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## BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

### Public Hearing on Standard Specifications for Personal Service Covering Skilled Trades.

A PUBLIC HEARING WILL BE HELD BY THE BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT on the Personal Service Specifications covering Skilled Trades as outlined in the report of the Committee on Salaries and Grades of the Board, on the morning of WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 17, 1917, at 10:30 O'CLOCK, in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, at which time and place those desiring to be heard on the subject are requested to be present.

The Board will also consider at the same time applications for increased compensation submitted on behalf of Machinists, Stokers and Firemen.

Copies of the Report on Personal Service Specifications are on file in the Municipal Reference Library, Room 512, Municipal Building. j8,17

## PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION, FIRST DISTRICT.

No. 120 BROADWAY, NEW YORK CITY.

Calendar for the Week Commencing January 8, 1917.

Monday, Jan. 8, 1917—10:30 a. m.—Room 2562—Case No. 2169—Interborough Rapid Transit Company—"Platform gates and platforms on cars of elevated lines"—Whole Commission. 11:30 a. m.—Commissioner Hodge's Room—Case No. 1261—The Long Island Railroad Company—"Alteration of grade crossings at Fresh Pond rd. and Metropolitan ave. at Bushwick Junction; hearing for an accounting"—Commissioner Hodge. 2:30 p. m.—Room 2562—Case No. 2018—New York Central Railroad Company et al.—"Taxpayers' Alliance of The Bronx et al., complainants—"Further hearing as to routes, service and rates of fare in Manhattan and The Bronx"—Whole Commission—(N. B.—This hearing will be adjourned to Jan. 15, 1917, at 2:30 p. m.).

Wednesday, Jan. 10, 1917—10:30 a. m.—Room 2562—Case No. 2036—New York Steam Company—"Application for approval of issue of \$2,850,000 bonds"—Commissioner Hayward. 11:30 a. m.—Room 2562—Rapid Transit Railroads—"Opening of bids for construction of, including supply of structural steel of Route No. 31"—Whole Commission. 11:30 a. m.—Room 2562—Rapid Transit Railroads—"Opening of bids for construction, excluding supply of structural steel, of Route No. 31"—Whole Commission. 11:30 a. m.—Room 2562—Rapid Transit Railroads—"Opening of bids for supply of structural steel alone"—Whole Commission. 2:30 p. m.—Room 2562—Case No. 2120—Staten Island Rapid Transit Railway Company—"Application of City of New York for determination as to the manner of crossing Virginia ave. under tracks of Staten Island Rapid Transit Railway Company, between Vernon ave. and Anderson st."—Whole Commission. 2:30 p. m.—Room 2562—Case No. 2162—New York and Queens Electric Light and Power Company—"Rate for electricity"—Whole Commission.

Thursday, Jan. 11, 1917—2:30 p. m.—Room 2562—Case No. 1541—Flatbush Gas Company—Samuel Maires et al., complainants—"Further hearing as to rate for electricity in Brooklyn"—Commissioner Hayward. 2:30 p. m.—Room 2562—Case No. 2163—Queens Borough Gas and Electric Company—"Rate for electricity in Fifth Ward, Queens"—Whole Commission.

Regular Meeting of the Commission will be held on Wednesday at 11 a. m.  
Meeting of the Committee of the Whole held on Tuesday at 10:30 a. m.

## MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

Eligible Lists Promulgated Jan. 3, 1917.

Promotion to Fourth Grade Court Stenographer, Court of Special Sessions. Bureau—Adults.

1. James J. Garvey, 499 W. 135th st., 73.77.

Promotion to Assistant Court Clerk, Grade 2, City Magistrates' Court.

1. Philip Rosenthal, 134 Cannon st., 84.65.

2. Chester A. Dunn, 74 Elm st., Astoria, L. I., 84.02.

3. Andrew J. Dunlop, 165 Audubon ave., 83.35.

4. John Hackett, 496 E. 189th st., 83.30.

5. William J. Power, 133 Sunnyside ave., Brooklyn, 82.50.

6. John F. Lynch, 2291 University ave., 81.92.

7. Geo. L. Sinclair, 4043 Wickham ave., 81.90.

8. John J. Madigan, 76 Milford st., Brooklyn, 81.40.

9. James F. Scullin, 324 E. 30th st., 81.32.

10. James R. Stevens, 53 W. 183d st., 81.22.

11. Samuel W. Greenwald, 483 East Houston st., 80.27.

12. Ralph A. Hamilton, 3944 Fulton st., Woodhaven, L. I., 80.10.

13. Edward Taltot, 4144 Eighteenth ave., Brooklyn, 80.07.

14. Lewis J. Owens, 1163 St. Johns pl., Brooklyn, 80.02.

15. John J. Steuer, 30 Strycker st., Brooklyn, 79.77.

16. John T. Kettle, 120 Wolcott st., Brooklyn, 79.70.

17. William A. Gannon, 521 E. 187th st., 79.65.

18. Edw. M. Heffernan, 2131 Vyse ave., Bronx, 79.27.

19. James H. Murray, 203 Rutledge st., Brooklyn, 79.22.

20. Charles Buchler, 509 Hemlock st., Brooklyn, 79.17.

21. Edw. J. Johnson, 56 Twenty-fifth st., Elmhurst, L. I., 79.15.

22. William A. Meagher, 1354 Thirty-eighth st., Brooklyn, 79.12.

23. Geo. N. Brickfield, 185 Shepherd ave., Brooklyn, 79.05.

24. Walter C. Tilley, 1875 Stanhope st., Brooklyn, 78.40.

25. August B. Schoenherr, 304 E. 110th st., 78.39.

26. Edgar G. McNamee, 410 DeKalb ave., Brooklyn, 78.37.

27. David C. Keane, 615 W. 176th st., 78.35.

28. Samuel Keyburn, 201 E. 118th st., 78.22.

29. James J. Sullivan, 254a Grand ave., Brooklyn, 78.22.

30. James F. Fagan, 102 Kent st., Brooklyn, 77.97.

31. William J. Donegan, 312 First ave., 77.92.

32. Francis J. Tallman, 180 Winthrop st., Brooklyn, 77.80.

33. John T. Conway, 402 W. 43d st., 77.67.

34. Joseph F. McPhee, 344 E. 87th st., 76.85.

35. Aloysius J. Farrell, 16 Cheever pl., Brooklyn, 76.70.

36. Saverio Mauella, 196 High st., Brooklyn, 76.65.

37. Abraham L. Lazarus, 1076 Eastern Parkway, Brooklyn, 76.62.

38. Samuel Berl, 51 Willett st., 76.52.

39. Peter Lewis, 2085 Tiebout ave., Bronx, 76.40.

40. Francis X. Doran, 311 E. 188th st., 76.30.

41. Duncan E. Oats, 658 Ninth ave., 76.25.

42. Geo. J. Lavendar, 530 W. 178th st., 76.12.

43. Bernard Freedman, 2067 Vyse ave., 75.75.

44. Louis Pollock, 1363 St. Johns pl., Brooklyn, 75.47.

45. Peter A. McCort, 654 Herkimer st., Brooklyn, 75.30.

46. Patrick J. Brennan, 10 Leavitt st., Flushing, 75.15.

47. Hugh F. McGroddy, 1389 Undercliff ave., Bronx, 75.10.

48. William Gleeson, 501 Sixteenth st., Brooklyn, 75.

49. Harry T. Friedman, 2464 Eighth ave., 74.72.

50. Frank A. Moran, 1566 E. 46th st., Brooklyn, 73.05.

51. Cornelius Hosey, 288 E. 34th st., Brooklyn, 72.15.

### Tabulating Machine Operator (Hollerith).

1. Anna V. McGowan, 571 Leonard st., Brooklyn, 95.90.

2. Anna Evans, 583 Crescent st., Brooklyn, 92.

38. Michael F. Fleming, 149 W. 62d st., 89.20.  
 39. Charles W. Roos, 2392 First ave., 89.  
 40. William L. Thornton, 340 E. 142d st., Bronx, 88.90.  
 41. Joseph Moran, 127 Washington ave., Brooklyn, 88.80.  
 42. Patrick Cassidy, Killians Grove, Clason Point, Bronx, 88.70.  
 43. John P. Farrell, 114 W. 104th st., 88.70.  
 44. Edw. F. W. Luehrmann, 2707 Briggs ave., Bronx, 88.60.  
 45. William J. Lee, 71 Rhine ave., Stapleton, S. I., 88.50.  
 46. Hermann Hermanns, 1107 Lebanon st., Bronx, 88.50.  
 47. Charles Wells, 77 Burling ave., Flushing, 88.50.  
 48. Thos. L. Callahan, 1856 Jerome ave., Bronx, 88.40.  
 49. Charles W. Kreitner, 1810 Gates ave., Brooklyn, 88.20.  
 50. Arthur M. Schwartz, 436 E. 84th st., 88.20.  
 51. James W. Sterett, 132 Jefferson ave., Brooklyn, 88.20.  
 52. Robert J. Patterson, Scranton and Roger ave., Lynbrook, N. Y., 88.  
 53. Hans B. Mayer, 723 E. 3d st., Brooklyn, 87.90.  
 54. Ralph P. Boisset, 556 W. 184th st., 87.90.  
 55. Geo. J. Pflugheber, 740 Jackson ave., Bronx, 87.90.  
 56. Edw. A. Kelly, 11 N. Fairview ave., Rockaway Beach, L. I., 87.90.  
 57. John J. Winters, 55 Doscher st., Brooklyn, 87.80.  
 58. Charles J. O'Neill, 415 W. 35th st., 87.70.  
 59. Richard Mulcahy, 442 E. 137th st., 87.60.  
 60. Stephen H. Sanboon, 149 Huntington st., Brooklyn, 87.50.  
 61. James McMeikan, 40 Third pl., Brooklyn, 87.40.  
 62. Samuel W. Ferris, 2272 Broadway, 87.30.  
 63. John O'Connor, 2185 Amsterdam ave., 87.30.  
 64. John McGowan, 2341 Webster ave., Bronx, 87.30.  
 65. Frank Carragher, 1412 Edwards ave., Bronx, 87.20.  
 66. Fred A. Patterson, 1318 Bergen st., Brooklyn, 87.20.  
 67. Frank Lennon, 665 Oakland pl., Bronx, 86.90.  
 68. Fred M. Dieter, 1671 Third ave., 86.90.  
 69. Leonard C. Manning, 2380 Eighth ave., 86.80.  
 70. Frank Caldwell, 377 E. 137th st., 86.70.  
 71. James O'Connor, 1 Cannon st., 86.70.  
 72. John Burke, 363 W. 52d st., 86.60.  
 73. Daniel J. Bernard, 50 Bay st., Rosebank, S. I., 86.40.  
 74. Gustavus D. Motta, 446 Chauncey st., Brooklyn, 86.30.  
 75. John B. Kennelly, 409 E. 204th st., Bronx, 86.20.  
 76. Frank J. Hussey, 144 Fourth ave., N. Brighton, 86.20.  
 77. Michael T. Treacy, 103 E. 100th st., 86.10.  
 78. John Flynn, 514 E. 148th st., 86.79.  
 79. Michael J. O'Brien, 339 W. 4th st., 86.  
 80. William F. Baker, 281 William st., Brooklyn, 85.90.  
 81. Peter P. Martin, 2 Broome st., 85.80.  
 82. John J. Steigerwald, 462 E. 135th st., 85.70.  
 83. Gelis V. Carlson, 1675 Gates ave., Brooklyn, 85.70.  
 84. Anthony Weber, 1328 Hancock st., Brooklyn, 85.70.  
 85. Thos. Gilmartin, 506 W. 146th st., 85.70.  
 86. John A. Duggan, 247 W. 116th st., 85.60.  
 87. John J. Wheeler, 93 Sixth ave., Brooklyn, 85.60.  
 88. George Oberst, 2117 Blackrock ave., Bronx, 85.50.  
 89. Thos. F. Murray, 1949 Clinton ave., Bronx, 85.50.  
 90. Wilson W. Jester, 367 E. 139th st., 85.50.  
 91. George E. Matthews, 142 Canfield st., Astoria, 85.40.  
 92. Philip P. D. Duva, 40 Bay 14th st., Brooklyn, 85.40.  
 93. Antoinette Vonasek, 1713 Garfield st., Bronx, 85.30.  
 94. John White, 1233 Boston rd., Bronx, 85.20.  
 95. Frank H. Schubert, 530 E. 156th st., 84.90.  
 96. John J. Jobert, 306 Cornelia st., Brooklyn, 84.80.  
 97. Raymond Stark, 328 Davis ave., West Brighton, S. I., 84.70.  
 98. Frederick Lopez, 3750 Third ave., Bronx, 84.70.  
 99. Edw. Owens, 191 Dresden st., Brooklyn, 84.70.  
 100. William T. Moore, 354 State st., Brooklyn, 84.40.  
 101. William A. Moore, 410 E. 23d st., 84.30.  
 102. Charles F. Nolen, 48 Pine st., Flushing, N. Y. C., 84.20.  
 103. George Timoney, 345 W. 48th st., 84.10.  
 104. Harry A. Barnes, 301 W. 29th st., 84.10.  
 105. Charles F. Shading, 535 Essex st., Brooklyn, 83.80.  
 106. Thomas Hincheys, 338 E. 53d st., 83.80.  
 107. Samuel Gravatt, 301 Sixtieth st., Brooklyn, 83.50.  
 108. Patrick Grant, 50 Milford st., Brooklyn, 83.40.  
 109. Charles E. McKane, 19 Mt. View ave., W. N. Brighton, S. I., 83.20.  
 110. John G. McTernan, 117 Sheridan ave., Brooklyn, 83.10.  
 111. Henry Hammes, 1333 Jefferson ave., Brooklyn, 82.80.  
 112. Felix J. McCarron, Jr., 319 Webster ave., Brooklyn, 82.80.  
 113. Michael J. Walsh, 104 Dean st., Brooklyn, 82.60.  
 114. John A. Riston, 460 Pacific st., Brooklyn, 82.50.  
 115. Charles Mahler, 8 Franklin pl., Jamaica, L. I., 82.40.  
 116. Patrick J. Sullivan, 145 E. 48th st., 82.30.  
 117. Herman E. Hoffstadt, 62 W. 102nd st., 82.30.  
 118. Michael J. Murphy, 311 E. 48th st., 82.10.  
 119. Thos. L. Price, 210 W. 107th st., 82.  
 120. Willard Teeling, 245 Cooper st., Brooklyn, 82.  
 121. Robert J. McCartin, 37 N. Washington st., Jamaica, 81.90.  
 122. Howard G. Cox, 413 Vanderbilt st., Brooklyn, 81.90.  
 123. Joseph A. Bruce, 641 E. 175th st., Bronx, 81.80.  
 124. James W. Nugent, 14 Coe pl., Corona, L. I., 81.70.  
 125. Julius Nelson, 965 Freeman st., Bronx, 81.60.  
 126. Frank J. Kelly, 197 Elm st., W. N. Brighton, S. I., 81.40.  
 127. William Knipe, 539 E. 15th st., 81.10.  
 128. Louis Borzick, 1057 Fifty-seventh st., Brooklyn, 80.60.  
 129. Michael J. Brett, 1014 E. 179th st., Bronx, 80.50.  
 130. William Heuser, 610 E. 187th st., 80.30.  
 131. Emil Kalbfell, 348 Powers ave., Bronx, 80.  
 132. Theodore A. Blauth, 4350 Veiro ave., Bronx, 80.  
 133. Alfred Kuhnemann, 429 E. 65th st., 80.  
 134. Frederick W. Ott, 1160 Forest ave., Bronx, 80.  
 135. Geo. E. Hutchinson, 414 Seventh st., Brooklyn, 80.  
 136. Henry Petersen, 33 Van Cortland ave., Evergreen, 79.90.  
 137. John T. Sullivan, 8351 Shipley st., Forest Park, 79.70.  
 138. Patrick Burke, 740 Second ave., 79.50.  
 139. Daniel P. Fearon, 1098 S. Boulevard, Bronx, 79.50.  
 140. Charles H. Reilly, 146 Bergen st., Brooklyn, 79.30.  
 141. Michael J. Leavy, 104 Monitor st., Brooklyn, 79.20.  
 142. Edw. McDonough, 238 W. 146th st., 79.20.  
 143. Vincent de Paul Cleary, 2464 Washington ave., Bronx, 78.90.  
 144. Wm. V. Hoerschelmann, 463 Woodward ave., Brooklyn, 78.40.  
 145. Harry W. Hasenbalg, 2642 Decatur ave., Bronx, 78.30.  
 146. James Lee, 349 E. 53rd st., 78.  
 147. Frank Murphy, 1983 Washington ave., Bronx, 77.90.  
 148. John J. Maguire, 411 Sackett st., Brooklyn, 77.90.  
 149. Michael J. Kennedy, 110 First pl., Brooklyn, 77.90.  
 150. James P. Carey, 1280 E. 37th st., Flatbush, Brooklyn, 77.80.  
 151. Matthew Brown, 1749 Richmond Terrace, W. N. Brighton, S. I., 77.70.  
 152. Jos. Leon Fary, 203 Fourth ave., N. Brighton, 77.50.  
 153. John J. Fitzgerald, 976 Bedford ave., Brooklyn, 77.  
 154. John Ward, 172 W. 98th st., 76.60.  
 155. James Glynn, 531 Pacific st., Brooklyn, 76.50.  
 156. V. Lester Davis, 24 Anafit st., L. I. City, 76.50.  
 157. Joseph C. Fay, 120 E. 122nd st., 76.40.  
 158. John W. Marshall, 853 Macy pl., Bronx, 76.30.  
 159. John C. Sweeney, 339 E. 39th st., 76.20.  
 160. Charles Gattie, 1509 Commonwealth ave., Bronx, 75.80.  
 161. Jay Palmer, 176 Decatur st., Brooklyn, 74.70.

## ART COMMISSION.

## Minutes of Meeting of Art Commission Held in Its Offices, Third Floor, City Hall, on Monday, Dec. 11, 1916, at 4 o'clock P. M.

Present: Vice-President Healy, Presiding, Commissioners Crittenden, MacNeil, Boring, Sherrill and Stokes. On communications from Commissioners de Forest, Wheeler and Guerin, explaining their absences, they were excused.

Minutes of meeting of Nov. 13 were presented and approved.

The President's report was presented stating that the following Committees had been appointed since the last meeting, Nov. 13:

Submission 2191.—Washington Arch Statue: Commissioners MacNeil, Chairman, Crittenden and Sherrill. Appointed Nov. 14, 1916.

Submission 2192.—Electric Light Posts: Commissioners Guerin, Chairman, Boring and Stokes. Appointed Nov. 20, 1916.

Submission 2193.—Willard Parker Hospital Heating Plant: Commissioners Boring, Chairman, Stokes and Guerin. Appointed Dec. 4, 1916.

Submission 2194.—American Museum of Natural History Bronze Standards: Commissioners MacNeil, Chairman, Crittenden and Sherrill. Appointed Dec. 6, 1916.

Submission 2195.—Newtown High School Addition, Queens: Commissioners Boring, Chairman, Stokes and Guerin. Appointed Dec. 6, 1916.

Submission 2196.—Tilden Monument: Commissioners MacNeil, Chairman, Crittenden and Sherrill. Appointed Dec. 7, 1916.

Submission 2197.—Fire Alarm Telegraph Posts: Commissioners Boring, Chairman, Stokes and Guerin. Appointed Dec. 7, 1916.

John H. Boschen, Assistant Commissioner of Public Works; Clarence H. Fay, Deputy Fire Commissioner; Putnam A. Bates, Chief of the Fire Alarm Telegraph Bureau; Henry S. Ihnen, designer; John Ashmead, assistant electrical engineer of the Fire Department, and Carl Pilat, landscape architect for the Department of Parks, appeared before the Commission concerning Submissions 2194, 2197, 2191 and 2196.

The following resolutions were adopted in accordance with the recommendations of the respective Committees:

Submission 2194. American Museum of Natural History Bronze Standards. Certificate 2094:

Resolved, That the Art Commission hereby approves, but as preliminary drawings only, the designs for the relocation of the four bronze standards in front of the Hall of Records to the entrance of the American Museum of Natural History, represented by Exhibits "207-AC" and "207-AD", of record in this matter; with the

understanding that these were to be placed differently than indicated in the submission—wider apart—and with some change in the walks, the same to be indicated to the Museum by the architect member of the Commission.

Submission 2193. Willard Parker Hospital Building. Certificate 2095.

Resolved, That the Art Commission hereby approves the designs and location of the Heating Plant for the Willard Parker Hospital, represented by Exhibits "510-AV," "510-AW," "510-AX," "510-AY," "510-AZ," "510-BA," "510-BB," "510-BC," "510-BD" and "510-BE," of record in this matter.

Submission 2197. Fire Alarm Telegraph Posts.—Certificates 2096.

Resolved, That the Art Commission hereby approves the designs for the fire alarm telegraph posts, represented by Exhibits "769-R," "769-S," "769-T," "769-U," "769-V" and "769-W," of record in this matter; with the understanding that the details of these designs and models be submitted to Commissioner Boring for his approval.

Submission 2188. Bryant High School Addition. Certificate 2097.

Resolved, That the Art Commission hereby approves, but as preliminary drawings only, the designs for the two additions to the Bryant High School, Queens, represented by Exhibits "919-A," "919-B" and "919-C," of record in this matter; with the understanding that the architect confer with Commissioner Boring before the working drawings are prepared.

Submission 2195. Newtown High School Addition. Certificate 2098.

Resolved, That the Art Commission hereby approves, but as preliminary drawings only, the designs for the addition to the Newtown High School, Queens, represented by Exhibits "921-A," "921-B," "921-C," "921-D" and "921-E," of record in this matter; with the understanding that the architect confer with Commissioner Boring before the working drawings are prepared.

Submission 2191. Washington Arch Statue. Certificate 2099.

Resolved, That the Art Commission hereby approves but as a preliminary sketch only, the design for the statue of George Washington to be placed on the Washington Arch, represented by Exhibits "920-A" and "920-B," of record in this matter; with the understanding that in certain places already indicated to the sculptor modifications are to be made.

Submission 2192. Electric Light Posts. Certificate 2100.

Resolved, That the Art Commission hereby approves the design for electric light posts represented by Exhibits "562-BU" and "562-BV," of record in this matter; with the understanding that the Department confer with Commissioner Guerin in regard to the color to be used on these posts.

Submission 2196. Tilden Monument.

The Committee recommended that the designs be given preliminary approval with the understanding that certain modifications already indicated to the sculptor are to be made and that the sidewalk be raised as a part of the approach to the statue and with the further understanding that a model of the whole monument should be set up in place.

On motion the report of the Committee was adopted and the following resolution passed:

Certificate 2101.

Resolved, That the Art Commission hereby approves, but as preliminary drawings only, the designs for the monument to Samuel J. Tilden on Park Avenue and Thirty-fourth Street, Manhattan, represented by Exhibits "531-H," "531-I," "531-J," "531-K," "531-L," "531-M," "531-N" and "531-O," of record in this matter; with the understanding that certain modifications already indicated to the sculptor are to be made; that the sidewalk be raised as a part of the approach to the statue and that a model of the whole monument be set up in place.

Submission 2186. Flag Poles, N. Y. Botanical Garden.

The Committee reported that the submission had been withdrawn.

In the cases in which preliminary approval was given the Assistant Secretary was directed to notify the proper authorities that when working drawings have been completed, they should be submitted to the Commission for final approval; also to transmit copies of the reports of the Committees to the proper authorities.

The following Committees reported progress:

Hanging Paintings, Mayor's Suite.

Cleaning and Preserving Monuments.

Mail Boxes.

Relation between Preliminary and Final Approval.

Quarters and Staff.

The Vice-President presented a communication from Harry L. Hopkins, Executive Secretary of the Board of Child Welfare, requesting permission to construct a simple partition in the basement room in the northwest corner of the City Hall in order to provide an office for his Board.

On motion the request was granted.

The Vice-President appointed a Committee consisting of Commissioners Guerin, de Forest and MacNeil on the rearranging of three portraits in the City Hall.

The Vice-President presented a communication from B. Wood requesting permission to have a copy made of the portrait of his father, former Mayor Fernando Wood.

On motion the request was granted with the understanding that the canvas on which this copy is made should be a little larger or a little smaller than the original.

On motion the meeting adjourned.

J. Q. ADAMS, Assistant Secretary.

Minutes of Special Meeting of Art Commission Held in Its Offices, Third Floor, City Hall, on Wednesday, Dec. 20, 1916, at 2:30 o'clock P. M.

The meeting was called at the request of his Honor, Mayor Mitchel, to consider the question of letter boxes for New York City.

Present: President de Forest, Presiding, Commissioners Healy, Crittenden, MacNeil, Wheeler, Sherrill, Guerin and Stokes.

On communications from Mayor Mitchel and Commissioner Boring explaining their absences, they were excused.

The President presented a copy of Mayor Mitchel's letter to Albert S. Burleson, Postmaster General.

The President presented a statement setting forth the relation of the Art Commission to designs for letter boxes which concluded with the following resolution:

Resolved, That the action of the Art Commission in disapproving on May 11, 1914, the designs for letter boxes and columns then submitted be reconsidered and the said designs be approved as respects

which the Commission had already approved, and the Commission through its Assistant Secretary notified the Department that either design could be used although the Art Commission much preferred the one first submitted.

The Assistant Secretary of the Art Commission on April 25, 1916, addressed to Mr. Edgerton the following letter explaining the situation:

"In reply to your letter of recent date in regard to letter box designs, I beg to inform you that the action of the Art Commission was final on the designs submitted by your Department. This action of the Commission was transmitted to you under date of March 20, 1916.

"I beg to quote the action of the Commission at its meeting on March 13, namely, 'that in the opinion of the Commission the ornamentation formerly submitted for the end of the box, consisting of an eagle, is satisfactory and very much to be preferred to the design now submitted consisting of a shield with the wing above it. The Commission, however, does not consider the latter design, provided some slight changes be made, so objectionable as to meet with its disapproval.' This means, of course, that either design may be used for letter boxes in New York city."

The Art Commission also calls attention to the fact that it has also previously approved a design for letter boxes on Nov. 24, 1911, some of which have been erected and which the Post Office Department ever since that date have been at perfect liberty to install.

In this connection the Art Commission places on record the following facts with regard to its policy:

For many years past, in addition to the attention it has been giving to more important matters, it has given especial attention to designs for comparatively small objects which are repeatedly used in the City to the class of which letter boxes belong. Among objects of this class to which the Commission has given its attention are electric light posts for the parks and main thoroughfares; street signs; and fences for small parks. Any one of these things in itself is comparatively insignificant. The frequent repetition of such objects makes their design of public importance. To no city structures has the Art Commission given more attention in recent years than to structures of this class. It is in this spirit that it has sought to cooperate with the Post Office Department in securing an inexpensive standard letter box, unobjectionable certainly if not agreeable in design.

It is for the above reason that it deems a proper design for letter boxes in the City of New York of public importance and it is for this reason that it strongly urges upon the Post Office Department the adoption at the earliest possible moment of the excellent design by Mr. Keck and submitted to the Commission by the Department which received its hearty approval on Oct. 13, 1915.

On motion the meeting adjourned.

J. Q. ADAMS, Assistant Secretary.

## DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

### WARRANTS MADE READY FOR PAYMENT IN DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE SATURDAY, JANUARY 6, 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	Invoice	Received	Amount.
Voucher	Dates or	in Depart-	Name of Payee.
No.	Contract	ment of	Finance.
<b>Department of Correction.</b>			
15634	12-13-16	12-28-16	Hull, Grippen & Co. \$30 00
20272		Board of Excise, Richmond County.	17 10
		1- 2-17	Joseph P. Thompson
<b>Department of Education.</b>			
158675	11-28-16	12-29-16	Paul Baron
158674	11-17-16	12-29-16	General Manifold and Printing Company
			50 00
158676	11-18-16	12-29-16	Clarence S. Nathan, Inc.
158678	11-21-16	12-25-16	Paul Baron
158679	11-28-16	12-29-16	Paul Baron
158274	11-21-16	12-29-16	Albers Bros.
158273	8-29-16	12-29-16	The De Long Hook & Eye Company
158269	10-30-16	12-29-16	Royal Card & Paper Co.
158271	11-15-16	12-29-16	Royal Card & Paper Co.
158698	8-29-16	12-29-16	Neostyle Envelope Co.
158616	11- 2-16. 11-10-16	12-28-16	Library Bureau
156596	11-15-16	12-29-16	S. Zacharkow
157356	9-20-16	12-29-16	P. Sarti G. Lucchesi & Co.
158679			Paul Baron
157526	11-28-16	12-29-16	Ginn & Company
157528	11-17-16	12-29-16	Little, Brown & Co.
157527			Ginn & Company
157529	11-28-16	12-29-16	Teacher's College

### VOUCHERS RECEIVED IN DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, SATURDAY, JANUARY 6, 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.

Finance	Invoice	Name of Payee.	Amount.
Date	Vouch- or Con-	er No.	tract
Vouch- or Con-	er No.	tract	Number.
<b>Board of Standards and Appeals.</b>			
21352		Rudolph P. Miller	\$25 00
21353		Daniel Sullivan	10 00
21372		Coroner, Borough of Richmond.	4 50
		Chas. Hoefer	
<b>County Court, Queens County.</b>			
21363	12- 1-16	Empire State Towel Co.	1 44
21366		Heilbut & Kleefeld	104 50
<b>County Court, Bronx County.</b>			
21368	12-14-16	Underwood Typewriter Co.	2 25
		City Magistrates' Courts.	
21354		Frank Oliver	62 22
21355		Frank Oliver	29 20
21356	10-31-16	N. Y. Tel. Co.	24 62

Finance	Invoice	Name of Payee.	Amount.
Vouch- or Con-	er No.	tract	Number.
<b>County Clerk, Richmond County.</b>			
21364		Sylvester Curry	25 24
<b>Department of Education.</b>			
21384	44708	N. Y. Tel. Co.	35 43
21385	44766	N. Y. Tel. Co.	16 32
21386	44013	Barnett & Brown	1,073 25
21387	44073	Samuel Lewis	281 56
		Samuel Lewis	15 60
21373	11-29-16	Jos. F. Fagan	32 82
21374	9-29-16	Reid's Express	13 20
21375	45459	S. Tuttle's Son Co.	16,761 13
21376	45635	S. Tuttle's Son Co.	1,698 25
21377	45941	J. M. Knopp	3,249 90
21378	42838	Harold G. Pearson	122 05
21379	45566	New York Const. Co.	810 00
21380	45261	D. J. Carey	225 00
21381	10-20-16	D. J. Deady	82 84
21382	12- 5-16	Jas. F. Carey	75 00
<b>Board of Inebriety.</b>			
21403	12-13-16	Armour & Co.	47 24
21404	12- 8-16	Jas. S. Barron & Co.	3 00
21405	6-22-16	Hammacher, Schlemmer & Co.	21 35
21406	12-18-16	Kny-Scheerer Corp.	1 70
21407	11-20-16	Manhattan Supply Co.	6 06
21408	10- 1-16	New York French Range Co.	75
21409	12-20-16	T. C. Northrop	21 00
21410	12- 8-16	The Smith Worthington Co.	12 60
<b>Commissioner of Jurors, Queens County.</b>			
21369	12-30-16	Lawyers' Co-operative Pub. Co.	127 94
<b>Department of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn.</b>			
21367	12-30-16	Polhemus Printing Co.	3 50
21357	56818	Finnan & Lee	2,739 60
21358	45135	Thos. E. O'Brien, Inc.	488 34
<b>Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond.</b>			
21359	12- 4-16	Underwood Typewriter Co.	1 30
21360		John T. F. Ward	72 00
21361		New York Zoological Society	1,366 57
		Bobbin & Atkins	10 00
<b>Police Department.</b>			
21389		Police Pension Fund, Arthur Woods, Comm., Treas. &	

Invoice Finance Date Vouch- or Con- er No. tract Number.	Name of Payee.	Amount.	Invoice Finance Date Vouch- or Con- er No. tract Number.	Name of Payee.	Amount.	Invoice Finance Date Vouch- or Con- er No. tract Number.	Name of Payee.	Amount.
21390	Trustee .....	2,302 06	21351	7-5-16 Austin, Nichols & Co., Inc.	44 00	24341	11-30-16 The Coal & Transfer Co., Inc. ....	28 65
	Edward M. Morgan.....	627 24	24333	12-18-16 Grand Central Market.....	888 43	24343	12-21-16 Est. of Fredk. Buse, Inc. ....	151 00
21383	<b>Department of Plant and Structures.</b>	1,004 00	24334	12-30-16 Grand Central Market.....	1,543 64	24344	12-6-16 Eagle Paint & Varnish Wks. ....	176 25
	Art Metal Const. Co. ....		24335	12-30-16 Grand Central Market.....	389 65	24345	6-13-16 Henry R. Worthington....	516 80
21346	<b>Department of Public Charities.</b>		24336	12-30-16 Grand Central Market.....	3,016 78	21370	<b>Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.</b>	
21347	Newman & Siegler .....	272 00	24337	12-30-16 Grand Central Market.....	621 89		President of the Borough of The Bronx .....	35 00
21348	10-17-16 Bloomingdale Bros. ....	606 17	24338	12-30-16 Grand Central Market.....	978 98		Wm. F. Deegan .....	2 82
21349	9-30-16 Hygeia Distilled Water Co. ....	12 50	24339	12-22-16 Nathan Strauss, Inc. ....	612 95		Edmond Beardsley .....	500 00
21350	10-3-16 S. Tuttle Son & Co. ....	185 06	24340	12-20-16 Chas. W. Brucher.....	4 80			
	8-17-16 Jos. D. Duffy.....	173 35	24342	12-21-16 Lewis De Groff & Son....	54 34			

## METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATORY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

Abstract of Registers from Self-Recording Instruments for the Week Ending December 23, 1916.

Central Park, The City of New York—Latitude, 40° 45' 58" N. Longitude, 73° 57' 58" W. Height of Instruments Above the Ground, 53 Feet; Above the Sea, 97 Feet. Under Supervision of U. S. Weather Bureau, James H. Scarf, Meteorologist, Acting Director.

### Barometer.

Date. December.	7 a.m.			2 p.m.			9 p.m.			Mean for the Day. Reduced to Freezing.	Maximum. Reduced to Freezing.	Minimum. Reduced to Freezing.
	Reduced to Freezing.											
Sunday, 17	19	29.58	26	29.65	22	29.80	29.68	21	29.82	12 p.m.	18 29.50	Abt. 4 a.m.
Monday, 18	19	29.83	29	29.73	27	29.57	29.71	21	29.88	8.40 a.m.	24 29.54	12 p.m.
Tuesday, 19	22	29.53	28	29.60	20	29.80	29.64	20	29.83	12 p.m.	23 29.51	5 a.m.
Wednesday, 20	21	29.96	34	29.90	34	29.96	29.94	24	29.99	9 a.m.	20 29.83	0 a.m.
Thursday, 21	36	29.84	38	29.84	36	29.87	29.85	34	29.90	0 a.m.	36 29.80	12 p.m.
Friday, 22	37	29.45	41	29.02	29	29.53	29.33	36	29.80	0 a.m.	41 28.88	12 noon
Saturday, 23	25	29.89	33	29.90	34	29.92	29.90	26	29.95	9 a.m.	30 29.64	

Mean for the week ..... 29.72 inches  
Maximum for the week at 9 a.m., December 20 ..... 29.99 inches  
Minimum for the week at 12 noon, December 22 ..... 28.88 inches  
Range for the week ..... 1.11 inches

### Thermometers.

Date. December.	7 a.m.			2 p.m.			9 p.m.			Mean.	Maximum.	Minimum.
	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Wet Bulb.			
Sunday, 17	19	18	26	22	19	22	20	28	3.15 pm	17	0 am	15
Monday, 18	19	17	29	25	27	23	25	29	2.25 pm	19	7.15 am	66
Tuesday, 19	22	20	28	23	20	17	23	28	1 pm	24	1 pm	65
Wednesday, 20	21	18	34	28	34	29	30	35	10.50 pm	32	10.50 pm	57
Thursday, 21	36	35	38	37	36	36	37	39	3.50 pm	38	3.50 pm	53
Friday, 22	37	37	41	38	29	25	36	33	4.15 pm	42	12 noon	58
Saturday, 23	25	22	33	27	34	29	31	26	3.25 pm	34	8 am	62

Mean for the week ..... 29.1 degrees ..... 26.0 degrees  
Maximum for the week at 3.15 p.m., Dec. 22 ..... 42 degrees ..... 42 degrees  
Minimum for the week at 0 a.m., Dec. 17 ..... 17 degrees ..... 15 degrees  
Range for the week ..... 25 degrees ..... 27 degrees

### Wind.

Date. December.	Direction.			Velocity in Miles.			Dis- tance 7 a.m. 9 p.m.	Force in Pounds per Square Foot.	Max.	Time.	
	7 a.m.	2 p.m.	9 p.m.	9 p.m.	7 a.m.	2 p.m.					
Sunday, 17	N	W	W	59	53	61	162	0	2	3	8.20 p.m.
Monday, 18	W	NW	N	63	42	26	132	0	0	134	9 a.m.
Tuesday, 19	NW	W	W	87	81	74	237	0	74	11	3.40 a.m.
Wednesday, 20	NW	S	E	52	25	19	85	0	0	1/2	10.40 a.m.
Thursday, 21	N	N	N	31	27	26	90	0	0	1/2	11.20 p.m.
Friday, 22	NE	W	NW	74	78	180	410	5	144	34 1/4	9 p.m.
Saturday, 23	W	W	W	221	90	60	304	8	24	22 1/2	2.30 a.m.

Distance traveled during the week ..... 1,420 miles  
Maximum force during the week ..... 34 1/4 lbs.

### Hygrometer.

Date. December.	Force of Vapor.			Relative Humidity.			Clear, 7 a.m.	0 2 p.m.	Overcast, 9 p.m.	
	7 a.m.	2 p.m.	9 p.m.	7 a.m.	2 p.m.	9 p.m.				
Sunday, 17	.081	.070	.066	.072	89	56	62	69	1 A.S.t.	0
Monday, 18	.066	.083	.074	.075	75	55	57	62	0	10 A.S.t.
Tuesday, 19	.081	.063	.057	.067	65	46	53	55	10 St.Cu.	Few St.
Wednesday, 20	.060	.083	.103	.083	57	39	53	50	10 St. fog	8 St.
Thursday, 21	.195	.211	.211	.206	9					

gine Companies 77 and 78. (Civil Service Rule XIX).

**Bills Audited**—Open market orders, \$1,522.22.

ROBERT ADAMSON, Fire Commissioner.

#### Changes in Departments, Etc.

#### BOARD OF STANDARDS AND APPEALS.

**Transferred**—Edward F. Hammel, Architect, at \$2,280 per annum, from Fire Department and title changed to Assistant Engineer, Jan. 1.

**Services Ceased**—David Weingarten, Clerk, at \$300 per annum, Jan. 2.

#### CITY COURT.

**Promoted**—Jan. 2: Joseph Harvis, from Assistant Clerk to Deputy Clerk; Thomas F. Berkery and Edward J. Condon, from Attendant to Assistant Clerk.

#### SURROGATE'S COURT—BRONX COUNTY.

**Services Ceased**—Daniel J. Carr, 601 Tremont ave., Cashier, Dec. 31.

**Appointed**—Edward N. Patterson, 201 Alexander ave., Bronx, Cashier, at \$2,500 per annum, effective Jan. 15.

#### DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

##### BRONX.

**Promoted**—Arthur G. Waldreao, Broadway and Bentley st., Tottenville, S. L., from Horticultural Draftsman to Assistant Landscape Architect, at \$2,100 per annum, and James P. Lillis, 1440 St. Lawrence ave., from Attendant at \$720 per annum to Storekeeper at \$900 per annum, Jan. 1.

**Died**—Laborers: Hugo Bund, 766 Fairmont pl., Dec. 22; William L. Gilmarin, 260th st. and Railroad ave., Dec. 25.

#### BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

**Salaries Fixed**—William J. Peer, James E. Curran and Matthew Horgan, Foremen, at \$3.50 a day, Jan. 3. James Devlin, Cleaner, Municipal Building, at \$720 per annum, Jan. 1. Dennis J. Fogarty, Thomas F. McNamara, John W. Garside and Paul T. Treutler, Inspectors, Bureau of Sewers, at \$1,260 per annum, Jan. 1. Jacob Gallanter and Frederick A. Biderman, Topographical Draftsmen, Bureau of Sewers, at \$1,320 per annum, Jan. 1.

**Services Ceased**—Anna Fried and Pauline Resnikoff, Emergency Stenographers and Typewriters, Administration Bureau, Dec. 30.

**Died**—Mortimer Shea, Laborer, Bureau of Highways, Dec. 20.

**Title Changed**—Jan. 1: William Klein from General Inspector to Chief Inspector, Bureau of Sewers. Bernard Shane from Topographical Draftsman, at \$1,650 per annum, to Junior Engineer, at \$1,800 per annum, Bureau of Sewers.

**Salaries Increased**—Jan. 1, Clerks, from \$540 to \$600 per annum: Richard Haggerty, Bureau of Highways; Abner Cohen, Topographical Division; Stephen H. Eich, Administration Bureau.

**Appointed**—Bertha C. Lauer, 507 W. 184th st., Stenographer and Typewriter, at \$720 per annum, Administration Bureau, Jan. 1.

**Reassigned**—Paul Challa, 405 E. 74th st., Manhattan, Cleaner, at \$720 per annum, Jan. 2.

**Retired**—Joseph A. Charlton, Messenger, Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, on annuity of \$450.

**Reassigned**—Henry Brown, 1249 Amsterdam ave., Laborer, Bureau of Highways, Jan. 2.

**Transferred**—John P. O'Neill, 118 W. 61st st., Licensed Fireman, from Department of Docks and Ferries to Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, Jan. 3.

**Salary Fixed**—George T. Gray and Richard F. Barrett, Laborers, Bureau of Highways, at \$600 per annum, Jan. 1.

**Retired**—Theodore S. Croft, Foreman, Bureau of Highways, on annuity of \$462.78, Jan. 1.

**Services Ceased**—Charlotte Housley, Cleaner, Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, Dec. 30.

**Died**—Michael C. Murphy, Laborer, Bureau of Highways, Dec. 19.

**Appointed**—Nazarett Harontun, 111 E. 26th st., Topographical Draftsman, at \$1,200 per annum, Bureau of Highways, Dec. 29.

**Wages Increased**—Jan. 8: Edward N. Garland, from Foreman of Laborers, at \$3.50, to Foreman of Drivers, at \$5 a day. James Lys and Bernard J. Bowen, from Paver, at \$5 a day to Foreman of Pavers, at \$5 a day.

#### LAW DEPARTMENT.

**Appointed**—Joseph C. Logoniasini, 383 Fourteenth st., Brooklyn, Examiner, at \$1,080 per annum, effective Jan. 9.

**BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.**  
**Salaries Increased**—Jan. 1: Bureau of General Administration: E. Herbert Timson, Secretary to Commissioner, Public Works, from \$2,500 to \$2,820 per annum; Emanuel Friendlich, Secretary to President, \$3,000 to \$3,500 per annum.

Clerks: Mortimer Tubridy, from \$2,280 to \$2,340 per annum; Edward Courtois, from \$1,410 to \$1,560 per annum; Isidore I. Philip, from \$1,200 to \$1,320 per annum; Philip J. Leonard, from \$720 to \$840 per annum; Alphonsus R. Adams and Daniel D. Etzkowitz, from \$480 to \$540 per annum; Dorothy L. Maloy, Mary A. Hannan and May H. McGowen, Stenographers and Typewriters, from \$1,200 to \$1,320 per annum. Automobile Engineers: Henry R. Carson, from \$1,350 to \$1,440 per annum; William Buckley, from \$1,020 to \$1,200 per annum; Arthur V. Finn, from \$900 to \$1,020 per annum. Bureau of Sewers and Highways, Maintenance: Assistant Engineers: John P. Binzen, from \$3,420 to \$3,660 per annum; Nathaniel B. K. Hoffman, from \$3,000 to \$3,180 per annum; Arthur C. Faulhaber, Clerk, from \$1,320 to \$1,440 per annum; William H. Scriven, Clerk, from \$1,050 to \$1,080 per annum; Martin J. Crean, Transitman, from \$1,650 to \$1,680 per annum; Norman C. Bolton, General Foreman, from \$1,800 to \$1,920 per annum; Charles J. G. Doherty, Foreman, Asphalt Workers, from \$1,500 to \$1,620 per annum; George W. Halsey, Attendant, at \$1,050 to \$1,080 per annum; Patrick H. Culligan, John Rehm and Joseph D. Geraghty, Auto Truck Drivers, from \$900 to \$960 per annum; Morris M. Shore, Rodman, from \$900 to \$1,020 per annum; Michael J. Leary, Inspector, Regulating and Grading and Paving, from \$1,620 to \$1,740 per annum; Henry E. Reimisch, Inspector, Regulating, Grading and Paving, \$1,350 to \$1,440. Bureau of Engineering: Josiah H. Fitch, Principal Assistant Engineer, from \$4,500 to \$4,860 per annum. Assistant Engineers: Charles Gartenstein, from \$4,000 to \$4,260 per annum; Elmore F. Austin, from \$3,300 to \$3,420 per annum; Edward W. Wood, from \$3,300 to \$3,420 per annum; Raphael J. Smyth, from \$2,700 to \$2,940 per annum. Axe-men: Irving R. Kellogg, from \$780 to \$900 per annum; Henry E. Kelly, from \$720 to \$840 per annum. Charles Heilend, Blue Print Machine Operator, from \$720 to \$780 per annum. Clerks: Bertram Bendt, from \$1,500 to \$1,560 per annum; John M. I. Rourke, from \$900 to \$960 per annum; Charles F. Rourke, from \$600 to \$660 per annum; Carrie Altman, Stenographer and Typewriter, from \$1,050 to \$1,080 per annum. Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices: John J. Naughton, Clerk, from \$1,560 to \$1,680 per annum. Attendants: Charles Eberhard, from \$900 to \$1,020 per annum; Isabella V. Johnston, from \$600 to \$660 per annum; Rose A. Marr and Della McKenna, from \$540 to \$600 per annum; Robert Batt, James G. Coburn, Charles Gerth, John Kerns, Edward Rate, Joseph V. Troth and Joseph Truax, Cleaners, from \$600 to \$660 per annum; Gottfried Zink, Edward Gibbons, John J. Gilmarin and William J. McGrorey, Elevators, from \$840 to \$888 per annum; Charles C. Roche, Watchman, from \$720 to \$792 per annum; Frank Lennon, Licensed Fireman, from \$3 to \$3.50 per day; Roy F. Little and Joseph J. Dunn, Foremen of Asphalt Workers, from \$4.50 to \$5 a day; Berton Remy and John Cusack, Asphalt Steam Roller Engineers, from \$5 to \$5.50 a day. Asphalt Workers: John M. Bridson, Robert Cox, William Meredith, Fortman Johnson and Edward Howard, from \$3 to \$3.45 a day; Benjamin Grant, Leonard Graves, Matthew Green, Antonio Olivieri, \$2.80 to \$3.20 a day; Carmine Maio and Carmelo Argento, from \$2.60 to \$2.85 a day; Antonio DeVito, Giovanni Biscerto, Angelo Simone, Francesco Copolo and Giuseppe Ciccotto, from \$2.50 to \$2.60 a day.

**Promotions**—From Laborer to Storer-keeper's Helper, at \$900 per annum: William Morrison, General Administration;

Thomas J. Robnett, Sewers and Highways, Maintenance; Alban Baron, General Administration from Driver to Auto-

Truck Driver, at \$900 per annum; Au-

gustus Fackner, from Laborer to Attendant, at \$888 per annum, Public Buildings and Offices; Emilie Vallance, to Assistant Engineer, at \$2,280 per annum, General Administration; Frederick W. Pope, from Laborer to Watchman, at \$2.50 per day, Public Buildings and Offices.

**Salary Decreased**—Henry H. Spitz, Sec-

retary of the Borough, from \$4,000 to \$3,500 per annum, Jan. 1.

**Wages Decreased**—Guiseppe Repetti,

from \$2.60 to \$2.50 a day, Jan. 1.

**Appointed**—William F. Brendlin, 1814

Grand Boulevard and Concourse, Bronx, Assistant Engineer, at \$1,800 per annum, Bureau of Buildings, Jan. 1.

**DEPARTMENT OF PLANT AND**

**STRUCTURES.**

**Appointment Rescinded**—Frank T

Duffy, 222 Dean st., Brooklyn, as Mason (Cement) on Dec. 30.

**COMMISSIONER OF RECORDS,**

**NEW YORK COUNTY.**

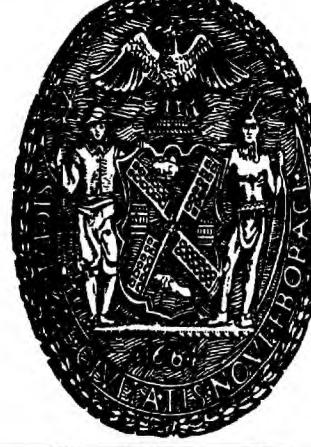
**Salary Increased**—William J. McNa-

mara, 28 E. 131st st., Manhattan, Exam-

iner and Draftsman, from \$1,080 to \$1,200

per annum, Jan. 1.

**DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.**  
**Services Ceased**—Simon Loeb, Clerk, Bureau of Audit and Accounts, Dec. 30



#### OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

Unless otherwise stated, the Public Offices of the City are open for business from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturday, 9 a. m. to 12 noon.

#### CITY OFFICES.

##### MAYOR'S OFFICE.

City Hall, Telephone, 8020 Cortlandt.

John Murray Mitchel, Mayor.

Theodore Rousseau, Secretary.

Samuel L. Martin, Executive Secretary.

Paul C. Wilson, Assistant Secretary.

**Bureau of Weights and Measures.**

Municipal Building, 3d floor, Telephone, 1498 Worth.

Joseph Hartigan, Commissioner.

**COMMISSIONER OF ACCOUNTS.**

Municipal Building, 12th floor, Telephone, 4315 Worth.

Leonard M. Wallstein, Commissioner of Accounts.

**BOARD OF ALDERMEN.**

Clerk's Office, Municipal Building, 2nd floor, Telephone, 4430 Worth.

P. J. Scully, Clerk.

**President of the Board of Aldermen.**

City Hall, Telephone, 6770 Cortlandt.

Frank L. Dowling, President.

**BOARD OF AMBULANCE SERVICE.**

Municipal Building, 10th floor, Ambulance Calls, 3100 Spring, Administration Offices, 748 Worth.

**ARMORY BOARD.**

Hall of Records, Telephone, 3900 Worth.

C. D. Rhinehart, Secretary.

**ART COMMISSION.**

City Hall, Telephone, 1197 Cortlandt.

John Quincy Adams, Assistant Secretary.

**BOARD OF ASSESSORS.**

Municipal Building, 8th floor, Telephone, 29 Worth.

William C. Ormond, Chairman.

St. George B. Tucker, Secretary.

**BELLEVUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS.**

26th st. and 1st ave., Telephone, 4400 Madison Square.

Dr. John W. Brannan, President.

J. K. Paulding, Secretary.

**CENTRAL PURCHASE COMMITTEE.**

Municipal Building, 12th floor, Telephone, 4227 Worth.

Director.

**BUREAU OF THE CHAMBERLAIN.**

Municipal Building, 8th floor, Telephone, 4270 Worth.

Milo R. Maltbie, Chamberlain.

**BOARD OF CHILD WELFARE.**

City Hall, Telephone, 4127 Cortlandt.

Harry L. Hopkins, Secretary.

**CITY CLERK AND CLERK OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN.**

Municipal Building, 2nd floor, Telephone, 4430 Worth.

P. J. Scully, City Clerk.

**BOARD OF CITY RECORD.**

Supervisor's office, Municipal Building, 8th floor, Distributing Division, 96 Reade st., Telephone, 3490 Worth.

David Ferguson, Supervisor.

**DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.**

Municipal Building, 24th floor, Telephone, 1610 Worth.

Burdette G. Lewis, Commissioner.

**DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.**

**TENEMENT HOUSE DEPARTMENT.**  
Manhattan and Richmond office, Municipal Building, 19th floor. Telephone, 1526 Worth. Brooklyn and Queens office, 503 Fulton st., Brooklyn. Telephone, 3825 Main. Bronx office, 391 E. 149th st. Telephone, 7107 Melrose. John J. Murphy, Commissioner.

**BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY.**  
Municipal Building, 22nd floor. Telephone, 3150 Worth. Charles Strauss, President. George Featherstone, Secretary.

**DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY.**  
Municipal Building, 23d, 24th and 25th floors. Telephones: Manhattan, 4320 Worth; Brooklyn, 3980 Main; Queens, 3441 Hunters Point; Richmond, 840 Tompkinsville; Bronx, 3400 Tremont. Brooklyn, 50 Court st. Bronx, Tremont and Arthur aves. Queens, Municipal Building, L. I. City, Richmond, Municipal Building, St. George. William Williams, Commissioner.

#### BOROUGH OFFICES.

**BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.**  
President's office, 3d and Tremont aves. Telephone, 2680 Tremont. Douglas Mathewson, President.

**BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.**  
President's office, 2d floor, Borough Hall. Commissioner of Public Works, 2d floor, Borough Hall. Assistant Commissioner of Public Works, 2d floor, Borough Hall.

Bureau of Highways, 5th and 12th floors, 50 Court st. Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, 10th floor, 50 Court st.

Bureau of Sewers, 10th floor, 215 Montague st. Bureau of Buildings, 4th floor, Borough Hall. Topographical Bureau, 209 Montague st.

Bureau of Substructures, 11th floor, 50 Court st. Telephone, 3960 Main. Lewis H. Pounds, President.

**BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.**  
President's office, 20th floor, Municipal Building. Commissioner of Public Works, 21st floor, Municipal Building. Assistant Commissioner of Public Works, 21st floor, Municipal Building.

Bureau of Highways, 21st floor, Municipal Building. Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, 20th floor, Municipal Building.

Bureau of Sewers, 21st floor, Municipal Building. Bureau of Buildings, 20th floor, Municipal Building.

Telephone, 4227 Worth. Marcus M. Marks, President.

**BOROUGH OF QUEENS.**  
President's office, 68 Hunters Point ave., L. I. City. Maurice E. Connolly, President.

**BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.**  
President's office, New Brighton. Telephone, 1000 Tompkinsville. Calvin D. Van Name, President.

**CORONERS.**  
Manhattan, Municipal Building, 2nd floor. Open at all hours of the day and night. Telephone, 3711 Worth.

Bronx—Arthur and Tremont aves. Telephone, 1250 Tremont. 8 a. m. to midnight, every day. Brooklyn, 236 Duffield st. Telephone, 4004 Main. Open at all hours of the day and night. Queens, Town Hall, Jamaica. 9 a. m. to 10 p. m.; Sundays and holidays, 9 a. m. to 12 noon. Richmond, 175 Second st., New Brighton. Open at all hours of the day and night.

#### COUNTY OFFICES.

Unless otherwise stated, the County offices are open for business from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturday, 9 a. m. to 12 noon.

#### 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 Courts Building, 9 a. m. to 5.15 p. m.; Saturdays, to 12 noon. Telephone, 2304 Franklin.

Edward Swann, District Attorney. **COMMISSIONER OF JUROS.** 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.

**SURROGATE.** Hall of Records. Telephone, 3900 Worth. John P. Cahalan, Robert Ludlow Fowler, Surrogate.

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. Gray, 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 JUROS.** 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 Gauley, County Clerk.

##### COUNTY JUDGE.

Bergen Building Annex, Tremont and Arthur aves. Telephone, 3205 Tremont.

Louis D. Gibbs, County Judge.

##### DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

Tremont and Arthur aves. Telephone, 1100 Tremont.

Francis Martin, District Attorney.

##### COMMISSIONER OF JUROS.

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.

Ernest E. L. Hammier, Public Administrator.

##### 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 JUROS.

County Court House, L. I. City. Telephone, 963 Hunters Point.

Thordyke C. McKenney, Commissioner.

##### PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.

County Court House, L. I. City. Telephone, 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. J. Harry Tiernan, County Judge and Surrogate.

##### DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

Borough Hall, St. George. Telephone, 50 Tompkinsville, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturday, to 12 noon.

Albert C. Fach, District Attorney.

##### COMMISSIONER OF JUROS.

Village Hall, Stapleton. Telephone, 81 Tompkinsville.

Edward L. Miller, Commissioner.

##### PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.

Port Richmond. Telephone, 704 West Brighton. William T. Holt, Public Administrator.

##### SHERIFF.

County Court House, Richmond. Telephone, 120 New Dorp.

Spirre 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—2d 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. 56th 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 Deputy Chief Clerk, Wm. F. Delaney, 44 Court st., Telephone, 7411 Main.

First District—318 Adams st.

Second District—361 Bedford ave.

Sixth District—495 Gates ave.

Seventh District—31 Snider ave., Flatbush.

Eighth District—W. 8th st.,

The bidder will state the price of each item set forth in the Proposals for bids herein, per hour, by which the bids will be tested.

Contract, if awarded, will be awarded to the lowest bidder on each item.

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 per cent. (1½%) of the total amount of the bid.

Bids must be submitted in duplicate, each in a separate envelope.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of School Supplies, Park ave. and 59th st., Manhattan.

PATRICK JONES, Superintendent of School Supplies.

Dated, Dec. 27, 1916. d27.19

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Buildings, at the office of the Department of Education, Park ave. and 59th st., Manhattan, until 11 a. m., on

MONDAY, JANUARY 8, 1917,  
Borough of Brooklyn.

FOR FIRE PROTECTION WORK AT PUBLIC SCHOOLS 12, 42, 43, 75, 98 AND OFFICE AND STORAGE BUILDING, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work on each school will be ninety (90) consecutive working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows:

P. S. 12, \$600; P. S. 42, \$1,400; P. S. 43, \$1,200; P. S. 75, \$8,000; P. S. 98, \$1,800; Office and Storage Building, \$1,000.

The deposit accompanying bid on each school shall be five per cent. of the amount of security.

A separate proposal must be submitted for each school and separate awards will be made thereon.

Blank forms, plans and specifications may be obtained or seen at the office of the Superintendent, at Estimating Room, 9th floor, Hall of the Board of Education, Park ave. and 59th st., Manhattan, and also at Branch Office, 131 Livingston st., Brooklyn.

C. B. J. SNYDER, Superintendent of School Buildings.

Dated, Dec. 26, 1916. d26.18

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SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Buildings, at the office of the Department of Education, Park ave. and 59th st., Manhattan, until 11 a. m., on

MONDAY, JANUARY 8, 1917,  
Borough of Queens.

FOR FIRE PROTECTION WORK AT PUBLIC SCHOOLS 16, 17, 23, 90 AND JAMAICA HIGH SCHOOL, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed to complete the whole work on each school will be fifty-five (55) consecutive working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows:

P. S. 16, \$800; P. S. 17, \$200; P. S. 23, \$300; P. S. 90, \$600; Jamaica High School, \$1,200.

The deposit accompanying bid on each school shall be five per cent. of the amount of security.

A separate proposal must be submitted for each school and separate awards will be made thereon.

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MONDAY, JANUARY 8, 1917,  
Borough of The Bronx.

FOR ADDITIONAL FURNITURE FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL 54, ON THE WESTERLY SIDE OF INTERVALE AVE., BETWEEN CHISHOLM AND FREEMAN STS., BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be thirty (30) consecutive working days, as provided in the contract.

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

The deposit accompanying bid shall be five per cent. of the amount of security.

Blank forms, plans and specifications may be obtained or seen at the office of the Superintendent, at Estimating Room, 9th floor, Hall of the Board of Education, Park ave. and 59th st., Manhattan, and also at Branch Office, 69 Broadway, Flushing, Queens.

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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, FIRE DEPARTMENT, DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY, DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

#### Proposals.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Departments of Public Charities, Correction, Fire and Water Supply, Gas and Electricity and the Park Board, at the office of the Central Purchase Committee, Room 1220, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 2:30 p. m., on

THURSDAY, JANUARY 18, 1917,  
FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING PAPER AND PAPER BAGS.

The time for the performance of the contract is on or before March 31, 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%) 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 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.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, JOHN A. KINGSBURY, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, BUREAU G. LEWIS, Commissioner, FIRE DEPARTMENT, ROBERT ADAMSON, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY, WILLIAM WILLIAMS, Commissioner.

PARK BOARD, CABOT WARD, President; RAYMOND V. INGERSOLL, THOMAS W. WHITTLE, and JOHN E. WEIER, Commissioners.

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DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

#### Auction Sale.

THE DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES, Pier "A," North River, Manhattan, on

THURSDAY, JANUARY 18, 1917,  
commencing at 10:30 a. m., at the Timber Basin

of the Department, foot of Nott ave., Queens, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, by Bryan L. Kennedy, auctioneer, the material described below, situated at various points in and about the said Timber Basin of the Department of Docks and Ferries at the foot of Nott ave., Queens.

Lot No. 1—Raft of 12" x 12" Y. P., 20 x 30', 1 course deep.

Lot No. 2—Raft of 12" x 12" Y. P. and 3" x 10" Y. P., 16 x 22', 1 course deep.

Lot No. 3—Raft of 12" x 12" Y. P., 20 x 25', 3 courses deep.

Lot No. 4—22 Second Hand Y. P. piles, 27 x 50'.

Lot No. 5—Raft of 12" x 12" Y. P., 1 course deep, and 3 and 4 x 10" Y. P., 8 courses deep, 25 x 35'.

Lot No. 6—Raft of 4 x 10" Y. P., 25 x 28', 6 courses deep.

Lot No. 7—1 bottom of catamaran and 40 pieces of 6 x 12" and 4 x 12" oak, 35 x 50'.

Lot No. 8—Raft of 12" x 12" Y. P., 1 course; 6 x 12" oak, 3 courses, 20x25'.

Lot No. 9—Raft of 4 x 10" Y. P., 3 courses; 12 x 12" Y. P., 1 course, 25 x 30'.

Lot No. 10—Raft of 4 x 10" Y. P., 25 x 26', 13 courses deep.

Lot No. 11—Raft of 12 x 12" Y. P., 1 course; 4 x 10" Y. P., 4 courses, 28x30'.

Lot No. 12—Raft of 6 x 12" and 4 x 10" Y. P., 6 ft. deep, 20 x 20'.

Lot No. 13—Raft of 131 Y. P. Pile butts, and 10 Y. P. piles, 25', 27 x 38'.

Lot No. 14—Raft of Y. P. pile butts, 3' 6" deep, 29x34'.

Lot No. 15—Raft of 5' x 10" and 4 x 10" Y. P., 6' deep, 24 x 28'.

Lot No. 16—Raft of 12 x 12" Y. P., 1 course; 6 x 12" oak, 3 courses, 25 x 30'.

Lot No. 17—Raft of square timbers and Y. P. piles 7' deep, 30 x 35'.

Lot No. 18—Raft of 3' x 10" and 4 x 10" Y. P., 6' deep, 24 x 28'.

Lot No. 19—Raft of 4 x 10" Y. P., 4' 6" deep, 18 x 32'.

Lot No. 20—Raft of 3 x 10" Y. P., 22 x 26', 10 courses deep.

Lot No. 21—Raft of 4 x 10" Y. P., 25 x 50', 13 courses deep.

Lot No. 22—Raft of 12 x 12" Y. P., and miscellaneous Y. P., 4' deep, 25 x 30'.

Lot No. 23—Raft of 4 x 12" Y. P., 3' 6" deep, 25 x 30'.

Lot No. 24—Raft of 4 x 10" Y. P. and 4 x 12" Y. P., 3' 6" deep, 22 x 32'.

Lot No. 25—Raft of 12 x 12" Y. P., 1 course; 6 x 12" Y. P., 1 course, 40 x 60'.

Lot No. 26—Raft of 6 x 12" Y. P., 1 course; 3 x 10" Y. P., 3 courses, 22 x 25'.

Lot No. 27—Raft of 3 x 10" and 4 x 10" Y. P., 20 x 28', 15 courses.

Lot No. 28—Raft of 4 x 10" Y. P., 5' deep, 21 x 31'.

Lot No. 29—Raft of 3 x 10", 6 x 12", and 12 x 12" Y. P., 5' deep, 20 x 30'.

Lot No. 30—Raft of 12 x 12" Y. P., 7 x 70', 1 course deep.

Lot No. 31—Raft of 4" x 10" Y. P., 4' 6" deep, 32 x 33'.

Lot No. 32—Raft of 10 x 12" and 12 x 12" Y. P., 22 x 28', 1½ courses.

Lot No. 33—Raft of 10 x 10" and 4 x 10" Y. P., 6' deep, 25 x 25'.

Lot No. 34—Raft of 12 x 12" Y. P., 1 course; 4 x 10" Y. P., 1 course, 20 x 30'.

Lot No. 35—Raft of 4 x 10" Y. P., 7½' deep, 30 x 30'.

Lot No. 36—Raft of 5 x 10" Y. P., 1 course;



st., 35th st., 36th st., 37th st. and 38th st.; on Lexington ave., southeast and northeast corners 22nd st., northeast corners 33rd and 35th sts., southeast corners 39th st. and 40th st.; on 25th st., northwest corner 5th ave., and southeast corner 6th ave.; northwest corner of Broadway and 24th st.; southeast corner 35th st. and 6th ave.; on 39th st., southeast corner 6th ave., northwest corner Madison ave., southwest corner 8th ave., and northeast corner 9th ave.; on 51st st., southeast and southwest corners 2nd ave., and southeast corner 3rd ave.; on King st., southeast corner Hudson st.; southwest corner 33rd st. and 9th ave., and southwest corner 37th st. and 1st ave. Affecting blocks 580, 606, 729, 762, 763, 793, 794, 802, 805 to 808, 811 to 814, 826, 827, 836, 840, 869, 877, 878, 889, 891, 894, 895, 942, 1324 and 1343.

## SECTION 2.

EAST BROADWAY—Repairing sidewalk in front of 282 and 284. Area of assessment affects lot 36, block 287.

## SECTION 3.

W. 33D ST.—Alteration and improvement to sewer between 9th and 10th aves. Area of assessment affects blocks 729, 730 and 731.

## SECTION 4, 5, 6 AND 7.

Receiving Basins on 8th ave., southwest and southeast corners 111th st., 112th st., 113th st., 114th st., 115th st., 117th st., 118th st., and 120th st., southwest corner 116th st., southwest corner 119th st. and northwest corner 123rd st.; on Columbus ave., northwest corners 67th st., 68th st., 69th st., 80th st., 87th st., 88th st. and 89th st., southeast corner 95th st.; northeast corner 95th st. and Fifth ave.; on 124th st., southwest and northwest corners 1st ave., and northwest corner 2nd ave., and on 68th st., southwest and northwest corners 2nd ave., and southwest corner 1st ave. Affecting blocks 1139, 1140, 1141, 1208, 1217, 1218, 1219, 1220, 1242, 1422, 1423, 1442, 1507, 1789, 1800, 1801, 1826 to 1830, 1846, 1847, 1848, 1922, 1923, 1924, 1925, 1943, 1944, 1946 and 1950.

## SECTION 6.

BASIN adjacent to the northeast corner of PLEASANT AVE. AND 114TH ST. Area of assessment affects block 1713.

## SECTION 7.

BASINS in BRADHURST AVE. adjacent to the southeast corners of 146TH, 147TH, 148TH, 149TH AND 150TH STS. Area of assessment affects blocks 2045.

BASIN ADJACENT TO southeast corner of 120TH ST. AND ST. NICHOLAS AVE. Area of assessment affects block 1925.

## SECTION 8.

BENNETT AVE.—PAVING AND CURBING from 181st to 184th st. Area of assessment affects block 2180.

—that the above assessments were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on Dec. 26, 1916, and entered Dec. 26, 1916, 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 Feb. 24, 1917, which is sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, 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 Municipal Building, north side, third floor, Borough of Manhattan, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturday afternoons from 9 a. m. to 12 noon.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

Dated, New York, Dec. 26, 1916. d28.39

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 11.

TIEBOUT AVE.—PAVING THE ROAD, WAY AND SETTING CURB from E. 188th st. to Fordham rd. Area of assessment affects blocks 3023 and 3148.

## SECTION 12.

E. 190TH ST.—PAVING THE ROADWAY AND SETTING CURB from Bainbridge ave. to Briggs ave. Area of assessment affects blocks 3296 and 3297.

## SECTION 14.

POWELL AVE.—REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURB, LAVING SIDEWALKS AND CROSSWALKS, BUILDING APPROACHES AND ERECTING FENCES from Tremont ave. to Zerega ave. Area of assessment affects blocks 3810, 3811, 3819, 3820, 3828 and 3829.

## SECTION 16.

HOLLAND AVE. (MAPLE ST.)—REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURB STONES, FLAGGING SIDEWALKS, LAVING CROSSWALKS, BUILDING APPROACHES AND ERECTING FENCES FROM Gunhill rd. (Briggs ave.) to E. 215th st. Area of assessment affects blocks 4657, 4659, 4660, 4661 and 4662.

—that the above assessments were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on Dec. 26, 1916, and entered Dec. 26, 1916, 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 Feb. 24, 1917, which is sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, 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 Bergen Building, 4th floor, southeast corner of Arthur and Tremont aves., Borough of The Bronx, 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, Dec. 26, 1916. d28.39

## BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

## Proposals.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, at Room No. 2, Borough Hall, Brooklyn, until 11 a. m. on

## THURSDAY, JANUARY 18, 1917.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING MANHOLE HEADS AND COVERS ETC. TO THE BUREAU OF SEWERS. FOR THE YEAR 1917.

The time allowed for the delivery of the articles and the full performance of the contract is on or before Dec. 31, 1917.

The amount of security required will be thirty (30%) per cent. of the total amount for which the contract is awarded.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules per pound, or other unit of measure

by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up. The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Bureau of Sewers, 215 Montague st., Brooklyn.

L. H. POUNDS, President.

Dated, January 4, 1917. *j5.17*

*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 Brooklyn, at Room No. 2, Borough Hall, Brooklyn, until 11 a. m. on

## THURSDAY, JANUARY 18, 1917.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 1,000 BOXES OF TOILET SOAP TO THE BUREAU OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS AND OFFICES, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

Time allowed for the delivery of the soap and the full performance of the contract is one hundred (100) consecutive calendar days.

The amount of security required for the faithful performance of the contract will be thirty (30%) per cent. of the total amount for which the contract is awarded.

The bidder will state the price of soap, per pound, by which the bids will be tested. The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, Room 1003, No. 50 Court st., Brooklyn.

L. H. POUNDS, President.

Dated, Jan. 4, 1917. *j5.18*

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received at Room No. 2, Borough Hall, Brooklyn, by the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, until 11 a. m. on

## THURSDAY, JANUARY 18, 1917.

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The amount of security required for the faithful performance of the contract will be thirty (30%) per cent. of the total amount for which the contract is awarded.

The bidder will state the price of soap, per pound, by which the bids will be tested. The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, Room 1003, No. 50 Court st., Brooklyn.

L. H. POUNDS, President.

Dated, Jan. 4, 1917. *j5.18*

*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 Brooklyn, at Room No. 2, Borough Hall, Brooklyn, until 11 a. m. on

## THURSDAY, JANUARY 18, 1917.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING THE ROADWAYS OF CERTAIN ASPHALT PAVED STREETS TO BE SELECTED, LYING WITHIN THE DISTRICT BOUNDED ON THE SOUTH AND EAST BY HAMILTON AVE., 15TH ST., PROSPECT PARK, MALBONE ST., EAST NEW YORK AVE., EAST 98TH ST., HEGEMAN AVE., NEW LOTS AVE., DUMONT AVE., EUCLID AVE. AND KILLS PATH, AND ON THE NORTH AND WEST BY THE BOROUGH LINE AND THE EAST RIVER, TO THE EXTENT OF 150,000 SQUARE YARDS TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate is as follows:

200 linear feet old curbstone, reset in concrete.

800 linear feet old curbstone, reset in sand.

200 linear feet new curbstone, set in sand.

400 linear feet cement curb.

400 linear feet granite heading stones, set in concrete.

70 cubic yards concrete.

210,000 cubic feet asphalt, wearing surface, delivered and laid. No maintenance. (Measured in trucks at the Plant.)

700 cubic feet binder mixture, delivered and laid. (Measured in trucks at the Plant.)

80 water gate boxes to be reset.

120 hydrant boxes to be reset.

80 sewer manhole heads to be reset.

5 new asphalt filled covers and heads for sewer manholes.

20 sewer basin sills to be readjusted.

Time allowed, 90 consecutive working days.

Security required, \$50,000.

NO. 1. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON OVINGTON AVE., FROM 11TH AVE. TO A LINE ABOUT 280 FEET WESTERLY THEREFROM, AND LAYING SIDEWALKS, WHERE NECESSARY, ON BOTH SIDES OF 7TH AVE., FROM 40TH ST. TO 41ST ST.

The Engineer's estimate is as follows:

340 cubic yards excavation.

290 cubic yards filling (to be furnished).

40 linear feet old curbstone, reset in concrete.

570 linear feet steel bound cement curb (1 year maintenance).

4,160 square feet cement sidewalks (1 year maintenance).

4,160 square feet 6-inch cinder or gravel sidewalk foundation.

Time allowed, 30 consecutive working days.

Security required, \$500.

NO. 2. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON OVINGTON AVE., FROM 11TH AVE. TO A LINE ABOUT 280 FEET WESTERLY THEREFROM, AND LAYING SIDEWALKS, WHERE NECESSARY, ON BOTH SIDES OF 7TH AVE., FROM 40TH ST. TO 41ST ST.

The Engineer's estimate is as follows:

220 cubic yards excavation to subgrade.

30 linear feet bluestone heading stones, set in concrete.

150 cubic yards concrete.

885 square yards asphalt pavement (5 years maintenance).

Time allowed, 20 consecutive working days.

Security required, \$700.00.

NO. 4. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 1,000 CUBIC YARDS OF PAVING GRAVEL, TO BE DELIVERED AS FOLLOWS:

400 cubic yards to Corporation Yard, Wallabout Basin, Foot of Hewes st.

200 cubic yards to yard adjoining the Municipal Asphalt Plant, 7th st., Basin, Gowanus Canal.

200 cubic yards to Corporation Yard, N. 8th st., near Union ave.

200 cubic yards to Corporation Yard, DeKalb ave., near Irving ave.

Time for completion of contract, on or before Dec. 31, 1917. Security required, 30% of the amount for which the contract is awarded.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per linear foot, square foot, yard, square yard, cubic yard or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. The bids will be compared and the contracts awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.

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

Blank forms and further information may be seen at the Bureau of Highways, Room 502, 50 Court st., Brooklyn.

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STAND LOCATED IN BROADWAY PLOTS AT 72D ST. AND BROADWAY, WEST SIDE OF NORTH SUBWAY STATION.

Each bidder shall make his bid for the amount of monthly rental.

The period of time, should the contract be let, will expire on Jan. 31, 1918.

The bids will be compared and the privilege will be awarded to the highest responsible bidder.

No bids will be considered unless accompanied by a certified check or cash to the amount of not less than One Hundred Dollars.

Should the successful bidder refuse to accept the privilege after award by the Commissioner, the deposit will be forfeited to The City of New York.

The Commissioner reserves the right to reject all bids.

The form of proposal and full information as to bidding can be obtained at the office of the Department of Parks, 10th floor, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 11 a. m., on

TUESDAY, JANUARY 9, 1917,  
FOR THE PRIVILEGE OF SELLING NEWSPAPERS AND MAGAZINES FROM A STAND AT BROADWAY PLOTS AT 72D ST. AND BROADWAY, EAST SIDE OF NORTH SUBWAY STATION.

Each bidder shall make his bid for the amount of monthly rental.

The period of time, should the contract be let, will expire on Jan. 31, 1918.

The bids will be compared and the privilege will be awarded to the highest responsible bidder.

No bids will be considered unless accompanied by a certified check or cash to the amount of not less than One Hundred Dollars.

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The form of proposal and full information as to bidding can be obtained at the office of the Department of Parks, 10th floor, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 11 a. m., on

TUESDAY, JANUARY 9, 1917,  
FOR THE PRIVILEGE OF TAKING PHOTOGRAPHS ON THE BRIDLE PATH IN CENTRAL PARK.

Each bidder shall make his bid for the amount of monthly rental.

The period of time, should the contract be let, will expire on Dec. 31, 1917.

The bids will be compared and the privilege will be awarded to the highest responsible bidder.

No bids will be considered unless accompanied by a certified check or cash to the amount of not less than One Hundred Dollars.

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No bids will be considered unless accompanied by a certified check or cash to the amount of not less than One Hundred Dollars.

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The Commissioner reserves the right to reject all bids.

The form of proposal and full information as to bidding can be obtained at the office of the Department of Parks, 10th floor, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 11 a. m., on

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 10, 1917,  
FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING PIG LEAD.

The time allowed for the performance of the contract is 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, 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.

FIRE DEPARTMENT, ROBERT ADAMSON, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING, JOHN T. FETHERSTON, Commissioner.

PARK BOARD, CABOT WARD, President; RAYMOND V. INGERSOLL, THOMAS W. WHITTE, and E. WEIER, Commissioners.

<sup>d29,j11</sup> See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record," except for the address of the office for receiving and opening bids.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity at Room 2318, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 11 a. m., on

TUESDAY, JANUARY 9, 1917,  
FOR SUPPLYING GAS TO PUBLIC BUILDINGS, OFFICES AND STRUCTURES, FROM JAN. 10, 1917, TO DEC. 31, 1917, BOTH INCLUSIVE, IN THAT PORTION OF THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX COMPOSED OF THE OLD VILLAGES OF WAKEFIELD AND WILLIAMSBRIDGE; ALSO THAT PORTION OF THE TWENTY-FOURTH WARD SOUTH OF THE DIVIDING LINE BETWEEN THE OLD VILLAGES OF KINGSBRIDGE AND WEST FARMS.

The amount of security required is twenty-five per cent. (25%) of the total amount of the bid in each case.

The amount of security deposit required is one and one-quarter per cent. (1¼%) of the total amount of the bid.

Blank forms of bid, proposals and contract, including specifications approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained at Room 2324, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

Dated, Dec. 26, 1916.

<sup>d28,j9</sup> WILLIAM WILLIAMS, Commissioner.

<sup>d28,j9</sup> See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity at Room 2318, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 11 a. m., on

TUESDAY, JANUARY 9, 1917,  
FOR SUPPLYING GAS TO PUBLIC GAS LAMPS IN STREETS, PARKS AND PUBLIC PLACES, FROM JAN. 10, 1917, TO

DEC. 31, 1917, BOTH INCLUSIVE; (b) FOR SUPPLYING GAS TO PUBLIC BUILDINGS, OFFICES AND STRUCTURES DURING SAID PERIOD.

The amount of security required is twenty-five per cent. (25%) of the total amount of the bid in each case.

The amount of security deposit required is one and one-quarter per cent. (1¼%) of the total amount of the bid.

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Dated, Dec. 26, 1916.

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SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity at Room 2318, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 11 a. m., on

TUESDAY, JANUARY 9, 1917,  
FOR FURNISHING AND MAINTAINING ELECTRIC LIGHTING UNITS FOR LIGHTING PUBLIC STREETS, PARKS AND PLACES FROM JAN. 10, 1917, TO DEC. 31, 1917, BOTH INCLUSIVE, IN THE FIRST, SECOND, THIRD AND FOURTH WARDS OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The amount of security required is twenty-five per cent. (25%) of the total amount of the bid.

The amount of security deposit required is one and one-quarter per cent. (1¼%) of the total amount of the bid.

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Dated, Dec. 26, 1916.

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SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity at Room 2318, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 11 a. m., on

TUESDAY, JANUARY 9, 1917,  
FOR FURNISHING STEAM FOR HEATING OR OTHER PURPOSES TO CERTAIN OF THE PUBLIC BUILDINGS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, IN THE BOROUGHS OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX, FROM JAN. 10, 1917, TO DEC. 31, 1917, BOTH INCLUSIVE.

The amount of security required is twenty-five per cent. (25%) of the total amount of the bid.

The amount of security deposit required is one and one-quarter per cent. (1¼%) of the total amount of the bid.

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Dated, Dec. 26, 1916.

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SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity at Room 2318, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 11 a. m., on

TUESDAY, JANUARY 9, 1917,  
FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING STABLE SUPPLIES.

The time for the performance of the contract is on or before March 31, 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, 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.

DATED, Dec. 27, 1916.

<sup>d28,j9</sup> WILLIAM WILLIAMS, Commissioner.

<sup>d28,j9</sup> See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity at Room 2318, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 11 a. m., on

TUESDAY, JANUARY 9, 1917,  
FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING MILK AND CREAM.

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, to the lowest bidder on each item or class, as stated in the schedules.

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DATED, Dec. 27, 1916.

<sup>d28,j9</sup> WILLIAM WILLIAMS, Commissioner.

<sup>d28,j9</sup> See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity at Room 2318, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 11 a. m., on

TUESDAY, JANUARY 9, 1917,  
FOR SUPPLYING GAS TO PUBLIC CHARITIES, DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

The time allowed for the performance of the contract is 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, to the lowest bidder on each item, as stated in the schedules.

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DATED, Dec. 27, 1916.

<sup>d28,j9</sup> WILLIAM WILLIAMS, Commissioner.

<sup>d28,j9</sup> See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity at Room 2318, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 11 a. m., on

TUESDAY, JANUARY 9, 1917,  
FOR SUPPLYING GAS TO PUBLIC CHARITIES, DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, HAVEN EMERSON, M. D., Commissioner.

The time allowed for the performance of the contract is before June 30, 1917.

per pound, foot, dozen or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read and awards, if made, will be to the lowest bidder on each class or item as stated in the specifications.

Bids must be submitted in duplicate. 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 Fire Department, 11th floor, Municipal Building, Manhattan. ROBERT ADAMSON, Fire Commissioner. d30,j12

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Fire Commissioner at his office, 11th floor, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 10:30 a. m., on

**TUESDAY, JANUARY 12, 1917.**  
FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ENGINEERS' AND MACHINISTS' SUPPLIES.

The time allowed for the performance of the contract is by or before April 30, 1917.

The amount of security required for the performance of the contract is thirty per cent. (30%) of the amount of the bid or estimate.

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 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 (1 1/2) per cent. of the total amount of the bid.

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

Bids must be submitted in duplicate. 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 Fire Department, 11th floor, Municipal Building, Manhattan. ROBERT ADAMSON, Fire Commissioner. d30,j12

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

## DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

### Proposals.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning at Room 1247, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 12 noon, on

**TUESDAY, JANUARY 9, 1917.**  
FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 227 CART HORSES.

The time allowed for the delivery of the horses and the full performance of the contract is on or before Oct. 31, 1917.

The amount of security required for the faithful performance of the contract is 30% 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 horse, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total and awards made to the lowest bidder.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Department of Street Cleaning, Manhattan, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

J. T. FETHERSTON, Commissioner. d28,j9

Dated, Dec. 26, 1916.

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

## BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

### Completion of Assessments.

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

#### Borough of Manhattan.

5404. Receiving Basins on Bleeker st. adjacent to the southeast corner of Perry st. and to the southeast corner of Bank st. Affecting Blocks 621 and 623.

5405. Receiving Basins on Cooper st. adjacent to the southeast corner of 204th st. and to the northeast corner of Academy st. Affecting Block 2238.

5406. Receiving Basins on Grand st. adjacent to the northwest and southwest corners of Eldridge st. and to the northwest corner of Forsyth st. Affecting Blocks 306 and 418.

5407. Receiving Basins on 49th st. adjacent to the northeast corner of 5th ave. and to the southwest corner of Madison ave. Affecting Blocks 1284 and 1285.

5408. Receiving Basins adjacent to the northwest corner of 54th st. and 6th ave. Affecting Block 1007.

5409. Receiving Basins on 96th st. adjacent to the northeast and southwest corners of Madison ave., and to the northeast corner of 5th ave. Affecting Blocks 1507 and 1602.

5410. Receiving Basin at the southeast corner of 117th st. and Lenox ave. Affecting Block 1600.

5411. Receiving Basin adjacent to the southeast corner of 171st st. and Haven ave. Affecting Block 2139.

5412. Receiving Basins on 63d st. adjacent to the northwest corner of 3d ave. and to the southeast and northwest corners of Lexington ave. Affecting Blocks 1397 and 1398.

5413. Receiving Basin adjacent to the northwest corner of 68th st. and Amsterdam ave. Affecting Block 1160.

5414. Receiving Basins at the northeast and southeast corners of Seaman ave. and 204th st. Affecting Blocks 2239 and 2240.

5415. Receiving Basins on 39th st. adjacent to the northwest corner of Lexington ave. and to the southeast corner of Park ave. Affecting Blocks 894 and 895.

5416. Receiving Basin at the southeast corner of Park Row and New Chambers st. Affecting Block 121.

5417. Alteration and improvement to sewer in Park ave., west side, between 81st st. and 82d st. Affecting Blocks 1493 to 1503.

5438. Receiving Basins on 181st st. adjacent to the southwest corner of Wadsworth ave.; northwest corner of W. 151st st. and 7th ave.;

southeast corner 151st st. and Macombs pl.; southwest corner Broadway and 109th st.; and southeast and southwest corners 177th st. and Broadway. Affecting Blocks 1893, 2036, 2037, 2142, 2145 and 2163.

5439. Receiving Basin adjacent to the southwest corner of Park Row and Mulberry st. Affecting Block 161.

5440. Alteration and improvement to sewer in Greene st. between Washington pl. and W. 4th st. Affecting Block 546.

5441. Alteration and improvement to sewer in W. 24th st. between 6th ave. and Broadway. Affecting Blocks 825 to 830.

#### Borough of The Bronx.

5243. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging, etc., Waterbury ave. from Westchester ave. to Zerega ave., together with an award for damages caused by a change of grade. Affecting Blocks 3823, 3832, 3833, 3843, 3844, 3849, 3851, 3852 and 3853.

5350. Paving Fordham rd. from Webster ave. to Harlem River Terrace. Affecting Blocks 3022 to 3026, 3031 to 3033, 3146 to 3148, 3151 to 3155, 3159, 3164 to 3168, 3172 to 3177, 3183, 3184, 3187 to 3191, 3197 to 3201, 3203, 3204, 3208, 3209, 3211 to 3214, 3218 to 3220, 3223 to 3227, 3232 to 3236, 3273, 3275, 3276, 3286, 3287 and 3293.

5360. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging Grand ave. and Harrison ave. from the property line of the Jerome Avenue Realty Co. to W. 181st st.; and Paving W. 180th st. from Davidson ave. to Harrison ave., and Harrison ave., Grand ave., and Davidson ave., from Burnside ave. to W. 181st st. Affecting Blocks 3192, 3193, 3194, 3206 ad 3210.

5367. Paving E. 193d st. from Webster ave. to Decatur ave. Affecting Blocks 3275 and 3276.

5368. Paving Walton ave. from E. 183d st. to E. 184th st. Affecting Blocks 3183 and 3187.

5385. Repairing sidewalk and erecting guard rail on the easterly side of Anthony ave. north of E. 174th st. Affecting Block 2890, lot 7.

5386. Paving and curbing Faile st. from the bridge over the N. Y. N. H. & H. R. R. to Garrison ave. Affecting Block 2741.

5387. Paving Longfellow ave. from E. 174th st. to Boston rd. Affecting Blocks 3003, 3004, 3011 and 3016.

5443. Flagging the sidewalk at the southeast corner of Union ave. and E. 151st st. Affecting Block 2674, lot 35 1/2.

#### Borough of Queens.

5246. Regulating, grading and paving Seward st. and gutter spaces, curbing and flagging Sedgwick st. from Hughes st. to Sedgwick pl., 2d ward, together with a list of awards for damages caused by a change of grade. Affecting Blocks 2620 and 2621.

5447. Regulating, grading and paving Rockaway Beach Boulevard (Washington ave.) from Adirondack Boulevard to Beach 126th st. (Pelham ave.), 5th ward. Affecting Blocks 2 and 3.

5452. Sewer and appurtenances in Hatch ave. from Chichester ave. to Beaumont ave., 4th ward. Affecting Blocks 360 and 363.

5453. Sewer and appurtenances in Herald ave. from Forest Park to Brandon ave.; Guion ave. from Myrtle ave. to the crown 625 feet south of Brandon ave.; and in Bedford ave., Greenwich ave. and Chestnut st. from Myrtle ave. to Jamaica ave., 4th ward. Affecting Blocks 130 to 134, 169 to 174, 185 to 190, and 193.

5455. Sewer and appurtenances in Kimball ave. from Freedom ave. to Greenwood ave.; Lawn ave., McCormick ave. and Oxford ave. from Jerome ave. to the town south of Kimball ave.; and Seattle st., Portland ave. and Herald ave. from Jerome ave. to Kimball ave., 4th ward. Affecting Blocks 460 to 464, 523 to 544 and 546.

5309. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging Bay 19th st. from 86th st. to Benson ave. Affecting Blocks 6369 and 6370.

5316. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging and paving Boerum st. from White st. to Bogart st. Affecting Blocks 3074 and 3083.

5352. Paving 68th st. between 4th and 6th aves. Affecting Blocks 5855, 5856, 5864 and 5865.

5353. Paving 6th ave. between 67th st. and Ovington ave. Affecting Blocks 5856, 5857, 5865, 5866, 5874 and 5875.

5371. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging and paving E. 21st st. (Kenmore pl.) from Church ave. to Albemarle rd., together with an award for damages caused by a change of grade. Affecting Blocks 5101 and 5102.

5369. Paving Avenue N from Coney Island ave. to E. 9th st. Affecting Blocks 6571, 6572, 6573, 6590, 6591 and 6592.

5370. Paving and curbing Avenue O from Coney Island ave. to E. 9th st. Affecting Blocks 6591, 6592, 6616 and 6617.

5372. Paving 59th st. between 15th ave. and 16th ave. Affecting Blocks 5502, 5503, 5509, 5510, 5706 and 5713.

5373. Paving 13th ave. between 57th and 58th sts. Affecting Blocks 5697 and 5698.

5380. Regulating, paving and curbing 59th st. between 13th and 14th aves. Affecting Blocks 5704, 5705, 5711 and 5712.

5381. Repairing sidewalks at the following locations: Congress st., Nos. 85-87; Baltic st., northwest corner Hicks st.; Degraw st., Nos. 74 and 223; First pl., No. 6; Sackett st., Nos. 188, 215 and 218; Strong st., Nos. 61-63, and Union st., Nos. 104 and 149. Affecting property in front of which work was done.

5398. Laying sidewalks on Snediker ave., both sides, from New Lots ave. to Hegeman ave.; Howard ave., west side, from a point 27.5 feet north to a point 98.58 feet north of Atlantic ave., New York ave., east side, from Carroll st. to a point about 120 feet southerly; Liberty st., south side, between Montauk ave. and Bradford st., and between Montauk ave. and Johns pl. and Prospect pl. Affecting property in front of which work was done.

5422. Repairing sidewalks at the following locations: Albany ave., No. 153; Amity st., Nos. 80-82 and 184; Atlantic ave., No. 41; Bergen st., No. 11; Congress st., No. 175; Court st., No. 672; Inlay st., Nos. 153-155; Nelson st., No. 87; and Van Dyke st., Nos. 175-179. Affecting property in front of which work was done.

5444. Repairing sidewalks at the following locations: Bedford ave., No. 163; Calver st., No. 163; Havemeyer st., Nos. 67 and 89; Hope st., No. 23; Meserole ave., No. 123; Metropolitan ave., No. 452; Norman ave., No. 117; S. 1st st., No. 337; and S. 3rd st., Nos. 218-220. Affecting property in front of which work was done.

5445. Repairing sidewalks at the following locations: Clermont ave., Nos. 2-8 and 22; Clinton ave., No. 52; Gold st., No. 328; Hudson ave.,

Nos. 402-404; Johnson st., No. 314; Myrtle ave., No. 167; Park ave., Nos. 24-26, 62-64, 105-107 and 129; Raymond st., Nos. 66-68; St. Edward's st., No. 53; and Throop ave., No. 39. Affecting property in front of which work was done.

5446. Repairing sidewalks at the following locations: Driggs ave., No. 34; Bedford ave., No. 898; Emerson pl., Nos. 31-33; Hancock st., Nos. 553-555; Hopkins st., Nos. 20-22 and 39-59; Flushing ave., Nos. 558-560; Humboldt st., Nos. 554 and 566; Kosciusko st., Nos. 402A and 405; Meeker ave., No. 32-34; Monroe st., Nos. 677 and 688; and Noll st., south side, 25 feet to 100 feet east of Bushwick ave. Affecting property in front of which work was done.

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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 22nd day of March, 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, December 22, 1916.

JOHN HETHERINGTON, Chairman; SAMUEL J. WOOD, ROBERT PRICE BELL, Commissioners of Estimate; JOHN HETHERINGTON, Commissioner of Assessment.

WALTER C. SHEPPARD, Clerk. d30,j17

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 ST. JAMES STREET from Maurice avenue to Broadway; CORONA AVENUE from Maurice avenue to Broadway, in the 2nd 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 19th day of January, 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 23rd day of January, 1917, at 3 o'clock p.m.

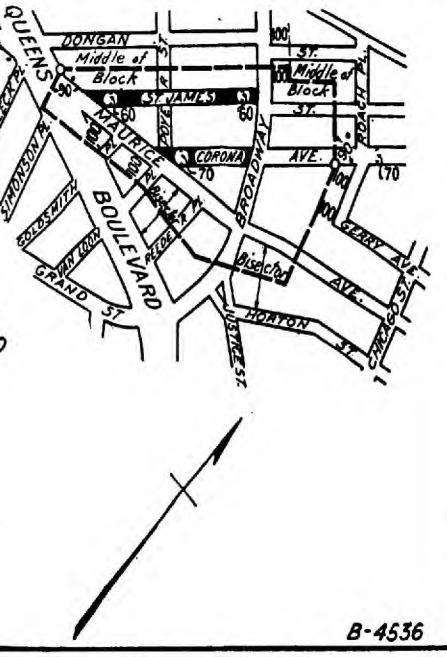
Second.—That the undersigned, Commissioner of Assessment, has completed his estimate of benefit and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with him at his office, 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 19th day of January, 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 23rd day of January, 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 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, is 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**  
**ST. JAMES ST.  
FROM MAURICE AVE. TO BROADWAY AND  
CORONA AVE.  
FROM MAURICE AVENUE TO BROADWAY  
BOROUGH OF QUEENS**  
New York, Sept 27<sup>th</sup> 1915.  
T. Nelson P. Lewis  
Chief Engineer

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cubic yard, linear foot or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. Bids will be compared and each contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum. Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the President of the Borough of Queens.

Dated, Jan. 6, 1917.

66,17 MAURICE E. CONNOLLY, President.

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

### MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

#### Proposed Amendments to Classification.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN OF the proposed amendment of the classification of positions in the Exempt Class, under the heading "Department of Education," by including therein the following:

*Executive Manager.*

A PUBLIC HEARING WILL BE ALLOWED in accordance with Rule III, at the request of any interested persons, at the Commission's offices in the Municipal Building, on

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 10, 1917,

at 10:30 a. m.

j8,10 ROBERT W. BELCHER, Secretary.

#### Notices of Examinations.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT applications will be received by the Municipal Civil Service Commission, Municipal Building, Manhattan, New York City, from

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 19, 1916, TO

THURSDAY, JANUARY 18, 1917,

for the position of

**CHEMIST (MICRO-ANALYST).**

No applications delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 p. m., THURSDAY, JANUARY 18, 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.

The requirement that applicants must be residents of the State of New York is waived for this examination. Competitive examination to be open to all citizens of the United States. Persons who accept appointment must thereafter reside in 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 subjects and weights of the examination are: Experience, 5; 70% required. Technical Examination, Written, 2; 75% required. Practical Test, 3; 75% required.

A qualifying physical examination will be given.

Applications for this examination must be filed on a special blank, Form D, with insert.

**Duties:** To make microscopic examination of foods and drugs; chemical tests on microscopic slides and chemical analyses. To represent the Department in Court.

**Requirements:** Candidates must have a knowledge of general chemistry and must have had such specialized experience in micro-analysis as would fit him to perform the duties of the position.

Candidates must be at least 21 years of age on the date of filing applications.

The compensation rates proposed by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for this position are from \$2,280 to \$3,660 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 is one vacancy in the Health Department at \$2,280 per annum.

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.

d19,j18 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, DECEMBER 20, 1916, TO

FRIDAY, JANUARY 19, 1917,

for the position of

**CHEMIST (PHARMACEUTICAL).**

No applications delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 p. m., FRIDAY, JANUARY 19, 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.

The requirement that applicants must be residents of the State of New York is waived for this examination. Competitive examination to be open to all citizens of the United States. Persons who accept appointment must thereafter reside in 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 subjects and weights of the examination are: Experience, 5; 70% required. Technical examination, Written, 4; 75% required. Oral examination, 1; 70% required.

A qualifying physical examination will be given.

Applications for this examination must be filed on a special blank, Form D, with insert.

**Duties:** The main duty of the position is the examination of patent and proprietary medicines. Candidates will also be required to examine crude drugs and official pharmaceuticals and to represent the Department in Court.

**Requirements:** 1. A degree granted on the completion of a standard course of instruction with chemistry as the major subject in a college or technical school of recognized standing, and, in addition, three years' experience in pharmaceutical chemistry after graduation; or, 2. Proof of other training and experience recognized by the Municipal Civil Service Commission as equivalent. Experience in the analyses of patent and proprietary medicine will be given special consideration.

Candidates must be at least 21 years of age on the date of filing applications.

The compensation rates proposed by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for this position are from \$2,280 to \$3,660 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 is one vacancy in the Health Department at \$2,280 per annum.

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.

d20,j19 ROBERT W. BELCHER, Secretary.

### DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

#### Proposals.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Board of Health of the Department of Health, Centre and Walker sts., Manhattan, until 10:30 a. m., on

MONDAY, JANUARY 15, 1917,

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING, AS REQUIRED, FRESH FISH AND CLAMS TO THE HOSPITALS, DAY CAMPS AND THE MUNICIPAL SANATORIUM OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, FROM JAN. 1 TO MARCH 31, 1917.

The time for the performance of the contract is from Jan. 15 to March 31, 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 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 Chief Clerk of the Department of Health, Centre and Walker sts., Manhattan, New York City, from

HAVEN EMERSON, M. D., President; ALFRED E. SHIPLEY, M. D., Secretary.

Dated, Jan. 3, 1917. j3,15

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Board of Health of the Department of Health, Centre and Walker sts., Manhattan, until 10:30 a. m., on

MONDAY, JANUARY 15, 1917,

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ICE, AS REQUIRED, TO THE HOSPITALS, LABORATORIES, DAY CAMPS, INFANTS' MILK STATIONS AND OFFICE BUILDINGS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH IN THE VARIOUS BOROUGHS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, FROM JAN. 15, 1917, TO DFC. 31, 1917.

The time for the performance of the contract is from Jan. 15 to Dec. 31, 1917.

The amount of security required is thirty (30) per cent. of the amount of the bid or estimate.

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 pound, or other designated 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 and awards, if made, shall be to the lowest bidder on each item or class, as stated in the specifications.

Bids must be submitted in duplicate, each in a separate envelope. No bid will be accepted unless this provision is complied with.

Blank forms for the above and further information may be obtained at the office of the Chief Clerk, Department of Health, Centre and Walker sts., Manhattan.

HAVEN EMERSON, M. D., President; A. E. SHIPLEY, M. D., Secretary.

Dated, Jan. 3, 1917. j3,15

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Board of Health of the Department of Health, Centre and Walker sts., Manhattan, until 10:30 a. m., on

FRIDAY, JANUARY 12, 1917,

FURNISHING ALL LABOR AND MATERIALS NECESSARY OR REQUIRED TO INSTALL AND COMPLETE, TOGETHER WITH ALL NECESSARY ALTERATIONS AND OTHER WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO, TO A SEWAGE PUMPING PLANT AT THE GROUNDS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, FLUSHING AVE., NEAR 1A-MAICA, BOROUGH OF QUEENS, CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract will be ninety (90) consecutive working days.

The bid, however, must be accompanied by a deposit of an amount of not less than (2½%) per cent. of the amount of the bid.

Bids will be compared and the contract awarded to the lowest bidder on the entire contract.

Plans may be seen and blank forms for the above work and further information may be obtained at the office of the Chief Clerk of the Department of Health, Centre and Walker sts., Manhattan.

HAVEN EMERSON, M. D., President; A. E. SHIPLEY, M. D., Secretary pro tem.

Dated, Dec. 30, 1916. d30,j12

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

### BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

#### Proposals.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Richmond, at Borough Hall, St. George, New Brighton, until 12 noon, on

THURSDAY, JANUARY 18, 1917,

Borough of Richmond.

NO. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING COAL TO PUBLIC BUILDINGS, ETC.

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

For furnishing and delivering One Hundred (100) tons of stove coal as needed to: County Clerk's Office and Court House, Richmond; Village Halls at Stapleton and New Brighton; old building, St. George, and Coroner's Office at New Brighton. Three Hundred (300) tons of Pea coal to Borough Hall, St. George, S. I. Coal to be delivered as directed, and each ton to consist of 2,000 lbs.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is by Dec. 31, 1917.

The amount of security required is 30% of the amount of contract.

Deposit not less than 1½% of the total amount of bid.

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

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

Borough of Richmond, Borough Hall, New Brighton, Borough of Richmond.

CALVIN D. VAN NAME, 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 Richmond at Borough Hall, St. George, New Brighton, S. I., until 12 noon on

MONDAY, JANUARY 15, 1917,

Borough of Richmond.

FOR CONSTRUCTING A TEMPORARY SANITARY SEWER, WITH THE NECESSARY APPURTENANCES, IN CUNARD PL., BETWEEN RICHMOND RD. AND CEDAR TERRACE, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

360 linear feet of vitrified pipe sewer of 8 inches interior diameter, including increases from 8" to 18" pipe, complete, as shown on the plan of the work.

15 vitrified pipe spurs of 6 inches interior diameter, on 8 inch pipe sewer, complete.

1 manhole, complete.

1 lamp post, complete.

500 B. M. feet of foundation timber and planking, in place and secured.

500 B. M. feet of sheeting, retained.

1 cubic yard of additional concrete, class D, for cradle, etc., furnished and placed.

1 cubic yard of additional brick masonry.

5 cubic yards of additional excavation.

1 cubic yard of broken stone ballast, furnished and placed on foundation, and laid.

3 square yards of Belgian block pavement, on sand foundation, furnished and laid.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is Twelve (12) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required for the performance of the contract is Three Hundred Dollars (\$300), and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five (5) per cent. of the amount of security.

The bidder shall state the price of each item contained in the Engineer's estimate.

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

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