNAN, M. D., President.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES,

JOHN A

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

NO. 2, FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED TO CONSTRUCT A SEWER IN 65TH ST., NORTHEASTERLY SIDE, BETWEEN 19TH AND 20TH AVES.

The Engineer's preliminary estimate of the quantities is as follows:

725 linear feet of 12 inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$2.75.....	\$1,993 75
10 linear feet of house connection drain, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$1.00.....	10 00
6 manholes complete, with iron heads and covers, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per manhole, \$60.00.....	360 00
1,000 feet, board measure, of sheeting and bracing, driven in place complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per thousand feet, board measure, \$20.....	20 00
Total.....	\$2,383 75

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract will be thirty (30) consecutive working days.

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

NO. 3, FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED TO CONSTRUCT SEWER IN NEWPORT ST. FROM HERZL ST. (AMES ST.) TO AMBOY ST.

The Engineer's preliminary estimate of the quantities is as follows:

220 linear feet of 12 inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$2.40.....	\$528 00
80 linear feet of 6 inch house connection drain, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$1.00.....	80 00
3 manholes, complete, with iron heads and covers, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per manhole, \$60.....	180 00
1 sewer basin complete, of either standard design, with iron pane or grating, iron basin hood and connecting culvert, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per sewer basin, \$150.00.....	150 00
Total.....	\$938 00

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract will be twenty (20) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Five Hundred Dollars (\$500).

NO. 4, FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED TO CONSTRUCT SEWER IN DUMONT AVE. FROM BERRIMAN ST. TO ATKINS AVE.

The Engineer's preliminary estimate of the quantities is as follows:

230 linear feet of 12 inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$2.50.....	\$575 00
162 linear feet of 6 inch house connection drain, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$1.00.....	162 00
2 manholes, complete, with iron heads and covers, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per manhole, \$60.....	120 00
1,000 feet, board measure, of sheeting and bracing, driven in place complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per thousand feet, board measure, \$20.....	20 00
5 cubic yards of extra excavation, including sheeting and bracing, and all labor, materials, incidentals and appurtenances; per cubic yard, \$0.50.	2 50
Total.....	\$879 50

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract will be twenty (20) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Four Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$450).

The foregoing Engineer's preliminary estimate of the total cost for the completed work is to be taken as the 100% basis and test for bidding. Proposals shall each state a single percentage of such 100 per cent. (such as 95 per cent., 100 per cent. or 105 per cent.) for which all materials and work called for in the proposed contract and notices to bidders are to be furnished to the City. Such percentages as bid for each contract shall apply to all unit items specified in the Engineer's preliminary estimate to an amount necessary to complete the work described in the contract.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Bureau of Sewers, 215 Montague st., Brooklyn.

6.18 L. H. POUNDS, President.

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

BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY.

Auction Sale of Bronze.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Board of Water Supply of The City of New York, will receive sealed bids up to 11 a. m.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 11, 1917, at its offices, 22nd floor, Municipal Building, Manhattan, for approximately 36,000 pounds of miscellaneous bronze and brass, as per approximate schedule in the office of the Board of Water Supply.

Item 1—About 7,000 pounds of "bronze" bolts, screws and washers, mostly manganese bronze and naval brass, located at Hill View Reservoir and along the line of the City tunnel, in New York City.

Item 2—About 31,570 pounds of heavy valve and pipe castings, mostly manganese bronze, located along the line of the City tunnel, in New York City.

Item 3—About 1,585 pounds of iron valve and pipe castings, located at Board of Water Supply Laboratory, in New York City.

Item 4—About 1,870 pounds of steel valve and pipe castings (of which about 265 pounds is lead lining), located at Board of Water Supply Laboratory, in New York City.

Item 5—One (1) Aristo printing frame (wooden), located at Board of Water Supply Laboratory, in New York City.

Item 6—One (1) Ford automobile radiator (brass), and one (1) copper tank; and about 140 pounds of miscellaneous pieces sheet copper; located along the line of the City tunnel, in New York City.

Further information and more detailed description of material can be obtained at room 2224, Municipal Building, Manhattan, where arrangements may be made for inspecting the material, and a schedule thereof may be seen.

Terms of Sale—The award, if made, will be made on each item separately within five days after bids are opened. The successful bidder or bidders will be required to pay the full amount bid, according to the estimated weights in the

schedule, dated March 15, 1917, in cash or by certified check drawn to the order of the Board of Water Supply of The City of New York within five days after notice, in writing, has been mailed to him that his bid has been accepted. Adjustment will later be made according to actual weights of material, weighing to be done in the presence of a representative of said Board.

Scales to be furnished by purchaser and to be subject to approval by the Board of Water Supply.

The material shall be sold as it stands, and if the purchaser or purchasers fail to remove the same from the premises of the Board of Water Supply within three weeks from the date of the sale, the purchaser or purchasers shall forfeit the purchase money paid and any claim to the ownership of the material; in such event, the Board of Water Supply reserves the right to resell; the proceeds of such resale shall be the property of said Board.

The bidder shall deposit with his bid a certified check drawn to the order of the Board of Water Supply of The City of New York in the sum of 10 per cent. of the amount of his bid. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned within seven days after the bids are opened. If the successful bidder fails to comply with the terms of sale the amount of his deposit shall be forfeited and become the property of The City of New York, otherwise the said deposit will be returned to him.

The Board of Water Supply will not be responsible for any loss or damage to the material between the time of the sale and time of removal.

At the above time and place the bid will be publicly opened and read.

The Board of Water Supply reserves the right to reject any and all bids received if, in its opinion, the Board deems it to be for the best interests of The City so to do.

CHARLES STRAUSS, President; CHARLES N. CHADWICK, JOHN F. GALVIN, Commissioners of the Board of Water Supply.

GEORGE FEATHERSTONE, Secretary. *m5,11*

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Board of Water Supply at its offices, 22d floor, Municipal Building, Park Row, Centre and Chambers sts., New York City, until 11 a. m., on

TUESDAY, APRIL 24, 1917,

for

CONTRACT 168.

FOR FURNISHING, DELIVERING, INSTALLING AND TESTING COMPLETE ELECTRICAL LIGHTING APPARATUS AT VARIOUS STRUCTURES AT RESERVOIRS AND ALONG THE CATSKILL AQUEDUCT; ALSO FOR FURNISHING AND INSTALLING A MOTOR AND GEARING AND AN ELECTRICALLY DRIVEN PUMP. THE WORK IS LOCATED BETWEEN THE ASHOKAN RESERVOIR, NEAR ASHOKAN, ULSTER COUNTY, AND SILVER LAKE RESERVOIR, STATEN ISLAND, NEW YORK.

A statement of the work required and further information are given in the Information for Bidders, forming part of the contract. At the above place and time the bids will be publicly opened and read. The award of the contract, if awarded, will be made by the Board as soon thereafter as practicable. The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Two or more bonds, the aggregate amount of which shall be Forty Thousand Dollars (\$40,000), will be required for the faithful performance of the contract.

No bid will be received and deposited unless accompanied by a certified check upon a National or State Bank, drawn to the order of the Comptroller of The City of New York to the amount of Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000).

Time allowed for the completion of the work is eight consecutive calendar months, from the date of notice by the Board to begin work.

Pamphlets containing information for bidders, forms of bid and contract, specifications, contract drawings, etc., can be obtained at the above address, at the office of the Secretary, upon application in person or by mail, by depositing the sum of Ten Dollars (\$10) in cash or its equivalent for each pamphlet. This deposit will be refunded upon the return of the pamphlets in acceptable condition within thirty days from the date on which bids are to be opened.

For further particulars apply to the office of the Principal Assistant Engineer, at the above address.

CHARLES STRAUSS, President; CHARLES N. CHADWICK, JOHN F. GALVIN, Commissioners of the Board of Water Supply.

GEORGE FEATHERSTONE, Secretary. *m29,16*

See general instructions to bidders on last page, last column, of the City Record, so far as applicable hereto and not otherwise provided for.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Board of Water Supply, at its offices, twenty-second floor, Municipal Building, Park Row, Centre and Chambers sts., New York City, until 11 a. m., on

TUESDAY, APRIL 10, 1917,

for

CONTRACT 182.

FOR APPLYING A SURFACE TREATMENT OF REFINED TAR AND STONE CHIPS TO ABOUT 4 MILES OF WATER-BOUND MACADAM PAVEMENT AT ASHOKAN RESERVOIR. THE WORK IS LOCATED IN THE TOWNS OF OLIVE AND MARELTOWN, ULSTER COUNTY, NEW YORK.

An approximate statement of the quantities of the various items of work and further information are given in the Information for Bidders forming part of the contract. At the above place and time the bids will be publicly opened and read. The award of the contract, if awarded, will be made by the Board as soon thereafter as practicable. The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

A bond in the sum of Four Thousand Dollars (\$4,000) will be required for the faithful performance of the contract.

No bid will be received and deposited unless accompanied by a certified check upon a National or State Bank, drawn to the order of the Comptroller of The City of New York to the amount of Five Hundred Dollars (\$500).

Time allowed for the completion of the work is 3 consecutive months from the service of notice by the Board to begin work.

Pamphlets containing information for bidders, forms of bid and contract, specifications, contract drawings, etc., can be obtained at the above address, at the office of the Secretary, upon application in person or by mail, by depositing the sum of Ten Dollars (\$10) in cash or its equivalent for each pamphlet. This deposit will be refunded upon the return of the pamphlets in acceptable condition within thirty days from the date on which bids are to be opened.

For further particulars apply to the office of the Principal Assistant Engineer, at the above address.

CHARLES STRAUSS, President; CHARLES N. CHADWICK, JOHN F. GALVIN, Commissioners of the Board of Water Supply.

GEORGE FEATHERSTONE, Secretary. *m22,a10*

See general instructions to bidders on last page, last column, of the City Record, so far as applicable hereto and not otherwise provided for.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Board of Water Supply, at its offices, 22d floor, Municipal Building, Park Row, Centre and Chambers sts., New York City, until 11 a. m., on

TUESDAY, APRIL 10, 1917,

for

CONTRACT 176.

FOR FURNISHING AND ERECTING ABOUT 3 1/2 MILES OF SPIRAL CLOTH OR CHAIN-LINK WIRE FENCING AND ABOUT 1 MILE OF REINFORCED CONCRETE GUARD RAIL. A SHORT STRETCH OF WIRE FENCING IS TO BE REPAIRED. THE FENCING WILL BE ABOUT 4 FEET HIGH AND ERECTED ON A GALVANIZED STEEL PIPE FRAME. THE WORK IS LOCATED AT THE HILL VIEW RESERVOIR, IN THE CITY OF YONKERS, WESTCHESTER COUNTY, AND THE SILVER LAKE RESERVOIR, IN THE BOROUGH OF RICHMOND, NEW YORK CITY.

An approximate statement of the quantities of the various items of work and further information are given in the Information for Bidders, forming part of the contract. At the above place and time the bids will be publicly opened and read. The award of the contract, if awarded, will be made by the Board as soon thereafter as practicable. The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

The Board of Water Supply will not be responsible for any loss or damage to the material between the time of the sale and time of removal.

No bid will be received and deposited unless accompanied by a certified check upon a National or State Bank, drawn to the order of the Comptroller of The City of New York to the amount of Fifteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,500).

Time allowed for the completion of the work is eighteen consecutive months from the service of notice by the Board to begin work.

Pamphlets containing information for bidders, forms of bid and contract, specifications, contract drawings, etc., can be obtained at the above address, at the office of the Secretary, upon application in person or by mail, by depositing the sum of Ten Dollars (\$10) in cash or its equivalent for each pamphlet. This deposit will be refunded upon the return of the pamphlets in acceptable condition within thirty days from the date on which bids are to be opened.

For further particulars apply to the office of the Principal Assistant Engineer, at the above address.

CHARLES STRAUSS, President; CHARLES N. CHADWICK, JOHN F. GALVIN, Commissioners of the Board of Water Supply.

GEORGE FEATHERSTONE, Secretary. *m22,a10*

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SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Board of Water Supply at its offices, 22d floor, Municipal Building, Park Row, Centre and Chambers sts., New York City, until 11 a. m., on

TUESDAY, APRIL 24, 1917,

for

CONTRACT 183.

FOR FURNISHING, DELIVERING, INSTALLING AND TESTING COMPLETE ELECTRICAL LIGHTING APPARATUS AT VARIOUS STRUCTURES AT RESERVOIRS AND ALONG THE CATSKILL AQUEDUCT; ALSO FOR FURNISHING AND INSTALLING A MOTOR AND GEARING AND AN ELECTRICALLY DRIVEN PUMP. THE WORK IS LOCATED BETWEEN THE ASHOKAN RESERVOIR, NEAR ASHOKAN, ULSTER COUNTY, AND SILVER LAKE RESERVOIR, STATEN ISLAND, NEW YORK.

A statement of the work required and further information are given in the Information for Bidders, forming part of the contract. At the above place and time the bids will be publicly opened and read. The award of the contract, if awarded, will be made by the Board as soon thereafter as practicable. The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Two or more bonds, the aggregate amount of which shall be Forty Thousand Dollars (\$40,000), will be required for the faithful performance of the work.

No bid will be received and deposited unless accompanied by a deposit. Such deposit shall be in an amount not less than one and one-half (1 1/2) per cent. of the total amount of the bid.

The bidder will state the price per unit, as called for in the schedules of quantities and prices, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total and awards, if made, to the lowest bidder on each item or class, as stated in the schedules.

Bids must be submitted in duplicate, each copy in a separate envelope. No bid will be accepted unless this provision is complied with.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Central Purchase Committee, 12th floor, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

BELLEVUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS, JOHN W. BRANNAN, M. D., President, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, JOHN A. KINGSBURY, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, BUREAU G. LEWIS, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY, WILLIAM WILLIAMS, Commissioner.

See general instructions to bidders on last page, last column, of the City Record, so far as applicable hereto and

of Webster ave., 220 feet south of E. 182nd st. Affecting Block 3143.
 5495. Paving Avery ave., from E. 177th st. to E. 179th st. Affecting Blocks 3130, 3131, 3135 and 3136.
 5496. Paving E. 173rd st. from Boston rd. to Crotona Park East. Affecting Blocks 2939 and 2940.
 5497. Paving and curbing St. Mary st. (E. 143rd st.) from Jackson ave. to Wales ave., and Wales ave. from St. Marys st. to E. 142nd st. Affecting Blocks 2573, 2574 and 2575.
 5535. Receiving basins and appurtenances at the southwest corner of E. 144th st. and Wales ave., and on the west side of Powers ave., oppo site E. 142nd st. Affecting Blocks 2571 and 2574.

Borough of Queens.

5488. Regulating and grading the sidewalk and gutter spaces and laying sidewalks and crosswalks on the westerly side of 4th st. from Jackson ave. to Polk ave., 2nd Ward. Affecting Blocks 400, 401, 403 and 404.
 5499. Regulating, paving and curbing Putnam ave. from the Kings County Line to Wyckoff ave., 2nd Ward. Affecting Blocks 2817 and 2818.

5533. Regulating and paving 4th ave. from Jackson ave. to Washington ave., 1st Ward. Affecting Blocks 68, 74, 75, 125 and 126.

Borough of Brooklyn.

5286. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging and paving E. 34th st. from Church ave. to Snyder ave., together with a list of awards for damages caused by a change of grade, and constructing Sewer Basins on Church ave. at the southwest corner of E. 34th st. and at the southeast and southwest corners of E. 35th st. Affecting Blocks 4887 to 4889.

5377. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging Snediker ave. between New Lots rd. and Riverdale ave., and Newport st. from Snediker ave. to Van Sinderen ave., together with an award for damages caused by a change of grade. Affecting Blocks 3833, 3834, 3850 and 3851.

5425. Regulating, regrading, curbing and flagging 34th st. from 24th ave. to 25th ave., together with a list of awards for damages caused by a change of grade. Affecting Blocks 6854 and 6856.

5456. Repairing sidewalks at the following locations: Ainslie st., Nos. 39-45 and 172; Bedford ave., Nos. 246 and 291; Berry st., 172; north west corner N. 5th st.; Central ave., No. 225; Cropsey ave., No. 1731; Degrave st., No. 455; Devoe st., No. 31; Driggs ave., No. 597; Graham ave., northwest corner Devoe st.; Grand st., No. 866; Hawthorne st., No. 34; Joralemon st., Nos. 78-82; Avenue K., No. 1804 and on north side, between and on E. 38th st. to Flatbush ave.; Keap st., Nos. 489-493; Kent ave., Nos. 228-232; Kingsland ave., Nos. 194 and 273; Madison st., No. 301; Metropolitan Ave., Nos. 119, 129, 131 and 143; N. Henry st., No. 70; N. 1st st., No. 138; N. 5th st., No. 245; N. 6th st., Nos. 112 and 195; N. 9th st., Nos. 221, 239 and 246; Nostrand ave., No. 1190; Quincy st., No. 526; Scholes st., Nos. 254, 256 and 280; Sea Side Walk, east side, from northeast corner Bowery Walk to 55 feet north; S. 1st st., Nos. 140-150; S. 2nd st., Nos. 66 and 161; S. 3rd st., No. 29; State st., No. 201; Sutton st., No. 46; Ten Eyck st., No. 14; Vernon pl., No. 11a; W. 17th st., No. 2883; Willoughby ave., Nos. 891-893; Willow pl., No. 21, and 20th ave., north corner 84th st. Affecting property in front of which work was done.

5460. Paving Canarsie Lane from Flatbush ave. to Nostrand ave. Affecting Blocks 5165 to 5173.

5484. Repairing sidewalks at the following locations: Amboy st., Nos. 42 and 153; Herkimer st., Nos. 412-414; Honkison ave., northeast corner of Park pl.; Howard ave., No. 408; Lincoln ave., east side, opposite No. 422; Osborn st., No. 259; Pitkin ave., northwest corner of Saratoga ave.; Rockaway ave., No. 405; Snediker ave., west side, 50 feet south of Blake ave.; St. Marks ave., Nos. 1427 and 1436; State ave., Nos. 608-610; Sutter ave., No. 3/4; and Vernon st., No. 428. Affecting property in front of which work was done.

5492. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging Sackman st. between Newport st. and New Lots ave. Affecting Blocks 3846, 3847, 3856 and 3857.

5499. Regulating, paving and curbing Putnam ave. from the Kings County Line to Wyckoff ave., 2nd Ward, Borough of Queens. Affecting Blocks 3371, 3372 and 3379, Borough of Brooklyn.

5512. Basin on E. 22nd st. at the northwest corner of Ditmas ave. Affecting Block 5185.

5513. Basin on 5th ave. at the southerly corner of 90th st. Affecting Block 6088.

5514. Basin on 63rd st. at the easterly corner of 17th ave. Affecting Block 5532.

5515. Basin on the westerly corner of 71st st. and Fort Hamilton Parkway. Affecting Block 5901.

5516. Basin on the northeast corner of Parade pl. and Crooke ave. Affecting Block 5058.

5517. Sewer in Duryea pl. from Flatbush ave. to E. 22nd st. Affecting Block 5132.

5518. Sewer in E. 4th st. from a point about 303 feet north of Avenue U to Avenue U. Affecting Blocks 7106 and 7107.

5519. Sewer in E. 7th st. from Avenue T to Avenue U. Affecting Blocks 7109, 7110 and 7133.

5520. Sewers in 56th st. from 15th ave. to 16th ave. and in 16th ave. from 55th st. to 56th st. Affecting Blocks 5488, 5489 and 5491.

5521. Sewer in 15th ave. from 44th st. to 45th st. Affecting Blocks 5431 and 5612.

5522. Sewer in Newport st. from Chester st. to Bristol st. Affecting Blocks 3601 and 3613.

5523. Sewer in 64th st. from 18th ave. to sewer summit about midway between 18th and 19th aves. Affecting Blocks 5540 and 5547.

5524. Sewer in 79th st. between 21st ave. and Bay Parkway. Affecting Blocks 6264 and 6276.

5536. Grading lot on the south side of Eastern Parkway between Brooklyn and Kingston aves. Affecting Block 1271, Lot 26.

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, Room 809, Municipal Building, Manhattan, New York, on or before Tuesday, May 1, 1917, at 10 a. m., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

WILLIAM C. ORMOND, JACOB J. LESSER, ST. GEORGE B. TUCKER, Board of Assessors.
 St. George B. Tucker, Secretary.
 March 31, 1917. m31,a11

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY.

Sale of Dead or Abandoned Gas Lampposts.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED AND publicly opened in Room 2351, Municipal Building, Manhattan, by the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, at 11 a. m., on

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 11, 1917.

Borough of the Bronx.
 FOR THE PURCHASE AND REMOVAL OF APPROXIMATELY 6,408 DEAD OR ABANDONED GAS LAMPPOSTS NOW STANDING IN THE STREETS AND PUBLIC PLACES OF THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

For the purpose of taking bids and making awards thereon, the lampposts have been divided into two classes, as follows:

Class A—Lampposts set in dirt between the curb and the sidewalk, the number of which is estimated at 4,590.

Class B—Lampposts set in concrete, flagstone or other artificial durable sidewalk material, the number of which is estimated at 1,818.

It is the intent to provide for the sale and removal of all dead and abandoned lampposts, excepting only those upon which will be found mail boxes.

The bidders will, however, be required to determine for themselves, by personal inspection, the exact number of lampposts of each class to be sold and removed.

The amount of security required for the faithful performance of the terms of the agreement will be Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000). Such security either in cash, certified check or bond satisfactory to the Commissioner must be furnished prior to the execution of the agreement.

No bid will be considered unless it is accompanied by a deposit. Such deposit shall be in an amount not less than five per cent. of the amount of security.

The successful bidder will be required to execute the agreement hereinafter referred to within three days after receipt of notice of the acceptance of the bid.

The purchaser must commence the removal of the lampposts within ten days after the delivery of the agreement, and will be required to effect removal at the rate of not less than seventy-five (75) for each working day.

Before removing any lampposts it will be necessary for the purchaser to procure a permit from the Borough President upon such conditions as he may prescribe. Such permit will be issued only upon the written approval of this Department, which approval will be given only after payment by the purchaser to the Department of a sum equivalent to the purchase price, based upon the unit prices named in the agreement, of the lampposts in respect to which the permit is sought.

Award, if made, will be made as soon after the opening of bids as practicable. The right is reserved to reject all bids.

Blank forms upon which the bids must be made, and lists showing the locations and approximate number of lampposts, and the form of agreement which the successful bidder will be required to execute, may be obtained in Room 2351, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

m31,a11 WILLIAM WILLIAMS, Commissioner.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity at Room 2351, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 2 p. m., on

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 11, 1917.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.
 FOR FURNISHING, DELIVERING AND LAYING WATER MAINS AND APPURTENANCES FOR STREET FLUSHING CONNECTIONS ALONG WEST ST. FROM BATTERY PL. TO GANSEVOORT ST.

The time allowed for doing and completing the entire work is one hundred (100) consecutive working days.

The amount in which security is required for the performance of the contract is Forty-five Hundred Dollars (\$4,500).

The bidder will state for what percentage of the Engineer's unit prices he will furnish each item of work, materials or supplies contained in the specifications or schedules, by which the bids will be tested. (See paragraph 13 on page 6 of Proposal for Bids.) The bids will be compared and award made to the lowest formal bidder in the aggregate or lump sum for all the items contained in the specifications and schedule of quantities.

Blank forms of bid, proposals and contract, including specifications, approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained at Room 2351, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

Dated March 30, 1917.

WILLIAM WILLIAMS, Commissioner. m31,a11

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

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Park Board, at the office of the Department of Parks, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 3 p. m., on

MONDAY, APRIL 16, 1917.

Borough of Brooklyn.
 FOR FURNISHING AND LAYING WATER MAINS AND APPURTENANCES IN PROSPECT PARK, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, TOGETHER WITH WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The amount of security required is Seven Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$750).

The time allowed to complete the work will be twenty (20) consecutive working days.

Certified check or cash in the sum of Thirty-seven Dollars and Fifty Cents (\$37.50) must accompany bid.

Blank forms and other information may be obtained at the office of the Department of Parks, Brooklyn, Litchfield Mansion, Prospect Park West and 5th st., Prospect Park, Brooklyn.

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

CABOT WARD, President; RAYMOND V. INGERSOLL, THOMAS W. WHITTLE, JOHN E. WEIER, Commissioners of Parks. m31,a12

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DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Park Board at the office of the Department of Parks, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 11 a. m., on

THURSDAY, APRIL 12, 1917.

FOR FURNISHING ALL LABOR AND MATERIALS FOR REPAVING WITH SHEET ASPHALT AND ASPHALT BLOCKS ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF THE EASTERN BOULEVARD FROM A POINT 500 FEET NORTH OF THE CENTER OF SPLIT ROCK RD. TO THE NORTHERN BOUNDARY OF PELHAM BAY PARK, IN THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be seventy-five (75) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required is Twenty Thousand Dollars (\$20,000).

The security deposit with the bid is One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000).

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

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

CABOT WARD, RAYMOND V. INGERSOLL, THOMAS W. WHITTLE, JOHN E. WEIER, Commissioners of Parks. m31,a12

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THURSDAY, APRIL 12, 1917.

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CABOT WARD, RAYMOND V. INGERSOLL, THOMAS W. WHITTLE, JOHN E. WEIER, Commissioners of Parks. m31,a12

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FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Fire Commissioner at his office, 11th floor, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 10:30 a. m., on

MONDAY, APRIL 16, 1917.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FIVE (5) TWO-SECTION 75-FOOT AERIAL HOOK AND LADDER TRUCKS, MOTOR-PROPELLED.

The time allowed for the performance of the contract is one hundred and eighty (180) consecutive calendar days.

The amount of security required for the performance of the contract is fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of the bid.</p

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No bid will be considered unless it is accompanied by a deposit, which shall be in the form of money or a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or corporate stock or other certificates of indebtedness of any nature issued by The City of New York and approved by the Comptroller as of equal value with the security required. Such deposit shall be in an amount not less than two and one-half per cent. (2½%) of the total amount of the bid.

The bidder will state the price of each truck. The extension must be made, as the bids will be read from the total and award, if made, will be to the lowest bidder for the entire contract.

Bids must be submitted in duplicate.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Fire Department, 11th floor, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

ROBERT ADAMSON, Fire Commissioner.

m31,a16

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

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Fire Commissioner at his office, 11th floor, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 10:30 a. m., on

TUESDAY, APRIL 10, 1917, FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING SEMI-BITUMINOUS COAL TO FIREBOATS.

The time allowed for the performance of the contract is on or before March 31, 1918.

No bid will be considered unless it is accompanied by a deposit, which shall be in the form of money or a certified check upon one of the banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or corporate stock or other certificates of indebtedness of any nature issued by The City of New York and approved by the Comptroller as of equal value with the security required. Such deposit shall be in an amount not less than one and one-half per cent. (1½%) of the total amount of the bid.

The amount of security required for the performance of the contract is thirty per cent. (30%) of the amount of the bid.

The bidder will state the price per unit, as called for in the schedule of quantities and prices, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made, as the bids will be read from the total and awards, if made, will be to the lowest bidder on each item.

Bids must be submitted in duplicate.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Fire Department, 11th floor, Municipal Building, Manhattan,

ROBERT ADAMSON, Fire Commissioner.

m29,a10

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BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the President of the Borough of Queens at the 4th floor, Queens Subway Building, 68 Hunters-point ave., L. I. City, until 11 a. m., on

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 18, 1917,

FOR A CONTRACT FOR THE PRIVILEGE OF PICKING OVER AND APPROPRIATING FROM AMONG THE GARBAGE, ASHES, STREET SWEEPINGS AND RUBBISH IN THE FIRST DISTRICT, IN THE SECOND DISTRICT WITH THE EXCEPTION OF THE MATERIAL DELIVERED AT MASPETH DESTROYOR, AND IN THE THIRD AND FOURTH DISTRICTS OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS, FOR ONE YEAR FROM THE FIRST MONDAY AFTER SIGNING AND DELIVERING OF THE CONTRACT, IN CONSIDERATION OF THE WORK OF FEEDING THE INCINERATORS SITUATED AT (NO. 3) CHURCH ST., JAMAICA, AND (NO. 5) BERGEN'S LANDING, AQUEDUCT, THE LEVELING, GRADING AND DISINFECTING AT INLAND DUMPS, AND THE PAYMENT OF A SUM OR SUMS OF MONEY.

The amount of security required is Five Hundred Dollars (\$500). In addition to this a special deposit of Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$250) in lawful money of the United States will be required to be made to the Comptroller of The City of New York on or before signing, sealing and delivering of the contract, to remain on deposit with the said Comptroller until the completion of the contract.

The contract, if awarded, will be awarded to the highest bidder. Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the President of the Borough of Queens.

Dated, April 7, 1917.

7.18 MAURICE E. CONNOLLY, President.

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

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the President of the Borough of Queens at 4th floor, Queens Subway Building, 68 Hunters-point and Van Alstyne avs., L. I. City, until 11 a. m., on

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 18, 1917,

NO. 1. FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A TEMPORARY AUTOMATIC ELECTRIC PUMPING STATION AT THRALL AVE. AND BEAUFORT AVE., AND TO LAY A 10-INCH FORCE MAIN IN BEAUFORT AVE. FROM THRALL AVE. TO HATCH AVE., FOURTH WARD OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

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

One (1) underground pumping chamber, complete, including excavation, concrete, reinforcing steel, manhole head and cover, pipe rails, cast iron thimble, screens, suction inlets, screen shoes, finishing floor in pump chamber; also four (4) vitrified pipe drops encased in concrete, stems and backfilling.

1,531 linear feet of 10-inch cast iron pipe main, furnished and laid, as shown on plan.

Four (4) standard inlets, as shown on plan, together with 85 linear feet of 10-inch vitrified pipe inlet connection furnished and laid.

One (1) kiosk of number 10 B & S gauge sheet iron on 2½ x 2½ I iron frame, together with cast iron base, ornamental cornice, door and anointments, wrought iron ladder, vent pipe, all shown on plan, all furnished and placed.

Two (2) 6-inch double-suction split-case horizontal volute centrifugal pumps, direct connected to 15 h. p. 2-phase, 60-cycle, 220-volt squirrel-cage motor A. C. Each on individual cast iron bed plate, together with I beam trolley and hoist, furnished and installed.

Four (4) 6-inch gate valves, two (2) 6-inch horizontal swing check valves with secondary gate, and one (1) 3-inch gate valve, together with necessary pipes and anointments, as shown on plan, furnished and installed.

Two (2) hall float switches, Style E.

Two (2) three-step auto starters for heavy-duty squirrel-cage motors.

Two (2) service time limit overhead relays (adjustable); all of Sundt manufacture or equal, and to be mounted on marbled slate switchboard supported on angle iron frame, together with one (1) four-hole double-throw switch, two main line switches, with fuses, and three light circuit switches with fuses; high water alarm, together with three outlets, two base plug outlets, and one high water alarm light. All conduits, wiring, boxes, etc., necessary for the installation to be of a type ap-

proved by the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, all furnished and installed.

The time allowed for completing the above work will be one hundred (100) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Forty-five hundred Dollars (\$4,500).

The bidder must state the price of each item or article contained in the specification or schedule herein contained or hereafter annexed, per square yard, linear foot, or other unit of measure, by which bids will be tested. Bids will be compared and contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum. Blank forms may be obtained and the plans or drawings may be seen at the Office of the President of the Borough of Queens.

Dated, April 7, 1917.

7.18 MAURICE E. CONNOLLY, President.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Queens at 4th floor, Queens Subway Building, 68 Hunters-point ave., L. I. City, until 11 o'clock a. m., on

MONDAY, APRIL 16, 1917,

FOR COMPLETING AN ABANDONED CONTRACT EXECUTED BY WILLIAM J. HORIE, MAY 23, 1916, FOR REGULATING AND GRADING FOR A WIDTH OF 25 FEET ON EITHER SIDE OF THE CENTER LINE, AND FOR LAYING SIDEWALKS (WHERE NOT ALREADY LAID) TO GRADE AND IN GOOD CONDITION), TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO, IN JACKSON ST., FROM JACKSON AVE. TO HAYES AVE., AND FROM THE NORTH LINE OF THE OLD RIGHT OF WAY OF THE LONG ISLAND RAILROAD TO FOREST ST.; AND FOR REGULATING AND GRADING THE SIDEWALK SPACES FOR A WIDTH OF 10 FEET AND LAYING SIDEWALKS (WHERE NOT ALREADY LAID) TO GRADE AND IN GOOD CONDITION), TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO, IN LINDEN ST., FROM ST. NICHOLAS AVE. TO KINGS COUNTY LINE, SECOND WARD OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be twelve (12) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Six Thousand (\$6,000) Dollars.

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

15,000 cubic yards earth excavation.

10 cubic yards rock excavation.

10 cubic yards of concrete.

NO. 5. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING AND PAVING WITH A PERMANENT PAVEMENT CONSISTING OF SHEET ASPHALT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION SIX (6) INCHES IN THICKNESS, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO, IN LINCOLN ST., FROM JACKSON AVE. TO HAYES AVE., AND FROM THE NORTH LINE OF THE OLD RIGHT OF WAY OF THE LONG ISLAND RAILROAD, SECOND WARD OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be twelve (12) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Nine Hundred (\$900) Dollars.

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

230 linear feet new bluestone curb set in sand.

100 square feet new flagstone sidewalk.

20 square feet of old flagstone sidewalk retrimmed and relaid.

350 square feet cement sidewalk and one (1) year's maintenance.

65 cubic yards concrete in place.

390 square yards sheet asphalt pavement, including binder course and five (5) years' maintenance.

390 square yards old stone block pavement to be taken up, purchased and removed by the contractor.

NO. 6. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH A PERMANENT PAVEMENT CONSISTING OF ASPHALT BLOCKS ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION SIX (6) INCHES IN THICKNESS, AND ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO, IN 14TH AVE., BETWEEN GRAMERCY AVE. AND BROADWAY, FIRST WARD OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be thirty (30) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Forty-eight Hundred (\$4,800) Dollars.

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

100 linear feet new bluestone curb set in sand.

600 linear feet old curb redressed and reset in sand.

520 cubic yards concrete.

3,100 square yards of asphalt block pavement, including mortar bed, sand joints, and five (5) years' maintenance.

The bidder must state the price of each item or article contained in the specification or schedule herein contained or hereafter annexed, per square yard, linear foot or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. Bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

Blank forms may be obtained and the plans or drawings may be seen at the office of the President of the Borough of Queens.

Dated, April 5, 1917.

5.16 MAURICE E. CONNOLLY, President.

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

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the President of the Borough of Queens at 4th floor, Queens Subway Building, 68 Hunters-point and Van Alstyne avs., L. I. City, until 11 a. m., on

THURSDAY, APRIL 12, 1917,

FOR REGULATING AND GRADING THE SIDEWALK SPACE FOR FULL WIDTH WHERE ABOVE GRADE AND FOR A WIDTH NOT EXCEEDING THIRTEEN (13) FEET WHERE BELOW GRADE; FOR REGULATING AND GRADING THE GUTTER SPACE; FOR SETTING CURB AND LAYING SIDEWALK WHERE NECESSARY, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO, ON THE EASTERN SIDE OF 4TH AVE., FROM BROADWAY TO JAMAICA AVE., 1ST WARD OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SEC. 435 OF THE GREATER NEW YORK CHARTER.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be twenty-five (25) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Nine Hundred (\$900) Dollars.

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

75 cubic yards earth excavation.

200 cubic yards embankment (in excess of excavation).

950 linear feet of cement curb with steel nosing and one (1) year's maintenance.

10 linear feet bluestone curb reset in concrete, not to be bid for.

10 linear feet bluestone curb reset in sand, not to be bid for.

2 square yards of sheet asphalt pavement to be restored, not to be bid for.

2 square yards of old granite block pavement to be restored, not to be bid for.

NO. 2. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING THE SIDEWALK AND GUTTER SPACES AND LAYING SIDEWALKS AND CROSSWALKS WHERE NECESSARY, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO, ON THE SOUTHERLY SIDE OF LEWIS AVE. BETWEEN TOLEDO ST. AND HANOVER AVE., SECOND WARD OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 435 OF THE GREATER NEW YORK CHARTER.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be fifteen (15) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Three Hundred (\$300) Dollars.

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

40 cubic yards earth excavation.

100 cubic yards embankment (in excess of excavation).

850 square feet cement sidewalk, and one (1) year's maintenance.

80 square feet new crosswalks.

10 square yards stone gutters.

12 linear feet 12-inch cast iron pipe in place.

10 cubic yards broken stone in crosswalks.

NO. 3. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING THE SIDEWALK AND GUTTER SPACES AND LAYING SIDEWALKS WHERE NECESSARY, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO, IN 87TH RD. (DOWNING ST.) (2ND ST.), FROM 80TH ST. (SHAW AVE.) TO 85TH ST. (YARMOUTH ST.) (SUDDYMAN ST.), ALSO FOR REGULATING AND GRADING THE SIDEWALK SPACE AND LAYING SIDEWALKS WHERE NECESSARY, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO, IN 90TH RD. (91ST AVE.) (CANOE PL.) (7TH ST.), FROM 80TH ST. (SHAW AVE.) TO 84TH (DIGBY) ST., ALL IN THE 4TH WARD OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS, AND IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 435 OF THE CHARTER.

The time allowed for doing and completing the

above work will be twenty (20) consecutive working days.

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

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

300 cubic yards earth excavation.

250 square feet new flagstone sidewalk.

925 square feet of old flagstone sidewalk retrimmed and relaid.

7,055 square feet of cement sidewalk and one (1) year's maintenance.

NO. 4. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING, INC., AND ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO, IN MADISON ST., FROM PROSPECT AVE. TO FRESH POND RD., SECOND WARD OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be one

Applications for this examination must be filed on a special blank, Form B.

Duties—Junior Draughtsmen will be required to make sketches, tracings or drawings of an elementary character. They will assist in making maps, charts or diagrams and will perform computations incident to the work of draughting.

Requirements—Candidates should have training or experience such as to fit them for the work of draughting. Special credit will be given for training at technical or trade schools.

The requirement of paragraph 12, Rule VII, that no person who has entered any examination for appointment to a competitive position and failed, or who has withdrawn from an examination, shall be admitted within nine months from the date of such examination to a new examination for the same position, is waived for this examination.

Candidates must be at least 18 years of age on or before the closing date for the receipt of applications.

The compensation rates proposed by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for this position are from \$900 to \$1,200 per annum. Usual initial salary \$900 per annum.

Vacancies occur from time to time in a number of City departments.

The term of the eligibility of the list resulting from this examination is fixed at not less than one year nor more than four years.

m30,a13 ROBERT W. BELCHER, Secretary.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT applications will be received by the Municipal Civil Service Commission, Municipal Building, Manhattan, New York City, from

THURSDAY, MARCH 29, 1917, TO THURSDAY, APRIL 12, 1917,

for the position of **PROBATION OFFICER, CHILDREN'S COURT, MALE AND FEMALE.**

No applications delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 p. m., THURSDAY, APRIL 12, 1917, will be accepted. Application blanks will be mailed upon request provided a self-addressed stamped envelope or sufficient postage is enclosed to cover the mailing. The Commission will not guarantee the delivery of the same. Postage on applications forwarded by mail must be fully prepaid.

Applicants must be citizens of the United States and residents of the State of New York.

The subjects and weights of the examination are: Experience, 2; Oral, 4; 70% required.

Duties: Part I, 2; 70% required. Part II, 2; 70% required. Part I of this paper will be rated first. Candidates failing to receive 70% on this paper will not be rated on Part II.

A qualifying physical examination will be given.

Applications for this examination must be filed on a special blank, Form D.

Duties—The duties of incumbents of this position are to investigate cases of children awaiting disposition by the courts, to report to the proper authorities upon such investigations, to exercise helpful and authoritative supervision over children on probation and to enforce orders regarding such children.

Requirements—Candidates should be familiar with the laws affecting probation and with the most approved methods in probation work. They should also be familiar with the methods and agencies concerned with the care, reformation and relief of children. Experience in probation work, teaching, settlement work, visiting for an organized or private charity or other related social work will receive special consideration. The oral examination will be severe. Candidates must show by their personality that they are able to exercise a strong beneficial influence on children.

Candidates must be at least 23 years of age and not more than 50 years of age on or before the closing date for the receipt of applications.

The compensation rates proposed by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for this position are from \$1,200 to \$1,560 per annum. Under the terms and conditions of the budget for the year 1917, appointments will, as a rule, be made at the lowest compensation rate.

Vacancies occur from time to time in the Children's Court.

The term of the eligibility of the list resulting from this examination is fixed at not less than one year nor more than four years.

m29,a12 ROBERT W. BELCHER, Secretary.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT applications will be received by the Municipal Civil Service Commission, Municipal Building, Manhattan, New York City, from

TUESDAY, MARCH 27, 1917, TO TUESDAY,

APRIL 17, 1917,

for the position of **INSTITUTIONAL INSPECTOR, FEMALE.**

No applications delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 p. m., TUESDAY, APRIL 17, 1917, will be accepted. Application blanks will be mailed upon request provided a self-addressed stamped envelope or sufficient postage is enclosed to cover the mailing. The Commission will not guarantee the delivery of the same. Postage on applications forwarded by mail must be fully prepaid.

Applicants must be citizens of the United States and residents of the State of New York.

The requirement that every application shall bear the certificates of four reputable citizens whose residences or places of business are within the City of New York is waived for applicants for this examination whose previous occupation or employment has been wholly or in part outside the City of New York, and the said certificates will be accepted from persons resident or engaged in business elsewhere.

The requirement of paragraph 12, Rule VII, that no person who has entered any examination for appointment to a competitive position and failed, or who has withdrawn from an examination, shall be admitted within nine months from the date of such examination to a new examination for the same position, is waived for this examination.

The subjects and weights of the examination are: Experience, 3; 70% required. Oral, 2; 70% required. Duties, 5. The Duties paper will consist of two parts—Part I and Part II, each counting 50%. Candidates must receive at least 70% on Part I, which will consist of a report, or the papers on Part II will not be rated.

A qualifying physical examination will be given.

Applications for this examination must be filed on a special blank, Form D.

Duties—To inspect private charitable institutions receiving money from the City of New York, including child-caring institutions, placing-out agencies and boarding-out agencies; industrial schools. Inspections will cover every phase of institutional work—equipment, sanitation and physical operation of institutions; 2nd, approved methods of child-caring institutions, reformatories or hospitals. A ready and exact command of English is also required.

Candidates must be at least 21 years of age and not more than 45 years of age on or before the closing date for the receipt of applications.

The compensation rates proposed by the Board

of Estimate and Apportionment for this position are from \$1,500 to \$1,920 per annum. Under the terms and conditions of the budget for the year 1917, appointments will, as a rule, be made at the lowest compensation rate.

There are several vacancies in the Department of Public Charities.

The term of the eligibility of the list resulting from this examination is fixed at not less than one year nor more than four years.

m27,a17 ROBERT W. BELCHER, Secretary.

AMENDED NOTICE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT applications will be received by the Municipal Civil Service Commission, Municipal Building, Manhattan, New York City, from

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 4, 1917, TO FRIDAY,

APRIL 20, 1917,

for the position of **NURSE'S ASSISTANT.**

No applications delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 p. m., FRIDAY, APRIL 20, 1917, will be accepted. Application blanks will be mailed upon request, provided a self-addressed stamped envelope or sufficient postage is enclosed to cover the mailing. The Commission will not guarantee the delivery of the same. Postage on applications forwarded by mail must be fully prepaid.

Applicants must be citizens of the United States and residents of the State of New York.

The subjects and weights of the examination are: Duties, 5; 70% required, Experience, 5. 70% general average required.

A qualifying physical examination will be given.

Applications for this examination must be filed on a special blank, Form B.

Duties—The duties of incumbents of these positions are to perform, under supervision, minor work relating to field nursing and social service; to arrange stations for day's work; to instruct mothers relative to bringing babies to the station regularly; to assist Inspector and Nurse in undressing and dressing babies; to care for furniture, fittings, utensils and records, and to perform the Nurse's work in the absence of the Nurse, as far as possible.

Requirements—Applicants should have had experience in caring for children. They should have a general knowledge of baby hygiene, of dietary principles, the preparation of infant foods and the modification of milk.

The compensation is \$480 per annum.

Candidates must be at least 21 years of age and not more than 45 years of age on or before the closing date for the receipt of applications.

Vacancies occur from time to time in the Health Department.

The term of the eligibility of the list resulting from this examination is fixed at not less than one year nor more than four years.

a4,20 ROBERT W. BELCHER, Secretary.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

Notices of Public Hearings.

PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT MATTERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT THE meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on March 30, 1917 (Cal. No. 8), the Board continued to April 13, 1917, the hearing in the matter of changing the map or plan of the City of New York by changing the lines and grades of the street system within the territory bounded by Nagy street, Nassau avenue, Thew avenue, Whitlock avenue, Corinth avenue and Eliot avenue, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, in accordance with a map or plan bearing the signature of the President of the Borough and dated May 20, 1916.

The hearing will be held in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, April 13, 1917, at 10:30 o'clock a. m.

Dated April 2, 1917.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Municipal Building, Telephone, 4560 Worth.

a2,13

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of the City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to change the grades of West 162nd street between Fort Washington avenue and a point about 202 feet westerly therefrom, Borough of Manhattan, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, April 13, 1917, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on March 16, 1917 (Cal. No. 144), notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of Section 442 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the lines and grades of the street system within the territory bounded by Nagy street, Nassau avenue, Thew avenue, Whitlock avenue, Corinth avenue and Eliot avenue, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, in accordance with a map or plan bearing the signature of the President of the Borough and dated May 20, 1916.

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The compensation and expenses of the persons selected as arbitrators in the determination of such sum or sums shall be borne by the individual or corporation to which such right may be granted.

Within thirty (30) days after an agreement shall have been reached between said parties, or in case said agreement cannot be reached before the time specified herein, then within thirty (30) days after the determination of the arbitrators as herein provided, should two of such arbitrators agree, the said parties shall file a duplicate copy of a written agreement with the Board, which shall specify the sum or sums which shall have been agreed to by the said parties or determined by said arbitrators as the sum or sums which such corporation or individual shall pay to the Company for said privilege. If the Company fails to file the same with the Board within said thirty (30) days, then the right herein granted shall cease and determine.

If either party fails to appoint an arbitrator as herein provided or should the first two arbitrators fail to agree on the selection of a third arbitrator within thirty (30) days after the expiration of said ninety (90) days, or if no two of said arbitrators so selected agree upon the sum or sums to be paid by such individual or corporation within sixty (60) days after they shall have been so selected, then such sum or sums shall be fixed by the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court, First Department, upon the application of either party, and the decision of that court shall be final. In the event that said Appellate Division of the Supreme Court, First Department, should decline to assume jurisdiction in the matter, then and in such event such sum or sums shall be fixed by the Board, and such fixation by the Board shall be final and conclusive.

Seventh—Upon the termination of the original term of this contract, or if the contract be renewed, then at the termination of the said renewal term, or upon the termination or forfeiture of the right and privilege hereby granted for any cause, or upon the dissolution of the Company before such termination, the tracks and other property of the Company constructed or existing pursuant to this contract, within the streets and avenues, shall become the property of the City without cost, and the same may be used or disposed of by the City for any purpose whatsoever, or the same may be leased to any company or individual.

It, however, at any time preceding the date upon which this contract shall terminate the Board shall so order by resolution and give notice to the Company, the Company shall, upon the termination of this contract, remove any and all of its tracks and other property constructed or existing pursuant to this contract, and the said streets and avenues shall be restored to their original condition at the sole cost and expense of the Company.

Eighth—The Company shall commence construction of the railway, hereby authorized within thirty (30) days from the date upon which the copies of the consents of the property owners are filed with the Board or from the date of the order of the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court made pursuant to section 174 of the Railroad Law confirming the determination of the Commissioners appointed thereunder, that such railway ought to be constructed, and shall complete the construction and place the same in full operation within three (3) months from the date of filing the copies of such consents or the date of such order; otherwise this right and privilege shall cease and determine, and all sums which may be deposited with the Comptroller of the City, as hereinabove provided, shall thereupon be forfeited to the City as liquidated damages for failure of the Company to comply with the terms of this contract; provided that the period for commencement and the period for completion and placing the railway in full operation may be extended by the Board, but the total extension of time for either of such periods shall not exceed in the aggregate six (6) months; and provided, further, that when the commencement or completion of said construction shall be prevented by legal proceedings in any court or by works of public improvement, or from other causes not within control of the Company, the time for the commencement or completion of such construction may be extended for the period of such prevention, but no delay shall be allowed unless the court proceedings shall be diligently prosecuted by the Company, and provided further, that in no case shall such delay be deemed to begin until the Company shall have given written notice to the Board of any such court proceedings or other occasion of delay, and deliver to the Board copies of any injunction or other orders, and the papers upon which the same shall have been granted, and unless upon the request of the Board the Company shall, in writing, consent that the Board either in its own name as a party, or in the name of the City as a party, may intervene in any such proceedings.

Ninth—The railway hereby authorized shall be constructed and operated in the latest approved manner of street railway construction and operation, and it is hereby agreed that the Board may require the Company to improve or add to the railway equipment, including rolling stock and railway appurtenances, from time to time as such additions and improvements are necessary in the opinion of the Board.

Tenth—The railway hereby authorized shall be constructed, maintained and operated subject to the supervision and control of all the authorities of the City who have jurisdiction in such matters, as provided by the Charter of the City.

No construction upon said railway shall be commenced until written permits have been obtained from the proper City officials.

In any permits so issued such officials may also impose such conditions, as a condition of the granting of the same, as are necessary for the purpose of protecting any structures in the streets and avenues and for the proper restoration of such streets and avenues over which such officials have jurisdiction and the Company shall comply with such conditions.

The electrical equipment to be installed by the Company for the operation of the railway hereby authorized, whether such electrical equipment be upon streets and avenues or upon private property, shall be constructed and maintained under the supervision and control of the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

Eleventh—The portion of the railway hereby authorized on Amsterdam and Nagle avenues may be operated by overhead electric power substantially similar to the system now used by street surface railways in the Borough of The Bronx, provided that such motive power may be changed at any time during the term of this contract to any other motive power, except cable, locomotive, steam or horse power, upon the approval of the Board and in accordance with the provisions of law.

The portion of the railway hereby authorized on Dyckman street may be operated during the

original term of this contract, expiring June 10, 1925, by overhead electric power substantially similar to the system now used by street surface railways in the Borough of The Bronx. From and after June 10, 1925, the date on which said original term expires, said portion of the railway hereby authorized on Dyckman street shall be operated by underground electric power, substantially similar to the system then used by street surface railways in the Borough of Manhattan, or by any other motive power except cable, locomotive, steam, horse or overhead electric power, upon the approval of the Board and in accordance with the provisions of law.

The work of reconstructing said portion of the railway hereby authorized on Dyckman street for operation by underground electric power or by such other motive power as may be approved by the Board shall be commenced by the Company at least six (6) months prior to June 10, 1925, and shall be completed on or before said date.

Twelfth—Upon six (6) months' notice by the Board to the Company all wires for the transmission of power, except trolley wires for the operation of the railway, upon all or any portion of the route hereby authorized shall be placed in conduits beneath or alongside of the railway. The Company shall provide in such conduits two (2) ducts, not less than three (3) inches in diameter, for the exclusive use of the City. Such conduits shall be used only by the Company for the operation of its railway and by the City, as above.

Thirteenth—No wires for the transmission of power shall, from and after June 10, 1925, be permitted on that portion of the railway hereby authorized on Dyckman street unless they be placed in conduits underneath or along the side of the railway. When such conduits are constructed, the Company shall provide two (2) ducts, not less than three (3) inches in diameter, each, for the exclusive use of the City. Such conduits shall be used only by the Company for the operation of its railway and by the City, as above.

Fourteenth—The rate of fare for any passenger upon the railway hereby authorized shall not exceed five (5) cents, and the Company shall not charge any passenger more than five (5) cents for one continuous ride from any point on its road, or on any road, line or branch operated by it or under its control, to any other point thereof, or any connecting branch thereof, within the limits of the City.

The Company shall carry free upon the railway hereby authorized during the term of this contract all members of the Police and Fire Departments of the City, when such employees are in full uniform.

Fifteenth—No cars shall be operated upon the railway hereby authorized other than passenger cars and cars necessary for the repair or maintenance of the railway, and no freight cars shall be operated upon the tracks of said railway.

Sixteenth—All cars operated upon the railway hereby authorized shall be equipped with proper fenders or wheel guards, in conformity with such laws and ordinances as are now in force, or may hereafter, during the term of this contract, be enacted or adopted by the State or City authorities, or as may be required by resolution of the Board.

Seventeenth—All cars operated upon the railway hereby authorized shall be heated during the cold weather, in conformity with such laws and ordinances as are now in force, or may hereafter, during the term of this contract, be enacted or adopted by the State or City authorities, or as may be required by resolution of the Board.

Eighteenth—All cars operated upon the railway hereby authorized shall be well lighted by electricity, or by some lighting system equally efficient, or as may be required by resolution of the Board.

Nineteenth—Cars on the railway hereby authorized shall be operated each day during the term of this contract at intervals of not more than thirty (30) minutes, both day and night, and as much often as reasonable convenience of the public may require, or as may be required by resolution of the Board.

Provided, however, that the Company during the first five (5) years of this contract shall not be required to operate cars between the hours of one (1) o'clock a. m. and five (5) o'clock a. m. each day, unless the Board shall determine after a hearing had thereon that public convenience requires the operation of cars during said hours.

Twenty-first—The Company, so long as it shall continue to use any of the tracks upon the streets and avenues in which said railway shall be constructed, shall when and as often as directed so to do by the President of the Borough, sprinkle the pavement or space between its tracks, the rails of its track, and for a distance of two (2) feet beyond the rails on either side thereof.

Twenty-second—The Company shall at all times

keep the streets and avenues upon which the railway hereby authorized is constructed, between its tracks, the rails of its tracks and for a distance of two (2) feet beyond the rails on either side thereof, under the supervision of the local authorities, whenever required by them to do so, and in such manner as they may prescribe.

Twenty-third—Any alteration to the sewerage or drainage systems or to any other subsurface or to any surface structures in the streets, required on account of the construction, maintenance or operation of the railway hereby authorized, shall be made at the sole cost of the Company. During any work of construction, reconstruction or repairs of the said railway, the Company shall also, at its own cost and expense, protect any and all existing structures belonging to the City. All work to be done by the Company pursuant to this provision shall be done in the manner prescribed by the proper City officials.

Twenty-fourth—The right and privilege hereby granted to operate the railway hereby authorized to the right of the City to perform or carry on any public works and should the said railway in any way interfere with the construction or maintenance of such public works, whether the same is done by the City directly or by a contractor for the City, the Company shall, at its own ex-

pense, protect or move its tracks and appurtenances in the manner directed by the City officials having jurisdiction over such public works.

Twenty-fifth—Should the grades or lines of the streets and avenues in which the railway is hereby authorized be changed at any time after the railway has been constructed and during the term of this contract, the Company shall, at its own expense, change its tracks and appurtenances to conform with such new grades and lines, and during the construction of any public improvement upon said streets and avenues the Company shall take care of and protect the tracks and appurtenances at its own expense, all to be done subject to the direction of the City official having jurisdiction over the construction of such change.

Twenty-sixth—Upon one (1) year's notice from the Board, the Company shall, if the Board shall so determine by resolution, cease the operation of the stub-end terminal hereby authorized in Dyckman Street at or near the easterly line of the right of way of the New York Central Railroad Company, and shall, within sixty (60) days from the date of such notice, make application to the Board for the right to construct, maintain and operate a loop terminal upon streets to be designated by the Board, and shall, on or before the expiration of said one (1) year, enter into a contract for such loop terminal in substitution for the stub-end terminal hereby authorized.

Twenty-seventh—The Company shall submit to the Board a verified report not later than November 1 of each year for the year ending September 30 next preceding, and at any other time upon request of the Board, which shall state:

1. The amount of stock issued, for cash, or property.
2. The amount paid in as by last report.
3. The total amount of capital stock paid in.
4. The funded debt by last report.
5. The total amount of funded debt.
6. The floating debt as by last report.
7. The total amount of floating debt.
8. The total amount of funded and floating debt.
9. The average rate per annum of interest on funded debt.
10. Statement of dividends paid during the year.
11. The total amount expended for same.
12. The names of the directors elected at the last meeting of the corporation held for such purpose.
13. Location, value and amount paid for real estate owned by the Company as by last report.
14. Location, value and amount paid for real estate now owned by the Company.
15. Number of passengers carried during the year.
16. Total receipts of Company for each class of business.
17. Amounts paid by the Company for damage to persons or property on account of construction and operation.
18. Total expenses for operation, including salaries, and such other information in regard to the business of the Company as may be required by the Board.

Twenty-eighth—The Company shall at all times keep accurate books of account of its gross annual receipts, and shall, on or before November 1 of each year, make a verified report to the Comptroller of the City of the business done by the Company for the year ending September 30 next preceding in such form as may be prescribed. Such report shall contain a statement of such gross annual receipts, the total miles in operation, and the miles of railway constructed and operated under this contract, and such other information as the Comptroller may require. The Comptroller shall have access to all books and records of the Company for the purpose of ascertaining the correctness of its report, and may examine its officers and employees under oath.

Twenty-ninth—In case of any violation, or breach or failure to comply with any of the provisions herein contained, or with any orders of the Board or any official of the City acting under the powers herein reserved, the right and privilege hereby granted may be forfeited by resolution of the Board, which said resolution may contain a provision to the effect that the railway constructed and in use by virtue of this contract shall thereupon become the property of the City without proceedings at law or in equity. Provided, however, that such action by the Board shall not be taken until the Board shall give notice to the Company to appear before it on a certain day not less than ten (10) days after the date of such notice, to show cause why such resolution declaring this right and privilege forfeited should not be adopted. In case the Company fails to appear, action may be taken by the Board forthwith.

Any false entry in the books of the Company or false statement in the reports to the Comptroller as to a material fact, knowingly made by the Company, shall constitute such a violation or breach or failure to comply with the provisions herein contained as to warrant the forfeiture of the right and privilege hereby granted. Nothing herein contained shall affect in any way the right of the Company to apply to a court of competent jurisdiction for a review of any action of the Board forfeiting the right and privilege hereby granted.

Thirtieth—The Company shall assume all liability for damages to persons or property occasioned by reason of the construction, maintenance and operation of the railway hereby authorized, and it is a condition of this contract that the City shall assume no liability whatsoever to either persons or property on account of the same, and the Company shall repay to the City any damage which the City shall be compelled to pay by reason of any acts or default of the Company.

Thirty-first—This grant is upon the express condition that the sum of nineteen thousand five hundred dollars (\$19,500), composed of the sums heretofore deposited by the Company with the Comptroller of the City as security for the terms hereof, and the party, shall collect such liquidated damages by deducting the sum named from the security deposit hereinabove provided for.

(e) Should the right and privilege hereby granted be forfeited pursuant to the provisions of this contract, or should such right and privilege be terminated upon the dissolution of the Company, as herein provided, the sum of five thousand dollars (\$5,000) shall be forfeited to the City as liquidated damages, for failure of the Company to perform this contract pursuant to the terms hereof, and the Comptroller upon the direction of the Board, shall collect such liquidated damages by deducting the sum named from the security deposit hereinabove provided for.

(f) When making any deduction, pursuant to this contract, from the security fund hereinabove provided for, the Comptroller may have recourse to any or all of the sums heretofore deposited under the ordinances or contracts above specified, and the Company shall, upon ten (10) days' notice from the Comptroller, deposit with the Comptroller a sum, either in money or securities, sufficient to restore said security fund to its original amount of nineteen thousand five hundred dollars (\$19,500). Should the Company fail to deposit such sum, the right and privilege hereby granted may be forfeited by the City as in this contract provided.

(g) Should any of the sums going to make up the security fund of nineteen thousand five hundred dollars (\$19,500), heretofore deposited with the Comptroller as hereinabove stated, be forfeited to the City or should any deductions be made therefrom pursuant to the provisions of any of the ordinances or contracts under which said sums were deposited, or pursuant to the provisions of any other contract heretofore or hereafter entered into with the Company for the performance of which such fund of nineteen thousand five hundred dollars (\$19,500) has been or shall be made to stand as security, the Company shall, upon ten (10) days' notice from the Comptroller, deposit with the Comptroller a sum, either in money or securities, which shall be sufficient to restore said security fund to its original amount of nineteen thousand five hundred dollars (\$19,500). Should the Company fail to deposit such sum, the right and privilege hereby granted may be forfeited by the City as in this contract provided.

(h) Should any of the rights and privileges granted by any of the ordinances or contracts hereinabove specified expire by limitation prior to the date fixed for the expiration of the right and privilege hereby granted, the sum or sums deposited with the Comptroller under and pursuant to the said ordinances or contracts, or

its compliance with all orders of the Board and of the officials of the City acting under the powers herein reserved. From the said fund, deductions may be made as hereinafter provided:

(a) Should the Company, within such time after notice as may be herein prescribed, or where no time is prescribed, within such time as may hereafter prescribe, fail to comply with the provisions of this contract or with the orders of the Board or of the officials herein named or referred to, relating to

Watering of the streets.

Removing of snow and ice.

Paving and repairing of the streets.

Protecting the City's structures during the construction, reconstruction or repair of the railway hereby authorized.

Moving and protecting the Company's tracks, appurtenances or other structures during the performance of any public work, or as may be required on account of changing of the lines or grades of the streets.

Or with any other provision of this contract which may affect the repair, protection and maintenance of the streets or of the City's structures within the streets.

—The City shall have the right to cause the work to be done or the defect to be remedied and to immediately reimburse itself for the cost of such fund hereinabove provided for. Such deduction shall be made by the Comptroller upon the direction of the Board.

(b) Should the Company, within ten (10) days after demand has been made upon it, fail to pay to the City the cost of any alterations to the sewerage or drainage systems, occasioned by the construction, maintenance or operation of the railway hereby authorized, or fail to repay to the City any damages caused to persons or property which the City shall be compelled to pay by reason of the construction, maintenance or operation of the said railway, or by reason of any acts or defaults of the Company in connection therewith, the City shall have the right to collect such costs or damages, with interest, by deducting the amount of the same from the security fund hereinabove provided for. Such deduction shall be made by the Comptroller upon the direction of the Board.

(c) Should the Company fail to pay to the City the annual charges required to be paid by this contract within the time fixed for the payment thereof, the City shall have the right to collect the amount of such charges, with interest, by deducting the same from the security fund hereinabove provided for. Such deduction shall be made by the Comptroller without further or other direction.

(d) Should the Company fail to comply with the provisions of this contract, or with the orders of the Board or of the officials of the City herein named or referred to, then the Company may be required to pay to the City, as liquidated damages for each breach or violation, the following sum:

For failure to maintain the headway as herein prescribed or to properly heat or light its cars, or to equip its cars with proper fenders or wheel-guards, the sum of fifty dollars (\$50) per day for each day of violation, and the further sum of ten dollars (\$10) per day for each car which shall not be operated, heated, lighted or equipped in compliance with this contract, or with the orders of the Board or of the officials of the City having jurisdiction.

For failure to give efficient public service at rates not exceeding those herein fixed, or to maintain its structures and equipment in good condition throughout the whole term of this contract, the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars (\$250) for each day during which the default or defect remains.

For failure to comply with any other provision of this contract as to which liquidated damages are not fixed herein, the sum of fifty dollars (\$50) per day for each day during which such failure or default shall continue.

All of such sums shall be collected by deducting the same from the security fund hereinabove provided for.

The procedure for the collection of such liquidated damages shall be as follows:

Whenever the Board shall have knowledge of any such breach or violation on the part of the Company, the Board shall give notice to the Company, specifying the nature of such breach or violation and the amount of liquidated damages which it is proposed to collect therefrom, and directing its President or other officer to appear before the Board on a certain day, not less than ten (10) days after the service of such notice, to show cause why such resolution declaring this right and privilege forfeited should not be adopted. In case the Company fail to make an appearance, or after a hearing, appear in the judgment of the Board to be in fault, the Board shall forthwith direct the Comptroller to collect such liquidated damages by deducting the amount of the same from the security fund hereinabove provided for.

any of them, shall not be returned to the Company, but shall be held and retained by the Comptroller to the end that the security fund of nineteen thousand five hundred dollars (\$19,500), hereinabove provided for, shall be continued intact until the date of the termination of this contract.

(i) No action or proceeding or right under the provisions of this subdivision shall affect any other legal rights, remedies or causes of action belonging to the City.

The provisions for the reimbursement of the City for work done by it or amounts expended by it on behalf of the Company, or amounts paid by it to any person by reason of any act or default of the Company, or for the collection by it of the annual charges, or of liquidated damages, are and shall be in addition to the City's right, as herein reserved, to forfeit the right and privilege hereby granted.

Thirty-second—The words "notice" or "direction," wherever used in this contract, shall be deemed to mean a written notice or direction. Every such notice or direction to be served upon the Company shall be delivered at such office in the City as shall have been designated by the Company, or if no such office shall have been designated, or if such designation shall have for any reason become inoperative, shall be mailed in the City, postage prepaid, addressed to the Company at the City. Delivery or mailing of such notice or direction as and when above provided shall be equivalent to direct personal notice or direction, and shall be deemed to have been given at the time of delivery or mailing.

Thirty-third—The words "streets or avenues," and "streets and avenues," wherever used in this contract, shall be deemed to mean streets, avenues, highways, parkways, driveways, concourses, boulevards, bridges, viaducts, tunnels, public places or any other property to which the City has title or over which the public has an easement, encountered in the route hereinabove described, and upon or in which authority is hereby given the Company to construct a railway.

Thirty-fourth—If at any time the powers of the Board or any other of the authorities herein mentioned or intended to be mentioned, shall be transferred by law to any other board, authority, officer or officers, then and in such case such other board, authority, officer or officers, shall have all the powers, rights and duties herein reserved to or prescribed for the Board or other authorities, officer or officers.

Section 3. Nothing in this contract shall be construed as in any way limiting the present or future jurisdiction of the Public Service Commission under the Laws of the State of New York.

Section 4. This grant is also upon the further and express condition that the provisions of Article 5 and the other provisions of the Railroad Law pertinent thereto shall be strictly complied with by the Company.

Section 5. The Company promises, covenants and agrees on its part and behalf during the entire term of this contract, whether original or renewal, to conform to and abide by and perform all the terms, conditions and requirements in this contract fixed and contained.

In witness whereof, the party of the first part, by its Mayor, thereunto duly authorized by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of said City, has caused the corporate name of said City to be hereunto signed, and the corporate seal of said City to be hereunto affixed, and the party of the second part, by its officers thereunto duly authorized, has caused its corporate name to be hereunto signed and its corporate seal to be hereunto affixed, the day and year first above written.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
By Mayor.

(Corporate Seal.)

Attest: City Clerk.
UNION RAILWAY COMPANY OF NEW YORK CITY, By President.

(Seal.)

Attest: Secretary.

(Here add acknowledgments.)

Resolved, That the results of the inquiry made by this Board as to the money value of the franchise or right proposed to be granted and the adequacy of the compensation proposed, to be paid therefor, and of the terms and conditions, including the provisions as to rates, fares and charges, are as hereinbefore specified and fully set forth in and by the foregoing form of proposed contract for the grant of such franchise or right.

Resolved, That these preambles and resolutions, including the said resolution for the grant of a franchise or right applied for by the Union Railway Company of New York City, and the said form of a proposed contract for the grant of such franchise or right, containing said results of such inquiry, after the same shall be entered in the minutes of this Board, shall be published for at least fifteen (15) days immediately prior to Friday, April 20, 1917, in the "City Record," together with the following notice, to wit:

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, before authorizing any contract for the grant of the franchise of right applied for by the Union Railway Company of New York City, and fully set forth and described in the foregoing form of proposed contract for the grant of such franchise or right, and before adopting any resolutions authorizing such contract, will, at a meeting of said board, to be held in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, April 20, 1917, at 10:30 o'clock A. M., hold a public hearing thereon, at which citizens shall be entitled to appear and be heard.

Resolved, That a notice of such hearing, stating that copies of the proposed contract and resolution of consent thereto may be obtained by all those interested therein at the Bureau of Franchises, Room 1307, Municipal Building, Centre and Chambers Streets, Borough of Manhattan, shall be published at least twice at the expense of the proposed grantee during the ten (10) days immediately prior to Friday, April 20, 1917, in "The New York Times" and the "Evening Post," the two daily newspapers in which the petition and notice of hearing thereon have been published.

JAMES D. McGANN, Assistant Secretary, Room 1307, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, Telephone, 4560 Worth.

Dated, New York, March 23, 1917. a3.20

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT at the meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held this day, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, The Automatic Scoreboard Company, Inc., has, by a petition dated April 24, 1916, applied to this Board for the right, privilege and franchise to construct, maintain and operate electrical conductors in, through and under the streets and avenues in the Borough of Manhattan, for the purpose of operating automatic baseball scoreboards to be located on the premises of subscribers; and

Whereas, Sections 72, 73 and 74 of the Great New York Charter, as amended by Chapters 629 and 630 of the Laws of 1905, and Chapter 467 of the Laws of 1914, provide for the manner and procedure of making such grants; and

Whereas, In pursuance of such laws this Board adopted a resolution on May 5, 1916, fixing the date for public hearing thereon as June 2, 1916, at which citizens were entitled to appear and be heard, and publication was had for at least two (2) days in the "New York Press."

and "The Evening World," newspapers designated by the Mayor, and in the "City Record" for ten (10) days immediately prior to the date of hearing, and the public hearing was duly held on such day; and

Whereas, This Board has made inquiry as to the money value of the franchise or right applied for and proposed to be granted to The Automatic Scoreboard Company, Inc., and the adequacy of the compensation to be paid therefor; now, therefore, it is

Resolved, That the following form of the resolution for the grant of the franchise or right applied for by The Automatic Scoreboard Company, Inc., containing the form of proposed contract for the grant of such franchise or right, be hereby introduced and entered in the minutes of this Board as follows, to wit:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby grants to The Automatic Scoreboard Company, Inc., the franchise or right fully set out and described in the following form of proposed contract for the grant thereof, embodying all of the terms and conditions, including the provisions as to rates and charges upon and subject to the terms and conditions in said proposed form of contract contained, and that the Mayor of The City of New York be and he hereby is authorized to execute and deliver such contract in the name and on behalf of The City of New York, as follows, to wit:

PROPOSED FORM OF CONTRACT.

This contract, made and executed in duplicate this day of 19....., by and between The City of New York (hereinafter called the City), party of the first part, by the Mayor of said City, acting for and in the name of said City, under and in pursuance of the authority of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of said City (hereinafter called the Board), and The Automatic Scoreboard Company, Inc. (hereinafter called the Company), party of the second part, witnesseth:

In consideration of the mutual covenants and agreements herein contained the parties hereto do hereby covenant and agree as follows:

Section 1. The City hereby grants to the Company, subject to the conditions and provisions hereinafter set forth, the right and privilege to lay, construct, maintain and operate suitable wires or other electrical conductors in, through and under the streets and highways in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, for the purpose of operating automatic baseball scoreboards, to be located on the premises of subscribers. It is expressly provided that the right and privilege hereby granted shall not include the right or privilege to construct, maintain or operate ducts, conduits or subways in any street or highway.

In lieu of laying or constructing its own wires or other electrical conductors, the Company is hereby authorized to rent or lease from any corporation wires or other electrical conductors which may have been lawfully constructed within the streets and highways.

Section 2. The grant of this right and privilege is subject to the following conditions:

Fifth—The said right and privilege to lay, construct, maintain and operate wires or other electrical conductors shall be held and enjoyed by the Company from the date upon which this contract is signed by the Mayor to and until December 31, 1921, with the privilege of renewal of said contract for the further period of five (5) years upon a fair revaluation of said right and privilege.

If the Company shall determine to exercise its privilege of renewal, it shall make application to the Board, at any time not earlier than two (2) years and not later than one (1) year before the expiration of the original term of this contract. The time within which such application for renewal must be made is of the essence of this contract, and a failure of the Company to present its application within the time fixed shall be considered as an election on the part of the Company not to take advantage of the renewal privilege, and as a relinquishment of its right to such renewal, in which event the franchise shall terminate on the last day of the original term of this contract. The determination of the revaluation shall be sufficient if agreed to in writing by the Company and the Board, but in no case shall the annual rate of compensation to the City be fixed at a less amount than the sum required to be paid during the last year prior to the termination of the original term of this contract.

If the Company and the Board shall not reach such agreement on or before the day nine (9) months before the expiration of the original term of this contract, then the parties hereby agree that the annual rate for the renewal term shall be determined by three disinterested persons selected in the following manner:

One disinterested person shall be chosen by the Board; one disinterested person shall be chosen by the Company; these two shall choose a third disinterested person, and the three so chosen shall act as appraisers and shall make the revaluation aforesaid. Such appraisers shall be chosen at least six (6) months prior to the expiration of the original term of this contract, and their report shall be filed with the Board within three (3) months after they are chosen. They shall act as appraisers and not as arbitrators. They may base their judgment upon their own experience and upon such information as they may obtain by inquiries and investigations without the presence of either party. They shall have the right to examine any of the books of the Company and its officers under oath. The valuations so ascertained, fixed and agreed to by any two of such appraisers shall be conclusive upon both parties, but no annual sum shall, in any event, be less than the sum required to be paid for the last year of the original term of this contract. If in any case the annual rate shall not be fixed prior to the termination of the original term of this contract, then the Company shall pay the annual rate theretofore prevailing until the new rate shall be determined, and shall then make up to the City the amount of any excess of the annual rate then determined over the previous annual rate. The entire expense of such appraisal shall be borne jointly by the City and the Company, each paying one-half thereof.

Second—The Company shall pay to the City for this right and privilege, during the original term of this contract, expiring December 31, 1921, the following sum of money.

(a) The sum of one thousand dollars (\$1,000) in cash within thirty (30) days after the date upon which this contract is signed by the Mayor and before anything is done in exercise of the right and privilege hereby granted, and the further sum of one thousand dollars (\$1,000) in cash on or before April 1, 1918.

The sums herein named are in addition to the annual sums required to be paid under paragraph (b) following.

(b) During the first year, or portion thereof, expiring December 31, 1917, a sum which shall be equal to three (3) per cent. of its gross receipts for such year or portion thereof, but which sum shall not be less than four hundred dollars (\$400).

During the second year, expiring December 31, 1918, a sum which shall be equal to four (4) per cent. of its gross receipts for such year, but which shall not be less than eight hundred dollars (\$800).

During the last three years, expiring December 31, 1921, an annual sum which shall be equal to five (5) per cent. of its gross annual receipts, but which shall not be less than one thousand five hundred dollars (\$1,500).

If, however, at any time preceding the date upon which this contract shall terminate, the Board shall so order, by resolution, and give notice to the Company, the Company shall, upon the termination of this contract, remove from the streets any and all of its wires or other electrical conductors and equipment constructed pursuant to this contract within the streets and avenues and shall become the property of the City without cost, and the same may be used or disposed of by the City for any purpose whatsoever, or the same may be leased to any company or individual.

With each annual report shall be submitted a copy of any lease or other agreement in effect during the year between the Company and any other company or corporation for the use of cables, wires, ducts or conduits, and also a copy or copies (if more than one in use) of the service contract or contracts used by the Company.

Eleventh—Upon the termination of the original term of this contract, or if the contract be renewed, then at the termination of the said renewal term, or upon the termination of the rights hereby granted for any cause, or upon the dissolution of the company before such termination, any wires or other electrical conductors and equipment of the Company constructed pursuant to this contract within the streets and avenues and shall become the property of the City without cost, and the same may be used or disposed of by the City for any purpose whatsoever, or the same may be leased to any company or individual.

If, however, at any time preceding the date upon which this contract shall terminate, the

gross annual receipts mentioned above shall be the gross annual receipts of the Company, from whatever source derived, either directly or indirectly, in any manner, out of or in connection with the operation of automatic baseball scoreboards.

The annual charges shall commence from the date upon which this contract is signed by the Mayor.

The annual charges as above shall be paid into the treasury of the City on February 1 of each year and shall be for the amount due to December 31 next preceding.

Any and all payments to be made by the terms of this contract to the City by the Company shall not be considered in any manner in the nature of a tax, but such payments shall be made in addition to any and all taxes of whatsoever kind or description, now or hereafter required to be paid by any ordinance of the City, or resolution of the Board, or any law of the State of New York.

Third—The right and privilege hereby granted shall not be assigned or transferred, either in whole or in part, whether by consolidation, merger, reorganization or otherwise, or leased or sublet in any manner, either in whole or in part, without the consent of the City, acting by the Board, evidenced by an instrument under seal, anything herein contained to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding, and the granting, giving or waiving of any one or more of such consents shall not render unnecessary any subsequent consent or consents, nor shall the title thereto, or right, interest or property therein pass to or vest in any other person or corporation whatsoever, either by the act of the Company or by operation of law, whether under the provisions of the statutes relating to the consolidation, merger or reorganization of corporations, or otherwise, unless the proposed successor in title to the rights of the Company shall file with the Board an instrument under seal, agreeing to 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special service and the rates paid for such service.
(d) The number of months of service furnished on each basis.
(e) The gross receipts of the Company from each class of service.
(f) The receipts of the Company from any other source, and such other information as the Comptroller may require.

The Comptroller shall have access to the books and records of the Company for the purpose of ascertaining the correctness of its report and may examine its officers and employees under oath.

Nineteenth—In case of any violation or breach or failure to comply with any of the provisions herein contained, or with any orders of the Board or of any official of the City acting under the powers herein reserved, the right and privilege hereby granted may be forfeited by resolution of the Board, which said resolution may contain a provision to the effect that the wires or other electrical conductors and equipment constructed by the Company under and pursuant to this contract shall become the property of the City, without proceedings at law or in equity, provided, however, that such action by the Board shall not be taken until the Board shall give notice to the Company to appear before it on a certain day, not less than ten (10) days after the date of such notice, to show cause why such resolution declaring this right and privilege forfeited should not be adopted. In case the Company fails to appear, action may be taken by the Board forthwith.

Any false entry in the books of the Company or false statement in its reports to the Comptroller as to a material fact, knowingly made by the Company, shall constitute such a violation or breach or failure to comply with the provisions herein contained as to warrant the forfeiture of the right and privilege hereby granted.

Nothing herein contained shall affect in any way the right of the Company to apply to a court of competent jurisdiction for a review of any action of the Board forfeiting the right and privilege hereby granted.

Twentieth—This grant is upon the express condition that the Company, within thirty (30) days after the signing of this contract by the Mayor, and before anything is done in exercise of the right and privilege hereby granted, shall deposit with the Comptroller of the City, the sum of three thousand dollars (\$3,000), either in money or securities to be approved by the Comptroller, which fund shall be security for the performance by the Company of all the terms and conditions of this contract and for its compliance with all the orders of the Board and of the officials of the City acting under the powers herein reserved. From the said fund deductions may be made as hereinafter provided.

(a) Should the Company, within such time after notice as may be herein prescribed, or where no time is prescribed, within such time as the Board or the proper official of the City may hereafter prescribe, fail to comply with the provisions of this contract or with the orders of the Board or of the officials of the City herein named or referred to, relating to—

Protecting the City's structures during the construction, reconstruction or repair of the wires or other electrical conductors hereby authorized.

Moving and protecting the Company's wires or other electrical conductors during the performance of any public work or as may be required on account of the changing of the lines or grades of the streets.

Or with any other provision of this contract which may affect the repair, protection and maintenance of the streets or of the City's structures within the streets.

the City shall have the right to cause the work to be done or the defect remedied and to reimburse itself for the cost of such work, by deducting such cost, with interest, from the security fund hereinabove provided for. Such deduction shall be made by the Comptroller upon the direction of the Board.

(b) Should the Company, within ten (10) days after demand has been made upon it, fail to repay to the City any damages caused to persons or property which the City shall be compelled to pay by reason of the construction, maintenance or operation of the wires or other electrical conductors hereby authorized, or by reason of any acts or defaults of the Company in connection therewith, the City shall have the right to collect damages, with interest, by deducting the amount of the same from the security fund hereinabove provided for. Such deduction shall be made by the Comptroller upon the direction of the Board.

(c) Should the Company fail to pay to the City the annual charges required to be paid by this contract within the time fixed for the payment thereof, the City shall have the right to collect the amount of such charges, with interest, by deducting the same from the security fund hereinabove provided for. Such deduction shall be made by the Comptroller without further or other direction.

(d) Should the Company fail to comply with the provisions of this contract, or with the orders of the Board or of the officials of the City herein named or referred to, then the Company may be required to pay to the City, as liquidated damages for each breach or violation, the following sums:

For failure to give efficient public service at rates not exceeding those herein fixed, or to maintain its structures and equipment in good condition throughout the whole term of this contract, the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars (\$250) for each day during which the default or defect remains.

For failure to comply with any other provision of this contract as to which liquidated damages are not fixed herein, the sum of fifty dollars (\$50) per day for each day during which such failure or default shall continue.

All of such sums may be collected by deducting the same from the security fund hereinabove provided for.

The procedure for the collection of such liquidated damages shall be as follows:

Whenever the Board shall have knowledge of any such breach or violation on the part of the Company, the Board shall give notice to the Company, specifying the nature of such breach or violation and the amount of liquidated damages which it is proposed to collect therefrom, and directing its President or other officer to appear before the Board on a certain day, not less than ten (10) days after the service of such notice, to show cause why the Company should not be required to pay such liquidated damages in accordance with the foregoing provisions. If the Company fail to make an appearance, or, after a hearing, appears in the judgment of the Board to be in fault, the Board shall forthwith direct the Comptroller to collect such liquidated damages by deducting the amount of the same from the security fund hereinabove provided for.

(e) In case of any deductions from the security fund pursuant to this contract, either for the reimbursement of the City for work done by it or amounts expended by it on behalf of the Company, or for the collection by the City of the annual charges herein provided, or of liquidated damages, the Company shall, upon ten (10) days notice by the Comptroller, deposit with the Comptroller a sum, either in money or securities, sufficient to restore such security fund to its original amount of three thousand dollars (\$3,000), and in default thereof, the right and

privilege hereby granted may be forfeited by the City as herein provided.

(f) Should the right and privilege hereby granted be forfeited pursuant to the provisions of this contract, or should such right and privilege be terminated upon the dissolution of the Company as herein provided, the security fund hereinabove provided for shall be forfeited to the City as liquidated damages for failure of the Company to perform this contract pursuant to the terms hereof.

No action or proceeding or right under the provisions of this subdivision shall affect any other legal rights, remedies or causes of action belonging to the City.

The provisions for the reimbursement of the City for work done by it or amounts expended by it on behalf of the Company, or amounts paid by it to any person by reason of any act or default of the Company, or for the collection by it of the annual charges, or of liquidated damages, are and shall be in addition to the City's right, as herein reserved, to forfeit the right and privilege hereby granted.

Twenty-first—The Company shall assume all liability to persons or property by reason of the construction, maintenance or operation of the wires or other electrical conductors and equipment hereby authorized, and it is a condition of this contract that the City shall assume no liability whatsoever to either persons or property on account of the same, and the Company shall repay to the City the amount of any damages which the City shall be compelled to pay by reason of any acts or default of the Company.

Twenty-second—This right and privilege is granted subject to whatever right, title or interest the owners of abutting property or others may have in or to the streets and highways in which the Company is authorized to lay, construct, maintain or operate its wires or other electrical conductors.

Twenty-third—The words "notice" or "direction" wherever used in this contract, shall be deemed to mean a written notice or direction. Every such notice or direction to be served upon the Company shall be delivered at such office in the City as shall have been designated, or if no such office shall have been designated, or if such designation shall have for any reason become inoperative, shall be mailed in the City, postage prepaid, addressed to the Company at the City. Delivery or mailing of such notice or direction as and when above provided shall be equivalent to direct personal notice or direction, and shall be deemed to have been given at the time of delivery or mailing.

Twenty-fourth—The words "streets or avenues" and "streets and avenues" wherever used in this contract, shall be deemed to mean streets, avenues, highways, parkways, driveways, courses, boulevards, bridges, viaducts, tunnels, public places, or any other property to which the City has title or over which the public has an easement, in, along or under which the Company is hereby authorized to construct, maintain or use wires or other electrical conductors.

Twenty-fifth—If at any time the powers of the Board or any other of the authorities herein mentioned or intended to be mentioned, shall be transferred by law to any other board, authority, officer or officers, then and in such case such other board, authority, officer or officers, shall have all the powers, rights and duties herein reserved to or prescribed for the Board or other authorities, officer or officers.

Section 3. Nothing in this contract shall be construed as in any way limiting the present or future jurisdiction of the Public Service Commission under the laws of the State of New York.

Section 4. The Company promises, covenants and agrees on its part and behalf, during the entire term of this contract, whether original or renewal, to conform to and abide by and perform all the terms, conditions and requirements in this contract fixed and contained.

In witness whereof, the party of the first part, by its Mayor, thereunto duly authorized by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of said City, has caused the corporate name of said City to be hereunto signed and the corporate seal of said City to be hereunto affixed; and the party of the second part, by its officers, thereunto duly authorized, has caused its corporate name to be hereunto signed and its corporate seal to be hereunto affixed, the day and year first above written.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
By *Mayor*
[CORPORATE SEAL.]

Attest: *City Clerk.*
THE AUTOMATIC SCOREBOARD COMPANY, INC.,
By *President*
[SEAL.]

Attest: *Secretary.*
(Here add acknowledgments.)

Resolved, That the results of the inquiry made by this Board as to the money value of the franchise or right proposed to be granted and the adequacy of the compensation proposed to be paid therefor and of the terms and conditions, including the provisions as to rates and charges, are as hereinbefore specified and fully set forth in and by the foregoing form of proposed contract for the grant of such franchise or right.

Resolved, That these preambles and resolutions, including the said resolution for the grant of a franchise or right applied for by The Automatic Scoreboard Company, Inc., and the said form of proposed contract for the grant of such franchise or right, containing said results of such inquiry, after the same shall be entered in the minutes of this Board, shall be published in full for at least fifteen (15) days immediately prior to Friday, April 13, 1917, in the "City Record," together with the following notice, to wit:

Notice is HEREBY GIVEN that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, before authorizing any contract for the grant of the franchise or right applied for by The Automatic Scoreboard Company, Inc., and fully set forth and described in the foregoing form of proposed contract for the grant of such franchise or right, and before adopting any resolutions authorizing such contract, will, at a meeting of said Board to be held in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, April 13, 1917, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., hold a public hearing thereon at which citizens shall be entitled to appear and be heard.

Resolved, That a notice of such hearing, stating that copies of the proposed contract and resolution of consent thereto may be obtained by all those interested therein, at the Bureau of Franchises, Room 1307, Municipal Building, Centre and Chambers streets, Borough of Manhattan, shall be published at least twice at the expense of the proposed grantee during the ten (10) days immediately prior to Friday, April 13, 1917, in the "New York Press" and "The Evening World," the two daily newspapers in which the petition and notice of hearing thereof have been published.

JAMES D. McGANN, Assistant Secretary, Room 1307, Municipal Building, Telephone, 4560 Worth.

Dated, New York, March 9, 1917. m27.a13

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the consideration of the communication from the Public Service Commission for the First District, transmitting resolutions adopted by said Commission as to the route and general plan of construction for an additional rapid transit railway in the Borough of Brooklyn, known as

"Ashland Place Connection," and requesting the approval and consent of this Board thereto, which consideration was by resolution adopted February 23, 1917, fixed for March 2, 1917, and then continued until March 23, 1917, was continued until Friday, April 20, 1917, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, when and where all those interested will be afforded an opportunity to appear and be heard.

JAMES D. McGANN, Assistant Secretary, Room 1307, Municipal Building, Telephone, 4560 Worth. Dated, New York, March 23, 1917. m26.a20

COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Board of Trustees or the Curator of the College of The City of New York at Room 114, Main Building, 139th st. and Convent ave., Manhattan, until 2 p. m. on

THURSDAY, APRIL 12, 1917.
FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING
COAL TO THE COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF
NEW YORK.

CONTRACT NO. 1 (MIXED)—6,000 GROSS TONS NO. 2 BUCKWHEAT ANTHRACITE COAL; 1,500 GROSS TONS SEMI-BITUMINOUS (RUN OF MINE) COAL.

CONTRACT NO. 2 (MIXED)—5,625 GROSS TONS NO. 3 BUCKWHEAT ANTHRACITE COAL; 1,875 GROSS TONS SEMI-BITUMINOUS (RUN OF MINE) COAL.

CONTRACT NO. 3—7,000 GROSS TONS NO. 1 BUCKWHEAT ANTHRACITE COAL.

The time allowed for fully completing each contract is 360 consecutive calendar days.

The amount of security required is thirty (30) per cent of the total amount for which the contract is awarded.

The bidders will state a price per ton for each kind of coal.

Contract No. 1 (Mixed) of the Schedule will be awarded, if awarded, to the lowest aggregate bidder on the two items of said contract.

Contract No. 2 (Mixed) of the Schedule will be awarded, if awarded, to the lowest aggregate bidder on the two items of said contract.

Contract No. 3 of the Schedule will be awarded, if awarded, to the lowest bidder on said contract.

A copy of the contract and specifications, bid sheet and envelope in which to enclose the bid may be obtained upon application thereto at the office of the Curator of the College, Room 114, Main Building, 139th st. and Convent ave., Manhattan.

A duplicate copy of the bid must be submitted at the same time for the Finance Department.

GEORGE MCANENY, Chairman, Board of Trustees; JAMES W. HYDE, Secretary, Board of Trustees; BERNARD M. BARAUCH, FREDERICK P. BELLAMY, LEE KOHNS, CHARLES E. LYDECKER, WILLIAM F. MC COMBS, MOSES J. STROOCK, CHARLES H. TUTTLE, WILLIAM G. WILCOX, Board of Trustees.

R. V. DAVIS, Curator.

Dated, April 2, 1917. a2,12

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

SUPREME COURT—FIRST DEPARTMENT.

Application to Court to Condemn Property.

In the Matter of Acquiring Title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises on the northerly side of EAST 109TH STREET, between 2d and 3d avenues, in the 12th Ward of the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, duly selected as a site for school purposes, according to law.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH case made and provided, notice is hereby given that it is the intention of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York to make application to the Supreme Court of the State of New York at a Special Term, Part III thereof, to be held in and for the County of New York at the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 23rd day of April, 1917, at 10 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 Bronx, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by law.

Dated, New York, April 9, 1917.

MAURICE S. COHEN, BERNARD J. ISECKE, JAS. F. DELANEY, Commissioners of Estimate; MAURICE S. COHEN, Commissioner of Assessment.

JOEL J. SQUIER, Clerk.

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In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of PUTNAM AVENUE WEST from West 233d street to Van Cortlandt Park South, in the 24th Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held at the County Court House in the Borough of The Bronx, in the City of New York, on the 23rd day of April, 1917, at 10 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 Bronx, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by law.

Dated, New York, April 9, 1917.

EDWARD D. DOWLING, RALPH WEIL, FRANCIS P. KENNEY, Commissioners of Estimate; EDWARD D. DOWLING, Commissioner of Assessment.

JOEL J. SQUIER, Clerk.

a6,17

Hearings on Qualifications.

In the Matter of Acquiring Title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises on the northerly side of EAST 111TH STREET, between Lexington and Park avenues, in the 12th Ward of the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, duly selected as a site for school purposes, according to law.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH case made and provided, notice is hereby given that it is the intention of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York to make application to the Supreme Court of the State of New York at a Special Term, Part III thereof, to be held in and for the County of New York, at the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 20th day of April, 1917, at the opening of Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard thereon, to have the compensation which should justly be made to the respective owners of the real property proposed to be taken in the above proceeding ascertained and determined by said court without a jury.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title in fee simple absolute to certain lands and premises with the buildings thereon and appurtenances thereto belonging, situated on the northerly side of East 111th street between Lexington and Park avenues, in the 12th Ward of the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, subject, however, to the easement of the owner of the adjoining property on the west thereof known as No. 113 East 111th street, in and to a party wall between premises No. 115 East 111th street and No. 113 East 111th street, so long as said wall shall stand, the same to be converted, appropriated and used as a site for school purposes. Said lands and premises so to be acquired are bounded and described as follows:

Parcel No. 1.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN THAT, PURSUANT to the aforesaid order the said John P. Dunn will attend at a Special Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Judicial District, held in and for the County of Bronx at the County Court House in the Borough of The Bronx, in the City of New York, on the 18th day of April 1917, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel of the City of New York or by any other person having any interest in the said proceeding, as to his qualifications to act as such Commissioner.

Dated, New York, April 6, 1917.
LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

Filing Final Reports.

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of UNIONPORT ROAD, from Morris Park avenue to White Plains road, near Baker avenue, in the 24th Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE supplemental and amended final report of the Commissioners of Assessment in the above entitled matter will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III, to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan in The City of New York, on the 12th day of April, 1917, at 10 o'clock in forenoon of that day; and that the said supplemental and amended final report has been deposited in the Office of the Clerk of the County of Bronx, East 161st street and 3rd avenue, there to remain for and during the space of five days, as required by law.

Dated, New York, April 5, 1917.
MANTON M. WYVELL, Commissioner of Assessments.
JOEL J. SQUIER, Clerk.

a5.10

Filing Preliminary Abstracts.

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of RIVERDALE AVENUE, from its junction with Spuyten Duyvil road at a point near West 231st street to the northerly boundary line of The City of New York, in the 24th Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL PERSONS interested in the above entitled proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First.—That the undersigned, Commissioners of Estimate, have completed their estimate of damage, as to Damage Parcels Nos. 10 and 11, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with them at their office, Municipal Building, 15th floor, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 18th day of April, 1917, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at their said office on the 20th day of April, 1917, at 3 o'clock p. m.

Second.—That the abstract of said estimate of damage, as to Damage Parcels Nos. 10 and 11, together with the damage map, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by the Commissioners of Estimate in making the same, has been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Municipal Building, 15th floor, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said City, there to remain until the 20th day of April, 1917.

Third.—That, provided there be no objections filed to the foregoing abstract of estimate of damage, as to Damage Parcels Nos. 10 and 11, will be presented for confirmation at a Special Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Judicial District, held in and for the County of Bronx at the County Court House in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, on the 11th day of May, 1917, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Fourth.—In case, however, objections are filed to the foregoing abstract of estimate of damage to the motion to confirm the separate report as to awards made for Damage Parcels Nos. 10 and 11, shall stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified in the notice provided in such cases to be given in relation to filing the final reports, pursuant to Sections 1011 and 1013 of the Greater New York Charter.

Dated, New York, March 26, 1917.
EDWARD D. DOWLING, JOHN D. JONES, PHILIP J. KEARNS, Commissioners of Estimates.
JOEL J. SQUIER, Clerk.

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SUPREME COURT—SECOND DEPARTMENT.

Hearings on Qualifications.

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title in fee to DELAPLAINE STREET, from 86th street to Dyker Beach Park, in the 30th Ward, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT SELIG Edelman, William H. Taylor and John W. Devoy were appointed by an order of the Supreme Court made and entered the 2d day of April, 1917, Commissioners of Estimate and Selig Edelman Commissioner of Assessment in the above entitled proceeding.

NOTICE IS ALSO GIVEN THAT THE above named Commissioners will attend at a Special Term for the hearing of motions, appointed to be held at the Kings County Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, on the 19th day of April, 1917, on the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard; and at said time and place, or at such other time and place as the Court may direct, the said Commissioners may be examined under oath as to their qualifications to act, and are subject to challenge by any party or persons interested in this proceeding, as provided by Section 1004 of the charter of The City of New York, as amended by Chapter 606 of the Laws of 1915.

Dated, New York, April 6, 1917.

a6.17 LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel.

Application for Appointment of Commissioners.

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the real property required for the opening and extending of YELLOWSTONE AVENUE from Woodhaven avenue to Queens Boulevard, subject to the

easements of the Glendale Cut-off and Main Line Division of the Long Island Railroad Company, in the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN APPLICATION will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial District, at a Special Term of said Court, held at Trial Term, Part I, at the County Court House in the County of Queens, in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, on the 11th day of April, 1917, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and a Commissioner of Assessment in the above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York, in fee, for the use of the public to the real property required for the opening and extending of Yellowstone avenue from Woodhaven avenue to Queens Boulevard, subject to the easements of the Glendale Cut-off and Main Line Division of the Long Island Railroad Company, in the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York. The real property title to which is proposed to be acquired is particularly bounded and described as follows: wit:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the easterly line of Woodhaven avenue with the easterly line of Yellowstone avenue; running thence northerly, along the easterly line of Woodhaven avenue on the arc of a circle, the radius of which is 3,444.50 feet, for 1.22 feet; thence northerly on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course, the radius of which is 900.23 feet, for 111.42 feet along the easterly line of Woodhaven avenue to the intersection with the easterly line of old Trotting Course Lane; thence northerly, deflecting to the left 18° 06' 46" from a tangent to the last mentioned course, for 59.23 feet along the easterly line of old Trotting Course Lane to an intersection with the prolongation of the westerly line of Yellowstone avenue; thence northerly, deflecting to the right 42° 30' 20" for 2,097.89 feet along the westerly line of Yellowstone avenue to the southerly line of Groton street; thence northerly, deflecting to the left 0° 51' 19" for 60.01 feet along the westerly line of Yellowstone avenue to the northerly line of Groton street; thence northerly, deflecting to the left 5° 12' 49" for 775.50 feet along the westerly line of Yellowstone avenue; thence northerly, on the arc of a circle deflecting to the right, and tangent to the preceding course, the radius of which is 359.22 feet, for 284.99 feet along the westerly line of Yellowstone avenue; thence northerly, tangent to the last-mentioned course, for 262.56 feet along the westerly line of Yellowstone avenue to the southerly line of Burns street; thence northerly, deflecting to the left 0° 11' 48" for 77.41 feet along the westerly line of Yellowstone avenue to the northerly line of Burns street; thence northerly, deflecting to the left 3° 45' 24" for 330.50 feet along the westerly line of Yellowstone avenue; thence northerly, on the arc of a circle deflecting to the left, and tangent to the preceding course, the radius of which is 440.12 feet, for 287.33 feet along the westerly and northerly lines of Yellowstone avenue; thence easterly, on the arc of a circle deflecting to the right, and tangent to the preceding course, the radius of which is 440.12 feet, for 287.33 feet along the westerly and northerly lines of Yellowstone avenue; 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along the said line midway between Putnam avenue and Cornelia street to a point distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Forest avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Forest avenue; thence northwardly and always distant 100 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly line of Forest avenue to the intersection with the southerly right of way line of the Lutheran Cemetery Branch of the Brooklyn Rapid Transit; thence eastwardly along the said right of way line to a point distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Fresh Pond road, the said distance being measured by right angles to Fresh Pond road; thence southwardly and parallel with Fresh Pond road to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Cornelia street and Hughes street, as these streets are laid out between Anthon avenue and Buchman avenue; thence westwardly along the said line midway between Cornelia street and Hughes street and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with the centre line of Anthon avenue; thence northwardly along the centre line of Anthon avenue to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Cornelia street and Hughes street, as these streets are laid out between Forest avenue and Anthon avenue; thence westwardly along the said line midway between Cornelia street and Hughes street, and along the prolongation of the said line to a point distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Forest avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Forest avenue; thence southwardly and parallel with Forest avenue to the intersection of the prolongation of a line midway between Cornelia street and Silver street, as these streets are laid out where they adjoin Forest avenue on the west; thence southwesterly along the said line midway between Cornelia street and Silver street and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet northeasterly from and parallel with the northeasterly line of Woodward avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Woodward avenue; thence southwesterly along the said line parallel with Woodward avenue to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the centre lines of Cornelia street and Catalpa avenue, as these streets are laid out between Onderdonk avenue and Woodward avenue; thence southwesterly along the said line to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet easterly from and parallel with the northerly line of Myrtle avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Myrtle avenue; thence

eastwardly along the said line parallel with Myrtle avenue to the intersection with a line at right angles to Myrtle avenue and passing through a point on its southerly side where it is intersected by the prolongation of a line midway between Hancock street and Weifeld street; thence southwardly along the said line at right angles to Myrtle avenue to its southerly side; thence southwesterly along the said line midway between Hancock street and Weifeld street and along the prolongation of the said line to a point distant 100 feet northeasterly from the northeasterly line of Wyckoff avenue; thence southwardly and parallel with Wyckoff avenue to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Weifeld street and Halsey street; thence southwesterly along the said line midway between Weifeld street and Halsey street and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line between the Borough of Brooklyn and the Borough of Queens; thence northwardly along the said Brooklyn Line to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That the abstracts of said supplemental and amended estimate of damage and of said supplemental and amended assessment for benefit, together with the damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by the Commissioners of Estimate and by the Commissioner of Assessment in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, in the Municipal Building, Court House Square, in the Borough of Queens, in said City, there to remain until the 13th day of April, 1917.

Fifth—That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said supplemental and amended abstracts, the supplemental and amended reports as to awards and as to assessments for benefit herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, 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 21st day of June, 1917, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Sixth—In case, however, objections are filed to the foregoing supplemental and amended abstracts of estimate and assessment, or to either of them, the motion to confirm the supplemental and amended reports as to awards and as to assessments shall stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified in the notice provided in such cases to be given in relation to filing the final reports, pursuant to Sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by Chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated, New York, March 28, 1917.
JOHN C. MYERS, Chairman; MICHAEL J. CONNOR, CHAS. H. GEORGE, Commissioners of Estimate; JOHN C. MYERS, Commissioner of Assessments; WALTER C. SHEPPARD, Clerk.

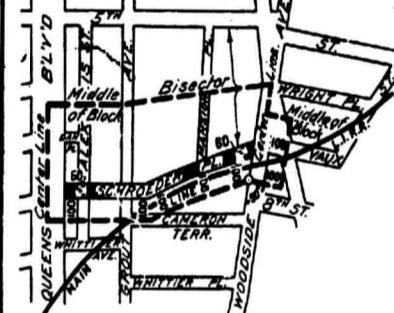
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In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of SCHROEDER PLACE, from Queens Boulevard to Woodside avenue, in the 2d Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL PERSONS interested in the above-entitled proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to-wit:

First—That the undersigned, Commissioners of Estimate, have completed their estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with them at their office, in the Municipal Building, Court House Square, Long Island City, in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, on or before the 20th day of April, 1917, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 24th day of April, 1917, at 3 o'clock p. m.

Third—That the Commissioner of Assessment has assessed any or all such lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises as are within the area of assessment fixed and prescribed as the area of assessment for benefit by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 3d day of December, 1915, and that the said area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded as shown on the following diagram:



EXPLANATORY NOTE:
— indicates the boundary of the area of assessment
o indicates the position of angle points which are not otherwise clearly fixed.
All distances indicated are in feet and are to be measured at right angles or normal to the street lines to which they are referred.
The original of this Diagram is on file in the office of the Chief Engineer, Room 1347, Municipal Building.

Fourth—That the abstracts of said estimate of damage and of said assessment for benefit together with the damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by the Commissioners of Estimate and by the Commissioner of Assessment in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, in the Municipal Building, Court House Square, in the Borough of Queens, in said City, there to remain until the 23d day of April, 1917.

Fifth—That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said abstracts, the reports as to awards and as to assessments for benefit herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, 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 21st day of June, 1917, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Sixth—In case, however, objections are filed to the foregoing abstracts of estimate and assessment, or to either of them, the motion to confirm the reports as to awards and as to assessments shall stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified in the notice provided in such cases to be given in relation to filing the final reports, pursuant to Sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by Chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated, New York, March 28, 1917.

FREDERICK T. DAVIES, Chairman; ADOLPH HERZOG, GILBERT W. ROBERTS, Commissioners of Estimate; GILBERT W. ROBERTS, Commissioner of Assessment; WALTER C. SHEPPARD, Clerk.

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In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of MITCHELL AVENUE, from Whitestone avenue to Dunsing street (16th street) and Connerton avenue (Myrtle avenue), from Parsons avenue to Dunsing street (16th street), in the 3d Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL PERSONS interested in the above-entitled proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to-wit:

First—That the undersigned, Commissioners of Estimate, have completed their estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with them at their office, in the Municipal Building, Court House Square, Long Island City, in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, on or before the 20th day of April, 1917, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 24th day of April, 1917, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Third—That the Commissioner of Assessment has assessed any or all such lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises as are within the area of assessment fixed and prescribed as the area of assessment for benefit herein, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 24th day of April, 1917, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Fourth—That the abstracts of said estimate of damage and of said assessment for benefit together with the damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by the Commissioners of Estimate and by the Commissioner of Assessment in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, in the Municipal Building, Court House Square, Long Island City, in the Borough of Queens, in said City, there to remain until the 23d day of April, 1917.

Fifth—That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said abstracts, the reports as to awards and as to assessments for benefit herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, 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 21st day of June, 1917, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Sixth—In case, however, objections are filed to the foregoing abstracts of estimate and assessment, or to either of them, the motion to confirm the reports as to awards and as to assessments shall stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified in the notice provided in such cases to be given in relation to filing the final reports, pursuant to Sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by Chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated, New York, March 28, 1917.

FREDERICK T. DAVIES, Chairman; ADOLPH HERZOG, GILBERT W. ROBERTS, Commissioners of Estimate; GILBERT W. ROBERTS, Commissioner of Assessment; WALTER C. SHEPPARD, Clerk.

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In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of NETCONG AVENUE, from Chichester avenue to Rocton street, in the 4th Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL PERSONS interested in the above-entitled proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to-wit:

First—That the undersigned, Commissioners of Estimate, have completed their estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with them at their office, in the Municipal Building, Court House Square, Long Island City, in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, on or before the 20th day of April, 1917, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 24th day of April, 1917, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Third—That the Commissioner of Assessment has assessed any or all such lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises as are within the area of assessment fixed and prescribed as the area of assessment for benefit herein, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 24th day of April, 1917, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Fourth—That the abstracts of said estimate of damage and of said assessment for benefit together with the damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by the Commissioners of Estimate and by the Commissioner of Assessment in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, in the Municipal Building, Court House Square, Long Island City, in the Borough of Queens, in said City, there to remain until the 23d day of April, 1917.

Fifth—That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said abstracts, the reports as to awards and as to assessments for benefit herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, 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 21st day of June, 1917, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Sixth—In case, however, objections are filed to the foregoing abstracts of estimate and assessment, or to either of them, the motion to confirm the reports as to awards and as to assessments shall stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified in the notice provided in such cases to be given in relation to filing the final reports, pursuant to Sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by Chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

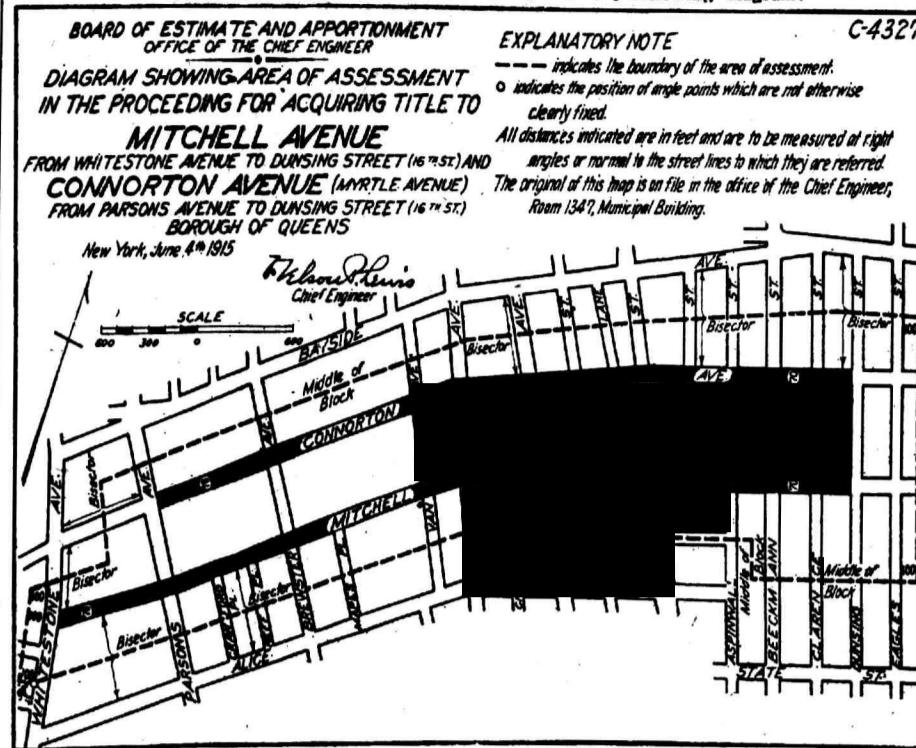
Dated, New York, March 28, 1917.

FREDERICK T. DAVIES, Chairman; ADOLPH HERZOG, GILBERT W. ROBERTS, Commissioners of Estimate; GILBERT W. ROBERTS, Commissioner of Assessment; WALTER C. SHEPPARD, Clerk.

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the area of assessment for benefit by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 1st day of July, 1915, and that the said area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and

hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded as shown on the following diagram:



Fourth—That the abstracts of said estimate of damage and of said assessment for benefit together with the damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by the Commissioners of Estimate and by the Commissioner of Assessment in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, in the Municipal Building, Court House Square, in the Borough of Queens, in said City, there to remain until the 13th day of April, 1917.

Fifth—That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said abstracts, the reports as to awards and as to assessments for benefit herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Queens, in said City, there to remain until the 13th day of April, 1917.

Sixth—In case, however, objections are filed to the foregoing abstracts of estimate and assessment, or to either of them, the motion to confirm the reports as to awards and as to assessments shall stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified in the notice provided in such cases to be given in relation to filing the final reports, pursuant to Sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by Chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated, New York, March 21, 1917.

WILLIAM W. GILLEN, Chairman; JOHN H. FOX, J. H. QUINLAN, Commissioners of Estimate; WILLIAM W. GILLEN, Commissioner of Assessment.

WALTER C. SHEPPARD, Clerk. m31,a17

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, on the 28th day of June, 1917, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Sixth—In case, however, objections are filed to the foregoing abstracts of estimate and assessment, or to either of them, the motion to confirm the reports as to awards and as to assessments shall stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified in the notice provided in such cases to be given in relation to filing the final reports, pursuant to Sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by Chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated, New York, March 21, 1917.

WILLIAM W. GILLEN, Chairman; JOHN H. FOX, J. H. QUINLAN, Commissioners of Estimate; WILLIAM W. GILLEN, Commissioner of Assessment.

WALTER C. SHEPPARD, Clerk. m31,a17

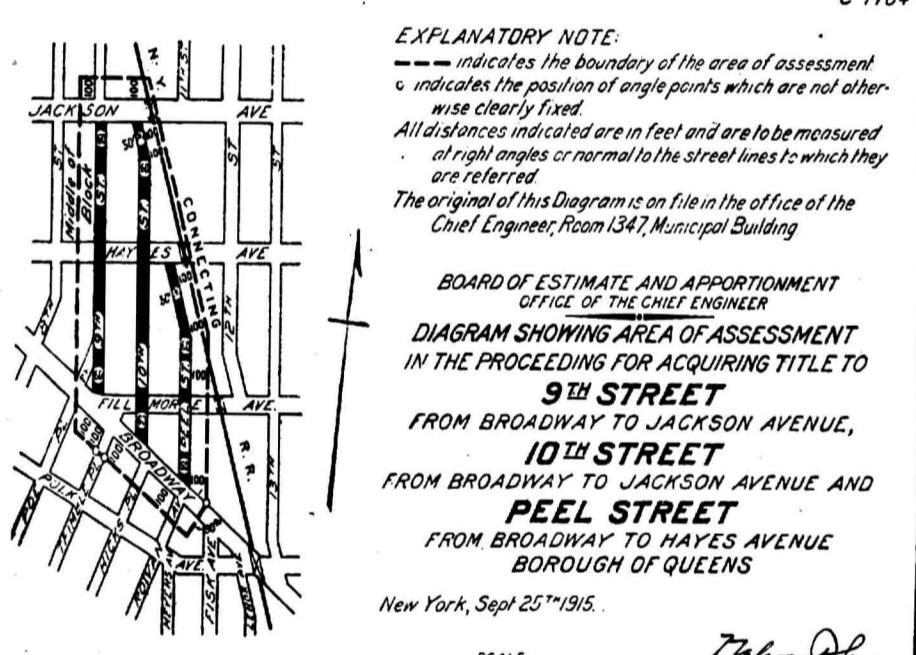
In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of NINTH STREET, from Broadway to Jackson avenue; TENTH STREET, from Broadway to Jackson avenue; and PEEL STREET, from Broadway to Hayes avenue, in the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL PERSONS interested in the above entitled proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to-wit:

Second—That the undersigned, Commissioner of Assessment, has completed his estimate of benefit and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with him at his office, in the Municipal Building, Court House Square, Long Island City, in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, on or before the 17th day of April, 1917, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 19th day of April, 1917, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Third—That the Commissioner of Assessment, has completed his estimate of benefit and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with him at his office, in the Municipal Building, Court House Square, Long Island City, in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, on or before the 17th day of April, 1917, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 19th day of April, 1917, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Fourth—That the Commissioner of Assessment, has assessed any or all such lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises as are within the area of assessment fixed and prescribed as the area of assessment for benefit by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 22nd day of October, 1915, and that the said area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded as shown on the following diagram:



EXPLANATORY NOTE:
— indicates the boundary of the area of assessment
o indicates the position of angle points which are not otherwise clearly fixed.
All distances indicated are in feet and are to be measured at right angles or normal to the street lines to which they are referred.

The original of this Diagram is on file in the office of the Chief Engineer, Room 1347, Municipal Building.

**BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF ENGINEER**

**DIAGRAM SHOWING AREA OF ASSESSMENT
IN THE PROCEEDING FOR ACQUIRING TITLE TO**

9TH STREET

FROM BROADWAY TO JACKSON AVENUE,

10TH STREET

FROM BROADWAY TO HAYES AVENUE

a line distant 100 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of Chichester avenue, said distance being measured at right angles to Chichester avenue, and on the west by a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the westerly line of Netcong avenue and the easterly line of Sanders place.

Third—That the City of New York and all other parties interested in such proceeding or in any of the real property affected thereby, having any objections thereto, shall file such objections in writing, duly verified, in the manner required by law for the verification of pleadings in an action, setting forth the real property owned by the objector, and his post office address, with the Clerk of the County of Queens on or before the 20th day of April, 1917, and parties other than the City of New York shall within the same time serve on the Corporation Counsel of the City of New York, at his office, Municipal Building, Court House Square, Long Island City, Borough of Queens, City of New York, a copy of such verified objections.

Fourth—That on the 28th day of April, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard, the Corporation Counsel of the City of New York will apply to the Hon. Stephen Callaghan, the Justice of the Supreme Court who signed said tentative decree, at a Special Term of the Supreme Court to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Queens, to fix a time when said Justice will hear the parties who have filed objections to said tentative decree.

Dated, New York, March 30, 1917.

LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

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In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of PARADE PLACE, from Parkside avenue to the south side of Woodruff avenue, in the 29th Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL PARTIES interested in the above entitled proceeding, as follows:

First—That the above named Court, after considering the testimony and proofs submitted on the trial of the above entitled proceeding, has completed its estimate of the compensation which should be made by the City of New York to the respective owners of the real property to be acquired in this proceeding, and has made an assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of the improvement to the respective owners of the real property within the areas fixed and prescribed as the area of assessment for benefit by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 9th day of June, 1916, and that the tentative decree of said Court as to awards for damages and as to assessments for benefit was signed on the 21st day of March, 1917, by Honorable William J. Kelly, Justice of the Supreme Court, presiding at the trial of the above entitled proceeding, and was filed with the Clerk of the County of Kings on the 27th day of March, 1917, for the inspection of whomsoever it may concern.

Second—That the said Court has assessed all the real property within the area of assessment fixed and described as the area of assessment for benefit by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 9th day of June, 1916, and that the said area of assessment includes the parcels of real property situate and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows:

"Beginning at the northeasterly corner of Parade place and Woodruff avenue; thence eastwardly along the northerly side of Woodruff avenue 200 feet; thence northerly and parallel with Parade place to the south line of Parkside avenue; thence westerly along the south side of Parkside avenue to a point 200 feet west of Parade place; thence southerly and parallel with Parade place to the north line of Woodruff avenue extended; thence easterly along the north line of Woodruff avenue extended, to the point of beginning."

Third—That the City of New York and all other parties interested in such proceeding or in any of the real property affected thereby, having any objections thereto, shall file such objections in writing, duly verified, in the manner required by law for the verification of pleadings in an action, setting forth the real property owned by the objector, and his post office address, with the Clerk of the County of Kings on or before the 16th day of April, 1917, and within the same time serve on the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, at his office, Room 83, Franklin Trust Company Building, No. 166 Montague street, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, a copy of such verified objections.

Fourth—That on the 17th day of April, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York will apply to the Honorable William J. Kelly, Justice of the Supreme Court signing said tentative decree at Special Term, Part II, held in and for the County of Kings at the County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, to fix a time when said justice will hear the parties who have filed objections to said tentative decree.

Dated, Brooklyn, N. Y., March 27, 1917.

LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

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In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of RADCLIFFE STREET, from Waldron street to a line 300 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly bulkhead line of Flushing River; STRONG STREET from Waldron street to a line 300 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly bulkhead line of Flushing River in the Second Ward Borough of Queens City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A BILL OF costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the above-entitled proceeding will be presented to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term for the hearing of motions held at Trial Term, Part I., to be held at the County Court House, in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, on the 16th day of April, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard thereon for taxation in accordance with the Certificate of the Corporation Counsel thereto attached has been deposited in the Office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, there to remain for and during the space of ten days as required by law.

Dated, New York, April 2, 1917.

LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

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In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose, to an easement in the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of constructing and maintaining SEWER OUTLETS between Stanley Avenue and Fresh Creek Basin, opposite Williams Avenue, in the 26th and 32nd Wards, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, as shown upon a map dated August 20, 1915, and approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment September 17, 1915.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL PARTIES interested in the above entitled proceeding, as follows:

First—That the above named Court, after con-

sidering the testimony and proofs submitted on the trial of the above entitled proceeding, has completed its estimate of the compensation which should be made by the City of New York to the respective owners of the real property to be acquired in this proceeding, and that the tentative decree of said Court as to awards for damages was signed on the 21st day of March, 1917, by Honorable William J. Kelly, Justice of the Supreme Court, presiding at the trial of the above entitled proceeding, and was filed with the Clerk of the County of Kings on the 27th day of March, 1917, for the inspection of whomsoever it may concern.

Second—That the City of New York and all other parties interested in said proceeding or in

any of the real property affected thereby, having any objections thereto shall file such objections in writing, duly verified, in the manner required by law for the verification of pleadings in an action, setting forth the real property owned by the objector and his post office address, with the Clerk of the County of Kings on or before the 16th day of April, 1917, and within the same time serve on the Corporation Counsel of The

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