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### BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

#### HEARING ON PROPOSED PLANS FOR TERMINAL FACILITIES IN BROOKLYN.

Public notice is hereby given that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in pursuance of a resolution duly adopted by said Board on the 14th day of November, 1912, in accordance with the provisions of chapter 776 of the Laws of 1911, known as the New York City Freight Terminals Act, will hold a public hearing in Room 18 (Aldermanic Chamber) of the City Hall, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, on Thursday, the 5th day of December, 1912, relative to the application of the Commissioner of Docks to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for authority to adopt plans for terminal facilities and equipment thereof and therefor, to be located upon the lands and lands under water, situate, lying and being on, adjacent or near to the shores of the East River, Buttermilk Channel, Gowanus Bay and Upper Bay, between the foot of Fulton street and the foot of 65th street, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York.

Notice is further given that at such meeting all parties in interest will be heard by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment prior to the adoption of any resolution by said Board in the premises.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

Dated New York, November 16, 1912.

At the meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held December 5, 1912, the foregoing hearing was continued until December 19, 1912.

Dated New York, December 6, 1912.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

### THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

#### COMMITTEE HEARING ON TAXI-CAB RATES AND PRIVATE STANDS.

The Special Committee on Taxi-Cabs of the Board of Aldermen will hold a continued public hearing in the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, Manhattan, on Saturday, December 21, 1912, at 10 o'clock a. m., on the questions of rates and private stands.

All persons interested are respectfully invited to attend.

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

### PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION—FIRST DISTRICT.

No. 154 NASSAU STREET, NEW YORK CITY.

Calendar for the Week Commencing December 16, 1912.

Thursday, December 19, 1912—10.30 a. m.—Room 305—Case No. 1266—Long Island Railroad Company—"Alteration of grade crossings on north side division in Flushing and cost of Main street changes"—Commissioner Williams. 11 a. m.—Room 305—Case No. 1262—Long Island Railroad Company—"Alteration of grade crossing at Farmers avenue, Hollis"—Commissioner Williams. 11 a. m.—Room 305—Case No. 1384—Long Island Railroad Company—"Rehearing as to alteration of grade crossing at Laurel Hill boulevard on Montauk division"—Commissioner Williams. 2.30 p. m.—Room 305—Case No. 1521—Third Avenue Railway Company—"Application for consent to purchase \$500,000 stock and \$500,000 bonds of Mid-Crosstown Railway Company, Inc."—Commissioner Maltbie. 3 p. m.—Room 305—Case No. 1587—New York Dock Railway—"Application for approval of issue of \$500,000 stock"—Commissioner Maltbie.

Friday, December 20, 1912—10.30 a. m.—Room 305—Case No. 1556—New York and Queens County Railway Company—"Condition of Corona trestle between Flushing Bridge and Corona, Borough of Queens"—Commissioner Williams. 11 a. m.—Room 305—Case No. 1573—Long Island Railroad Company—"Application for approval of exercise of rights in carrying out improvements between Brooklyn-Queensboro line and Fresh Pond junction"—Commissioner Williams. 11 a. m.—Room 305—R. T. 3041—New York Connecting Railroad—"Application for approval of changes in certificate as to terminus of railroad in Borough of Queens and rental"—Commissioner Williams. 11 a. m.—Room 310—Case No. 1601—Richmond Light and Railroad Company—"Double tracking Castleton avenue or Brighton Heights line"—Commissioner Cram.

Meeting of the Committee of the Whole held every Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday at 10.30 a. m. in Committee Room.

Regular meeting of the Commission held every Tuesday and Friday at 12.15 p. m. in Room 310.

### THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

#### STATED MEETING.

Tuesday, December 17, 1912, 1.30 o'clock P. M.

The Board met in the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall.

Present:

Hon. John Purroy Mitchel, President of the Board of Aldermen.

Aldermen

Ardolph L. Kline,	Edward Eichhorn.	Jesse D. Moore.
Vice-Chairman.	O. Grant Esterbrook.	George A. Morrison.
Niles R. Becker.	William Fink.	Otto Muhlbauer.
Daniel M. Bedell.	Ralph Folks.	Thomas J. Mulligan.
John A. Bolles.	John S. Gaynor.	Courtlandt Nicoll.
John H. Boschen.	Otto C. Gelbke.	James J. Nugent.
Robert H. Bosse.	Edward V. Gilmore.	George M. O'Connor.
William D. Brush.	Henry F. Grimm.	Thomas H. O'Neil.
Michael Carberry.	James Hamilton.	John J. O'Rourke.
Charles P. Cole.	Joseph M. Hannon.	William H. Pendry.
Daniel R. Coleman.	Abram W. Herbst.	Charles A. Post.
Hugh J. Cummskey.	Francis P. Kenney.	John J. Reardon.
Frank Cunningham.	Max S. Levine.	W. Augustus Shipley.
Henry H. Curran.	Nathan Lieberman.	James J. Smith.
Percy L. Davis.	John Loos.	Michael Stapleton.
Charles Delaney.	John McCann.	Jacob J. Veltin.
James L. Devine.	John F. McCourt.	John F. Walsh.
John Diemer.	William P. McGarry.	Jacob Weil.
Frank T. Dixon.	Michael J. McGrath.	Louis Wendel, Jr.
Frank J. Dotzler.	Samuel Marks.	James R. Weston.
Frank L. Dowling.	James F. Martyn.	John J. White.
Robert F. Downing.	John J. Meagher.	Bryant Willard.
William Drescher.	James J. Molen.	Frederick H. Wilmot.
John T. Eagan.		

George Cromwell, President, Borough of Richmond.

Cyrus C. Miller, President, Borough of The Bronx, by Thomas W. Whittle, Commissioner of Public Works.

Alfred E. Steers, President, Borough of Brooklyn, by L. H. Pounds, Commissioner of Public Works.

George McAneny, President, Borough of Manhattan.

The President announced that Alderman Stevenson had been excused from attendance.

The Clerk proceeded to read the minutes of the stated meeting of December 10, 1912.

On motion of Alderman Becker, further reading was dispensed with, and the minutes were approved as printed.

#### PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

Alderman Marks, on behalf of the Special Committee on Entertainment of Atlantic Fleet, offered the following communication:

No. 2419.

(Copy.)

Citizens Committee, Appointed by His Honor the Mayor of The City of New York to Welcome the American Fleet, Office of the Secretary, No. 154 Nassau St., New York, December 17, 1912.

Comptroller of The City of New York, Hon. WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, No. 280 Broadway, City:

Dear Mr. Comptroller—Enclosed please find the check of "The Atlantic Fleet Entertainment Committee, J. P. Morgan & Co., Treasurer," for the sum of \$6,010.57, being the unexpended balance of the fund raised by subscription by the Citizens Committee, appointed by His Honor the Mayor to welcome the officers and enlisted men of the United States Atlantic Fleet when it was the guest of The City of New York last October.

You will recollect that at the solicitation of this Committee, the City appropriated \$25,000 toward the expenses of the entertainment, upon the assurance from us that we would use as little as possible of it. Immediately after the departure of the fleet, and while the exact amount of our obligations was not known, we presented with the approval of the Aldermanic Committee bills against the City amounting to \$24,999.

We now find, after the payment of all of our bills, that we have a balance of \$6,010.57 left in our subscription fund, which I take pleasure in remitting to the City herewith, in accordance with a resolution adopted by the Executive Committee on Monday, December 16, 1912, thus reducing the net contribution by the City Treasury to \$18,988.43.

Will you please cause the voucher accompanying this check to be receipted and returned to the Treasurer of the Committee, Messrs. J. P. Morgan & Co., No. 23 Wall st., and oblige, yours very truly,  
HERMAN RIDDER, Chairman.

No. 2420.

State of New York, Public Service Commission for the First District, Tribune Building, 154 Nassau St., New York, December 14, 1912.

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

Dear Sir—Referring to the resolution of the Board of Aldermen adopted October 8, in reference to a new elevated station at 99th st. and Columbus ave., I beg to advise you that an application, made by residents of the neighborhood through Thomas P. McKenna, Esq., of 111 Broadway, was received at about the same time.

Forms of consent of property owners were furnished to those interested, with the understanding that when the necessary consents were obtained, the application was to be renewed.

The important consideration in such cases is the consent of property owners, and it is presumed that the matter is being pushed by Mr. McKenna, and that in due time the result of his efforts will be submitted to the Commission.

Very truly yours,

TRAVIS H. WHITNEY, Secretary.

Which was ordered on file.

No. 2421.

Headquarters of the Regular Democratic Association of the Sixteenth Assembly District of the County of Kings, 2944 W. 8th St., Coney Island, Brooklyn, New York, December 10, 1912.

Hon. JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen, City of New York, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan:

Dear Sir—I have the honor to inform you that at a regular monthly meeting



of this association held on the evening of December 4, 1912, the following resolution was adopted:

Whereas, It appeared in the City Record of The City of New York of recent date that on November 4, 1912, one Frederick H. Dewey, a resident of New Brunswick, N. J., was appointed Chief Inspector in the Bureau of Buildings for the Borough of Manhattan at a salary of \$4,000 per annum, be it

Resolved, That we condemn the policy of the appointment of non-residents to positions in our municipal service as evidenced in the above appointment; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York for investigation and appropriate action.

I have the honor to remain, Very truly yours,

JOHN F. CUNNINGHAM, Secretary.

Which was referred to the Committee on Laws and Legislation.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM CITY, COUNTY AND BOROUGH OFFICERS.  
The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Corporation Counsel:

No. 2422.

City of New York, Law Department, Office of the Corporation Counsel, New York, December 9, 1912.

To the Board of Aldermen:

Sirs—I have received the following resolution adopted by your honorable body on November 25, 1912:

"Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel be and he is hereby requested to render to this Board an opinion relative to the following matter, to wit: Does a person duly appointed and commissioned a Commissioner of Deeds revoke such commission by taking up a residence in a borough other than that in which he resided at the time of appointment?"

In reply I beg to say that the appointment of Commissioners of Deeds is governed by the provisions of section 58 of the Charter. I find no requirement therein that the applicant for appointment to the office shall continue to reside, after appointment, in the borough in which he resided when he was appointed. I am of the opinion, therefore, that the commission of a Commissioner of Deeds is not revoked by his removal from one borough of the City into another. Respectfully yours,

G. L. STERLING, Acting Corporation Counsel.

Which was ordered on file.

The President laid before the Board the following communications from the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

No. 2423.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment, City of New York, Office of the Secretary, 277 Broadway, December 17, 1912.

Hon. JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—I transmit herewith certified copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment December 12, 1912, amending resolution adopted June 3, 1910, which authorized the issue of \$300,000 corporate stock to provide means for the construction of a new court house and prison for the Third District Magistrates' Court on the site of old Essex Market Court House, Borough of Manhattan, by striking therefrom the words in italics following Third District Magistrates' Court "on the site of old Essex Market Court House, Borough of Manhattan" and inserting in place thereof the words "on a site at the southeast corner of 2d avenue and 2d street, Borough of Manhattan, under the jurisdiction of the President of the Borough of Manhattan."

I also enclose copy of report of the Corporate Stock Budget Committee relative thereto. Yours very truly,

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

Resolved, That, subject to the concurrence herewith by the Board of Aldermen, the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on June 3, 1910, and concurred in by the Board of Aldermen on June 28, 1910, which reads as follows:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of corporate stock of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding three hundred thousand dollars (\$300,000) to provide means for the construction of a new court house and prison for the Third District Magistrates' Court, on the site of old Essex Market Court House, Borough of Manhattan, and when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to issue corporate stock of The City of New York, as in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, to an amount not exceeding three hundred thousand dollars (\$300,000), the proceeds whereof to be applied to the purposes aforesaid."

—be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter as amended, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of corporate stock of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding three hundred thousand dollars (\$300,000), to provide means for the construction of a new court house and prison for the Third District Magistrates' Court on a site at the southeast corner of 2d avenue and 2d street, Borough of Manhattan, under the jurisdiction of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, and when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to issue corporate stock of The City of New York in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter to an amount not exceeding three hundred thousand dollars (\$300,000), the proceeds thereof to the amount of the par value of the stock to be applied to the purposes aforesaid.

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment December 12, 1912.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

City of New York, Department of Finance, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, December 6, 1912.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—On June 3, 1910, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted a resolution authorizing the issue of corporate stock to the amount of \$300,000 to provide means for the construction of a new court house and prison for the Third District Magistrates' Court on the site of the old Essex Market Court House, Borough of Manhattan. On June 28, 1910, the Board of Aldermen concurred in this resolution.

On December 4, 1912, the President of the Borough of Manhattan addressed a communication to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment requesting an amendment of the corporate stock resolution so that the appropriation will be applicable to the site at the southeast corner of Second avenue and Second street, instead of the site of the old Essex Market Court House. It appears from the Borough President's letter that the Board of Aldermen and the Board of Estimate and Apportionment have approved the new site for the court house.

We recommend the adoption of the attached resolution which makes the appropriation applicable to this new site. Respectfully,

DOUGLAS MATHEWSON, Deputy and Acting Comptroller; JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen; GEORGE MCANENY, President, Borough of Manhattan, Corporate Stock Budget Committee.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 2424.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment, City of New York, Office of the Secretary, 277 Broadway, December 17, 1912.

Hon. JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—I transmit herewith certified copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment December 12, 1912, recommending the fixing of the compensation of Janitors in various public schools throughout the City, as set forth therein.

I also transmit copy of report of the Committee on Salaries and Grades relative thereto. Yours very truly,

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

Whereas, By opinion of the Corporation Counsel, as of June 28, 1910, and July 30, 1910, the Comptroller was advised that the payment of salaries of Janitors in the Department of Education is illegal unless such salary shall have been established under the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter; and

Whereas, The matter of adjusting the compensation of Janitors and the fixation of their salaries under the provision of section 56 of the Charter is now in the hands

of a special committee of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment; therefore be it Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 56 of the Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen, pending the report of said Committee, the compensation of Janitors in the Department of Education be fixed temporarily, and until further modified, in accordance with the following list:

	Rate of Compensation.
Janitor, Public School 15, The Bronx, with portables, per annum (less \$221).....	\$1,756 80
Janitor, Public School 9, Richmond, per annum (less \$221).....	864 00
Janitor, Public Schools 81 and 97, Brooklyn, with portables, per annum (less \$221).....	1,404 00
Janitor, Public School 83, Queens, per month.....	70 00
Janitor, Public School 1, Queens, per month.....	60 00
Janitor, Public School 28, annex, The Bronx, per annum (less \$221)....	852 00
Janitor, Public School 33, Richmond, per annum (less \$221).....	732 00
Janitor, Public School 3, Brooklyn, per annum.....	3,552 00
Janitor, Public School 18, Brooklyn, per annum.....	1,428 00
Janitor, Public School 32, Brooklyn, per annum.....	1,824 00
Janitor, Public School 39, Brooklyn, per annum.....	1,680 00
Janitor, Public School 15, Queens, per annum.....	1,068 00
Janitor, Public School 60, Queens, per annum.....	648 00
Janitor, Public School 39, Queens, per annum.....	2,688 00
Janitor, Public School 97, Brooklyn, per annum.....	696 00
Janitor, Public School 119, Manhattan, per annum.....	4,764 00
Janitor, Public School 78, Manhattan, per annum.....	3,528 00
Janitor, Public School 183, Manhattan (care of playground located at 1st avenue, 67th and 68th streets), per diem.....	4 00

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, December 12, 1912.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

City of New York, Department of Finance, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics, November 26, 1912.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—On November 13, 1912, the Board of Education requested the establishment, pursuant to the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, of rates of compensation for Janitors of sundry public schools. In connection therewith we report as follows:

In the following schools temporary rates, the same as or lower than those which now prevail, are requested for School 15 with portables, and the annex to 28, The Bronx; 81 and 97, with portable, Brooklyn; 83 and 1, Queens; 9 and 33, Richmond. For Nos. 119, 78, Manhattan; 3, 18, 32, 39, 97, Brooklyn; 15, 60 and 39, Queens, increased or decreased compensation for additional floor space, or changes in machinery, are requested, in accordance with the existing schedule. For the Janitor of No. 183, Manhattan, a rate of \$4 per diem for 69 days is requested to compensate for the care of the open air playground located at 1st avenue, 67th and 68th streets, during the summer of 1912.

I recommend the adoption of the attached resolution granting the request.

Respectfully,

DOUGLAS MATHEWSON, Deputy and Acting Comptroller; JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen, Committee on Salaries and Grades.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

No. 2425.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment, City of New York, Office of the Secretary, 277 Broadway, New York, December 12, 1912.

Hon. JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—Transmitted herewith is a certified copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment at the meeting held to-day, repealing, canceling and revoking the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted on November 17, 1912, which became effective December 3, 1912, without the approval of the Mayor, granting permission to storekeepers, hucksters and peddlers to stand on the sidewalk near the curb and with pushcarts in the carriageway near the curb on all streets and avenues in the city, for the sale of holiday goods, Christmas trees, etc., from December 16, 1912, to January 4, 1913, so far as the same applies to streets, avenues or portions thereof, which have been the subject of resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, directing the removal therefrom of all encroachments as therein specified, viz.: 42d st., between Lexington and 8th aves.; Beekman st., between Park row and Nassau st., etc., all in the Borough of Manhattan.

Yours truly,

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

Resolved, That the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted on November 17, 1912, which became effective December 3, 1912, without the approval of the Mayor, as provided in section 40 of the Greater New York Charter, reading as follows:

"Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to storekeepers, hucksters and peddlers to stand on the sidewalk near the curb and with pushcarts in the carriageway near the curb on all streets and avenues of The City of New York for the sale of holiday goods, Christmas trees, toys, etc., with the consent of the property owners and the written permission of the Aldermen of the district, provided a free passageway be kept on the sidewalk for all pedestrians, and in the carriageway for all vehicles; such permission to continue only from December 16, 1912, up to and including January 4, 1913, and the ordinance or ordinances conflicting with the foregoing provisions are hereby suspended for the period of time above mentioned, the exercise of any privileges hereunder to be subject to supervision by the Police Department,"

—so far as the same applies to the following streets or avenues or portions thereof which have been the subject of resolutions of this Board directing the removal therefrom of all encroachments or encumbrances as therein specified, viz.:

Forty-second st., between Lexington and 8th aves.  
Thirty-fourth st., between Madison and 8th aves.  
Twenty-third st., between 2d and 8th aves.  
Second ave., between Houston and 23d sts.  
Fifth ave., between Washington square and 59th st.  
Lafayette st., between Great Jones st. and Astor place.  
Seventh ave., east side, between 45th and 47th sts.  
Seventh ave., west side, between 42d and 45th sts.  
Thirty-second st., between 6th and 7th aves.  
Park row, between Ann and Spruce sts.  
Fulton st., between Broadway and William st.  
Nassau st., between Brooklyn Bridge and Wall st.  
Broadway, between Battery place and 59th st.  
Whitehall st., between Broadway and Stone st.  
Maiden lane, between Broadway and Gold st.  
John st., between Broadway and Gold st.  
Liberty st., between Maiden lane and West st.  
Cortlandt st., between Broadway and West st.  
Dey st., between Broadway and West st.  
Fulton st., between Broadway and West st.  
Vesey st., between Broadway and West st.  
Church st., between Chambers and Liberty sts.  
Trinity place, between Liberty and Morris sts.  
William street, between Pearl and Beaver sts.  
Park row, between North William and Pearl sts.  
Barclay st., between Broadway and West st.  
Park place, between Broadway and West st.  
Murray st., between Broadway and West st.  
Warren st., between Broadway and West st.  
Chambers st., between Broadway and West st.  
Worth st., between Broadway and Park row.  
Spring st., between Broadway and the Bowery.  
Houston st., between Broadway and the Bowery.  
Bleecker st., between Broadway and the Bowery.  
Eighth st., between Broadway and 4th ave.  
Eighteenth st., between Broadway and 3d ave.



Twenty-eighth st., between Broadway and 3d ave.  
 Twenty-ninth st., between 2d and 5th aves.  
 Fifty-ninth st., between 2d and 5th aves.  
 Fourteenth st., between Avenue D and 9th ave.  
 One Hundred and Twenty-fifth st., between 3d and 8th aves.  
 Rivington st., 100 feet in each direction from its intersection with Allen st.  
 Beekman st., between Park row and Nassau st.

—be and the same hereby is in all respects repealed, cancelled and revoked.

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, December 12, 1912.

Which was ordered on file.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Board of Education:

No. 2426.

City of New York, Department of Education, Board of Education, Park Avenue and 59th Street, New York, December 13, 1912.

Hon. JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—I have the honor to transmit herewith certified copies of a report and resolutions adopted by the Board of Education at a meeting held on December 11, 1912, as follows:

1. Relative to the preamble and resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen on November 19, 1912, directing the Board of Education to establish and maintain in all public schools shower baths for the free use of the children.
2. Relative to advancing to the principal of the School for the Deaf a sum not to exceed \$400 for paying the carfares of the pupils of said school.
3. Relative to advancing to the principal of the School for the Deaf a sum not to exceed \$50 for paying the carfares of the pupils attending the Brooklyn annex of said school.
4. Relative to advancing to the principal of the School for the Deaf a sum not to exceed \$20 for paying the carfares of the pupils attending the Queens annex of said school.
5. Relative to advancing to the Inspector of Classes for the Blind a sum not to exceed \$150 for paying the carfares of the pupils attending classes for the blind, etc., in Manhattan.
6. Relative to advancing to the Inspector of Classes for the Blind a sum not to exceed \$50 for paying the carfares of the pupils attending classes for the blind, etc., in The Bronx.
7. Relative to advancing to the Inspector of Classes for the Blind a sum not to exceed \$100 for paying the carfares of the pupils attending classes for the blind, etc., in Brooklyn.
8. Relative to advancing to the Inspector of Classes for the Blind a sum not to exceed \$50 for paying the carfares of the pupils attending classes for the blind, etc., in Queens.
9. Relative to advancing to the principal of the Manhattan Trade School for Girls a sum not to exceed \$500 for petty cash expenses.
10. Relative to advancing to the Secretary of the Board of Education a sum not to exceed \$1,000 for petty cash expenses. Respectfully yours,

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

To the Board of Education:

The Committee on Buildings respectfully reports that it has given careful consideration to the following preamble and resolution, presented by Alderman Lieberman, and adopted by the Board of Aldermen on November 19, 1912:

"Whereas, The health of the children attending the public schools is to a great extent essential to the successful advancement of education in the public schools, and

"Whereas, The health of these children is dependent upon the proper sanitation and cleanliness, and

"Whereas, The provision for and encouragement of proper sanitation in the public schools would be of great benefit to the children and of great interest to the citizens of New York City,

"Be it resolved, That the Board of Education of The City of New York establish and maintain in all public schools shower baths for the free use of the children."

Your committee has had an estimate made of the cost of carrying out the mandate of the Board of Aldermen, and finds that to establish and maintain sower baths for the free use of the children in all of the public schools of the City would cost not less than \$1,500,000. Besides, valuable space which is absolutely necessary for educational purposes would have to be surrendered in most, if not all, of the buildings, thus in all probability aggravating the part-time situation, in direct contravention of the resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen on March 19, 1912, requesting the Department of Education to provide "a full-time school seat for every school child."

In the circumstances, it is suggested that the Board of Aldermen be requested to advise the Board of Education as to its willingness to take steps in the direction of providing the necessary funds for installing shower baths, to the amount of \$1,500,000, as above stated, by the issue of special revenue bonds or otherwise.

The following resolution is submitted for adoption:

Resolved, That a copy of the foregoing report be transmitted to the Board of Aldermen.

A true copy of report and resolution adopted by the Board of Education on December 11, 1912.

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

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen be, and it is hereby, requested to authorize the Comptroller to advance from time to time to the principal of the School for the Deaf, Manhattan, from the special school fund of the Department of Education for the year 1913, and from the item contained therein entitled "Contract or Open Order Service, Transportation, Transportation of Pupils, Borough of Manhattan, 3552," a sum not to exceed \$400, said sum to be used for paying the carfares of the pupils attending said school, and to be accounted for by vouchers to be subsequently submitted for approval.

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Education on December 11, 1912.

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

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen be, and it is hereby, requested to authorize the Comptroller to advance from time to time to the principal of the School for the Deaf, Manhattan, from the special school fund of the Department of Education for the year 1913, and from the item contained therein entitled "Contract or Open Order Service, Transportation, Transportation of Pupils, Borough of Brooklyn, 3554," a sum not to exceed \$50, said sum to be used for paying the carfares of the pupils attending the annex to said school located in the Borough of Brooklyn, and to be accounted for by vouchers to be subsequently submitted for approval.

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Education on December 11, 1912.

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

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to advance from time to time to the Principal of the School for the Deaf, Manhattan, from the Special School Fund of the Department of Education for the year 1913, and from the item contained therein entitled "Contract or Open Order Service, Transportation, Transportation of Pupils, Borough of Queens, 3555," a sum not to exceed \$20, said sum to be used for paying the carfares of the pupils attending the annex to said school located in the Borough of Queens, and to be accounted for by vouchers to be subsequently submitted for approval.

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Education on December 11, 1912.

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

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to advance from time to time to the Inspector of Classes for the Blind, from the special school fund of the Department of Education for the year 1913, and from the item contained therein entitled "Contract or Open Order Service, Transportation, Transportation of Pupils, Borough of Manhattan, 3552," a sum not to exceed \$150, said sum to be used for paying the carfares of pupils attending classes for the blind, also the guides who accompany them to and from school, in the Borough of Manhattan, and to be accounted for by vouchers to be subsequently submitted for approval.

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Education on December 11, 1912.

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

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen be, and it is hereby, requested to authorize the Comptroller to advance from time to time to the Inspector of Classes for the Blind, from the special school fund of the Department of Education for the year

1913, and from the item contained therein entitled "Contract or Open Order Service, Transportation, Transportation of Pupils, Borough of The Bronx, 3553," a sum not to exceed \$50, said sum to be used for paying the carfares of pupils attending classes for the blind, also the guides who accompany them to and from school, in the Borough of The Bronx, and to be accounted for by vouchers to be subsequently submitted for approval.

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Education on December 11, 1912.

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

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen be, and it is hereby, requested to authorize the Comptroller to advance from time to time to the Inspector of Classes for the Blind, from the special school fund of the Department of Education for the year 1913, and from the item contained therein entitled "Contract or Open Order Service, Transportation, Transportation of Pupils, Borough of Brooklyn, 3554," a sum not to exceed \$100, said sum to be used for paying the carfares of pupils attending classes for the blind, also the guides who accompany them to and from school, in the Borough of Brooklyn, and to be accounted for by vouchers to be subsequently submitted for approval.

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Education on December 11, 1912.

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

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to advance from time to time to the Inspector of Classes for the Blind, from the special school fund of the Department of Education for the year 1913, and from the item contained therein entitled "Contract or Open Order Service, Transportation, Transportation of Pupils, Borough of Queens, 3555," a sum not to exceed \$50, said sum to be used for paying the carfares of pupils attending classes for the blind, also the guides who accompany them to and from school, in the Borough of Queens, and to be accounted for by vouchers to be subsequently submitted for approval.

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Education on December 11, 1912.

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

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen be, and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to advance from time to time to the principal of the Manhattan Trade School for Girls, from the Special School Fund of the Department of Education for the year 1913, and from the item contained therein entitled "Supplies, Educational and Recreational Supplies, Manhattan Trade School, 3482," a sum not to exceed \$500, said sum to be used for petty cash expenses of the principal of the Manhattan Trade School for Girls, and to be accounted for by vouchers to be subsequently submitted for approval.

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Education on December 11, 1912.

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

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to advance from time to time to the Secretary of the Board of Education, from the special school fund of the Department of Education for the year 1913, and from the item contained therein entitled "Contract or Open Order Service, General Plant Service, Contingencies, Board of Education, 3577," a sum not to exceed \$1,000, said sum to be used for petty cash expenses of the Board of Education, and to be accounted for by vouchers to be subsequently submitted for approval.

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Education, December 11, 1912.

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Board of Trustees of Normal College:

No. 2427.

Board of Trustees of the Normal College of The City of New York, Office, Hall of Board of Education, Park Ave. and 59th St., New York, December 16, 1912.

Hon. JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—I have the honor to transmit herewith certified copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Trustees of the Normal College of The City of New York at an adjourned meeting held on December 11, 1912, requesting the Board of Aldermen to pass a resolution permitting the Board of Trustees to procure books, chemical, physical and scientific apparatus and material, etc., during the year 1913 at an expense not to exceed \$15,000 without public letting. Respectfully yours,

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

Whereas, The supplies required by the Normal College of The City of New York and its several departments are of so varied a character and used in such comparatively small quantities; and

Whereas, It has been estimated that the cost of preparing, printing and advertising according to law a supply list such as that of the Board of Education would involve an expenditure greater than ten per cent. of the total appropriation for such supplies; be it

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen be requested to grant permission to the Trustees of the Normal College of The City of New York to procure such books, chemical, physical and scientific apparatus and material, and such other supplies as may be purchased from the advertised list of the Board of Education for the purposes of the Normal College, the High School, and the Model School, or Training Department, during the year 1913, at an expense not to exceed \$15,000, without public letting.

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Trustees of the Normal College on December 11, 1912.

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Letting.

The President laid before the Board the following communications from the President, Borough of Manhattan:

No. 2428.

City of New York, Office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, City Hall, December 10, 1912.

Honorable JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen, New York City:

Dear Sir—I am directed by the Borough President to transmit for the consideration of your Board a resolution authorizing the President of the Borough of Manhattan to number the houses on Van Corlear place. This street has never been numbered, and the owners of property there are requesting that numbers be assigned to their houses. Respectfully,

JULIAN B. BEATY, Secretary to the President.

Resolved, That the President of the Borough of Manhattan be and he hereby is authorized and directed to assign proper numbers to each of the lots on Van Corlear place throughout its entire length.

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

No. 2429.

Office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, New York, December 16, 1912.

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

Dear Sirs—On July 9, 1912, your Board adopted a report of its Committee on Public Buildings and Markets containing the following recommendations:

- "1. That the City, through its proper officers, take immediate steps to place the market (Fulton) in a habitable condition.
- "2. That the standholders pay an increased rental sufficient to cover the cost of administration and maintenance; interest charges upon a fair valuation of the property and interest, sinking fund charges upon the new investment that may be necessary to put the property in proper condition.
- "3. That written leases be made with the standholders for a period of years with a privilege of renewal."

This report of your Committee was made in response to a communication from the Borough President and the Comptroller, recommending the abolishment of the market on the ground that it was being operated at a serious loss to the City.

Upon receipt of advice of this action of your Board, the Borough President caused a careful investigation to be made by the Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, and is now advised that it would require at least \$60,000 to place the market in good condition. He is further advised by the Finance Department that if this amount is expended for repairs, the rentals will have to be increased at least 26 per cent., and that none of the standholders will agree to pay more than 15 per cent. increase. Furthermore, two of the largest tenants have moved, or are now about to move out, which will make necessary an even larger increase than 26 per cent.

It is apparent, therefore, that the second recommendation of your Board cannot be carried out. I am, therefore, submitting these facts for your consideration, and would suggest that the matter be again referred to your Committee for a reconsideration of the recommendation that extensive repairs should be made to the building.



The Comptroller and I are both of the opinion that the market should be abandoned. If your Board should still fail to agree with us, it will be necessary for me to ask for an appropriation of at least \$60,000 to make the necessary repairs, without any prospect of securing an increase in the rentals sufficient to cover the carrying charges: so that the market will continue to be operated at a constantly increasing loss to the City.

Pending the determination of your Board, I will be able to make necessary repairs to the market through the use of the mechanical squads in the Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices. It will be impossible, however, for me to undertake to make any extensive repairs, or to guard against any unexpected damage that might result from severe snowstorms, etc.

A copy of the schedules furnished by the Comptroller's office, showing the assessed valuation, cost of operation and necessary increase in rental in order to cover carrying charges, is attached hereto. Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE McANENY, President, Borough of Manhattan.

Assessed valuation .....	Fulton Market.	\$525,000 00
Cost of operation, cleaning, etc. (1911) .....		\$6,811 75
Collector's salary (1911) .....		675 00
Market stationery (1911) .....		940 37
Lighting (1911) .....		504 23
Repairs (1911) .....		3,000 00
Supervision, clerical labor, etc., estimated (1911) .....		1,000 00
Total maintenance cost (1911) .....		\$12,931 35
Add loss by exemption from taxation (1911) .....		9,228 98
Add 4 per cent. interest on assessed valuation (1911) .....		21,000 00
Total .....		\$43,160 33
Rentals .....		36,214 40
Net cost (or loss) to City .....		\$6,945 93
Cost of rehabilitation of market .....		\$47,500 00
Additional annual expense therefrom—		
Depreciation at 5 per cent. on cost .....		\$2,375 00
Interest at 4 per cent. on cost .....		1,900 00
Additional annual cost .....		\$4,275 00
Present annual deficit .....		—6,945 93
Total necessary increase in rentals .....		\$11,220 93
Present rentals .....		36,214 40
Estimated necessary rentals .....		\$47,435 33
Space rented, inside stands .....	Square Feet.	23,291.7
Space rented, outside stands .....		2,355
Add space occupied by unnecessary aisles .....		934
		26,580.7
Average present rental per square foot (25,647.7 square feet), \$1.41 plus.		
Average necessary rental per square foot (26,580.7 square feet), \$1.78 plus.		
Necessary annual increase per square foot, 26 per cent. or 37 cents.		
Loss by exemption from taxation on assessed valuation of the property...		\$9,228 00
Depreciation annually .....		3,000 00
Interest, 4 per cent. on assessed valuation .....		22,880 00
Sinking Fund, based on fifteen years .....		8,100 00
		\$43,208 00

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Buildings and Markets.

#### REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Reports of Committee on Finance—

No. 2292—(G. O. No. 302).

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on December 3, 1912 (Minutes, page 472), the annexed request from the President of the Borough of Richmond for approval of a certain site in Rosebank for the Bureau of Street Cleaning, respectfully

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That, upon an opinion from the Corporation Counsel, hereto attached, and having examined the subject, it believes the proposed addition to be necessary, and to be now acquired for a proper and reasonable sum. This strip will round out the plot already belonging to the City in such a way as greatly to enhance its availability and consequent value. It therefore recommends that the accompanying ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE selecting a site to be acquired for municipal purposes in the care and under the jurisdiction of the Bureau of Street Cleaning of the President of the Borough of Richmond.

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

Section 1. The Board of Aldermen hereby selects as a site to be acquired for municipal purposes in the care and under the jurisdiction of the Bureau of Street Cleaning of the President of the Borough of Richmond, the following described lands and premises located in Rosebank, in the County of Richmond, in The City of New York, to wit:

"Beginning at a point on the westerly side of Tompkins ave., said point of beginning being the northeasterly corner of land occupied by the Clifton Refuse Destructor, which was conveyed to The City of New York October 4, 1907.

1.—Thence in a northwesterly direction 101.92 feet along the westerly side of Tompkins ave. to the right of way of the Staten Island Railway.

2.—Thence deflecting to the left 92 degrees 53 minutes 40 seconds in a southwesterly direction along said railroad right of way 12 feet.

3.—Thence deflecting to the left 24 degrees 43 minutes in a southwesterly direction along said railroad right of way 231.27 feet.

4.—Thence deflecting to the left 153 degrees 56 minutes 30 seconds in a northeasterly direction along the northerly line of land above mentioned, conveyed to The City of New York, October 4, 1907, 217 feet to the point of beginning.

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

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

Section 4. The Clerk of this Board is hereby directed to prepare two similar surveys, maps or plans of said lands and premises and file the same—one in the office of this Board and the other in the office of the Clerk of the County of Richmond.

Section 5. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

HENRY H. CURRAN, BRYANT WILLARD, HENRY F. GRIMM, JOHN DIEMER, THOS. J. MULLIGAN, C. AUGUSTUS POST, Committee on Finance.

The City of New York, Office of the President of the Borough of Richmond, Borough Hall, New Brighton, New York City, November 22, 1912.

Honorable Board of Aldermen, City Hall, New York:

Gentlemen—Several years ago, the city purchased a piece of property near the intersection of the right of way of the Staten Island Railway Company and Tompkins ave., Rosebank, for purposes of erecting thereon the various structures connected with the Clifton refuse destructor. Money for the various features of this work has been provided and the main destructor and its approach have already been completed. We could not at the time secure a small piece of property at the actual intersection of the railroad and the avenue, but recently the owners have expressed willingness to sell and upon very reasonable terms and within the total of moneys previously made available for the purpose of street cleaning property.

There are a few old and almost worthless buildings upon the land which the city would remove and utilize the site for some of the structures connected with the destructor, engineer's cottage, store rooms, etc.

If purchase is authorized at once, the owners will do nothing toward improving or replacing the present structures; if the city does not act promptly, however, they will withdraw their offer to sell, and develop the property so far as possible as a tax-paying and profitable enterprise. It is exceedingly desirable that the city should own the land for reasons of convenience and to avoid a possible injury to the city's adjoining holdings.

We would ask the Board, therefore, to select this piece of property, of which we submit sketch, as a site to be acquired for municipal purposes, in the care of the Bureau of Street Cleaning of the President of the Borough of Richmond.

Yours very truly, GEORGE CROMWELL, President of the Borough.

Int No. 2292.

December 5, 1912.

Honorable ARCHIBALD R. WATSON, Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, Hall of Records, New York:

Sir—The following is a copy of a request from the President of the Borough of Richmond to the Board of Aldermen to designate a site, being Introductory No. 2292, introduced in the Board of Aldermen on Tuesday, December 3, 1912:

"Gentlemen—Several years ago, the City purchased a piece of property near the intersection of the right of way of the Staten Island Railway Company and Tompkins ave., Rosebank, for purposes of erecting thereon the various structures connected with the Clifton Refuse Destructor. Money for the various features of this work has been provided and the main destructor and its approach have already been completed. We could not at the time secure a piece of property at the actual intersection of the railroad and the avenue, but recently the owners have expressed willingness to sell and upon very reasonable terms and within the total of moneys previously made available for the purpose of street cleaning property.

"There are a few and almost worthless buildings upon the land which the City would remove and utilize the site for some of the structures connected with the destructor, Engineer's cottage, store rooms, etc.

"If purchase is authorized at once, the owners will do nothing toward improving or replacing the present structure; if the City does not act promptly, however, they will withdraw their offer to sell, and develop the property so far as possible as a tax-paying and profitable enterprise. It is exceedingly desirable that the City should own the land for reasons of convenience and to avoid a possible injury to the City's adjoining holdings.

"We would ask the Board, therefore, to select this piece of property, of which we submit sketch, as a site to be acquired for municipal purposes, in the care of the Bureau of Street Cleaning of the President of the Borough of Richmond. Yours very truly, GEORGE CROMWELL, President."

For the information of the Committee on Finance of the Board of Aldermen, to which this matter has been referred, I ask your opinion as to the power of the Board of Aldermen as to this matter. If I may have this advice in time to lay before the Committee at its meeting on Monday, at noon, it would be of great assistance.

Very respectfully, HENRY H. CURRAN.

City of New York, Law Department, Office of the Corporation Counsel, New York, December 9, 1912.

Hon. HENRY H. CURRAN, Chairman, Committee on Finance, Board of Aldermen:

Sir—I am in receipt of your communication, under date of December 5, 1912, reading as follows:

"The following is a copy of a request from the President of the Borough of Richmond to the Board of Aldermen to designate a site, being Introductory No. 2292, introduced in the Board of Aldermen on Tuesday, December 3, 1912:

"Gentlemen—Several years ago, the City purchased a piece of property near the intersection of the right of way of the Staten Island Railway Company and Tompkins ave., Rosebank, for purposes of erecting thereon the various structures connected with the Clifton Refuse Destructor. Money for the various features of this work has been provided and the main destructor and its approach have already been completed. We could not at the time secure a piece of property at the actual intersection of the railroad and the avenue, but recently the owners have expressed willingness to sell and upon very reasonable terms and within the total of moneys previously made available for the purpose of street cleaning property.

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"We would ask the Board, therefore, to select this piece of property, of which we submit sketch, as a site to be acquired for municipal purposes, in the care of the Bureau of Street Cleaning of the President of the Borough of Richmond. Yours very truly, GEORGE CROMWELL, President."

For the information of the Committee on Finance of the Board of Aldermen, to which this matter has been referred, I ask your opinion as to the power of the Board of Aldermen as to this matter. If I may have this advice in time to lay before the Committee at its meeting on Monday, at noon, it would be of great assistance."

I am informed by the President of the Borough of Richmond that the purpose for which the property mentioned in your communication is proposed to be acquired pertains entirely to the business of street cleaning, and the structure to be erected thereon is to be an addition to the Clifton Refuse Destructor, of a durable character, intended to be used for a term of years.

The power to select this property for acquisition by The City of New York, for the above mentioned purposes, is, therefore, governed by section 546 of the Greater New York Charter, which provides that the Borough Presidents of Queens and Richmond may,

"with the approval of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, purchase or construct stock or plant, including houses, dumping boards or places or buildings, or structures necessary for any purpose pertaining to the business of street cleaning, of durable character, intended to be used for a term of years, to be paid for by the issue and sale of bonds \* \* \*."

The power of the Borough Presidents of Queens and Richmond, under this section, to select property for street cleaning purposes, was the subject of an opinion by me to Hon. Frank L. Dowling, your predecessor as Chairman of the Committee on Finance, under date of April 4, 1910, in which I came to the conclusion that the President of the Borough of Richmond has power, under section 546, to purchase real property, either improved or unimproved, subject to the approval of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and with the assent of the Comptroller, without requiring the approval or concurrence of the Board of Aldermen. It was noted in that opinion that the Board of Aldermen has concurrent power, by section 47 of the Charter, to select land for acquisition by The City of New York for the same purposes, but that such power was not exclusive.

I am of the opinion, therefore, that the President of the Borough of Richmond has ample power to select the property in question for the purposes intended, and to contract for the acquisition thereof, subject to the approval of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and the assent of the Comptroller, without requiring action by your Board.

I am also of the opinion that the Board of Aldermen has concurrent power to select the property in question, for acquisition by The City of New York, under the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, subject, of course, to the approval of the selection by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment. In each of the foregoing instances, it is to be understood that funds have been duly provided for the purpose. Yours respectfully,

G. L. STERLING, Acting Corporation Counsel.

Which was laid over.

No. 2360—(S. O. No. 146).

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on December 10, 1912 (Minutes, page 510), the annexed request from the Corporation Counsel for \$6,000 special revenue bonds for payment of two Consulting Engineers employed as experts for the City, respectfully



REPORTS:

That the details of this application are set forth in the letter of request. It appears that experts were a necessity in a case of great importance, and that there exist no funds available for their payment. The Committee believes that these men were needed and should be paid, and it therefore recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds to the amount of six thousand dollars (\$6,000), the proceeds whereof to be used by the Corporation Counsel for the purpose of compensating Clarence L. Hudson and Henry W. Hodge for services as experts for the City in action brought by the Pennsylvania Steel Company in connection with contract for construction of the steel superstructure of the Blackwells Island Bridge.

HENRY H. CURRAN, ROBERT F. DOWNING, BRYANT WILLARD, HENRY F. GRIMM, JOHN DIEMER, THOS. J. MULLIGAN, C. AUGUSTUS POST, Committee on Finance.

City of New York, Law Department, Office of the Corporation Counsel, New York, December 3, 1912.

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

Sirs—In the action of Pennsylvania Steel Company vs. The City of New York, it became necessary to employ Clarence L. Hudson and Henry W. Hodge, consulting engineers, as experts for the City.

The action was brought to recover the sum of \$183,464.41, with interest from the 26th day of September, 1908, which the Pennsylvania Steel Company alleged was the balance due under the contract made the 20th day of November, 1903, between The City of New York and the Pennsylvania Steel Company, for the construction of the steel superstructure of the Blackwell's Island Bridge over the East River between the Boroughs of Manhattan and Queens.

I have agreed with each of these experts that \$3,000 is a reasonable compensation for their services and they have each rendered a bill for that amount.

These bills would be payable from the appropriation for contingencies. The amount expended by this department for contingencies during 1911 was \$95,300, but in the budget for 1912, the appropriation was limited to \$83,000. There was on November 15, 1912, a balance in the appropriation for contingencies for 1912 amounting to \$22,500. The disbursements paid from the 1911 appropriation after November 15 of that year amounted to \$32,800. It is apparent, therefore, that there will be a deficiency in this appropriation for 1912 of about \$10,000.

Under these circumstances, it does not seem wise to certify these bills for payment from the appropriation, and I am obliged to ask for an issue of special revenue bonds to meet this expense.

The services rendered by these two experts were of great importance and covered a period of about six months, from March 28, 1912, to October 17, 1912, and, in addition, they both testified upon the trial of the action for The City of New York. The services rendered by the experts, in detail, are as follows: They personally checked all computations which had been made by a corps of engineers over a period of seven or eight months in an endeavor to find out the capacity of the bridge and whether or not it had been built according to the contract. It was necessary also to compare all the invoices of steel which were forwarded from the Steel Company to the City, and necessary to check up the dead load distribution. It was also necessary to prepare stress sheets for live loads in continuous stretches and live loads in discontinuous stretches. They had to prepare reports and drawings showing the members of the bridge that were over-stressed if loaded according to the contract, and showing all stresses which exceeded those specified by the contract. It was necessary also to prepare testimony for the trial of the action and to testify upon the trial in reference to all of the above facts, as well as the size and dimensions of all members of the bridge that were in question.

I, therefore, ask that your Honorable Board request the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds amounting to \$6,000 to pay these two bills. Yours respectfully,

ARCHIBALD R. WATSON, Corporation Counsel.

Which was laid over.

No. 2362—(G. O. No. 303).

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on December 10, 1912 (Minutes, page 510), the annexed resolution in favor of authorizing the District Attorney of New York County to draw from time to time from Contingency account to an amount not exceeding \$2,000, respectfully

REPORTS:

That it appears that the present authorization of \$1,000 is at times found to be insufficient, and, in order to facilitate in every way the work of this important office, the Committee recommends that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That, for the purpose of defraying any minor or incidental expenses contingent to the District Attorney's office, New York County, the District Attorney may, by requisition, draw upon the Comptroller for a sum not exceeding two thousand dollars. The District Attorney may, in like manner, renew the draft as often as may by him be deemed necessary, to the extent of the appropriation set apart for Contingencies of the District Attorney's office, New York County, but no such renewal shall be made until the money paid upon the preceding draft shall be accounted for to the Comptroller by the transmittal of a voucher or vouchers certified by the District Attorney, covering the expenditure of money paid thereon.

Provided, however, that upon the receipt of vouchers showing the payment of moneys upon the said draft, to the extent of one thousand dollars, the Comptroller may draw his warrant to the order of the District Attorney, New York County, for the sum of one thousand dollars in part disbursement of the advance of two thousand dollars.

HENRY H. CURRAN, ROBERT F. DOWNING, BRYANT WILLARD, HENRY F. GRIMM, JOHN DIEMER, THOS. J. MULLIGAN, C. AUGUSTUS POST, Committee on Finance.

Which was laid over.

No. 2364—(S. O. No. 147).

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on December 10, 1912. (Minutes page 514) the annexed request of the Sheriff of Richmond County for \$1,118.39 special revenue bonds, for deficiencies in 1911 account, respectfully

REPORTS:

That the details of this application are given in the letter of request, and the supplemental letter of explanation hereto attached. The committee believes these bills

CITY OF NEW YORK, BOARD OF TRUSTEES, BELLEVUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS.

Summary of Statements of Conditions of Appropriations Showing the Probable Balance or Deficit on December 31, 1912.

Title of Appropriation.	Amount.	Payments.	Balance.	Balance of Contracts and Open Market Order Encumbrances.	Balance or Deficit November 30, 1912.	Contracts and Estimated Open Market Orders to December 31, 1912.	Probable Balance or Deficit December 31, 1912.	Revenue Bonds.	Additional Funds Required.	Available for Transfer.
221 Supplies and Materials, Operation, 1912 ....	\$508,700 00	\$406,517 68	\$102,182 32	\$113,874 66	*\$11,692 34	\$37,117 98	*\$48,810 32	\$30,000 00	\$18,810 32	.....
222 Supplies and Materials, Maintenance, 1912....	20,300 00	17,581 52	2,718 48	8,014 45	*5,295 97	750 00	*6,045 97	.....	6,045 97	.....
223 Repairs and Replacements by Contract or Open Order, Maintenance, 1912.....	35,650 00	33,220 59	2,429 41	22,090 34	*19,660 93	1,000 00	*20,660 93	.....	20,660 93	.....
224 Repairs to Furniture and Fittings, Maintenance, 1912.....	1,600 00	1,078 92	521 08	421 75	†99 33	99 33	.....	.....	.....	.....
225 Housing, Storage and Repairs of Apparatus, Machines, Harness and Vehicles, except Automobiles, Maintenance, 1912...	4,650 00	4,592 89	57 11	3,356 06	*3,298 95	.....	*3,298 95	.....	3,298 95	.....

to be legitimate liens on the City, and therefore, recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds to the amount of one thousand, one hundred and eighteen 39-100 dollars (\$1,118.39), the proceeds whereof to be used by the Sheriff of Richmond County for the purpose of paying certain bills incurred by said office during 1911.

HENRY H. CURRAN, ROBERT F. DOWNING, BRYANT WILLARD, HENRY F. GRIMM, JOHN DIEMER, THOS. J. MULLIGAN, C. AUGUSTUS POST, Committee on Finance.

Sheriff's Office, Richmond County, Richmond, N. Y., December 7, 1912.

Honorable Board of Aldermen, New York City, N. Y.:

Gentlemen—I respectfully request your honorable Board to recommend the issuance of Special Revenue Bonds to pay for the following bills for food supplies, etc., for the Richmond County Jail for the year 1911, the appropriation being inadequate for that purpose:

M. McQuade & Co. (forage, November and December, 1911)..... \$63.77  
Holtermann Bros. (bread, November and December, 1911)..... 150.12  
Thos. J. Vaughan (meat, October, November and December, 1911)..... 832.20  
Lockwood & Colton (drugs, November and December, 1911)..... 16.80  
Edward C. Kunath (ice, November and December, 1911)..... 55.50

Total .....\$1,118.39  
Respectfully, JOHN J. COLLINS, Sheriff, Richmond County.

Int. No. 2364.

December 12, 1912.

Hon. JOHN J. COLLINS, Sheriff of Richmond County, Richmond, Staten Island:

Dear Sir—Relative to your request for the issuance of special revenue bonds for the payment of various accounts of the Richmond County Jail for the year 1911, I wish to ask if you will please let me have a full explanation, in writing, at your earliest convenience, as to why this 1911 deficit has been allowed to slumber for almost twelve months before you ask for payment of them by the City; also, why were they incurred in excess of the appropriation? Very truly yours,

HENRY H. CURRAN.

Sheriff's Office, Richmond County, Richmond, N. Y., December 14, 1912.

Hon. HENRY H. CURRAN:

Dear Sir—In reply to your letter of the 12th in reference to my request for the issuance of special revenue bonds, Int. No. 2364, I beg to advise you that I had made application to the Board of Estimate early last spring for the transfer of certain moneys from my Budget appropriation of 1911, which was fully acted on November 27, 1912. Until this was done it was impossible for me to estimate the accurate amount needed in special revenue bonds to meet the necessary expenses of the Richmond County Jail for the year 1911. I would further state that it is impossible to estimate the number of prisoners to be fed in any one year, and for that reason and also the further reason of inadequate appropriations in the Budget I was compelled to incur those expenses. Yours very truly,

JOHN J. COLLINS, Sheriff, Richmond County.

Which was laid over.

No. 2367—(S. O. No. 148).

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on December 10, 1912 (Minutes, page 515), the annexed request from the Trustees of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals for \$51,760.61 special revenue bonds for deficiencies of 1912, respectfully

REPORTS:

That having examined the subject, it believes the proposed allowance to be necessary. It feels, however, that it may be possible for the Department to secure a portion of this sum from other departments by transfer, and for that reason it now allows \$25,000 and retains the remainder on the calendar until the next meeting to give an opportunity to the Department to apply for transfers. It recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds to the amount of twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000), the proceeds whereof to be used by the Trustees of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals for the purpose of meeting deficiencies in 1912 accounts.

All obligations contracted for hereunder to be incurred on or before December 31, 1912.

HENRY H. CURRAN, ROBERT F. DOWNING, BRYANT WILLARD, HENRY F. GRIMM, JOHN DIEMER, THOS. J. MULLIGAN, C. AUGUSTUS POST, Committee on Finance.

No. 2367.

Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, Office of the Board of Trustees, First Avenue and 26th Street, New York, December 10, 1912.

Hon. JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen, New York City:

Sir—The trustees of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals have the honor to request the Board of Aldermen to authorize the issue of Special Revenue Bonds to an amount not exceeding \$51,760.61, as follows:

202. Bellevue Hospital, Operation, Salaries, Temporary Employees, Trained Nurses .....\$1,591.05  
221. Supplies and Materials, Operation..... 18,810.32  
222. Supplies and Materials, maintenance..... 6,045.97  
223. Repairs and Replacements by Contract or Open Order, maintenance ..... 20,660.93  
225. Housing, storage and repairs of apparatus, machines, harness and vehicles, except automobiles, maintenance..... 3,300.00  
233. Purchase and original equipment of apparatus machines, vehicles and harness, except automobiles, operation..... 1,352.34

Total .....\$51,760.61

These sums are necessary to meet deficits in the appropriations named, and a statement giving in detail the reasons for the necessity of this request is attached.

Respectfully, J. K. PAULDING, Secretary, Board of Trustees. (By George O'Hanlon.)



Title of Appropriation.	Amount.	Payments.	Balance.	Balance of Contracts and Open Mar- ket Order Encum- brances.	Balance or Deficit November 30, 1912.	Contracts and Estimated Open Market Orders to December 31, 1912.	Probable Balance or Deficit December 31, 1912.	Revenue Bonds.	Additional Funds Required.	Available for Transfer.
226 Maintenance, Repairs and Storage of Au- tomobiles, Mainte- nance, 1912 .....	6,000 00	5,182 91	817 09	1,595 13	*778 04	.....	*778 04	.....	778 04	.....
227 Shoeing and Boarding Horses, including Veterinary Service, Maintenance, 1912...	2,396 00	2,053 00	343 00	353 30	*10 30	.....	*10 30	.....	10 30	.....
228 Fuel, Operation, 1912..	77,500 00	63,772 71	13,727 29	11,485 65	†2,241 64	11,735 00	*9,493 36	10,000 00	.....	506 64
229 Forage, Operation, 1912 .....	6,214 00	5,141 33	1,072 67	481 92	†590 75	590 75	.....	.....	.....	.....
230 Telephone Service, Op- eration, 1912 .....	6,000 00	4,077 80	1,922 20	1,404 86	†517 34	517 34	.....	.....	.....	.....
231 Contingencies, Admin- istration, 1912 .....	4,700 00	4,000 00	700 00	.....	†700 00	600 00	†100 00	.....	.....	100 00
232 Contingencies, Opera- tion, 1912 .....	3,600 00	2,609 02	990 98	626 18	†364 80	364 80	.....	.....	.....	.....
233 Purchase and Original Equipment of Appa- ratus, Machines, Harness and Ve- hicles, except Auto- mobiles, Operation, 1912 .....	800 00	794 80	5 20	6,357 54	*6,352 34	.....	*6,352 34	5,000 00	1,352 34	.....
234 Purchase of Furniture and Fittings, Opera- tion, 1912 .....	9,000 00	8,987 99	12 01	4,770 27	*4,758 26	241 74	*5,000 00	5,000 00	.....	.....
235 Purchase and Original Equipment of Auto- mobiles, Operation, 1912 .....	11,290 00	5,495 65	5,794 35	5,794 00	†35	.....	.....	.....	.....	35
Totals .....	\$698,400 00	\$565,106 81	\$133,293 19	\$180,626 11	*\$47,332 92	\$53,016 94	*\$100,349 86	\$50,000 00	\$50,956 85	\$606 99

\* Deficit. † Balance.

Which was laid over.

## Reports of Committee on Laws and Legislation—

Nos. 87, 88 and 89.

Report and substitute ordinances as follows:

The Committee on Laws and Legislation, to which was recommended, on May 14, 1912 (Minutes, pages 481, 482), introductory Nos. 87, 88 and 89, the same being ordinances in relation to motion picture theatres in the City of New York, respectfully

## REPORTS:

That, after further consideration, it has slightly amended the same by inserting proper enacting clauses, and, further, by inserting an amendment to section 352h, requiring existing motion picture shows, if the seating capacity be increased above the present limits allowed, to comply with certain provisions of the ordinances.

These ordinances will materially improve the light, ventilation and sanitation of motion picture theatres in the City of New York and greatly reduce the fire hazard, and make possible moving picture shows in the future in accordance with modern requirements. They were drawn by the Committee appointed by his Honor the Mayor, and their enactment into law has been especially urged by him in a special message to the Board of Aldermen. They have been endorsed by numerous chari-

table organizations, among them the following:  
The Brooklyn Association of Neighborhood Workers.  
The People's Institute (Recreation Committee).  
The East Side Local Needs Association.  
The American League Social Service.  
The Local Needs Association of the Borough of Manhattan.  
The Friendly House Association of Brooklyn.  
The Hebrew Educational Society of Brooklyn.  
The New York School of Philanthropy.  
The East Side House Settlement.  
The Union Settlement.  
Church of the Messiah, Brooklyn.  
East Harlem Presbyterian Church and Neighborhood Centre of Manhattan.  
The Men's League.  
The Calvary Baptist Church of 57th st., Manhattan.  
The Inter-Church League for Social Service, Manhattan.  
The Harlem Federation Settlement House.  
The Presbyterian Church of Sea and Land, Manhattan.  
The Jacob H. Riis Neighborhood Settlement.  
The Pilgrim Brotherhood, Manhattan.  
The Men's Association of the Brick Presbyterian Church, Manhattan.  
The Men's Club of Holy Trinity Church, Manhattan.  
The Laity League for Social Service.  
Sons of the American Revolution.  
City Club.  
Recreation Alliance.

And in addition many individuals of prominence in philanthropic work in all the Boroughs of the City.

The enactment of these ordinances will extend to the motion picture patrons to a larger degree the comforts, conveniences and protection now afforded only the wealthy patronizing the high priced theatres.

The Committee respectfully urges the adoption of these ordinances as thus slightly amended and reported out herewith, as a substitute for the ordinances recommended to this Committee for further consideration on May 14, 1912, as aforesaid.

COURTLANDT NICOLL, O. GRANT ESTERBROOK, WILLIAM D. BRUSH, BRYANT WILLARD, JOHN A. BOLLES, W. H. PENDRY, JAMES HAMILTON, Committee on Laws and Legislation.

## SUBSTITUTES.

The Folk Ordinances Regulating Motion Picture Theatres, Amended.

## No. 87.

An amendment, providing license fees for motion picture theatres.

Be it ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York as follows: Section 308, article II., title II., chapter 7, of the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York, is hereby amended to read as follows:

308. The annual license fees shall be as below enumerated: For each public cart or truck, \$2; for each public hack coach, \$3; for each public hack cab, \$2; for each special hack coach, \$5; for each special hack cab, \$3; for each express wagon, \$5; for each junk shop dealer, \$20; for each dealer in second-hand articles, \$25; for each junk cart or boat, \$5; for each peddler using horse and wagon, \$8; for each peddler using push cart, \$4; for each peddler carrying merchandise, \$2; for each ticket speculator, \$50; for each coal scalper, \$250; for each common show, \$25; for each open air motion picture theatre, \$50; for each motion picture theatre, \$100; for each public shooting gallery, \$5; for each public bowling alley, \$5; for each public billiard table, \$3; for each dirt cart, \$1; for each general hoisting, \$25; for each special hoisting, \$1; for each fruit or soda water stand, or booth, \$10; for each newspaper or periodical stand, or both, and in addition also a fruit or soda water, or both, \$15; for each movable newspaper stand, \$1; for each newspaper and periodical stand, or both, \$5; for each chair of a bootblack stand, \$5; for each stand under elevated railroad stations, \$10; for each driver of any licensed vehicle, 50 cents.

## No. 88.

An amendment to license motion picture theatres.

Be it ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York as follows: Section 305, article I., title II., chapter 7 of the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York, is hereby amended to read as follows:

305. The following businesses must be duly licensed as herein provided, namely, public cartmen, truckmen, hackmen, cabmen, expressmen, drivers, junk dealers, dealers in second-hand articles, hawkers, peddlers, venders, ticket speculators, coal scalpers, common shows, motion picture theatres, open air motion picture theatres, shooting galleries, bowling alleys, billiard tables, dirt carts, exterior hoists and stands within stoop lines and under the stairs of the elevated stations.

## No. 89.

An ordinance relative to motion picture theatres.

Be it ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York as follows: Chapter 7, Title 2, Article 3, Section 352—Motion Pictures and Motion Picture Theatres.

## 352a.

Motion pictures shall be deemed a display on a screen or other device whereby pictures are displayed of characters or objects in motion, whether or not accompanied by music, lecture, recitation or song.

## 352b.

A motion picture theatre shall be deemed any public hall or room in The City of New York in which motion pictures are exhibited, in which the seating capacity does not exceed 600, and in which there is no stage or scenery.

An open air motion picture theatre shall be deemed any public place or space in the open air in The City of New York in which motion pictures are exhibited, and in which there is no stage or scenery.

The Mayor shall appoint such Inspectors as shall be necessary to carry out the provisions of this ordinance. They shall be known as "Motion Picture Theatre Inspectors," and shall be paid such compensation as shall be fixed by the Board of Aldermen on recommendation of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

## 352c.

The Bureau of Licenses shall issue all motion picture licenses granted by the Mayor, and by authority of the Mayor shall regulate and control all motion picture theatres, provided:

1. Applicants for motion picture theatre licenses shall file plans and specifications of the motion picture theatre with the Bureau of Buildings of the Borough in which the motion picture theatre is to be situated, and must file a copy of such plans and specifications duly approved by the Superintendent of Buildings with the application for the license, which application shall be made to the Bureau of Licenses on blanks furnished by it for that purpose.

2. The Bureau of Licenses shall, without delay, upon the request of an applicant, pass upon the location of the motion picture theatre and upon the character of the applicant requesting the license.

3. The Bureau of Licenses shall request the Fire Department, Bureau of Buildings, Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, and Department of Health to inspect said theatres, and the said Departments shall file in the Bureau of Licenses, within ten days, detailed written reports, which shall include a statement of any violations of law, ordinances, rules and regulations, and any dangerous conditions. Upon the failure of any of said Departments to file detailed written reports in reply to the request of the Bureau of Licenses, the said Bureau may disregard said Department, and, in its discretion, may issue a license.

4. Until the provisions of this ordinance shall have been complied with, no license shall be issued.

## 352d.

1. Plans—Before the erection, construction or alteration of a building, or part thereof, to be used as a motion picture theatre, there must be filed with the Superintendent of Buildings complete plans and detailed statement as set forth in section 4 of the Building Code. The plans must show clearly and fully the location and width of all exits, passageways, stairs, fire escapes, aisles, etc.; arrangement of seats, size of floor beams, walls, supports, etc.; the location and construction of the inclosure for the motion picture light and machinery, and for other similar apparatus; a diagram of the lot or plot, showing outlets from all exits, and also such other statements, plans or details as may be required by the Superintendent of Buildings.

2. Prohibition—Motion picture theatres shall not be constructed in frame buildings within the fire limits nor in hotels, tenement houses or lodging houses; nor in factories or workshops, except where the theatre is separated from the rest of the building by unperforated fireproof walls and floors; and in no case shall they be constructed or operated above or below the ground floor of any building.

3. Exits and Courts—All such buildings must be provided on the main floor of the theatre with at least two separate exits, one of which shall be in the front and the other in the rear, both leading to unobstructed outlets on the street. Where the main floor of the theatre accommodates more than 300 people there shall be at least 3 sets of exits. The aggregate width in feet of such exits shall not be less than one-twentieth of the number of persons to be accommodated thereby. No exits shall be less than 5 feet in width and there shall be a main exit not less than 10 feet in total width.

In all such buildings to be erected or to be altered so as to be used for a motion picture theatre, if unobstructed exit to a street cannot be provided at the rear of such buildings, as herein specified, either an open court or a fireproof passage or corridor must be provided from rear exit to the street front, of at least the following width: 4 feet in the clear for theatres accommodating 100 persons or less, for every additional 100 persons the width to be increased 8 inches. Such passage must be constructed of fireproof material and must be at least 10 feet high in the clear. The walls forming such passage must be at least 8 inches thick, of brick or other approved fireproof material, and if there be a basement the wall on the auditorium side should either run 1 foot below the cellar bottom or may be carried in the cellar



on iron columns and girders properly fireproofed according to sections 106 and 107 of the Building Code.

The ceiling of said passage, and if there be a basement, the flooring must be constructed according to section 106 of the Building Code.

If unobstructed rear exit or exits to a street are provided the said exit or exits must be of the same total width required for the court or passage above mentioned.

Said passages and exits to the street, as above, must be used for no other purposes except for exit and entrance and must be kept free and clear.

The level of the open court or passage at the front of building shall not be greater than one step above the level of the sidewalk, and the grade shall not be more than 1 foot in 10, with no perpendicular rises.

All exit doors must be unlocked when building is open to the public. They must be fireproof and made to open outwardly, and so arranged as not to obstruct the required width of exit or court when opened. All doors leading to fire escapes must be not less than 40 inches wide in the clear, and shall be located at the opposite side or end of the gallery from other exit doors.

4. Galleries and Stairs—A gallery may be permitted, but it shall not include more than 25 per cent. of the total seating capacity of the theatre. Entrance to and exit from said gallery shall in no case lead to the main floor of the theatre, and the gallery shall be provided with a stair or stairs equipped with handrails on both sides. Stairs over 7 feet wide shall be provided with centre handrail. The risers of the stairs shall not exceed  $7\frac{3}{4}$  inches, and the treads, excluding nosings, shall be not less than  $9\frac{1}{2}$  inches. There shall be no circular or winding staircases.

The total width of the stairs shall not be less than 8 feet in the clear, where the gallery accommodates 150 people; for every 50 people less than 150 which the gallery accommodates said width may be reduced 1 foot.

Stairs shall be constructed of fireproof material, and such material and the bearing capacity of such stairs shall be approved by the Bureau of Buildings.

Galleries must also be provided with at least one line of fire escapes leading to an open court, fireproof passage or street without re-entering the same or any other building.

If the fire escape leads to a point in the court nearer the street than any exit, there must be a width of not less than 4 feet in the clear between the outer edge of the fire escape and the outer wall of the court.

5. Fire Escapes—All fire escapes must have balconies not less than 3 feet 4 inches in width in the clear, and not less than 4 feet 6 inches long, and from said balconies there shall be staircases extending to the ground level with a rise of not over  $7\frac{3}{4}$  inches, and a step of not less than  $9\frac{1}{2}$  inches, and the width of stairs must not be less than 3 feet 4 inches.

6. Auditorium and Other Rooms—If the walls of the auditorium contain wood studs, they shall be covered with either expanded metal lath or wire mesh and plastered with three coats of first-class plaster, or may be covered with metal on one-half inch plaster boards. The joints shall be properly filled with mortar.

The ceilings of all such rooms shall be plastered with three coats of first-class plaster on wire mesh or metal lath, or covered with one-half inch plaster boards and plastered or covered with metal.

If there be a basement or cellar, the ceiling under the auditorium floor must be plastered with three coats of first-class plaster on wire mesh or expanded metal lath, or may be covered with metal on one-half inch plaster boards.

The basement or cellar under the auditorium shall be kept free and clear except the space used for the heating apparatus, for machinery connected with the theatre, and for coal.

7. Construction of Booths—Apparatus for projecting motion pictures shall be enclosed in a booth or enclosure constructed so as to be fireproof, in accordance with the specifications of chapter 756 of the Laws of 1911. The booth shall be equipped with a vent flue, as prescribed in section 352E, paragraph 2, of this ordinance. Booths shall contain an approved fireproof box for the storage of films not on the projecting machine. Films shall not be stored in any other place on the premises; they shall be rewound and repaired either in the booth or in some other approved fireproof enclosure.

Where miniature motion picture machines are employed in connection with private exhibitions, the requirements of the above paragraph may be so modified as to permit instead of the regulation booth an approved fireproof box, unventilated, and of a size only sufficient to properly enclose the machine.

8. Gradients—To overcome any difference of level in and between corridors, lobbies and aisles, gradients of not over one foot in ten feet, or steps having a rise not over eight inches and a width of not less than ten inches must be used.

9. Aisles—All aisles in the auditorium and gallery must not be less than 3 feet wide in the clear. No aisle, passageway or space in the rear of the auditorium shall be obstructed by any camp stool, chair, sofa or settee, nor shall any person be permitted to stand or sit therein.

10. Chairs—All chairs in the auditorium, except those contained in the boxes, must not be less than 32 inches from back to back, and must be firmly secured to the floor. No seat in the auditorium shall have more than seven seats intervening between it and an aisle. The space occupied by each person shall be separated from the adjoining space by means of an arm or other suitable device.

11. Signs Over Exits—Over every exit there must be painted on the inside in letters not less than 6 inches high, the word "Exit" in legible type, and one red light or illuminated sign must be placed inside over each exit, and illuminated while the audience is present.

12. Floor Loads—The flooring of that portion of the building devoted to the uses or accommodation of the public must be of sufficient strength to bear safely a live load of 90 pounds per square foot.

13. Toilets—Toilets separate for sexes must be provided.

14. Fire Apparatus—Portable fire apparatus shall be provided of the following kind and number: Ten-quart capacity buckets, painted red, with the word "Fire" in black, the letters 4 inches high, to the number of 6, for places seating less than 300 without a gallery, and two additional if there be a gallery; to the number of 10 in places seating over 300 persons, and 4 additional if there be a gallery. There shall be two buckets containing dry sand kept in the operating booth; approved fire extinguishers of  $2\frac{1}{2}$  gallon capacity of the regulation Fire Department pattern, of which 2 shall be on the main floor and 2 in the gallery, if there be one, and 1 in the operating booth; 4-pound flat head axes, 2 of which shall be on the main floor and 2 in the gallery, if there be one.

## 352e.

1. Lighting—Every portion of a moving picture theatre, including exits, courts and corridors, devoted to the uses or accommodation of the public, shall be so lighted by electric light during all exhibitions and until the entire audience has left the premises, that a person with normal eyesight should be able to read the Snellen standard test type 40 at a distance of 20 feet, and type 30 at a distance of 10 feet; normal eyesight meaning ability to read type 20 at a distance of 20 feet in daylight. Cards showing types 20, 30 and 40 shall be displayed on the side walls, together with a copy of this paragraph of the ordinance.

2. Heating—When the temperature of the outdoor air is below 60 degrees F. the air in the theatre, while an audience is present, shall be maintained at a temperature not lower than 62 degrees F., nor higher than 70 degrees F.

If gas stoves, oil stoves or other apparatus throwing off products of combustion are used to heat motion picture theatres, said products of combustion must be carried to the outside air by means of a fireproof flue or flues.

No radiator shall be placed in the aisles so as to lessen the width below the minimum requirement.

3. Ventilation—Motion picture theatres having less than 200 cubic feet of air space for each person, or motion picture theatres in which the outside window and door area is less than one-eighth of the floor area, shall be provided with artificial means of ventilation which shall supply during the time the audience is present at least 500 cubic feet of fresh air per hour for each person.

Motion picture theatres having more than 200 cubic feet of air space for each person, or which have outside windows and doors, the area of which is equal to at least one-eighth of the floor area, shall be provided with artificial means of ventilation, which shall be in operation when the outside temperature requires the windows to be kept closed, and which shall supply during the time the audience is present, at least 500 cubic feet of fresh air per hour for each person. When the artificial ventilation is not in operation ventilation by means of open doors and windows shall be sufficient to provide each person with 500 cubic feet of fresh air per hour.

Motion picture theatres having more than 1,000 cubic feet of air space for each person and having outside windows and doors, the area of which is equal to at least

one-eighth of the total floor area, shall not be required to have artificial means of ventilation, provided the air is thoroughly changed by freely opening doors and windows immediately before the admission of the audience, and at least every 4 hours thereafter.

No part of the fresh air supply required by any of the above paragraphs of this section shall be taken from any source containing vitiated air.

The area of outside doors and windows shall mean the area capable of being freely opened to the outside air for ventilation purposes.

When fresh air is supplied by means of ventilating openings, at least one inlet shall be situated at one end of the room, and at least one outlet at the other end of the room. Where exhaust or inlet fans are necessary, at least one of such fans shall be placed in an outlet opening. The inlet opening or openings shall be placed in the floor or within 2 feet from the floor, and the outlet opening or openings in the ceiling or within 2 feet of the ceiling. The inlet openings and their surroundings shall be kept free from dust so that the incoming air shall not convey dust nor stir up dust as it enters.

During the time the audience is present the air in the theatre shall be kept continuously in motion by means of fans to the number of at least 1 to every 150 persons. Such fans shall be placed in positions remote from the inlet and outlet openings. No person shall be exposed to any direct draft from any air inlet.

The booth in which the picture machine is operated shall be provided with an opening in its roof or upper part of its side walls, leading to the outdoor air. The vent flue shall have a minimum cross sectional area of 50 square inches and shall be fireproof. When the booth is in use there shall be a constant current of air passing outward through said opening or vent flue at the rate of not less than 30 cubic feet per minute.

The specifications of the above paragraph shall apply to portable booths and booths in open air theatres.

## 352f.

Motion picture theatres must be kept clean and free from dust.

The floors where covered with wood, tiles, stone, concrete, linoleum, or other washable material, shall be mopped or scrubbed with water or swept with moisture, or by some other dustless method, at least once daily, and shall be scrubbed with water and soap, or water and some other solvent substance at least once weekly.

Carpets, rugs and other fabric floor coverings shall be cleaned at least once daily by means of suction cleaning, beating or dustless sweeping. Curtains and draperies shall be cleaned at least once monthly by suction cleaning, beating or washing. Cornices, walls and other dust-holding places shall be kept free from dust by washing or moist wiping. The wood and metal parts of all seats shall be kept clean. Fabric upholstery of seats and railings and other fixed fabrics shall be cleaned by suction cleaning, or other dustless method, at least once monthly.

## 352g.

Through its Motion Picture Inspectors, as provided in subsection "b" of this ordinance, the Bureau of Licenses shall inspect, subject to the authority of the Mayor, the character of exhibitions in motion picture theatres, and shall report to the Mayor any offense against morality, decency or public welfare contained in said exhibitions.

## 352h.

All the provisions contained in this ordinance shall apply to existing places of entertainment where motion pictures are exhibited under a common show license, in case the seating capacity be increased; and in case the seating capacity be not increased, all the provisions of this ordinance shall apply, except those provisions of subsection 352d designated as Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6, but the Bureau of Licenses shall have power in its discretion to enforce the provisions of said paragraph 3 of section 352d as to exits and courts.

## 352i.

Existing places of entertainment seating 300 persons or less, where motion pictures are exhibited in conjunction with any other form of entertainment, must comply, before a reissuance of its license, with the provisions of section 109 of the Building Code, covering theatres seating more than 300 persons. But if such existing place of entertainment discontinue all other form of entertainment except the exhibition of motion pictures, it may be licensed in accordance with the provisions of subsection "h."

## 352j.

With the exception of paragraph 7 of subsection "d," subsections "a" to "f," inclusive, and subsections "h," "i," "k" and "l" of this ordinance shall not apply to motion picture exhibitions with or without charge for admission, conducted under the direct management of educational or religious institutions, nor to motion picture exhibitions without charge for admission given or held not more than once a week in private residences or bona fide social, scientific, political or athletic clubs. Before motion pictures shall be exhibited in any of the places above mentioned, there shall be obtained from the Bureau of Licenses a permit for such exhibition. Before granting such permit, the Bureau of Licenses shall cause to be inspected the premises where such proposed exhibition will be held, and shall grant the permit if in its judgment the safety of the public be properly guarded, and provided that for an audience of more than 75 people all chairs or seats shall be securely fastened to the floor or fastened together in rows.

## 352k.

The Bureau of Licenses at its discretion shall specify the seating capacity for each open-air motion picture theatre. Aisles must be 4 feet wide, or wider, in the discretion of the Bureau of Licenses. At least two separate exits, remote from each other, shall be provided, and no exit shall be less than 5 feet in width. For every 25 persons to be accommodated in excess of 300, the total width of exits shall be increased one foot. All exits must be indicated by signs and red lights, and the doors must open outwardly. Seats must be stationary, with backs 32 inches apart, and so arranged that no seat shall have more than seven seats intervening between it and an aisle. The floor must be constructed either of wood with sleepers, or of concrete, and must extend at least 5 feet from the seats on all sides, provided, however, that in the discretion of the Bureau of Licenses, a gravel floor may be substituted for wood or concrete. Chairs must either be securely fastened to wood or concrete floor, or all chairs in a row must be fastened together, and at least four rows must be securely fastened to one frame, except that where refreshments are served, tables and unattached chairs or benches used with them may be permitted.

## 352l.

Only subsections 352a, 352b, 352c, 352d and paragraphs 7 and 13, and 352g, 352j and 352k of this ordinance shall apply to open air motion picture theatres.

## 352m.

This ordinance shall take effect thirty days after its approval by the Mayor. All other rules, regulations and ordinances inconsistent herewith and affecting buildings and places to be occupied as herein defined are hereby revoked.

Report and original ordinances as follows:

The Committee on Laws and Legislation, to which was recommended, on May 14, 1912 (Minutes, pages 481, 482), Introductory Nos. 87, 88 and 89, the same being ordinances in relation to motion picture theatres in The City of New York, respectfully

## REPORTS:

That, after further consideration, it has slightly amended the same by inserting proper enacting clauses, and, further, by inserting an amendment to section 352h, requiring existing motion picture shows, if the seating capacity be increased above the present limits allowed, to comply with certain provisions of the ordinances.

These ordinances will materially improve the light, ventilation and sanitation of motion picture theatres in The City of New York and greatly reduce the fire hazard, and make possible moving picture shows in the future, in accordance with modern requirements. They were drawn by the committee appointed by his Honor the Mayor, and their enactment into law has been especially urged by him in a special message to the Board of Aldermen. They have been indorsed by numerous charitable organizations, and in addition by many individuals of prominence in philanthropic work in all sections of the City.

The enactment of these ordinances will extend to the motion picture patrons, to a larger degree, the comforts, conveniences and protection now afforded only the wealthy patronizing the high priced theatres.

The committee respectfully urges their adoption by this body.

The Committee on Laws and Legislation, to which was referred, on the 9th day of January, 1912, introductory numbers 87, 88 and 89, composing the proposed motion picture ordinance prepared by a committee of citizens appointed by his Honor William J. Gaynor, Mayor of The City of New York, introduced by Alderman Folke, respectfully



## REPORTS:

That it has held a public hearing on these ordinances, at which public hearing slight changes in the grammar and punctuation of the ordinances was suggested; that it has also received suggestions from the Mayor's committee who prepared the ordinances, which suggestions are also in the line of slight corrections to the wording and grammar and making the operation of the ordinances less onerous without impairing the efficiency of same.

That it has redrafted the ordinance incorporating these suggestions, has renumbered and rearranged the same in accordance with the practice of the Board of Aldermen and has prepared duplicate drafts of the ordinances as so corrected. That the principal changes made in the ordinances apart from the grammatical corrections previously referred to and the renumbering of the same, are as follows:

Subsection d (in the redraft section 352d), paragraph 7, has, at the suggestion of the Mayor's committee and of the Iron Workers' Association, made at the public hearing, eliminated the following words from the ordinance: "Provided, however, that no booth or enclosure constructed wholly of iron shall be permitted and." This correction is made because of chapter 756 of the State Laws of 1911, which sufficiently covers this point.

Subsection L (now known as section 352 L) has been amended so as to read as follows:

"Only subsections 'a,' 'b,' 'c,' 'd,' 'e,' paragraphs 7 and 13, and 'g,' 'j' and 'k' of this ordinance shall apply to open air motion picture theatres."

The result of this change is to include in the provisions applying to open air motion picture theatres the right of the License Bureau to inspect the same for violations of the laws against morality, decency or public welfare.

With the exception of the above matters, no important change has been made in the ordinances. That the following named organizations have formally endorsed these proposed ordinances, to wit:

The Brooklyn Association of Neighborhood Workers.  
The People's Institute (Recreation Committee).  
The East Side Local Needs Association.  
The American League Social Service.  
The Local Needs Association of the Borough of Manhattan.  
The Friendly House Association of Brooklyn.  
The Hebrew Educational Society of Brooklyn.  
The New York School of Philanthropy.  
The East Side House Settlement.  
The Union Settlement.  
Church of the Messiah, Brooklyn.  
East Harlem Presbyterian Church & Neighborhood Centre of Manhattan.  
The Men's League.  
The Calvary Baptist Church of Fifty-seventh street, Manhattan.  
The Inter-Church League for Social Service, Manhattan.  
The Harlem Federation Settlement House.  
The Presbyterian Church of Sea and Land, Manhattan.  
The Jacob H. Riis Neighborhood Settlement.  
The Pilgrim Brotherhood, Manhattan.  
The Men's Association of the Brick Presbyterian Church, Manhattan.  
The Men's Club of Holy Trinity Church, Manhattan.  
The Laity League for Social Service.  
Sons of the American Revolution.  
City Club.  
Recreation Alliance.

And in addition, many individuals of prominence in philanthropic work in all the boroughs of the City.

That it believes these ordinances are a carefully thought out and comprehensive scheme for the regulation and control by the City authorities of the motion picture business and that they will put the business on a better, safer and more satisfactory basis to the patrons of the theatres and to the people of The City of New York. These ordinances have the approval of the Mayor of The City of New York and that of the Hon. James J. Wallace, Chief of the Mayor's Bureau of Licenses and the officials responsible for their enforcement. That in view of the foregoing the Committee on Laws and Legislation respectfully reports these ordinances, as amended, to this body and urges their adoption. Respectfully submitted,

COURTLANDT NICOLL, WILLIAM D. BRUSH, JOHN DIEMER, O. GRANT ESTERBROOK, JOHN A. BOLLES, WILLIAM H. PENDRY, DANIEL R. COLEMAN.

## ORIGINALS.

## No. 87.

An Amendment Providing License Fees for Motion Picture Theatres.

Be It Ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York as follows: Section 308, article 2, title 2, chapter 7 of the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York is hereby amended to read as follows:

308. The annual license fees shall be as below enumerated: For each public cart or truck, \$2; for each public hack coach, \$3; for each public hack cab, \$2; for each special hack coach, \$5; for each special hack cab, \$3; for each express wagon, \$5; for each junk shop dealer, \$20; for each dealer in second-hand articles, \$25; for each junk cart or boat, \$5; for each peddler using horse and wagon, \$8; for each peddler using pushcart, \$4; for each peddler carrying merchandise, \$2; (for each ticket speculator, \$50); for each coal scalper, \$250; for each common show, \$25; for each open air motion picture theatre, \$50; for each motion picture theatre, \$100; for each public shooting gallery, \$5; for each public bowling alley, \$5; for each public billiard table, \$3; for each dirt cart, \$1; for each general hoisting, \$25; for each special hoisting, \$1; for each fruit or soda water stand, or booth, \$10; for each newspaper or periodical stand, or both, and in addition also a fruit or soda water, or both, \$15; for each movable newspaper stand, \$1; for each newspaper and periodical stand, or both, \$5; for each chair of a bootblack stand, \$5; for each stand under elevated railroad stations, \$10; for each driver of any licensed vehicle, 50 cents.

## No. 88.

An Amendment to License Motion Picture Theatres.

Be It Ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York as follows: Section 305, article 1, title 2, chapter 7 of the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York, is hereby amended to read as follows:

305. The following businesses must be duly licensed as herein provided, namely, public cartmen, truckmen, hackmen, cabmen, expressmen, drivers, junk dealers, dealers in second-hand articles, hawkers, peddlers, vendors (ticket speculators), coal scalpers, common shows, motion picture theatres, open air motion picture theatres, shooting galleries, bowling alleys, billiard tables, dirt carts, exterior hoists and stands within stoop lines and under the stairs of the elevated stations.

## No. 89.

An Ordinance Relative to Motion Picture Theatres.

Be It Ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York as follows: Chapter 7, title 2, article 3, section 352—Motion Pictures and Motion Picture Theatres.

## 352a.

Motion pictures shall be deemed a display on a screen or other device whereby pictures are displayed of characters or objects in motion, whether or not accompanied by music, lecture, recitation or song.

## 352b.

A motion picture theatre shall be deemed any public hall or room in the City of New York in which motion pictures are exhibited, in which the seating capacity does not exceed 600, and in which there is no stage or scenery.

An open air motion picture theatre shall be deemed any public place or space in the open air in the City of New York in which motion pictures are exhibited, and in which there is no stage or scenery.

The Mayor shall appoint such Inspectors as shall be necessary to carry out the provisions of this ordinance. They shall be known as "Motion Picture Theatre Inspectors," and shall be paid such compensation as shall be fixed by the Board of Aldermen on recommendation of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

## 352c.

The Bureau of Licenses shall issue all motion picture licenses granted by the Mayor, and by authority of the Mayor shall regulate and control all motion picture theatres, provided:

1. Applicants for motion picture theatre licenses shall file plans and specifications of the motion picture theatre with the Bureau of Buildings of the Borough in which

the motion picture theatre is to be situated, and must file a copy of such plans and specifications duly approved by the Superintendent of Buildings with the application for the license, which application shall be made to the Bureau of Licenses on blanks furnished by it for that purpose.

2. The Bureau of Licenses shall, without delay upon the request of an applicant, pass upon the location of the motion picture theatre and upon the character of the applicant requesting the license.

3. The Bureau of Licenses shall request the Fire Department, Bureau of Buildings, Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, and Department of Health to inspect said theatres, and the said Departments shall file in the Bureau of Licenses, within ten days, detailed written reports, which shall include a statement of any violations of law, ordinances, rules and regulations, and any dangerous conditions. Upon the failure of any of said departments to file detailed written reports in reply to the request of the Bureau of Licenses, the said Bureau may disregard said Department, and, in its discretion, may issue a license.

4. Until the provisions of this ordinance shall have been complied with, no license shall be issued.

## 352d.

1. Plans—Before the erection, construction or alteration of a building, or part thereof, to be used as a motion picture theatre, there must be filed with the Superintendent of Buildings complete plans and detailed statement as set forth in section 4 of the Building Code. The plans must show clearly and fully the location and width of all exits, passageways, stairs, fire escapes, aisles, etc.; arrangement of seats, size of floor beams, walls, supports, etc.; the location and construction of the inclosure for the motion picture light and machinery, and for other similar apparatus; a diagram of the lot or plot, showing outlets from all exits, and also such other statements, plans or details as may be required by the Superintendent of Buildings.

2. Prohibition—Motion picture theatres shall not be constructed in frame buildings within the fire limits, nor in hotels, tenement houses or lodging houses; nor in factories or workshops, except where the theatre is separated from the rest of the building by unpierced fireproof walls and floors; and in no case shall they be constructed or operated above or below the ground floor of any building.

3. Exits and Courts—All such buildings must be provided on the main floor of the theatre with at least two separate exits, one of which shall be in the front and the other in the rear, both leading to unobstructed outlets on the street. Where the main floor of the theatre accommodates more than 300 people there shall be at least 3 sets of exits. The aggregate width in feet of such exits shall not be less than one-twentieth of the number of persons to be accommodated thereby. No exits shall be less than 5 feet in width and there shall be a main exit not less than 10 feet in total width.

In all such buildings to be erected or to be altered so as to be used for a motion picture theatre, if unobstructed exit to a street cannot be provided at the rear of such buildings, as herein specified, either an open court or a fireproof passage or corridor must be provided from rear exit to the street front, of at least the following width: 4 feet in the clear for theatres accommodating 100 persons or less; for every additional 100 persons the width to be increased 8 inches. Such passage must be constructed of fireproof material and must be at least 10 feet high in the clear. The walls forming such passage must be at least 8 inches thick, of brick or other approved fireproof material, and if there be a basement the wall on the auditorium side should either run 1 foot below the cellar bottom or may be carried in the cellar on iron columns and girders properly fireproofed according to sections 106 and 107 of the Building Code.

The ceiling of said passage, and if there be a basement, the flooring, must be constructed according to section 106 of the Building Code.

If unobstructed rear exit or exits to a street are provided, the said exit or exits must be of the same total width required for the court or passage above mentioned.

Said passages and exits to the street, as above, must be used for no other purposes except for exit and entrance and must be kept free and clear.

The level of the open court or passage at the front of the building shall not be greater than one step above the level of the sidewalk, and the grade shall not be more than 1 foot in 10, with no perpendicular rises.

All exit doors must be unlocked when building is open to the public. They must be fireproof and made to open outwardly and so arranged as not to obstruct the required width of exit or court when opened. All doors leading to fire escapes must be not less than 40 inches wide in the clear, and shall be located at the opposite side or end of the gallery, from other exit doors.

4. Galleries and Stairs—A gallery may be permitted, but it shall not include more than 25 per cent. of the total seating capacity of the theatre. Entrance to and exit from said gallery shall in no case lead to the main floor of the theatre, and the gallery shall be provided with a stair or stairs equipped with handrails on both sides. Stairs over 7 feet wide shall be provided with centre handrail. The risers of the stairs shall not exceed 7½ inches, and the treads, excluding nosings, shall be not less than 9½ inches. There shall be no circular or winding staircases.

The total width of the stairs shall not be less than 8 feet in the clear where the gallery accommodates 150 people; for every 50 people less than 150 which the gallery accommodates said width may be reduced 1 foot.

Stairs shall be constructed of fireproof material, and such material and the bearing capacity of such stairs shall be approved by the Bureau of Buildings.

Galleries must also be provided with at least one line of fire escapes leading to an open court, fireproof passage or street, without re-entering the same or any other building.

If the fire escape leads to a point in the court nearer the street than any exit, there must be a width of not less than 4 feet in the clear between the outer edge of the fire escape and the outer wall of the court.

5. Fire Escapes—All fire escapes must have balconies not less than 3 feet 4 inches in width in the clear and not less than 4 feet 6 inches long, and from said balconies there shall be staircases extending to the ground level with a rise of not over 7½ inches and a step of not less than 9½ inches, and the width of stairs must not be less than 3 feet 4 inches.

6. Auditorium and Other Rooms—If the walls of the auditorium contain wood studs, they shall be covered with either expanded metal lath or wire mesh, and plastered with three coats of first-class plaster, or may be covered with metal on ½-inch plaster boards. The joints shall be properly filled with mortar.

The ceilings of all such rooms shall be plastered with three coats of first-class plaster on wire mesh or metal lath, or covered with one-half inch plaster boards, and plastered or covered with metal.

If there be a basement or cellar the ceiling under the auditorium floor must be plastered with three coats of first-class plaster on wire mesh or expanded metal lath, or may be covered with metal on one-half inch plaster boards.

The basement or cellar under the auditorium shall be kept free and clear except the space used for the heating apparatus, for machinery connected with the theatre and for coal.

7. Construction of Booths—Apparatus for projecting motion pictures shall be enclosed in a booth or enclosure constructed so as to be fireproof, in accordance with the specifications of chapter 756 of the Laws of 1911. The booth shall be equipped with a vent flue, as prescribed in section 352F, paragraph 3 of this ordinance. Booths shall contain an approved fireproof box for the storage of films not on the projecting machine. Films shall not be stored in any other place on the premises; they shall be rewound and repaired either in the booth or in some other approved fireproof enclosure.

Where miniature motion picture machines are employed in connection with private exhibitions the requirements of the above paragraph may be so modified as to permit, instead of the regulation booth, an approved fireproof box, unventilated, and of a size only sufficient to properly enclose the machine.

8. Gradients—To overcome any difference of level in and between corridors, lobbies and aisles, gradients of not over one foot in ten feet, or steps having a rise not over eight inches and a width of not less than ten inches must be used.

9. Aisles—All aisles in the auditorium and gallery must not be less than three feet wide in the clear. No aisle, passageway or space in the rear of the auditorium shall be obstructed by any camp stool, chair, sofa or settee, nor shall any person be permitted to stand or sit therein.

10. Chairs—All chairs in the auditorium except those contained in the boxes must not be less than 32 inches from back to back and must be firmly secured to the floor. No seat in the auditorium shall have more than seven seats intervening between it and an aisle. The space occupied by each person shall be separated from the adjoining space by means of an arm or other suitable device.

11. Signs Over Exits—Over every exit there must be painted on the inside in



letters not less than six inches high, the word "Exit" in legible type, and one red light or illuminated sign must be placed inside over each exit, and illuminated while the audience is present.

12. Floor Loads—The flooring of that portion of the building devoted to the uses or accommodation of the public must be of sufficient strength to bear safely a live load of 90 pounds per square foot.

13. Toilets—Toilets separate for sexes must be provided.

14. Fire Apparatus—Portable fire apparatus shall be provided of the following kind and number: Ten-quart capacity buckets, painted red with the word "Fire" in black, the letters 4 inches high, to the number of six for places seating less than 300 without a gallery, and two additional if there be a gallery; to the number of ten in places seating over 300 persons, and four additional if there be a gallery. There shall be two buckets containing dry sand kept in the operating booth; approved fire extinguishers of 2½-gallon capacity, of the regulation Fire Department pattern, of which two shall be on the main floor and two in the gallery, if there be one, and one in the operating booth; 4-pound flat-head axes, two of which shall be on the main floor and two in the gallery, if there be one.

### 352e.

1. Lighting—Every portion of a moving picture theatre, including exits, courts and corridors, devoted to the uses or accommodation of the public shall be so lighted by electric light during all exhibitions and until the entire audience has left the premises, that a person with normal eyesight should be able to read the Snellen standard test type 40 at a distance of 20 feet and type 30 at a distance of ten feet; normal eyesight meaning ability to read type 20 at a distance of 20 feet in daylight. Cards showing types 20, 30 and 40 shall be displayed on the side walls, together with a copy of this paragraph of the ordinance.

2. Heating—When the temperature of the outdoor air is below 60 degrees F. the air in the theatre while an audience is present shall be maintained at a temperature not lower than 62 degrees F. nor higher than 70 degrees F.

If gas stoves, oil stoves or other apparatus throwing off products of combustion are used to heat motion picture theatres said products of combustion must be carried to the outside air by means of a fireproof flue or flues.

No radiator shall be placed in the aisles so as to lessen the width below the minimum requirement.

3. Ventilation—Motion picture theatres having less than 200 cubic feet of air space for each person, or motion picture theatres in which the outside window and door area is less than one-eighth of the floor area, shall be provided with artificial means of ventilation which shall supply during the time the audience is present at least 500 cubic feet of fresh air per hour for each person.

Motion picture theatres having more than 200 cubic feet of air space for each person, or which have outside windows and doors, the area of which is equal to at least one-eighth of the floor area, shall be provided with artificial means of ventilation, which shall be in operation when the outside temperature requires the windows to be kept closed, and which shall supply during the time the audience is present, at least 500 cubic feet of fresh air per hour for each person. When the artificial ventilation is not in operation ventilation by means of open doors and windows shall be sufficient to provide each person with 500 cubic feet of fresh air per hour.

Motion picture theatres having more than 1,000 cubic feet of air space for each person and having outside windows and doors the area of which is equal to at least one-eighth of the total floor area, shall not be required to have artificial means of ventilation, provided the air is thoroughly changed by freely opening doors and windows immediately before the admission of the audience, and at least every four hours thereafter.

No part of the fresh air supply required by any of the above paragraphs of this section shall be taken from any source containing vitiated air.

The area of outside doors and windows shall mean the area capable of being freely opened to the outside air for ventilation purposes.

When fresh air is supplied by means of ventilating openings, at least one inlet shall be situated at one end of the room, and at least one outlet at the other end of the room. Where exhaust or inlet fans are necessary, at least one of such fans shall be placed in an outlet opening. The inlet opening or openings shall be placed in the floor or within two feet from the floor, and the outlet opening or openings in the ceiling or within two feet of the ceiling. The inlet openings and their surroundings shall be kept free from dust so that the incoming air shall not convey dust nor stir up dust as it enters.

During the time the audience is present, the air in the theatre shall be kept continuously in motion by means of fans to the number of at least 1 to every 150 persons. Such fans shall be placed in positions remote from the inlet and outlet openings. No person shall be exposed to any direct draft from any air inlet.

The booth in which the picture machine is operated shall be provided with an opening in its roof or upper part of its side walls, leading to the outdoor air. The vent flue shall have a minimum cross sectional area of 50 square inches and shall be fireproof. When the booth is in use, there shall be a constant current of air passing outward through said opening or vent flue at the rate of not less than 30 cubic feet per minute.

The specifications of the above paragraph shall apply to portable booths and booths in open air theatres.

352f. Motion picture theatres must be kept clean and free from dust.

The floors, where covered with wood, tiles, stone, concrete, linoleum, or other washable material, shall be mopped or scrubbed with water or swept with moisture or by some other dustless method, at least once daily, and shall be scrubbed with water and soap, or water and some other solvent substance, at least once weekly.

Carpets, rugs and other fabric floor coverings shall be cleaned at least once daily by means of suction cleaning, beating or dustless sweeping. Curtains and draperies shall be cleaned at least once monthly by suction cleaning, beating or washing. Cornices, walls and other dust-holding places shall be kept free from dust by washing or moist wiping. The wood and metal parts of all seats shall be kept clean. Fabric upholstery of seats and railings and other fixed fabrics shall be cleaned by suction cleaning, or other dustless method, at least once monthly.

352g. Through its Motion Picture Inspectors, as provided in subsection "b" of this ordinance, the Bureau of Licenses shall inspect, subject to the authority of the Mayor, the character of exhibitions in motion picture theatres, and shall report to the Mayor any offense against morality, decency or public welfare contained in said exhibitions.

352h. All the provisions contained in this ordinance shall apply to existing places of entertainment where motion pictures are exhibited under a common show license, except those provisions of subsection "d" designated as Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6, but the Bureau of Licenses shall have power in its discretion to enforce the provisions of said paragraph 3 of section "d" as to exits and courts.

352i. Existing places of entertainment seating 300 persons or less, where motion pictures are exhibited in conjunction with any other form of entertainment, must comply, before a reissuance of its license, with the provisions of section 109 of the Building Code, covering theatres seating more than 300 persons. But if such existing place of entertainment discontinue all other form of entertainment except the exhibition of motion pictures, it may be licensed in accordance with the provisions of subsection "h."

352j. With the exception of paragraph 7 of subsection "d," subsections "a" to "f" inclusive, and subsections "h," "i," "k" and "l" of this ordinance shall not apply to motion picture exhibitions with or without charge for admission, conducted under the direct management of educational or religious institutions, nor to motion picture exhibitions without charge for admission given or held not more than once a week in private residences or bona fide social, scientific, political or athletic clubs. Before motion pictures shall be exhibited in any of the places above mentioned, there shall be obtained from the Bureau of Licenses a permit for such exhibition. Before granting such permit, the Bureau of Licenses shall cause to be inspected the premises where such proposed exhibition will be held, and shall grant the permit if in its judgment the safety of the public be properly guarded, and provided that for an audience of more than 75 people all chairs or seats shall be securely fastened to the floor or fastened together in rows.

352k. The Bureau of Licenses at its discretion shall specify the seating capacity for each open-air motion picture theatre. Aisles must be 4 feet wide, or wider, in the discretion of the Bureau of Licenses. At least two separate exits, remote from each other, shall be provided, and no exit shall be less than 5 feet in width. For every 25 persons to be accommodated in excess of 300, the total width of exits shall be increased one foot. All exits must be indicated by signs and red lights and the doors must open outwardly. Seats must be stationary, with backs 32 inches apart, and so arranged that no seat shall have more than seven seats intervening between it and an aisle.

The floor must be constructed either of wood with sleepers or of concrete, and must extend at least 5 feet from the seats on all sides, provided, however, that in the discretion of the Bureau of Licenses, a gravel floor may be substituted for wood or concrete. Chairs must either be securely fastened to wood or concrete floor, or all chairs in a row must be fastened together and at least four rows must be securely fastened to one frame, except that where refreshments are served, tables and unattached chairs or benches used with them may be permitted.

352-L. Only subsections 352 "a," 352 "b," 352 "c," 352 "d," paragraphs 7 and 13, and "g," "j" and "k" of this ordinance shall apply to open air motion picture theatres.

352-m. This ordinance shall take effect thirty days after its approval by the Mayor. All other rules, regulations and ordinances inconsistent herewith and affecting buildings and places to be occupied as herein defined are hereby revoked.

Alderman Folks moved that this report and substitute ordinances be made a Special Order for 2:45 o'clock p. m.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion. Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Becker, Bedell, Bolles, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Cole, Curran, Diemer, Eagan, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Folks, Gilmore, Hamilton, Lieberman, McCourt, Marks, Moore, Muhlbauer, Mulligan, Nicoll, O'Connor, O'Rourke, Pendry, Post, Shipley, Weil, Weston, Willard, Wilmot; President Miller, by Thomas W. Whittle, Commissioner of Public Works; President McAneny and the Vice-Chairman—34.

Negative—Aldermen Carberry, Cummskey, Delaney, Devine, Dowling, Drescher, Hannon, McCann, McGrath, O'Neil, Reardon, White—12.

Subsequently, the hour of 2:45 o'clock having arrived, the Vice-Chairman, then in the chair, directed the Clerk to read the Special Order. Alderman Dowling offered the following amendment to substitute Ordinance No. 89:

1. It shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to show or exhibit any motion pictures in any licensed place of public amusement, in any theatre, concert hall, motion picture theatre or in any open-air motion picture theatre without first having obtained a permit therefor issued by the Bureau of Licenses as herein provided. Every day's exhibition in any licensed place of public amusement without such permit therefor shall be deemed a distinct and separate violation of this ordinance.

2. The Bureau of Licenses shall not grant a permit to exhibit any motion picture until an application in writing shall have been made therefor to the Bureau of Licenses, nor until the plates, films, rolls or other like apparatus by or from which such motion picture is shown or produced shall be inspected by a censor or censors, duly authorized, by the Department of Education from the teachers, examiners or supervising staff thereof for the work of censoring motion pictures, nor until the motion picture itself shall be seen by the censor or censors, nor until a letter of approval from the Department of Education fully describing said motion picture shall have been received by the Bureau of Licenses.

In case such picture is approved by the Department of Education, the Bureau of Licenses shall issue a permit in writing and in such form as the Bureau of Licenses shall prescribe.

3. If any motion picture for the exhibition of which an application for such permit is made, is an obscene, indecent, immoral or impure motion picture which would tend to the corruption of the morals of youth or others, or if it pictures any crime, any murder, suicide, robbery, hold up, stabbing, assaulting, clubbing or beating of any human being in such detail as to offend the sense of morality or decency, it shall be the duty of the Bureau of Licenses to refuse such permit. Otherwise it shall be the duty of the Bureau of Licenses to grant such permit.

The Bureau of Licenses, however, shall not grant any such permit, unless it has received a letter of approval from the Board of Education, through its agents duly authorized for censoring motion pictures. In case any picture is declared by the censor or censors authorized by the Department of Education to be of such a high degree of educational, moral, spiritual, religious or sacred character as to make it in keeping with the highest ideals of the American Sunday as set forth in the laws of New York, the Bureau of Licenses shall indicate that fact upon the permit by the use of these words: "Approved for Sundays and week days."

Only such motion pictures as are thus approved by the Department of Education for Sunday use shall be used in such exhibitions of motion pictures as are permitted by law on Sunday.

4. In case the Bureau of Licenses shall refuse to issue such permit because of the failure to receive the aforesaid approval from the Department of Education, the applicant may appeal to the Mayor, such appeal shall contain the statement of the grounds for the refusal of the Bureau of Licenses to grant a permit and shall be presented to the Mayor in the same manner as the original application to the Bureau of Licenses and shown and exhibited in the same manner as before the censors of the Department of Education. If any motion picture for the exhibition of which such appeal is made to the Mayor for permit is an obscene, indecent, immoral or impure motion picture which would tend to the corruption of the morals of youth or others, or if it pictures any crime, any murder, suicide, robbery, hold up, stabbing, assaulting, clubbing or beating of any human being in such detail as to offend the sense of morality or decency, it shall be the duty of the Mayor to refuse such permit. Otherwise, after he has secured from the Board of Education a statement of the ground upon which a letter of approval was refused by the censor or censors duly authorized by said Board, it shall be the duty of the Mayor, in case he deems the decision of the Censors of the Board of Education to be erroneous, to grant such permit, and he shall direct the Bureau of Licenses to issue it as order by him.

The determination of the Mayor in respect to the appeal for any such permit may be reviewed by writ of certiorari and the provisions of law and of practice in respect to the writ of certiorari to review the determination of an inferior tribunal shall be applicable thereto.

5. The permit provided for in this ordinance shall be obtained for each and every motion picture exhibited in any motion picture theatre, in any open-air motion picture theatre, in every licensed theatre or concert and every licensed place of public amusement, and shall be required in addition to any license now required by any other provision of this ordinance. No fee or tax of any kind whatsoever shall be charged or exacted for such permit.

6. When such permit to show or exhibit a motion picture is once issued to any applicant, such motion picture may be shown in any duly licensed place, provided that such written permit, clearly describing such motion picture is actually delivered to the licensee of such motion picture theatre or other licensed place of public amusement. Any number of transfers of such permit may be made, provided always that such permit is actually delivered to such transferee.

7. The permit provided for in this ordinance shall be posted at or near the entrance of the motion picture theatre or the open-air motion picture theatre or any licensed place of public amusement where the motion picture permitted by such permit is being shown or exhibited at such a place and in such a position that such permit can easily be read by any person entering such theatre at any time when such motion is there being exhibited. The exhibition of any motion picture in any motion picture theatre or in any open-air motion picture theatre or any licensed place of public amusement without the posting of such permit therefor shall be considered a violation of this ordinance; and each day's exhibition of any motion picture in any motion picture theatre or open-air motion picture theatre, without the posting of such permit there, shall be deemed a distinct and separate offense.

8. It shall be the duty of the Bureau of Licenses to number all permits for motion pictures and to keep a record of all permits for motion pictures issued, both numerically and alphabetically arranged.

Alderman Folks accepted such amendment, on condition that it be numbered as section 352M, the present section 352N to be numbered 352N. There being no objection the Vice-Chairman then put the question whether the Board would agree to accept such report and adopt substitute ordinance No. 87.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Becker, Bedell, Bolles, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Carberry, Cole, Coleman, Cummskey, Cunningham, Curran, Delaney, Devine, Diemer, Dixon, Dotzler, Dowling, Downing, Drescher, Eagan, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Fink, Folks, Gaynor, Gelbke, Gilmore, Grimm, Hamilton, Hannon, Herbst, Kenney, Levine, Lieberman, Loos, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McGrath, Marks, Martyn, Meagher, Molen, Moore, Morrison, Muhlbauer, Mulligan, Nicoll, Nugent, O'Connor, O'Neil, O'Rourke, Pendry, Post, Reardon, Shipley, Smith, Stapleton, Velten, Weil, Wendel, Weston, Willard, Wilmot; President Cromwell, President Miller, by Thomas W. Whittle, Commissioner of Public Works; President Steers, by L. H. Pounds, Commissioner of Public Works; President McAneny and the Vice-Chairman—70.

Negative—Alderman White—1.

Excused—Alderman Walsh—1.



The Vice-Chairman then put the question whether the Board would agree with said substitute ordinance No. 88.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Becker, Bedell, Bolles, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Carberry, Cole, Coleman, Cummuskey, Cunningham, Curran, Delaney, Devine, Diemer, Dixon, Dotzler, Dowling, Downing, Drescher, Eagan, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Fink, Folks, Gaynor, Gelbke, Gilmore, Grimm, Hamilton, Hannon, Herbst, Kenney, Levine, Lieberman, Loos, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McGrath, Marks, Martyn, Meagher, Molen, Moore, Morrison, Muhlbauer, Mulligan, Nicoll, Nugent, O'Connor, O'Neil, O'Rourke, Pendry, Post, Reardon, Shipley, Smith, Stapleton, Velten, Weil, Wendel, Weston, Willard, Wilmot; President Cromwell, President Miller, by Thomas W. Whittle, Commissioner of Public Works; President Steers, by L. H. Pounds, Commissioner of Public Works; President McAneny and the Vice-Chairman—70.

Negative—Alderman White—1.

Excused—Alderman Walsh—1.

The Vice-Chairman then put the question whether the Board would agree with said substitute ordinance No. 89, as amended.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Becker, Bedell, Bolles, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Carberry, Cole, Coleman, Cummuskey, Cunningham, Curran, Delaney, Devine, Diemer, Dixon, Dotzler, Dowling, Downing, Drescher, Eagan, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Fink, Folks, Gaynor, Gelbke, Gilmore, Grimm, Hamilton, Hannon, Herbst, Kenney, Levine, Lieberman, Loos, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McGrath, Marks, Martyn, Meagher, Molen, Moore, Morrison, Muhlbauer, Mulligan, Nicoll, Nugent, O'Connor, O'Neil, O'Rourke, Pendry, Post, Reardon, Shipley, Smith, Stapleton, Velten, Weil, Wendel, Weston, Willard, Wilmot; President Cromwell, President Miller, by Thomas W. Whittle, Commissioner of Public Works; President Steers, by L. H. Pounds, Commissioner of Public Works; President McAneny and the Vice-Chairman—70.

Negative—Alderman White—1.

Excused—Alderman Walsh—1.

No. 2331—(G. O. No. 304).

The Committee on Laws and Legislation, to which was referred on December 3, 1912 (Minutes, page 504), the annexed ordinance amending section 430 of the Code, relating to the discharge of firearms, in favor of the Forest Hills Country Club, in the Borough of Queens, respectfully

#### REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the privilege sought should be granted. It therefore recommends that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE to amend section 430 of part 1 of the Code of Ordinances, relating to "the discharge of firearms."

Be It Ordained, by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York, as follows: Section 1. Section 430 of part 1 of the Code of Ordinances, relating to "the discharge of firearms," is hereby further amended by adding at the end thereof the following words: *the grounds of the Forest Hills Country Club, located on the Flushing Meadow at the southwest corner of Ibis st. and Water Edge ave., Forest Hills, in the Borough of Queens.*

Sec. 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Note—New matter in italics.

COURTLANDT NICOLL, WM. BRUSH, W. H. PENDRY, O. GRANT ESTERBROOK, BRYANT WILLARD, JOHN J. MEAGHER, Committee on Laws and Legislation.

Which was laid over.

No. 2409—(G. O. No. 305).

The Committee on Laws and Legislation, to which was referred on December 10, 1912 (Minutes, page 700), the annexed ordinance amending section 430 of the Code, relating to the discharge of firearms, in favor of the Oakland Golf Club, in the Borough of Queens, respectfully

#### REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the privilege sought should be granted. It therefore recommends that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE to amend section 430 of part 1 of the Code of Ordinances, relating to "the discharge of firearms."

Be It Ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York, as follows: Section 1. Section 430 of part 1 of the Code of Ordinances, relating to "the discharge of firearms," is hereby further amended by adding at the end thereof the following words: *the grounds of the Oakland Golf Club, located in Bayside, in the Borough of Queens.*

Sec. 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Note—New matter in italics.

COURTLANDT NICOLL, WM. BRUSH, W. H. PENDRY, O. GRANT ESTERBROOK, BRYANT WILLARD, JOHN J. MEAGHER, Committee on Laws and Legislation.

Which was laid over.

#### SPECIAL ORDERS.

No. 139—Int. No. 2248.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on November 25, 1912 (Minutes, page 307) the annexed request from the President of the Borough of Richmond for \$1,000 Special Revenue Bonds for replacing mutilated and missing street signs, posts, etc., respectfully

#### REPORTS:

That having examined the subject, it believes the proposed improvement to be necessary. No budgetary allowance was made for this purpose, and as the work is needed for the convenience of the public, the committee recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000), the proceeds whereof to be used by the President of the Borough of Richmond for the purpose of replacing mutilated and missing street signs, posts, etc., in said Borough.

All obligations contracted for hereunder to be incurred on or before March 31, 1913. HENRY H. CURRAN, THOS. J. MULLIGAN, JAMES HAMILTON, ROBERT F. DOWNING, FRANCIS P. KENNEY, C. AUGUSTUS POST, BRYANT WILLARD, Committee on Finance.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept such report and adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Becker, Bedell, Bolles, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Carberry, Cole, Coleman, Cummuskey, Curran, Delaney, Devine, Diemer, Dixon, Dotzler, Dowling, Downing, Eagan, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Fink, Folks, Gaynor, Gelbke, Gilmore, Hamilton, Hannon, Herbst, Lieberman, Loos, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McGrath, Marks, Martyn, Meagher, Molen, Moore, Muhlbauer, Mulligan, Nicoll, O'Connor, O'Neil, O'Rourke, Pendry, Post, Reardon, Shipley, Stapleton, Weil, Weston, White, Willard; President Cromwell, President Miller, by Thomas W. Whittle, Commissioner of Public Works; President McAneny and the Vice-Chairman—60.

No. 140—Int. No. 2242.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on November 19, 1912 (Minutes, page 304) the annexed resolution in favor of an issue of \$10,000 Special Revenue Bonds to be used by the Commissioner of Parks for the Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond for placing and planting trees on Broadway, from 135th to 167th streets, Manhattan, respectfully

#### REPORTS:

That having examined the subject, it believes the proposed improvement to be necessary. In order to take advantage of the present low prices of trees and to issue an order for tree guards so that they may be ready in time, the committee is advised that so much of the appropriation is needed at this time, the remainder being left until the time of planting in the spring. The committee, therefore, recommends that the accompanying substitute be adopted.

#### "ORIGINAL."

Resolved, That in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds to the amount of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000), the proceeds whereof to be used by the Commissioner of Parks for the Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond for the purpose of purchasing and planting trees on Broadway, from 135th to 167th sts., in the Borough of Manhattan.

All obligations contracted for hereunder to be incurred on or before December 31, 1912.

#### "SUBSTITUTE."

Resolved, That in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of Six Thousand Five Hundred and Twenty-Three Dollars and Eighty Cents (\$6,523.80), the proceeds whereof to be used by the Commissioner of Parks for the Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond for the purpose of purchasing trees and tree guards as follows, to be used on Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, from 135th to 167th streets: 524 pin oaks at \$5 each, \$2,620; 524 tree guards at \$7.45 each, \$3,903.80. Total, \$6,523.80. All obligations contracted for hereunder to be incurred on or before March 31, 1913.

HENRY H. CURRAN, THOS. J. MULLIGAN, JAMES HAMILTON, ROBERT F. DOWNING, FRANCIS P. KENNEY, C. AUGUSTUS POST, BRYANT WILLARD, Committee on Finance.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept such report and adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Becker, Bedell, Bolles, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Carberry, Cole, Coleman, Cummuskey, Curran, Delaney, Devine, Diemer, Dixon, Dotzler, Dowling, Downing, Eagan, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Fink, Folks, Gaynor, Gelbke, Gilmore, Hamilton, Hannon, Herbst, Lieberman, Loos, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McGrath, Marks, Martyn, Meagher, Molen, Moore, Muhlbauer, Mulligan, Nicoll, O'Connor, O'Neil, O'Rourke, Pendry, Post, Reardon, Shipley, Stapleton, Weil, Weston, White, Willard; President Cromwell, President Miller, by Thomas W. Whittle, Commissioner of Public Works; President McAneny and the Vice-Chairman—60.

No. 141—Int. No. 736.

The Committee on Public Letting, to which was referred on April 2, 1912 (Minutes, page 30), the annexed resolution in favor of authorizing the Superintendent of Buildings, Borough of Manhattan, to purchase metal furniture to an amount not exceeding \$4,000, without public letting, respectfully

#### REPORTS:

That having examined the subject, it believes the proposed authorization to be advisable. Early in the year a similar grant was made to this same bureau for the purchase of metal furniture to the extent of \$5,000. This amount was expended, and it now is stated that additional furniture to the extent of \$4,000 is needed. The object in purchasing without public letting is to secure the same style and type as that already installed.

The Committee recommends that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the Superintendent of Buildings for the Borough of Manhattan be and he is hereby authorized to enter into a contract or contracts, without public letting, for the installation of metal furniture for the Bureau of Buildings to the extent of four thousand (\$4,000) dollars, under the corporate stock appropriation approved by this Board under date of June 30, 1910, not exceeding \$4,000, without public letting, respectfully

JOHN DIEMER, JESSE D. MOORE, F. H. WILMOT, JACOB J. VELTEN, JOHN F. WALSH, ROBERT F. DOWNING, NILES R. BECKER, Committee on Public Letting.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept such report and adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Becker, Bedell, Bolles, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Carberry, Cole, Coleman, Cummuskey, Curran, Delaney, Devine, Diemer, Dixon, Dotzler, Dowling, Downing, Eagan, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Fink, Folks, Gaynor, Gelbke, Gilmore, Hamilton, Hannon, Herbst, Lieberman, Loos, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McGrath, Marks, Martyn, Meagher, Molen, Moore, Muhlbauer, Mulligan, Nicoll, O'Connor, O'Neil, O'Rourke, Pendry, Post, Reardon, Shipley, Stapleton, Weil, Weston, White, Willard, Wilmot and the Vice-Chairman—57.

No. 142—Int. No. 1557.

The Committee on Public Letting, to which was referred on July 9, 1912 (Minutes, page 114), the annexed communication from the Department of Docks and Ferries requesting authority to effect repairs to Pier 65, foot of W. 25th st., by departmental force, without public letting, to the extent of \$10,000, respectfully

#### REPORTS:

That the letter of request gives the details of this application. It has been found in the past that this method is the most successful and economical one.

The Committee recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 419 of the Amended Greater New York Charter, the Board of Aldermen, deeming such course to be in the public interests, hereby authorizes the Commissioner of Docks to cause repairs to be made to the substructure and superstructure of Pier No. 65, at the foot of W. 25th st., North River, by the departmental force, at a cost not to exceed the sum of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000).

JOHN DIEMER, JESSE D. MOORE, ROBERT F. DOWNING, JOHN F. WALSH, JACOB J. VELTEN, NILES R. BECKER, F. H. WILMOT, Committee on Public Letting.

Department of Docks and Ferries, City of New York, Pier "A," North River, New York, July 8, 1912.

Hon. JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen:

Sir—An examination of Pier No. 65 at the foot of West 25th st., North River, Borough of Manhattan, shows that both the substructure and the superstructure are in need of extensive repairs. This pier is leased to the Hamburg-American Line, the lease to that company providing that the City is responsible for all repairs to the substructure of the pier and that the company is responsible for all repairs needed to the superstructure of the pier and to the shed on the pier.

A letter has been received from the Hamburg-American Line to the effect that it is agreeable to said company to have the necessary repairs made to the superstructure of the pier by the force of this Department, and stating that it would reimburse this Department for the expense involved.

It is impracticable to have this work done while the company is in occupation of the premises and the only feasible method is to have the repairs made by the force of this Department.

I respectfully request that a resolution be adopted by the Board of Aldermen authorizing that repairs to the substructure and to the superstructure of the pier at the foot of West 25th street, North River, be made by the force of this Department by day's labor and otherwise than by contract, at a cost not to exceed in any event \$10,000. Yours very truly, CALVIN TOMKINS, Commissioner of Docks.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept such report and adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Becker, Bedell, Bolles, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Carberry, Cole, Coleman, Cummuskey, Curran, Delaney, Devine, Diemer, Dixon, Dotzler, Dowling, Downing, Eagan, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Fink, Folks, Gaynor, Gelbke, Gilmore, Hamilton, Hannon, Herbst, Lieberman, Loos, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McGrath, Marks, Martyn, Meagher, Molen, Moore, Muhlbauer, Mulligan, Nicoll, O'Connor, O'Neil, O'Rourke, Pendry, Post, Reardon, Shipley, Stapleton, Weil, Weston, White, Willard, Wilmot and the Vice-Chairman—57.

No. 143—Int. No. 1755.

The Committee on Public Letting, to which was referred on September 24, 1912 (Minutes, page 245), the annexed request from the Fire Commissioner for authority to purchase an electric tractor, at a cost not to exceed \$4,000, respectfully

#### REPORTS:

That having examined the subject, it believes the proposed authorization to be warranted. This tractor was accepted by the City on trial, and has been eight months in constant use.

It, therefore, recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 419 of the Amended Greater New York Charter, the Board of Aldermen, deeming such course to be in the public interest, hereby authorizes the Fire Commissioner to purchase, without public letting, an electric tractor which has been on trial eight months in the service of the City, and proved satisfactory, at a cost not to exceed the sum of four thousand dollars (\$4,000).

JOHN DIEMER, JESSE D. MOORE, F. H. WILMOT, JACOB J. VELTEN, NILES R. BECKER, JOHN F. WALSH, ROBERT F. DOWNING, Committee on Public Letting.



Fire Department of The City of New York, Office of the Commissioner, July 23, 1912.

Hon. JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President of the Board of Aldermen:

Sir—I have the honor to request authorization by the Board of Aldermen to purchase, without public letting, the two-wheel electric storage battery tractor now attached to the steam fire engine of Engine Co. No. 117, Brooklyn, the cost, \$4,000, to be charged against corporate stock.

This tractor was placed on trial by the Couple-Gear Company, 149 Broadway, its purchase by the City depending upon a satisfactory test. Since April 24, 1912, when placed in service, to this date it has been operated successfully in responding to 76 alarms for fire.

The company furnishing the tractor will be required to give a bond to secure the faithful performance of a guarantee, covering a period of one year, against deterioration in the storage battery and defective parts of the apparatus.

Respectfully, JOSEPH JOHNSON, Fire Commissioner.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept such report and adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Becker, Bedell, Bolles, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Carberry, Cole, Coleman, Cummskey, Curran, Delaney, Devine, Diemer, Dixon, Dotzler, Dowling, Downing, Eagan, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Fink, Folks, Gaynor, Gelbke, Gilmore, Hamilton, Hannon, Herbst, Lieberman, Loos, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McGrath, Marks, Martyn, Meagher, Molen, Moore, Muhlbauer, Mulligan, Nicoll, O'Connor, O'Neil, O'Rourke, Pendry, Post, Reardon, Shipley, Stapleton, Weil, Weston, White, Willard, Wilmot and the Vice-Chairman—57.

No. 144—Int. No. 1879.

The Committee on Public Letting, to which was referred on October 8, 1912 (Minutes, page 16), a request from the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity for authority to purchase an auto truck, without public letting, for an amount not to exceed \$2,000, respectfully

#### REPORTS:

That Deputy Commissioner Bennett appeared before the Committee and stated that the department has had occasion to purchase three other trucks, and in each case better results had been obtained by a purchase without public letting. Not only was the cost of advertising saved, but a marked reduction from the list price was obtained by private buying. The Committee recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 419 of the Amended Greater New York Charter, the Board of Aldermen, deeming such course to be in the public interest, hereby authorizes the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity to purchase in open market one auto truck, at a cost not to exceed the sum of two thousand dollars (\$2,000).

JOHN DIEMER, ROBERT F. DOWNING, JOHN F. WALSH, JACOB J. VELTEN, JESSE D. MOORE, F. H. WILMOT, NILES R. BECKER, Committee on Public Letting.

The City of New York, Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Commissioner's Office, 13-21 Park Row, New York, September 30, 1912.

Hon. JOHN P. MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen, City Hall, New York:

Dear Sir—This department has provision for the purchase of an automobile truck, to be used on maintenance and repairs to the Brooklyn distribution system, an allowance of \$2,000 having been made for this purpose.

Difficulty has been experienced in the past in promptly shutting off water in case of breaks in mains, and where such breaks have been on large pipes, damage to property and danger to life have resulted. The necessity for prompt action in connection with any accident affecting the distribution system, which furnishes the water supply for fire protection as well as domestic use, is so evident that no extended argument need be given.

Heretofore, when the purchase of an automobile was necessary, the reasons which made it impracticable to carry out such purchase by contract, after competitive bidding, have been submitted to the Board of Aldermen, and it is, I believe, a recognized fact that specifications cannot be prepared for this class of supplies without the department definitely specifying some particular style or make of machine, or perhaps infringing upon some patent rights. In the first instance competitive bidding could be secured, and the second would be illegal procedure.

Request is therefore made to the Honorable Board of Aldermen for the necessary authority for this department to purchase, without public letting, one (1) automobile truck, in an amount not to exceed two thousand dollars (\$2,000).

Yours truly, HENRY S. THOMPSON, Commissioner.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept such report and adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Becker, Bedell, Bolles, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Carberry, Cole, Coleman, Cummskey, Curran, Delaney, Devine, Diemer, Dixon, Dotzler, Dowling, Downing, Eagan, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Fink, Folks, Gaynor, Gelbke, Gilmore, Hamilton, Hannon, Herbst, Lieberman, Loos, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McGrath, Marks, Martyn, Meagher, Molen, Moore, Muhlbauer, Mulligan, Nicoll, O'Connor, O'Neil, O'Rourke, Pendry, Post, Reardon, Shipley, Stapleton, Weil, Weston, White, Willard, Wilmot and the Vice-Chairman—57.

No. 145—Int. No. 2076.

The Committee on Public Letting, to which was referred on October 29, 1912 (Minutes, page 174) the annexed request of the Board of Health for authority to purchase an auto truck without public letting at a cost not to exceed \$2,000, respectfully

#### REPORTS:

That the application gives full details of the need of this truck. It has been found that purchasing such trucks for specific purposes in open market is alike the most practical and economical method of obtaining exactly what is needed.

The committee recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That pursuant to the provisions of section 419 of the amended Greater New York Charter, the Board of Aldermen, deeming such course to be in the public interest, hereby authorizes the Board of Health to purchase in open market an auto truck for the transportation of oil and laborers in the work of eliminating mosquitoes from the Borough of Richmond, at an expense not to exceed the sum of two thousand dollars (\$2,000).

JOHN DIEMER, ROBERT F. DOWNING, JOHN F. WALSH, JACOB J. VELTEN, F. H. WILMOT, JESSE W. MOORE, NILES R. BECKER, Committee on Public Letting.

City of New York, Department of Health, Office of the Secretary, October 24, 1912.

Hon. P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk:

Sir—Enclosed is a copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Health October 22, 1912, requesting the Board of Aldermen to authorize, pursuant to the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the purchase in the open market, without public letting, of an automobile truck at a cost not exceeding \$2,000, to be used by the Department of Health for the transportation of oil and laborers in the work of draining marshes and destroying mosquito-breeding places in the Borough of Richmond.

This request is made necessary by reason of the fact that it has not been possible to obtain this automobile truck by public letting. Bids have been advertised for on several occasions and they have either exceeded the amount appropriated or bidders have not responded to the request to submit estimates. The means for the transportation of the oil and laborers engaged in the work of mosquito extermination in the Borough of Richmond are urgently needed, and I am directed to request that you will present the resolution of the Board of Health to the Board of Aldermen at the earliest opportunity. Very truly yours, EUGENE W. SCHEFFER, Secretary.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept such report and adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Becker, Bedell, Bolles, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Carberry, Cole, Coleman, Cummskey, Curran, Delaney, Devine, Diemer, Dixon, Dotzler, Dowling, Downing, Eagan, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Fink, Folks, Gaynor, Gelbke, Gilmore, Hamilton, Hannon, Herbst, Lieberman, Loos, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McGrath, Marks, Martyn, Meagher, Molen, Moore, Muhlbauer, Mulligan, Nicoll, O'Connor, O'Neil, O'Rourke, Pendry, Post, Reardon, Shipley, Stapleton, Weil, Weston, White, Willard, Wilmot and the Vice-Chairman—57.

#### GENERAL ORDERS.

No. 294—Int. No. 2061.

The Committee on Laws and Legislation, to which was referred on October 22, 1912 (Minutes, page 169), the annexed ordinance in relation to the use of court yards and sidewalks on Bushwick Avenue boulevard, respectfully

#### REPORTS:

That having examined the subject, it believes the proposed ordinance to be desirable.

It, therefore, recommends that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE in relation to the use of court yards and sidewalks on Bushwick Avenue boulevard.

Be it Ordained, By the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York, as follows: That section 71 of chapter 6 of part 3 of the ordinances effecting that part of The City of New York included within the Borough of Brooklyn, is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Section 71, paragraph 1—No person or persons shall erect or construct upon the twenty feet on each side of the Bushwick Avenue boulevard, by law set apart to be used as courtyards only, any piazza veranda, covered or inclosed porch, platform, or erection other than stoops, steps or platforms, with open backs and sides, or railing not to exceed seven feet in height, or to extend upon said courtyards more than seven feet, or of a greater width than is necessary for the purpose of a convenient passageway into the houses or buildings to which the same shall be attached; or shall any person or persons dig, build or construct any area into said court yard (.), nor shall any person or persons erect or maintain any horse trough or appliance for watering horses or any other animals, either on the sidewalks or in the courtyards of the thoroughfares herein named.

Paragraph 2. This ordinance as amended to take effect immediately.

Note—New matter in italics; old matter in parenthesis ( ) to be omitted.

COURTLANDT NICOLL, W. H. PENDRY, JOHN A. BOLLES, JAMES HAMILTON, WM. BRUSH, BRYANT WILLARD, Committee on Laws and Legislation.

Which, on motion of Alderman Pendry, was again laid over for one week.

No. 295—Int. No. 2296.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on December 3, 1912 (Minutes, page 474) the annexed resolution in favor of amending resolution for \$200,000 corporate stock for construction and equipment of an asphalt repair plant, Borough of Manhattan, by reducing amount to \$159,000, respectfully

#### REPORTS:

That the object of this reduction is for the purpose of allowing the difference, \$41,000, to be transferred to the Department of Docks and Ferries for the purpose of constructing a bulkhead between E. 90th and 91st sts., East River, at the site of the proposed asphalt repair plant. The Committee recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following amended resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a stated meeting held November 27, 1912:

Resolved, That, subject to the concurrence herewith by the Board of Aldermen, the following resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on July 17, 1911, and concurred in by the Board of Aldermen on July 25, 1911, as follows:

"Resolved, That, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby approves of the issue of corporate stock of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding two hundred thousand dollars (\$200,000) to provide means for the construction and equipment of an asphalt repair plant, Bureau of Highways, in the Borough of Manhattan, and that when authority therefor shall have been obtained from the Board of Aldermen the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized to issue said corporate stock of The City of New York in the manner provided by section 169 of the Greater New York Charter, the proceeds thereof to the amount of the par value of the stock to be applied to the purposes aforesaid."

—be and the same is hereby amended to make the amount authorized one hundred and fifty-nine thousand dollars (\$159,000).

HENRY H. CURRAN, THOS. J. MULLIGAN, JAMES HAMILTON, ROBERT F. DOWNING, FRANCIS P. KENNEY, C. AUGUSTUS POST, BRYANT WILLARD, Committee on Finance.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept such report and adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Becker, Bedell, Bolles, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Carberry, Cole, Coleman, Cummskey, Curran, Delaney, Devine, Dixon, Downing, Eagan, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Fink, Folks, Gaynor, Gilmore, Grimm, Hamilton, Hannon, Levine, Lieberman, Loos, McCann, McGarry, McGrath, Mulligan, Nicoll, O'Connor, O'Neil, O'Rourke, Pendry, Post, Reardon, Shipley, Stapleton, Walsh, Weston, Willard, Wilmot; President Cromwell, President Miller, by Thomas W. Whittle, Commissioner of Public Works—48.

No. 296—Int. No. 2318.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on December 3, 1912 (Minutes, page 502) the annexed resolution in favor of authorizing the Chief Clerk of the Fifth District Municipal Court, Brooklyn, to draw \$25 at a time on contingent account, respectfully

#### REPORTS:

That it is customary to grant this permission, upon application, to facilitate the small cash payments necessary in connection with the transaction of official business. It, therefore, recommends that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That for the purpose of defraying minor incidental expenses contingent to the office of the Municipal Court of The City of New York, Borough of Brooklyn, Fifth District, the Chief Clerk of such court may, by requisition, draw upon the Comptroller for a sum not exceeding twenty-five dollars (\$25), and may in like manner renew the draft as often as may be deemed necessary, to the extent of the appropriation set apart for supplies and "contingencies" in his office, during the year 1913; but no such renewal shall be made until the money paid upon the preceding draft shall be accounted for to the Comptroller by the transmittal of a voucher or vouchers certified by the Chief Clerk covering the expenditure of the money paid thereon.

HENRY H. CURRAN, THOS. J. MULLIGAN, JAMES HAMILTON, ROBERT F. DOWNING, FRANCIS P. KENNEY, C. AUGUSTUS POST, BRYANT WILLARD, Committee on Finance.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept such report and adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Becker, Bedell, Bolles, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Carberry, Cole, Coleman, Cummskey, Curran, Delaney, Devine, Dixon, Downing, Eagan, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Fink, Folks, Gaynor, Gilmore, Grimm, Hamilton, Hannon, Levine, Lieberman, Loos, McCann, McGarry, McGrath, Mulligan, Nicoll, O'Connor, O'Neil, O'Rourke, Pendry, Post, Reardon, Shipley, Stapleton, Walsh, Weston, Willard, Wilmot; President Cromwell, President Miller, by Thomas W. Whittle, Commissioner of Public Works—48.

No. 297—Int. No. 1440.

The Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers, to which was referred on July 2, 1912 (Minutes, page 35), the annexed resolution in favor of renumbering houses on both sides of 38th st., between 2d and 9th aves., Borough of Brooklyn, respectfully

#### REPORTS:

That having examined the subject, it believes the proposed change requested by the President of the Borough of Brooklyn to be necessary.

It, therefore, recommends that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That the President of the Borough of Brooklyn be, and he is hereby authorized and requested to number and renumber the buildings on both sides of 38th street, between 2d ave. and 9th ave., in such manner and to such extent as may be necessary.

JESSE D. MOORE, MICHAEL STAPLETON, NILES R. BECKER, DANIEL R. COLEMAN, THOS. J. MULLIGAN, JOHN H. BOSCHEN, Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers.

The City of New York, Office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, Brooklyn, June 27, 1912.

The Honorable Board of Aldermen, City of New York:

Gentlemen—We are in receipt of a report of our Bureau of Highways calling



attention to the conflicting house numbering on 38th st., between 2d and 9th aves., this Borough. Two systems of numbering are used on this street between the above-mentioned limits.

Our Bureau of Highways is now endeavoring to straighten out this matter, and to legalize it I respectfully request your honorable Board to adopt the following resolution:

Resolved, That the President of the Borough of Brooklyn be and he is hereby authorized and requested to number and renumber the buildings on both sides of 38th st., between 2d ave. and 9th ave., in such manner and to such extent as may be necessary.

—authorizing the Borough President to number and renumber the buildings on both sides of 38th st. as above. Yours very respectfully,

L. H. POUNDS, Acting Borough President.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept such report and adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Becker, Bedell, Bolles, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Carberry, Cole, Coleman, Cummskey, Curran, Delaney, Devine, Dixon, Dowling, Downing, Eagan, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Fink, Folks, Gaynor, Gilmore, Grimm, Hamilton, Hannon, Levine, Lieberman, Loos, McCann, McGarry, McGrath, Mulligan, Nicoll, O'Connor, O'Neil, O'Rourke, Pendry, Post, Reardon, Shipley, Stapleton, Walsh, Weston, Willard, Wilmot; President Cromwell, President Miller, by Thomas W. Whittle, Commissioner of Public Works—48.

No. 298—Int. No. 1452.

The Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers, to which was referred on July 2, 1912 (Minutes, page 45), the annexed recommendation of the Commissioner of Police in favor of establishing "Isles of Safety" in the Borough of Brooklyn in compliance with resolution No. 1181 by the Vice-Chairman, adopted May 28, 1912 (Minutes, page 498), respectfully

#### REPORTS:

That having examined the subject, it believes the proposed improvement to be necessary, and that the list submitted by the Commissioner of Police is satisfactory. The Committee recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That it be and hereby is recommended to the President of the Borough of Brooklyn that "Isles of Safety" be established at the following locations:

Plaza, west side of Brooklyn Bridge, between High and Sands sts.  
Plaza, Fulton and Court sts., opposite Borough Hall plaza.  
Plaza, Joralemon and Fulton sts., opposite Court House.  
Plaza, Fulton st. and Flatbush ave., opposite Nevins st.  
Plaza, Flatbush and Hudson aves.  
Plaza, Fulton st. and Lafayette ave. and South Elliott place.  
Plaza, Fulton st., Hanson place and South Oxford st.  
Plaza, Flatbush, 6th and St. Marks aves.  
Plaza, Flatbush, 7th and Park place.  
Plaza, Flatbush, 8th ave. and St. Johns place.  
Junction, Flatbush ave., Hanson and Ashland place.  
Junction, Flatbush and 4th aves.  
Junction, Flatbush ave. and Pacific st.  
Junction, Bedford ave. and Eastern parkway, north of Slocum monument.  
Junction, Bedford ave. and Eastern parkway, south of Slocum monument.  
Junction, Broadway and Flushing ave., west side.  
Junction, Williamsburg Bridge plaza, New to Roebling sts., Broadway to bridge exit.

JESSE D. MOORE, MICHAEL STAPLETON, NILES R. BECKER, DANIEL R. COLEMAN, THOS. J. MULLIGAN, JOHN H. BOSCHEN, Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers.

Police Department of The City of New York, Office of the Commissioner, June 28, 1912.

Hon. JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, President, Board of Aldermen, City Hall, New York:

Sir—In compliance with resolution of the Board of Aldermen I have the honor to recommend isles of safety for Brooklyn, as follows:

Plaza, west side of Brooklyn Bridge, between High and Sands sts.  
Plaza, Fulton and Court sts., opposite Borough Hall plaza.  
Plaza, Joralemon and Fulton sts., opposite Court House.  
Plaza, Fulton st. and Flatbush ave., opposite Nevins st.  
Plaza, Flatbush and Hudson aves.  
Plaza, Fulton st. and Lafayette ave. and South Elliott place.  
Plaza, Fulton st., Hanson place and South Oxford st.  
Plaza, Flatbush, 6th and St. Marks aves.  
Plaza, Flatbush, 7th and Park place.  
Plaza, Flatbush, 8th ave. and St. Johns place.  
Junction, Flatbush ave., Hanson and Ashland place.  
Junction, Flatbush and 4th aves.  
Junction, Flatbush ave. and Pacific st.  
Junction, Bedford ave. and Eastern parkway, north of Slocum monument.  
Junction, Bedford ave. and Eastern parkway, south of Slocum monument.  
Junction, Broadway and Flushing ave., west side.  
Junction, Williamsburg Bridge plaza, New to Roebling sts., Broadway to bridge exit. Very respectfully,

R. WALDO, Police Commissioner.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept such report and adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Becker, Bedell, Bolles, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Carberry, Cole, Coleman, Cummskey, Curran, Delaney, Devine, Dixon, Dowling, Downing, Eagan, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Fink, Folks, Gaynor, Gilmore, Grimm, Hamilton, Hannon, Levine, Lieberman, Loos, McCann, McGarry, McGrath, Mulligan, Nicoll, O'Connor, O'Neil, O'Rourke, Pendry, Post, Reardon, Shipley, Stapleton, Walsh, Weston, Willard, Wilmot; President Cromwell, President Miller, by Thomas W. Whittle, Commissioner of Public Works—48.

No. 299—Int. No. 1483.

The Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers, to which was referred on July 2, 1912 (Minutes, page 92), the annexed resolution to change the name of Underhill avenue, Borough of Queens, respectfully

#### REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed change of name to be desirable.

It, therefore, recommends that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That the name of Underhill ave., 3d Ward, Borough of Queens, extending from Main st. to North Hempstead turnpike, as laid down on Sections Nos. 63 and 66 of final maps of the Borough of Queens, be and the same is hereby changed to and shall hereafter be known and designated as "Kissena Road," and the President of the Borough of Queens is hereby authorized and directed to make the necessary changes on the maps and records of The City of New York in accordance therewith.

JESSE D. MOORE, MICHAEL STAPLETON, NILES R. BECKER, DANIEL R. COLEMAN, THOS. J. MULLIGAN, JOHN H. BOSCHEN, Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept such report and adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Becker, Bedell, Bolles, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Carberry, Cole, Coleman, Cummskey, Curran, Delaney, Devine, Dixon, Dowling, Downing, Eagan, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Fink, Folks, Gaynor, Gilmore, Grimm, Hamilton, Hannon, Levine, Lieberman, Loos, McCann, McGarry, McGrath, Mulligan, Nicoll, O'Connor, O'Neil, O'Rourke, Pendry, Post, Reardon, Shipley, Stapleton, Walsh, Weston, Willard, Wilmot; President Cromwell, President Miller, by Thomas W. Whittle, Commissioner of Public Works—48.

No. 300—Int. No. 2122.

The Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers, to which was referred on October 29, 1912 (Minutes, page 211), the annexed resolution authorizing the President of the Borough of Brooklyn to change the name of East 33d st., from Flatbush ave. south to Ave. U, to New York ave., respectfully

#### REPORTS:

That having examined the subject, it believes the proposed change of name to be desirable.

It, therefore, recommends that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That the President of the Borough of Brooklyn be and he is hereby requested and authorized to change the name of East 33d st., extending from Flatbush ave. south to Ave. N, to New York ave.

JESSE D. MOORE, MICHAEL STAPLETON, NILES R. BECKER, DANIEL R. COLEMAN, THOS. J. MULLIGAN, JOHN H. BOSCHEN, Committee on Streets, Highways and Sewers.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept such report and adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Becker, Bedell, Bolles, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Carberry, Cole, Coleman, Cummskey, Curran, Delaney, Devine, Dixon, Dowling, Downing, Eagan, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Fink, Folks, Gaynor, Gilmore, Grimm, Hamilton, Hannon, Levine, Lieberman, Loos, McCann, McGarry, McGrath, Mulligan, Nicoll, O'Connor, O'Neil, O'Rourke, Pendry, Post, Reardon, Shipley, Stapleton, Walsh, Weston, Willard, Wilmot; President Cromwell, President Miller, by Thomas W. Whittle, Commissioner of Public Works—48.

No. 301—Int. No. 2289.

The Committee on Laws and Legislation, to which was referred on November 25, 1912 (Minutes, page 469), the annexed ordinance in favor of amending section 347 of part 1 of the Code, relating to "Peddlers," and denying the right to vend wares, etc., on Montrose ave., in the Borough of Brooklyn, respectfully

#### REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, and finding that it is the desire of the people resident on said thoroughfare that such restriction be made, it therefore recommends that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE to Amend Section 347 of Part 1 of the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York, Relating to "Peddlers."

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

Section 1. Section 347 of part 1 of the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York, as amended, is hereby further amended by adding at the end thereof the following words:

*Nor shall any such peddler cry his or her wares or stop or remain on Montrose ave. between Broadway and Bushwick place, in the Borough of Brooklyn.*

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Note—New matter in italics.

COURTLANDT NICOLL, W. H. PENDRY, WM. D. BRUSH, JAMES HAMILTON, O. GRANT ESTERBROOK, BRYANT WILLARD, JOHN J. MEAGHER, Committee on Laws and Legislation.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept such report and adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Becker, Bedell, Bolles, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Carberry, Cole, Coleman, Cummskey, Curran, Delaney, Devine, Dixon, Dowling, Downing, Eagan, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Fink, Folks, Gaynor, Gilmore, Grimm, Hamilton, Hannon, Levine, Lieberman, Loos, McCann, McGarry, McGrath, Mulligan, Nicoll, O'Connor, O'Neil, O'Rourke, Pendry, Post, Reardon, Shipley, Stapleton, Walsh, Weston, Willard, Wilmot; President Cromwell, President Miller, by Thomas W. Whittle, Commissioner of Public Works—48.

#### ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS.

No. 2430.

By the President—

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

By Vice-Chairman Kline—

Arthur C. Good, Shore road and Oliver st., Brooklyn, N. Y.

By Alderman Bedell—

Arthur C. Levy, 12 W. 92d st., Manhattan.

By Alderman Bolles—

Elmer E. Higbie, 242 W. 148th st., Manhattan.

By Alderman Boschen—

Grace Gengieve Segrave, 505 W. 158th st., Manhattan.

By Alderman Bosse—

Peter J. Brancato, 6304 14th ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.; Joseph E. R. Kunzmann, 1716 Ocean ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.; Charles Dibner, 2034 Bath ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.; Alexander S. Fischer, 3050 W. 1st st., Brooklyn, N. Y.

By Alderman Brush—

Samuel Mendelson, 86 W. 119th st., Manhattan.

By Alderman Cummskey—

Henry Thielbahr, 1508 2d ave., Manhattan; Geo. J. Newhouse, 309 E. 14th st., Manhattan.

By Alderman Delaney—

Samuel Mitchell, 155 E. 92d st., Manhattan; Vincent Torocco, 2224 2d ave., Manhattan.

By Alderman Devine—

Terence F. Casey, 434 E. 157th st., The Bronx; John N. Pruser, 497 E. 138th st., The Bronx.

By Alderman Diemer—

Alexander M. DuFlon, Jr., 28a Pulaski st., Brooklyn; Jacob S. Gross, 533 Wiloughby ave., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Dowling—

Ignatius Leo Bryan, 256 W. 22d st., Manhattan.

By Alderman Downing—

Irene M. Cheesman, 859 Herkimer st., Brooklyn; Charles C. Johnson, 102 Montague st., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Drescher—

Davis B. Cohen, 349 Spring st., Manhattan.

By Alderman Dujat—

Otto W. Frederick, 88 7th st., Woodside, L. I.

By Alderman Eichhorn—

Abraham Cohen, 1473 Herkimer st., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Esterbrook—

John W. Highfield, 606 Lafayette ave., Brooklyn; Frank P. Nolan, 720 W. 181st st., Manhattan.

By Alderman Fink—

William Connell, Jr., 27 Mada ave., West New Brighton, S. I.

By Alderman Gaynor—

Simon Straus, 690 Putnam ave., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Gelbke—

Patrick J. Donavin, 855 Fresh Pond road, Ridgewood, L. I.; Robert McLeod Jackson, 25 Columbus ave., Rockaway Park, N. Y.

By Alderman Gilmore—

Charles Herr, 130 East End ave., Manhattan.

By Alderman Grimm—

Frank M. Wandell, Jr., 59 Nichols ave., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Hamilton—

George F. D. Doyle, 1018 Lind ave., The Bronx; Frank L. Tierney, 30 E. 169th st., The Bronx.

By Alderman Hannon—

Samuel Walter Katz, 133 E. 84th st., Manhattan.

By Alderman Herbst—

Lizzie Marsell, 2454 Arthur ave., The Bronx; Henry Albert Eberhardt, 1049 Jackson ave., The Bronx; John E. Weiss, 1077 Fox st., The Bronx; Sigmund Feinblatt, 820 E. 179th st., The Bronx; Abe Levy, 631 E. 168th st., The Bronx.

By Alderman Levine—

Louis J. Rosett, 14 W. 107th st., Manhattan; Hugh J. Lavery, 124 Audubon ave., Manhattan.

By Alderman Lieberman—

Charles D. Horowitz, 2 E. 117th st., Manhattan; Maurice M. Strauss, 115 W. 137th st., Manhattan.

By Alderman Marks—

William Kreielsheimer, 1053 Southern Boulevard, The Bronx.

By Alderman Martyn—

Thomas F. Thornton, 229 Hinsdale st., Brooklyn; Louis A. Shapiro, 1749 Pitkin ave., Brooklyn.



By Alderman Meagher—  
Michael H. Rose, 1139 45th st., Brooklyn; Simon Abrahamson, 4905 12th ave., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Moore—  
Catherine L. Cullen, 74a Conselyea st., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Morrison—  
Ernest M. Hollister, 120 Linden ave., Brooklyn; Frank J. Blydenburgh, 408 E. 18th st., Brooklyn; Frederic F. Hartich, 482 E. 18th st., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Muhlbauer—  
Benjamin Eisler, 65 Suydam st., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Mulligan—  
Bernard J. McDevitt, 721 Tilden st., The Bronx.

By Alderman O'Neil—  
Frank Gass, 2248 Powell ave., The Bronx.

By Alderman O'Rourke—  
George Whigelt, Dongan Hills, Richmond Borough.

By Alderman Post—  
Charles M. Swazey, Broadway and 2d st., Bayside, L. I.

By Alderman Shipley—  
Michael A. Gordon, 177 East Grand ave., Corona, L. I.; Edward A. Horan, 15 Boss ave., Queens.

By Alderman Smith—  
Henry M. Raff, 178 Clinton st., Manhattan; Samuel Gordon, 253 Grand st., Manhattan.

By Alderman Velten—  
Matthew William Carmel, 46 Boerum st., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Weil—  
Otto Lackman, 285 E. 163d st., The Bronx.

By Alderman Weston—  
Charles G. Hall, 943 Gates ave., Brooklyn; Henry Cordts, 726a Quincy st., Brooklyn.

By Alderman Willard—  
Arthur Webster Magee, 274 W. 132d st., Manhattan; Paul M. Abraham, 608 W. 139th st., Manhattan; William H. Grasse, 160 Claremont ave., Manhattan.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Becker, Bedell, Bolles, Boschen, Bosse, Carberry, Cumiskey, Curran, Delaney, Devine, Dixon, Dowling, Downing, Drescher, Eagan, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Fink, Folks, Gaynor, Gilmore, Hamilton, Hannon, Levine, Lieberman, Loos, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McGrath, Marks, Molen, Moore, Mulligan, Nicoll, O'Connor, O'Neil, O'Rourke, Pendry, Post, Shipley, Smith, Weil, Weston, Willard, Wilmot; President Cromwell, President Miller, by Thomas W. Whittle, Commissioner of Public Works; President Steers, by L. H. Pounds, Commissioner of Public Works; the Vice-Chairman—50.

At this point the Vice-Chairman took the chair.

No. 2431.

By Alderman White—

Whereas, The Civil Service Commission of the State of New York has issued a circular which calls for an examination for Superintendent of the State Industrial Farm Colony, to be held on January 11, 1913; and

Whereas, This examination has been opened to the territory of the United States because of a desire to obtain a properly fitted and educated person to fill the said position; and

Whereas, This act on the part of the Civil Service Commission is unfair to men educated and trained in the State of New York and residents thereof; and

Whereas, It shows an apparent fear on the part of the Board of Managers of securing a proper person within the State; and

Whereas, It is known in some sections of the State that certain promoters have in mind particular men, and some of these same promoters show an anxiety to assist non-residents and are willing to prepare suitable questions for this examination for men who are non-residents; and

Whereas, The County Superintendents of the Poor of the State of New York and the Poor Law officers have registered a protest with John E. Kraft, President of the Civil Service Commission of the State of New York, against holding such an examination; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York hereby join the Poor Law officers of the State in their protest against holding such an examination, which is wholly against the principle and policy of the State under the home rule and merit system; therefore, be it further

Resolved, That the Clerk of this Board register such a protest with the State Civil Service Commission of the State of New York.

Which was adopted.

No. 2432.

By Alderman Weston—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Luigi Tassariella to erect, place and keep a storm door within the stoop line in front of premises on the southeast corner of Gates ave. and Reid ave., in the Borough of Brooklyn, provided the said storm door shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided; the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the President of the Borough; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was adopted.

No. 2433.

By Alderman Velten—

Whereas, It has been the practice of the Police Commissioner and the Fire Commissioner to either suspend from duty or dismiss from the service men under their control when charges coming within the jurisdiction of the courts have been made; and

Whereas, Frequently such charges have been groundless, ending in an honorable dismissal, but have proven embarrassing to those who innocently suffered; therefore

Resolved, That the Legislature of the State of New York be and it is hereby requested to amend the powers of the Police Commissioner and the Fire Commissioner so as to preclude dismissal from the service until charges against men have been adversely adjudicated by the courts.

Which was referred to the Committee on Police.

No. 2434.

By Alderman Smith—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to H. C. Morton to parade a man with an advertising sign through the streets and thoroughfares of the Borough of Manhattan, under the supervision of the Police Department; such permission to continue only for the period of thirty days from the receipt hereof from his Honor the Mayor.

Which was adopted.

No. 2435.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to E. Perlberg to parade a man with an advertising sign through the streets and thoroughfares of the Borough of Manhattan, under the supervision of the Police Department; such permission to continue only for the period of thirty days from the receipt hereof from his Honor the Mayor.

Which was adopted.

No. 2436.

By Alderman Shipley—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to C. J. Cobb to erect, place and keep a showcase in front of premises on the northeast corner of Columbia and Jamaica aves., Woodlaven, 4th Ward, Borough of Queens, provided the said showcase shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided; the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the President of the Borough; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was adopted.

No. 2437.

By Alderman Reardon—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to David Katz to erect, place and keep a booth within the stoop line in front of premises 501 E. 79th st.,

in the Borough of Manhattan, provided the said booth shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided; the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the President of the Borough, such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was adopted.

No. 2438.

By Alderman Post—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Hanser's Bazaar to parade a man clothed as Santa Claus for advertising purposes through the streets and thoroughfares of Flushing, in the Borough of Queens, under the supervision of the Police Department; such permission to continue only for the period of thirty days from the receipt hereof from his Honor the Mayor.

Which was adopted.

No. 2439.

By Alderman Nugent—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Newark Shoe Company, of 976 3d ave., to parade a man with an advertising sign through the streets and thoroughfares of the Borough of Manhattan, under the supervision of the Police Department; such permission to continue only for the period of thirty days from the receipt hereof from his Honor the Mayor.

Which was adopted.

No. 2440.

By Alderman Marks—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Woolf Bros. to parade a man with an advertising sign through the streets and thoroughfares of the Borough of Manhattan, under the supervision of the Police Department; such permission to continue only for the period of thirty days from the receipt hereof from his Honor the Mayor.

Which was adopted.

No. 2441.

By Alderman Muhlbauer—

Resolved, That it is recommended to the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity that two lampposts be erected, street lamps placed thereon and lighted in front of St. Marks Lutheran Church (Bushwick ave. side), located on the southwest corner of Bushwick ave. and Jefferson st., in the Borough of Brooklyn.

Which was adopted.

No. 2442.

By Alderman Nicoll—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Susan C. Carroll, of 44 W. 33d st., to parade a man with an advertising sign through the streets and thoroughfares of the Borough of Manhattan, under the supervision of the Police Department; such permission to continue only for the period of thirty days from the receipt hereof from his Honor the Mayor; provided, that the man when displaying his sign does not go upon 34th st., between 5th and 6th aves.; on 42d st., between 6th and 7th aves., nor on Broadway, between 39th and 44th sts.

Which was adopted.

No. 2443.

By Alderman McGrath—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to F. A. Belmont, of 2261 3d ave., to parade a man with an advertising sign through the streets and thoroughfares of the Borough of Manhattan, under the supervision of the Police Department; such permission to continue only for the period of thirty days from the receipt hereof from his Honor the Mayor.

Which was adopted.

No. 2444.

By Alderman McCourt—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Eagle Print, P. J. Mooney, manager, to parade a man with an advertising sign through the streets and thoroughfares of the Borough of Manhattan, under the supervision of the Police Department; such permission to continue only for the period of thirty days from the receipt hereof from his Honor the Mayor.

Which was adopted.

No. 2445.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to "Pierre to parade a man with an advertising sign through the streets and thoroughfares of the Borough of Manhattan under the supervision of the Police Department; such permission to continue only for the period of thirty days from the receipt hereof from his Honor the Mayor.

Which was adopted.

No. 2446.

By Alderman Hannon—

Resolved, That Joseph A. Pattano, of 26-28 Leroy street, in the Borough of Manhattan, be and he is hereby appointed a City Surveyor.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

No. 2447.

By Alderman Fink—

Resolved, That Carl Ettlinger, of 18 Haughwout street, West New Brighton, in the Borough of Richmond, be and he is hereby appointed a City Surveyor.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

No. 2448.

By Alderman Drescher—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Martha Washington Candy Company to parade two men with advertising signs through the streets and thoroughfares of the Borough of Manhattan under the supervision of the Police Department; such permission to continue only for the period of thirty days from the receipt hereof from his Honor the Mayor.

Which was adopted.

No. 2449.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to W. Wobbe, of 36-38 Greenwich street, to parade a man with an advertising sign through the streets and thoroughfares of the Borough of Manhattan under the supervision of the Police Department; such permission to continue only for the period of thirty days from the receipt hereof from his Honor the Mayor.

Which was adopted.

No. 2450.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John I. Lipkin to parade a man with an advertising sign through the streets and thoroughfares of the Borough of Manhattan under the supervision of the Police Department; such permission to continue only for the period of thirty days from the receipt hereof from his Honor the Mayor.

Which was adopted.

No. 2451.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Shoderhoff Bros. to parade a man with an advertising sign through the streets and thoroughfares of the Borough of Manhattan under the supervision of the Police Department; such permission to continue only for the period of thirty days from the receipt hereof from his Honor the Mayor.

Which was adopted.

No. 2452.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Henry Lorber, of 625 Broadway, to parade a man with an advertising sign through the streets and thoroughfares of the Borough of Manhattan under the supervision of the Police Department; such permission to continue only for the period of thirty days from the receipt hereof from his Honor the Mayor.

Which was adopted.

No. 2453.

By Alderman Diemer—

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds



to the amount of nine hundred and forty-eight 44-100 dollars (\$948.44), the proceeds whereof to be used by the Sheriff of Kings County for the purpose of meeting deficiencies in 1912 accounts. All obligations contracted for hereunder to be incurred on or before December 31, 1912.

Statement of Unpaid Bills and Estimated Expense not yet Billed or Incurred and Unexpended Portions of Appropriations on Hand for Maintenance of County Jail and Administration, Contingencies, Sheriff's Office, Kings County.

Jail.	
Unpaid Bills—	
Ice .....	\$18 00
Towel supply .....	7 00
Water .....	15 30
Express and freight .....	2 67
Medical Attendance .....	52 00
	\$94 97
Estimated Jail to Meet Bills not yet Rendered—	
Water .....	\$12 24
Towel supply .....	2 00
Medical attendance .....	20 00
Ice .....	18 00
	52 24
Estimated and unpaid .....	\$147 21
Cash balance, Code 2338 .....	41 66
Revenue bonds needed for jail .....	\$105 55
Administration.	
Unpaid Bills—	
Deputies' and Warden's expenses .....	\$335 47
Rubber stamps .....	7 90
Printing .....	35 75
Cab hire .....	19 50
Ice .....	17 46
Towel supply .....	3 70
Stationery .....	21 12
Water .....	44 40
	\$485 30
Estimated—	
Water .....	\$8 88
Postage .....	20 00
Printing .....	15 00
Stationery .....	10 00
Towel supply .....	7 40
Ice .....	7 00
Warden's and Deputies' expenses .....	325 00
	393 28
Unpaid and estimated .....	\$878 58
Cash balance, Code 2341 .....	\$5 05
Balance, imprest cash .....	30 64
	35 69
Revenue bonds needed, administration .....	\$842 89
Revenue bonds needed, jail .....	105 55
Total revenue bonds needed .....	\$948 44
Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.	
No. 2454.	

By Alderman Devine—

Whereas, The minutes of this Board, being important public records, are difficult to read as now printed, because of the fact that the lines are placed so closely together; be it

Resolved, That the City Clerk be directed, in transmitting the requisition for the printing of the minutes for 1913 to the Board of City Record, to request the use of somewhat larger type or of more space between the lines and between subjects, in order that same may be more easily deciphered.

Which was adopted.

At this point the President resumed the Chair.

No. 2455.

By Aldermen Curran, Downing, Esterbrook, Shipley, Folks and Hamilton—

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds to the amount of \$25,000, the proceeds thereof to be used by the Special Committee of this Board, appointed pursuant to the resolution duly adopted by this Board on the 5th day of August, 1912, for the purpose of paying its expenses incurred in conducting the inquiry provided for in the said resolution.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 2456.

By Alderman Boschen—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to J. H. Cavanaugh to erect, place and keep booth within the stoop line in front of premises on the south-east corner of 150th st. and Amsterdam ave., in the Borough of Manhattan, provided the said booth shall be erected so as to conform in all respects with the provisions of the ordinance in such case made and provided; the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the President of the Borough, such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

Which was adopted.

No. 2457.

By Alderman Bolles—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Excelsior Market Co., of 251 W. 145th st., to parade two men with advertising signs through the streets and thoroughfares of the Borough of Manhattan, under the supervision of the Police Department; such permission to continue only for the period of thirty days from the receipt hereof from his Honor the Mayor.

Which was adopted.

No. 2458.

By Alderman Nicoll—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Charles A. Moore, of 630 6th ave., to parade a man with an advertising sign through the streets and thoroughfares of the Borough of Manhattan, under the supervision of the Police Department; such permission to continue only for the period of thirty days from the receipt hereof from his Honor the Mayor; provided, that the man when displaying his sign does not go upon 34th st., between 5th and 6th aves.; on 42d st., between 6th and 7th aves., nor on Broadway, between 39th and 44th sts.

Which was adopted.

No. 2459.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Philip Chapman, of 122 W. 36th st., to parade a man with an advertising sign through the streets and thoroughfares of the Borough of Manhattan, under the supervision of the Police Department; such permission to continue only for the period of thirty days from the receipt hereof from his Honor the Mayor; provided, that the man when displaying his sign does not go upon 34th st., between 5th and 6th aves.; on 42d st., between 6th and 7th aves., nor on Broadway, between 39th and 44th sts.

Which was adopted.

At this point the Vice-Chairman again took the chair.

Alderman Kenney rose to a question of personal privilege, and read the following statement:

No. 2460.

Mr. President, and Gentlemen of the Board of Aldermen:

In the light of a statement or allegation recently emanated from the office of his Honor the Mayor, in which my name, among others, was dragged through the mire of an unwholesome publicity, unwarranted, uncalled for, and which I am compelled to believe is a reflection on my character, if not a libel, I desire to place upon record a statement. Not that I feel that a defense is necessary on my part, but only

for the reason that when things are said which tend to blast the honor of a lifetime, they should not go unanswered.

That I should be thoroughly wise to conditions I visited the office of Mr. Wallace, the Chief of the Bureau of Licenses, and the offices of the Commissioners of Accounts, in each of which places I was received politely. I was given positive assurance that there was not the slightest evidence, not even a rumor, of any wrongdoing on my part, and that the first intimation either of the offices had with respect to me and the matters touched upon was a perusal of the statement as published in the public prints.

I then visited the office of the Mayor, and there found an affidavit—a copy of which is in my possession—in which one, Charles A. Lenander, made statements which, if scrutinized closely, are largely at variance with the impression which so largely distributed reports as the one of his Honor the Mayor is apt to breed in the minds of the public.

In the spring of this year I was approached by a Mr. Michael J. King, a member of the very reputable firm of L. J. King & Sons, masons and builders, who said that a delicate man, Lenander, a shoemaker by trade, who was, on account of failing health, required to find outdoor employment, and wished to open a news stand under the elevated stairs at the corner of Union st. and 5th ave., Brooklyn. I told King that while the law for such stands did not necessarily require the consent of the owner of abutting premises, I nevertheless felt that such owner had some rights, that he ought to be consulted, and that if no objection came from said source I would have no objection to granting an application. Under said condition I issued the application and a license was granted. Thereupon Lenander began the erection of a stand. The owner of the abutting property complained to me, and I informed said owner that the stand was being erected contrary to a condition imposed by me.

The owner then, and before the stand was completed, lodged a complaint in the office of the President of the Borough (Bureau of Incumbrances), stating that a nuisance was about to be maintained in front of her property. The Bureau of Incumbrances then tacked a notice on the stand, to the effect that the same must be removed within three days, else it would be taken away by the Bureau and carted to the Corporation Yard.

I agreed with the conduct of the owner of the premises and the action of the Bureau of Incumbrances, for the reason that the stand was erected in violation of the condition under which I issued the application.

Copy of sworn affidavit of Mr. Michael J. King attached hereto.

Signed: FRANCIS P. KENNEY, Alderman, 49th Aldermanic District.

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

Michael J. King, being duly sworn, deposes and says:

That he is a resident of 260 5th ave., Borough of Brooklyn, County of Kings, City and State of New York; that he is a boss mason, with a place of business at 86 Garfield place, Borough of Brooklyn, City and State of New York, where he is engaged in business with his father, Lawrence J. King, Sr., and Lawrence J. King, Jr.; that he has been engaged in the aforesaid business for about nine years.

That he knows Charles A. Leander and has known him for about four or five months; that he came to him about four months ago and stated that he was residing as a boarder with Mrs. Brown, widow of Thomas Brown, who for many years had been an intimate friend of deponent.

That on account of Leander's delicate appearance and the fact that he had resided with Mrs. Brown, caused deponent to become interested in his case; deponent went to Alderman Francis Kenney and obtained from him an application, which Alderman Kenney signed, permitting the aforesaid Charles A. Leander to erect a stand underneath the elevator at Union st. and 5th ave., Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York; Alderman Francis Kenney instructed me when I received the application that I should get the consent of the property owner directly in front of the stand, and if the owner objected I should not give the application to Charles Leander; however, I turned over the application to this man with the understanding that he should get the consent of the owner; Charles A. Leander subsequently informed your deponent that he could not have the stand underneath the elevator at Union st. and 5th ave. unless he paid five dollars (\$5) per month to Mr. Calmeyer, manager for Mrs. Honeyvine; I told him that was no concern of mine, but to fix things himself; "That is not a matter concerning me, my work is finished."

That deponent never requested money nor received any money from Charles A. Leander; that deponent never even suggested that there should be any money given him for what he had done. Alderman Francis Kenney never received any money from me for the application in question, nor did he ever make the slightest suggestion that there should be any money paid him for his official act.

Signed: MICHAEL J. KING.

Sworn to before me this 12th day of December, 1912.

Signed: DANIEL J. GRIFFIN, Notary Public, Kings County.

Which was ordered printed in the CITY RECORD and placed on file.

#### SPECIAL ORDERS, RESUMED.

The hour of 2.30 o'clock p. m. having arrived, the Vice-Chairman laid before the Board the following Special Order:

No. 136—Int. No. 1642.

The Committee on Privileges and Elections, to which was referred on July 9, 1912 (Minutes, page 179), the annexed resolution in favor of electing Charles Rathfelder an Alderman in place of John W. Hagenmiller, resigned, respectfully

#### REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed vacancy should be filled by the selection of this applicant who bears the endorsement of the aldermanic district represented by Mr. Hagenmiller, and fulfills all Charter requirements.

It therefore recommends that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That Charles Rathfelder, of 440 E. 156th st., in the Borough of The Bronx, be and he is hereby elected a member of the Board of Aldermen for the years 1912 and 1913, for the Thirty-seventh Aldermanic District, in the place and stead of John W. Hagenmiller, resigned.

BRYANT WILLARD, SAMUEL MARKS, O. GRANT ESTERBROOK, W. A. SHIPLEY, W. H. PENDRY, Committee on Privileges and Elections.

Board of Elections of The City of New York, General Office, 107 W. 41st St., New York, October 3, 1912.

Hon. BRYANT WILLARD, No. 15 William St., Manhattan:

Dear Sir—I herewith enclose certificate showing the enrollment of John W. Hagenmiller, of No. 410 E. 159th st., in the year 1910, and also a certificate showing the registration of John W. Hagenmiller in the year 1911, from 969 Cauldwell ave., wherein he states that he registered in the year 1910 from 410 E. 159th st., which makes the connection in the enrollment I understood you desire.

Very truly yours,

MOSES M. McKEE.

Board of Elections of The City of New York, Branch Office, 138th St. and Mott Ave., Borough of The Bronx, October 4, 1912.

This is to certify that the name of John W. Hagenmiller, of 410 E. 159th st., is enrolled as a Republican in the Twenty-third Election District of the Thirty-third Assembly District, in 1910.

I hereby certify to the correctness of the above from the records of this office.

[SEAL.] JOHN L. BURGOYNE, Chief Clerk, Board of Elections, The Bronx.

Board of Elections of The City of New York, General Office, 107 W. 41st St., New York, October 4, 1912.

This is to certify that upon the register of electors of the Thirty-first Election District of the Thirty-third Assembly District, for the year 1911, the following record appears:

Registration No. 152; surname, Hagenmiller; Christian name, John W.; residence, 969 Cauldwell ave.; floor, 1; householder, self; age of elector, 30; length of residence in State, 30; length of residence in County, 30; length of residence in election district, 30 days; country of nativity, United States; when last registering or voting lived at 410 E. 159th st., 1910; business connection of voter, manager; location of business, Universal Agency Co., 1 Madison ave.

[SEAL.] MICHAEL T. DALY, Chief Clerk.

Alderman Folks moved that this Special Order be again laid over and made a Special Order for Tuesday, January 7, 1913, at 2.30 o'clock p. m.

The Vice-Chairman put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Becker, Bedell, Bolles, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Coleman, Curran, Davis, Diemer, Dotzler, Downing, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Folks, Gaynor, Gelbke, Grimm, Hamilton, Herbst, Lieberman, Marks, Martyn, Moore, Morrison, Mulligan, Nicoll, Pendry, Post, Shipley, Weil, Weston, Willard, Wilmot; Presidents Cromwell,



Miller, by Thomas W. Whittle, Commissioner of Public Works, Steers, by L. H. Pounds, Commissioner of Public Works, McAneny; The Vice-Chairman; The President—40.

Negative—Aldermen Carberry, Cole, Cummuskey, Cunningham, Delaney, Devine, Dixon, Dowling, Drescher, Egan, Fink, Gilmore, Hannon, Kenney, Levine, Loos, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McGrath, Meagher, Molen, Nugent, O'Connor, O'Neil, O'Rourke, Reardon, Smith, Stapleton, Velton, Walsh, Wendel, White—33.

Pending roll-call on the motion of Alderman Folks, Alderman Dowling raised the point of order that, inasmuch as the Charter prohibited the Borough Presidents from voting on a question of filling a vacancy in the membership of the Board, these officials had no right to vote on a motion to postpone such an election, it being a subsidiary motion to the main question. The Vice-Chairman ruled the point of order not well taken. Thereupon Alderman Walsh appealed from the decision of the chair. The Vice-Chairman put the question "shall the decision of the chair stand as the decision of this Board?"

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Becker, Bedell, Bolles, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Coleman, Curran, Davis, Diemer, Dotzler, Downing, Eichhorn, Esterbrook, Folks, Gaynor, Gelbke, Grimm, Hamilton, Herbst, Lieberman, Marks, Martyn, Moore, Morrison, Muhlbauser, Mulligan, Nicoll, Pendry, Post, Shipley, Weil, Weston, Willard, Wilmot; Presidents Cromwell, Miller, by Thomas W. Whittle, Commissioner of Public Works, Steers, by L. H. Pounds, Commissioner of Public Works, McAneny—39.

Negative—Aldermen Carberry, Cole, Cummuskey, Cunningham, Delaney, Devine, Dixon, Dowling, Drescher, Egan, Fink, Gilmore, Hannon, Kenney, Levine, Loos, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, McGrath, Meagher, Molen, Nugent, O'Connor, O'Neil, O'Rourke, Reardon, Smith, Stapleton, Velton, Walsh, Wendel, White—33.

#### REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES, RESUMED.

##### Report of Committee on Salaries and Offices—

No. 1761—(G. O. No. 306).

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to which was referred on September 24, 1912 (Minutes, page 248), the annexed resolution in favor of establishing two clerical grades in the Fire Department, respectfully

##### REPORTS:

That the proposed grades contemplate increases of \$900 and \$600 for two Clerks, whose services as set forth in the report of the Committee on Salaries and Grades of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, already printed, warrant the larger salaries. The Committee, therefore, recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted the following resolution at a stated meeting held September 19, 1912.

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

Title.	Rate Per Annum.	Number of Incumbents.
Clerk .....	\$3,600 00	1
Clerk .....	3,000 00	1

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

NILES R. BECKER, WM. BRUSH, JAMES R. WESTON, EDWARD EICHORN, HUGH CUMMUSKY, MICHAEL CARBERRY, JACOB WEIL, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

Which was laid over.

##### Report of Committee on Laws and Legislation—

No. 2218.

The Committee on Laws and Legislation, to which was referred on November 19, 1912 (Minutes, page 300), the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of prohibiting garages within 300 feet of any dwelling in certain residential streets in the Borough of Brooklyn without the written consent of a majority of owners within such distances, respectfully

##### REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed ordinance to be necessary, but recommends, however, that the district to which such restriction be confined shall be more carefully defined.

It, therefore, recommends that the said ordinance as so amended be adopted as a substitute.

##### ORIGINAL.

Be it Ordained, by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York, That no public automobile garage, or any automobile garage or building for the general or public storing, renting, selling, repairing, equipping or supplying of automobiles, motor trucks or motor cycles, or for the giving of any moving picture or theatrical moving picture exhibitions can or shall be built, erected or placed upon any property, lot or parcel of land within three hundred (300) feet of or from any residence in any residential street within the Fifty-ninth (59th) Aldermanic District of The City of New York, unless previous written consent has been obtained from a majority of the owners of such residences situated within the said three hundred (300) foot limit.

##### SUBSTITUTE.

AN ORDINANCE, to forbid the erection or keeping of an automobile garage or building in the residential section of the 59th Aldermanic District, Borough of Brooklyn, without the consent of property owners.

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

No public automobile garage, or any automobile garage or building for the general or public storing, renting, selling, repairing, equipping or supplying of automobiles, motor trucks or motor cycles shall be built, erected or placed upon any property, lot or parcel of land within three hundred (300) feet of, or from, any residence upon any residential street within the district described below, unless previous written consent has been obtained from a majority of the owners of the residences situated within the said three hundred (300) feet limit.

Said district is situated in the Borough of Brooklyn, New York City, and is bounded as follows:

Bounded by Utica ave., Church ave., E. 49th st., Sydnor ave., Schenectady ave., Avenue J, E. 34th st., Avenue I, E. 17th st., Foster ave., Coney Island ave., Caton ave., Poplar st., Fort Hamilton parkway, Prospect ave., Vanderbilt st., Coney Island ave., Parkside ave., Ocean ave., Malbone st., Washington ave., Montgomery st., Franklin ave., Carroll st., Bedford ave., Dean st., New York ave., Atlantic ave., Albany ave and Bergen st.

COURTLAND NICOLL, WILLIAM D. BRUSH, W. H. PENDRY, JOHN J. MEAGHER, FRANK CUNNINGHAM, JOHN DEMER, DANIEL R. COLEMAN, Committee on Laws and Legislation.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Becker, Bedell, Bolles, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Carberry, Cunningham, Curran, Delaney, Devine, Dixon, Dotzler, Dowling, Drescher, Egan, Eichhorn, Fink, Folks, Gaynor, Gelbke, Grimm, Herbst, McCann, McCourt, McGarry, Marks, Martyn, Meagher, Molen, Moore, Morrison, Nicoll, O'Rourke, Pendry, Weil, Weston, White, Willard, Wilmot; President Steers, by L. H. Pounds, Commissioner of Public Works; President McAneny and the Vice-Chairman—44.

Negative—Alderman Esterbrook—1.

No. 2461.

By Alderman Becker—

Whereas, A great citizen has been called from his duties in the person of Whitelaw Reid,

Resolved, That this Board of Aldermen desires to place on record its sense of the loss we deplore. Identified with this City for all but a few early years of his life, he was an example of diligence and faithful performance of every duty. Chosen by one of the great pioneers of modern journalism, within a brief period he attained the control of a great paper. His conduct of this marked him for other honors. He was selected to represent the Nation as Ambassador to the French Republic, as Ambassador Extraordinary to attend the Jubilee of Queen Victoria and the Coronation

of the late King and Emperor Edward VII of England, and thereafter as Ambassador at the Court of St. James, where he has passed away in the fullness of years, honored alike by his own countrymen and the nations among whom he served.

Resolved, That our heartfelt sympathies go out to his widow and family in their bereavement.

Resolved, That a copy of this preamble and resolutions, duly authenticated and properly engrossed, be transmitted to the family of the illustrious deceased.

Resolved, That as a further mark of respect, this Board do now adjourn.

Which was unanimously adopted by a rising vote.

And the Vice-Chairman declared that the Board stood adjourned until Tuesday, December 24, 1912, at 1.30 o'clock p. m.

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

#### LAW DEPARTMENT.

The following schedules form a brief extract of the transactions of the office of the Corporation Counsel for the week ending November 23, 1912, as required by section 1546 of the Greater New York Charter:

Note—The City of New York, or the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of The City of New York, is defendant, unless otherwise mentioned.

##### SCHEDULE "A."

##### Suits and Special Proceedings Instituted.

Court.	Register and Folio.	When Commenced.	Title.	Nature of Action.
Co., K. Co.	92 400	Nov. 18, 1912	People of the State of New York vs. Alfred Stone .....	For order directing Property Clerk to deliver chattels.
Surrogates.	92 401	Nov. 18, 1912	Farmers' Loan and Trust Co., executor of Estate of Rachel Behrendt .....	Judicial settlement of accounts.
Supreme...	92 402	Nov. 18, 1912	Mayer, Bernhard, Eliza Cohn et al. ....	To foreclose mortgage.
Sup., K. Co.	92 403	Nov. 18, 1912	Zirinsky, Harry, vs. Hoxie Realty Co. et al. ....	To foreclose transfer of tax lien.
Sup., K. Co.	92 403	Nov. 18, 1912	Zirinsky, Harry, vs. Rudolph Drange et al. ....	To foreclose transfer of tax lien.
City.....	92 404	Nov. 18, 1912	Drucker, Henry, vs. Dennis Gleason.....	Summons only served.
Supreme...	92 405	Nov. 18, 1912	Municipal Liens Co. vs. Chattie DeHart et al. ....	To foreclose transfer of tax lien.
Supreme...	92 405	Nov. 18, 1912	Municipal Liens Co. vs. Chattie DeHart et al. ....	To foreclose transfer of tax lien.
Supreme...	92 406	Nov. 18, 1912	Markowitz, Mary (Matter of) .....	For order dispensing with lost mortgage.
Co., K. Co.	92 407	Nov. 18, 1912	Merchants Co-operative Mortgage Co., The vs. Thomas J. Brennan et al. ....	To foreclose mortgage.
Supreme...	92 408	Nov. 18, 1912	Wright, Charles N., vs. the City et al. ....	To foreclose lien.
Supreme...	92 409	Nov. 18, 1912	City of New York vs. George Johnson et al. ....	For removal of house from City property at 65 Metcalf st., Richmond, \$400.
Supreme...	92 410	Nov. 18, 1912	City of New York vs. Cecelia Johnson et al. ....	For removal of house from City property at 42 Roff st., Richmond, \$600.
Supreme...	92 411	Nov. 18, 1912	City of New York vs. John Cole et al. ....	For removal of house from City property at 33 Osgood ave., Richmond, \$500.
Supreme...	92 412	Nov. 18, 1912	City of New York vs. Catherine Hogan et al. ....	For removal of house from City property at 61 Metcalf st., Richmond, \$200.
Sup., Q. Co.	92 413	Nov. 19, 1912	Pleasant Point Volunteer Pump and Hose Co. (ex rel.) vs. William A. Prendergast. ....	Mandamus to compel payment of \$800 per annum.
Supreme...	92 414	Nov. 19, 1912	Levy, Fannie, as trustee (Matter of) .....	For order dispensing with lost mortgage.
Sup., K. Co.	92 415	Nov. 19, 1912	Weigh, John, vs. William A. Prendergast. ....	To restrain payment of salaries of County Clerk of Queens County and employees.
Supreme...	92 416	Nov. 19, 1912	Vitriol, Eva, infant, by guardian .....	Personal injuries, fall, defective rope on swing, Wm. Seward Park, \$25,000.
Supreme...	92 417	Nov. 19, 1912	Vitriol, Louis. ....	For loss of services of daughter, injured, fall from swing, Wm. Seward Park, \$5,000.
Sup., K. Co.	92 418	Nov. 19, 1912	Gannon, Helen C., vs. John R. Glead et al. ....	To foreclose mortgage.
Sup., K. Co.	92 419	Nov. 19, 1912	Beck, George W., vs. the City and ano....	For loss of services of wife, injured, fall, front of 141 Carlton ave., Brooklyn, \$5,000.
Sup., K. Co.	92 420	Nov. 19, 1912	Braun, Barbara, indiv. and ex'tx (ex rel.) vs. Joseph P. Hennessy et al. ....	Certiorari to review determination of Board of Assessors, in re change of grade of streets, Manhattan Bridge approach.
Sup., K. Co.	92 421	Nov. 19, 1912	Adams, Lottie B., as guardian, etc., vs. Jacob Garbarsky et al. ....	To foreclose mortgage.
Supreme...	92 422	Nov. 19, 1912	Ford, Julia A., vs. Thomas P. Concanon et al. ....	To foreclose mortgage.
Sup., K. Co.	92 423	Nov. 19, 1912	Brooklyn Young Men's Christian Association vs. Carl Lubken et al. (No. 1) .....	To foreclose mortgage.
Sup., K. Co.	92 424	Nov. 19, 1912	Brooklyn Young Men's Christian Association vs. Carl Lubken et al. (No. 2) .....	To foreclose mortgage.
Sup., K. Co.	92 424	Nov. 19, 1912	Brooklyn Young Men's Christian Association vs. Carl Lubken et al. (No. 3) .....	To foreclose mortgage.
Sup., K. Co.	92 425	Nov. 19, 1912	Brooklyn Young Men's Christian Association vs. Carl Lubken et al. (No. 4) .....	To foreclose mortgage.
Sup., K. Co.	92 425	Nov. 19, 1912	Brooklyn Young Men's Christian Association vs. Carl Lubken et al. (No. 5) .....	To foreclose mortgage.
Supreme...	92 426	Nov. 19, 1912	Jacobs, Solomon, vs. Han Construction Co. et al. ....	To foreclose mortgage.
Supreme...	92 427	Nov. 19, 1912	Ward, Mary F., vs. Henry Dickert et al. ....	To foreclose mortgage.
U. S. Dist.	92 286	Nov. 20, 1912	Bruck & Son, S. L. (Matter of) .....	Bankruptcy proceeding.
Sup., K. Co.	92 428	Nov. 20, 1912	Municipal Liens Co. vs. Daniel Quinn et al. ....	To foreclose transfer of tax lien.
Supreme...	92 429	Nov. 20, 1912	Manhattan State Hospital vs. New York Connecting Railroad Co. and another.....	To restrain erection of railroad viaduct across Wards Island.
Co., K. Co.	92 430	Nov. 21, 1912	City Savings Bank of Brooklyn, The, vs. Harris Nevlin et al. ....	To foreclose mortgage.
Sup., K. Co.	92 431	Nov. 21, 1912	Altman, Aron, vs. Mary L. Almy et al. ....	To foreclose transfer of tax lien.
Supreme...	92 432	Nov. 21, 1912	Birchall, William H., vs. Bessie Michaelson et al. ....	To foreclose mortgage.
Supreme...	92 433	Nov. 22, 1912	Volpe, Domenico, and ano. (Matter of) .....	For order dispensing with lost mortgage.
Supreme...	92 434	Nov. 22, 1912	King, Rice & Ganey Co. (ex rel.) vs. William A. Prendergast (No. 1) .....	Mandamus to compel payment of warrant, amount earned on contract, construction of section 16, Catskill Aqueduct.
Supreme...	92 435	Nov. 22, 1912	King, Rice & Ganey Co. (ex rel.) vs. William A. Prendergast (No. 2) .....	Mandamus to compel payment of warrant, amount earned on contract, construction of section 16, Catskill Aqueduct.
Sup., K. Co.	92 436	Nov. 22, 1912	Prinz, Lizzie, vs. Louis Flaxman et al. ....	To foreclose mortgage.
Supreme...	92 437	Nov. 22, 1912	Beckett, George, infant, by guardian.....	Summons only served.
Sup., Q. Co.	92 438	Nov. 22, 1912	Zirinsky, Harry, vs. George Hemmert et al. ....	To foreclose transfer of tax lien.
Supreme...	92 439	Nov. 22, 1912	Berger, Morris, vs. William Raynor et al. ....	To foreclose mortgage.



Court.	Register and Folio.	When Commenced.	Title.	Nature of Action.
Supreme...	92 440	Nov. 22, 1912	Gray, William T. and ano., executors, vs. Charles Pope Caldwell et al.	To foreclose mortgage.
Co., K. Co.	92 441	Nov. 22, 1912	Lovett, Hannah May, vs. George Alexander Co. et al.	To foreclose mortgage.
Supreme...	92 442	Nov. 22, 1912	Howey, Alfred, vs. Charles Reilly et al.	To foreclose mortgage.
Supreme...	92 443	Nov. 23, 1912	Sullivan, William R., vs. the City et al.	To foreclose lien.
Supreme...	92 444	Nov. 23, 1912	Hass, Joseph M., vs. Frank Fox, ind. and as Warden et al.	Summons only served.
Supreme...	92 445	Nov. 23, 1912	Eltona Realty Co. vs. Morris M. Silverman et al. (No. 1).....	To foreclose mortgage.
Supreme...	92 445	Nov. 23, 1912	Eltona Realty Co. vs. Morris M. Silverman et al. (No. 2).....	To foreclose mortgage.
Sup., K. Co.	92 446	Nov. 23, 1912	City Real Estate Co. vs. John M. Dierkes et al.	To foreclose transfer of tax lien.
Sup., K. Co.	92 447	Nov. 23, 1912	Sutter, Mary E., and ano. vs. Eugene N. Wetzler et al.	To foreclose mortgage.
Sup., K. Co.	92 447	Nov. 23, 1912	Sutter, Mary E., and ano. vs. Eugene N. Wetzler et al. (No. 2).....	To foreclose mortgage.
Sup., K. Co.	92 448	Nov. 23, 1912	Broadway Savings Institution of The City of New York vs. John Weiss et al.	To foreclose mortgage.
Supreme...	92 449	Nov. 23, 1912	Leon, Leslie I.	For salary as 3d grade Clerk, Park Dept., \$723.33.
Supreme...	92 450	Nov. 23, 1912	Liebowitz, Isaac.	Personal injuries, fall, snow and ice, 335 Crimmons ave., Bronx, \$10,000.
Sup., R. Co.	92 452	Nov. 23, 1912	Hodges, Appollonia.	To bar alleged lien of unpaid taxes.
Sup., R. Co.	92 453	Nov. 23, 1912	Janin, Albert S.	To bar alleged lien of unpaid taxes.

## SCHEDULE "B."

## Judgments, Orders and Decrees Entered.

People ex rel. Helen C. Butler, executrix, vs. L. Purdy et al.—Order entered denying motion to quash writ of certiorari.

Isidor Circus—Entered judgment in favor of defendant for \$14.91 costs.

People vs. Michael Drummond—Entered order denying motion to continue injunction.

David Jacobs vs. W. H. Edwards—Entered judgment in favor of defendant dismissing the complaint and for \$69.57 costs.

People ex rel. Metropolitan Street Railway Co. vs. T. L. Feitner et al. (1899)—Entered order discontinuing proceeding without costs.

City of New York vs. Murray Transportation Co.—Entered judgment in favor of plaintiff for \$32.51 damages and costs.

People ex rel. Woodhaven Gas Light Co. vs. L. Purdy et al. (1908)—Entered order quashing writ of certiorari without costs.

George B. Spearin—Entered judgment in favor of defendant dismissing the complaint and for \$133.35 costs.

Theresa Healy—Entered order reducing judgment to \$100.

People ex rel. Newtown Gas Co. vs. L. Purdy et al. (1900 to 1908); People ex rel. Flatbush Gas Co. vs. Same (1900 to 1908); People ex rel. Woodhaven Gas Light Co. vs. Same (1900 to 1904); People ex rel. Jamaica Gas Light Co. vs. Same (1900 to 1908); People ex rel. Richmond Hill and Queens County Gas Light Co. vs. Same (1900 to 1908)—Orders entered cancelling assessments on mains, pipes, etc.

Philip Lynch—Order entered discontinuing action without costs.

People ex rel. Eugene R. Pommer vs. H. S. Thompson—Appellate Division order entered affirming order granting motion for leave to inspect books and papers.

Arnold E. Stern—Entered judgment in favor of defendant for \$35.97 costs.

Piedrich Fink; Anna H. Selmes; Abraham E. Levy—Entered orders discontinuing actions without costs.

Julius Davis—Appellate Division order entered affirming judgment in favor of plaintiff.

Charles Hoffman—Entered judgment in favor of defendant for \$22.40 costs.

Theodore J. Johnson—Entered judgment in favor of defendant for \$34.40 costs.

H. C. Weed—Entered order changing venue to New York County.

Alexander J. Zinner—Entered judgment in favor of defendant for \$17.40 costs.

Judgments were Entered in Favor of the Plaintiffs in the Following Actions.

Date.	Name.	Register and Folio.	Amount.
Nov. 8, 1912	Reisert, Frederick.....	33 318	\$8,676 55
Nov. 8, 1912	Felten, Frank.....	33 314	2,114 05
Nov. 21, 1912	Davis, Julius.....	81 181	101 20
		Register and	

## SCHEDULE "C."

## Record of Court Work.

City of New York vs. Marian C. Hall et al., executors—Argued at Court of Appeals; decision reserved; C. A. Peters for the City. "Order affirmed."

People ex rel. Michael Sciarillo vs. J. P. Hennessey et al.—Argued at Court of Appeals; decision reserved; C. J. Nehrbas for the City. "Order affirmed."

City of New York vs. Henry J. Fredericks—Argued at Court of Appeals; decision reserved; T. Farley for the City. "Order affirmed."

People ex rel. Michael J. Moriarity vs. J. Creelman et al.—Argued at Court of Appeals; decision reserved; T. Farley for the City. "Order of Appellate Division reversed and that of Special Term reinstated and affirmed."

In re Michael Lalli; In re Charles Shafer—Motions for orders directing Register to discharge mortgages; submitted to McCall, J.; decision reserved; G. H. Cowie for the City.

Henry H. Giese, administrator—Motions for leave to amend complaint; argued before McCall, J.; decision reserved; G. M. Curtis, Jr., for the City. "Motion granted on payment of costs."

Louise Smith, administratrix—Tried before Dugro, J., and a jury; verdict for plaintiff for \$3,000; J. A. Stover for the City.

Patrick Ryan—Tried before Greenbaum, J., and a jury; complaint dismissed; R. P. Chittenden for the City.

Rapid Transit (Flatbush ave.); Rapid Transit (Flatbush Ave. Supplemental)—Motion to confirm second separate report of Commissioners; argued before Putnam, J., and granted; F. J. Byrne for the City.

People ex rel. Mechanics and Metals National Bank vs. L. Purdy et al.—Tried before Bischoff, J.; decision reserved; W. H. King for the City.

People ex rel. Abrast Realty Co. vs. L. Purdy et al.—Motion for leave to amend petition; argued before Putnam, J.; decision reserved; W. R. Wilson, Jr., for the City. "Motion granted."

People ex rel. Francis V. Hallock et al., executors, vs. J. P. Hennessey et al.; People ex rel. Henry E. James, as executor, vs. W. D. Dickey et al.—Argued at Court of Appeals; decision reserved; C. J. Nehrbas for the City. "Order affirmed."

Dennis W. Moran—Motion to compel plaintiff's attorney to accept exceptions to referee's report; argued before McCall, J., and granted; J. L. O'Brien for the City.

In re Henry D. Levy—Motion for order directing Register to discharge mortgage; submitted to McCall, J.; decision reserved; G. H. Cowie for the City.

Katherine C. Morris—Argued at Appellate Division; decision reserved; F. T. Fitzgerald for the City.

William H. Regan vs. R. Waldo et al.—Motion for injunction pendente lite; argued before McCall, J.; decision reserved; L. H. Hahlo for the City. "Motion denied."

People ex rel. East River Terminal Railroad Co. vs. S. B. T. C. (1910, 1911 and 1912)—Tried before Blackmar, J.; decision reserved; A. B. Scoville for the City.

James F. Seery—Tried before Murray, J., in Municipal Court; decision reserved; G. H. Cowie for the City.

In re Mary Markowitz—Motion for order directing Register to discharge mortgage; submitted to McCall, J.; decision reserved; G. H. Cowie for the City.

People ex rel. Butterick Publishing Co. vs. L. Purdy et al.—Submitted at Appellate Division; decision reserved; C. A. Peters for the City. "Order affirmed."

William Hutton vs. M. H. Gornston—Submitted at Appellate Division; decision reserved; H. Crone for the City. "Order affirmed."

People ex rel. Samuel Madigan vs. P. H. Whitney—Motion for peremptory writ of mandamus; argued before McCall, J.; decision reserved; E. S. Benedict for the City.

Julia Frankenstein—Tried before Davis, J., and a jury; verdict for plaintiff for \$300; J. A. Stover for the City.

Arthur Frankenstein—Tried before Davis, J., and a jury; verdict for plaintiff for \$138; J. A. Stover for the City.

Charles Finkelstein—Tried before Wilson, J., in Municipal Court; discontinued after trial; S. Hoffman for the City.

Philip Smith—Tried before Sinnott, J., in Municipal Court; complaint dismissed; W. H. Doherty for the City.

William Merck—Motion for bill of particulars; argued before Putnam, J.; decision reserved; J. T. O'Neill for the City. "Motion granted."

Bernard Britt—Tried before Scudder, J., and a jury; verdict for plaintiff for \$7,500; motion to set aside verdict argued; decision reserved; P. E. Callahan for the City.

William R. Fleming—Submitted at Appellate Division; decision reserved; J. D. Bell for the City.

Thirty-ninth Street Ferry Terminal (In re Porter and Graham claims)—Argued at Appellate Division; decision reserved; G. M. Curtis, Jr., for the City.

Agnes V. Hoagland—Tried before Garretson, J., and a jury; verdict for plaintiff for \$1,700; P. E. Callahan for the City.

People ex rel. Charles Wenz vs. R. R. Moore—Motion for peremptory writ of mandamus; argued before Putnam, J.; decision reserved; C. J. Druhan for the City.

Hearings Before Commissioners of Estimate in Condemnation Proceedings. County Court House site, 4 hearings; C. D. Olendorf for the City.

Rapid Transit (Joralemon St.); Rapid Transit (Flatbush Ave.); Rapid Transit (Flatbush Ave. Supplemental); 3 hearings each; F. J. Byrne for the City.

Richmond County Court House site; Jackson Avenue School site, 2 hearings each; H. W. Mayo for the City.

## SCHEDULE "D."

## Contracts, etc., Drafted, Examined and Approved as to Form.

Department.	Contracts Approved as to Form.	Contracts Examined and Returned for Revision.	Advertisements Approved as to Form.
Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity .....	24	..	2
Borough Presidents .....	20	..	1
Dock Department .....	16	..	2
Board of Education .....	7	..	..
Fire Department .....	5	..	3
Department of Charities .....	5	..	2
Park Department .....	4	3	3
Board of City Record .....	2	3	2
Street Cleaning Department .....	2	..	2
Police Department .....	2	1	1
Health Department .....	1	1	..
Trustees, College of The City of New York .....	1	1	..
Department of Correction .....	1	..	1
Brooklyn Disciplinary Training School for Boys .....	1	..	..
Total .....	91	9	19

## Bonds Approved.

Finance Department .....

## Leases Approved.

Board of Water Supply .....

## Agreements Approved.

Board of Water Supply .....

Borough Presidents .....

Board of Estimate and Apportionment .....

Dock Department .....

Total .....

## SCHEDULE "E."

## Opinions Rendered to the Various Departments.

Department.	Opinions Rendered.
Finance Department .....	16
Borough Presidents .....	3
Board of Water Supply .....	2
Board of Education .....	1
Department of Bridges .....	1
Department of Taxes and Assessments .....	1
City Chamberlain .....	1
Department of Health .....	1
Department of Correction .....	1
Total .....	27

## ARCHIBALD R. WATSON, Corporation Counsel.

## Board of Education.

New York, December 11, 1912.

The Board of Education has entered into contracts with the following named contractors:

Grimshaw & Sturges, 41 Christopher st., City, for installing heating and ventilating apparatus in Public School 39, The Bronx; surety, The Aetna Accident & Liability Co.

Joseph Kessler, 111 Chrystie st., City, for fire protection work, etc., at Public Schools 40, 76 and 77, Brooklyn; surety, The Aetna Accident & Liability Co.

Johnson Service Co., 123 E. 27th st., City, for installing temperature regulation in new Public School 173, Brooklyn, and in Public School 39, The Bronx; surety, Casualty Co. of America.

Narragansett Machine Co., Providence, R. I., for furnishing furniture for new Public School 45, The Bronx; surety, Fidelity & Deposit Co. of Maryland.

Eugene Frank, 22 E. 21st st., City, for installing electric equipment in Public School 39, The Bronx; surety, Equitable Surety Co.

Superior Seating Co., Muskegon, Mich., for furnishing furniture for Public School 45, The Bronx; surety, American Surety Co.

The Manhattan Supply Co., 115 Franklin st., City, for furnishing furniture for Public School 45, The Bronx; surety, New England Casualty Co.

Jacob D. Klausner, 1218 Van Alst Ave.,

Long Island City, for furnishing furniture for Public School 45, The Bronx; surety, New England Casualty Co.

A. E. PALMER, Secretary.

## Borough of Manhattan.

## Minutes of Meetings of Local Boards.

A meeting of the Local Board of the Washington Heights District was held in the Aldermanic Chamber of the City Hall on Tuesday, December 3, 1912, at 11 a. m.

Present—Aldermen Bolles, Boschen, Marks and Acting President Frothingham.

The Acting President presented for the consideration of the Board the matter of laying out a widening of W. 165th st., between Audubon and Amsterdam aves.

Mr. Thomas C. Blake and Mr. John P. Leo appeared in favor of the improvement, with the understanding that 50 per cent. of its cost be assessed locally and the remaining 50 per cent. be placed upon the Borough of Manhattan. A representative of Mr. Louis H. Moos appeared and stated that Mr. Moos favored some improvement in the existing conditions, but would suggest nothing better than the plan proposed. Mr. W. E. Carl, owner of 506 W. 166th st., appeared in opposition to any local assessment other than one levied on the property immediately abutting upon the improved area.

On motion of Alderman Boschen, a resolution was adopted recommending the



widening of 165th st., between Audubon and Amsterdam aves., by including all the property between the present northerly line of 165th st. and the existing northerly line of Croton st., and further recommending that 50 per cent. of the cost of the proposed improvement be assessed locally and the remaining 50 per cent. be placed upon the Borough of Manhattan.

The Acting President presented for the consideration of the Board the matter of acquiring title to Sickles st., from Nagle ave. to Broadway.

Mr. James N. Batterly appeared in favor.

On motion of Alderman Boschen, a resolution was adopted initiating this improvement.

The Acting President presented the matter of laying out a stairway extending from Haven ave. to Riverside drive at or near 169th st.

Mr. George C. Wheeler and a representative of Mr. Louis H. Moos appeared in opposition and stated that the construction of a stairway at the location named was entirely impracticable. Mr. Reginald P. Bolton, representing the Washington Heights Taxpayers' Association, recommended that action be deferred until the

plan showing the layout of Riverside drive at this point had been definitely decided upon.

On motion of Alderman Boschen, the resolution adopted October 8, 1912, recommending the layout of this stairway was rescinded, and the Secretary was directed to recall the papers from the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

The Acting President presented the matter of amending resolution providing for paving 177th st., from Audubon to St. Nicholas ave., by providing for sheet asphalt instead of asphalt blocks.

On motion of Alderman Boschen, this matter was laid over for two weeks.

The Acting President presented for the consideration of the Board the matter of laying out as a widening of Broadway the triangular plot bounded by Broadway, Wadsworth ave. and W. 174th st.

Mr. Campbell, representing the West Park Presbyterian Church, appeared in favor. Mr. Reginald P. Bolton, representing the Washington Heights Taxpayers' Association, also appeared in favor, but suggested that the triangle be laid out as a public park rather than as a street. Mr. Thomas C. Blake, representing Mr. Walker, appeared in favor of the

improvement if the cost thereof was borne by the City at large, but in opposition to any local assessment.

On motion of Alderman Boschen, a resolution was adopted recommending to the Board of Estimate that the triangular plot referred to be laid out as a widening of Broadway.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

JULIAN B. BEATY, Secretary.

A meeting of the Local Board of the Greenwich District was held in the Aldermanic Chamber of the City Hall on Tuesday, December 3, 1912, at 11.20 a. m.

Present—Alderman Dowling and Acting President Frothingham.

The Acting President presented the matter of alterations and improvement to sewer in John st., from Nassau to William st. There were no appearances.

On motion of Alderman Dowling, a resolution was adopted initiating this improvement.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

JULIAN B. BEATY, Secretary.

A meeting of the Local Board of the Kips Bay District was held in the Aldermanic Chamber of the City Hall on

Tuesday, December 3, 1912, at 11.10 a. m.

Present—Alderman Kenneally, Eagan and Acting President Frothingham.

The Acting President presented the matter of alterations and improvements to sewer in 14th st., between 1st ave. and East River.

On motion of Alderman Kenneally, this matter was laid over for four weeks, the Acting President voting in the negative.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

JULIAN B. BEATY, Secretary.

A meeting of the Local Board of the Harlem District was held in the Aldermanic Chamber of the City Hall on Tuesday, December 3, 1912, at 11.15 a. m.

Present—Aldermen Walsh, Delaney and Acting President Frothingham.

The Acting President presented the matter of constructing sewer and appurtenances in 1st ave., between 95th and 106th sts., and outlet sewers in 96th and 102d sts., between the Harlem River and 1st ave.

On motion of Alderman Delaney, this matter was laid over for four weeks, the Acting President voting in the negative.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

JULIAN B. BEATY, Secretary.

## DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

Chamberlain's Report of Receipts, Payments and Balances for November, 1912.

## City Treasury—

Balance, October 31, 1912 .....

\$24,424,834 22

## Receipts from:

## Taxes .....

Water Rates Current (Brooklyn, Queens and Richmond).....

\$20,394,021 43

Arrears of Taxes.....

131,100 22

Arrears of Water Rates.....

820,418 33

Interest on Taxes.....

28,390 57

Interest on Assessments.....

173,116 40

Interest on Water Rates.....

63,751 70

General Fund .....

1,322 80

Sales of Revenue Bonds.....

389,051 65

Sales of Revenue Bills.....

\$22,001,173 10

Sales of Special Revenue Bonds.....

\$4,824,075 57

Sales of Notes of The City of New York Issued in Anticipation of a Sale of Corporate Stock

6,572,157 45

Sales of Corporate Stock.....

835,000 00

Sales of General Fund Bonds .....

855,187 98

Assessments .....

500,000 00

Miscellaneous Revenue .....

5,000,000 00

Total Receipts .....

\$656,521 06

.....

304,971 38

.....

961,492 44

.....

\$41,549,086 54

.....

\$65,973,920 76

	Appropriation Funds Accounts.	Special Revenue Bond Funds Accounts.	Corporate Stock Funds Accounts.	Special and Trust Funds Accounts.	Total.
Payments on Account of:					
Interest on the City Debt.....	\$619,665 82	.....	.....	\$684,375 94	\$1,304,041 76
Redemption of Revenue Bonds.....	.....	.....	.....	26,761,183 97	26,761,183 97
Redemption of Notes of The City of New York Issued in Anticipation of a Sale of Corporate Stock .....	.....	.....	.....	4,985,970 89	4,985,970 89
Redemption of the City Debt.....	144,045 24	.....	.....	.....	144,045 24
Department of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals.....	89,595 08	\$1,057 06	\$53,118 33	.....	143,770 47
Department of Bridges.....	61,776 04	34,433 24	150,941 04	17,900 16	265,050 48
Department of Correction.....	109,279 53	1,678 28	.....	201 36	111,159 17
Department of Docks and Ferries.....	267,781 88	.....	130,475 72	.....	398,257 60
Department of Education.....	3,157,368 92	327 33	341,226 93	24,087 18	3,523,010 36
Department of Finance.....	90,947 12	4,705 48	.....	863 96	96,516 56
Department of Health.....	160,471 82	2,254 80	35,720 73	1,577 50	200,024 85
Department of Parks.....	249,061 13	23,562 22	168,484 46	1,855 18	442,962 99
Department of Public Charities.....	278,553 32	21,943 85	146,773 19	.....	447,270 36
Department of Street Cleaning.....	565,915 82	932 28	5,679 00	.....	572,527 10
Department of Taxes and Assessments.....	800 68	5,123 46	.....	.....	5,924 14
Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.	612,356 48	513 27	268,695 84	161,274 49	1,042,840 08
Fire Department .....	757,882 64	53,130 57	69,419 56	334 17	880,766 94
Law Department .....	60,877 32	.....	.....	.....	60,877 32
Police Department .....	1,340,191 07	133,240 58	68,897 88	107,500 00	1,649,829 53
Tenement House Department .....	40,480 24	.....	.....	.....	40,480 24
President, Borough of Manhattan.....	178,056 08	18,736 83	559,188 69	15,946 60	771,928 20
President, Borough of The Bronx.....	79,569 25	664 70	130,680 40	5,115 29	216,029 64
President, Borough of Brooklyn.....	185,742 93	1,752 50	367,990 62	17,184 82	572,670 87
President, Borough of Queens.....	123,762 03	12,785 99	32,342 32	1,492 10	170,382 44
President, Borough of Richmond.....	52,134 45	452 80	29,807 63	3,679 37	86,074 25
Board of City Record.....	49,867 47	.....	.....	.....	49,867 47
Board of Water Supply.....	.....	.....	1,413,798 24	.....	1,413,798 24
Charitable Institutions .....	345,540 02	.....	.....	.....	345,540 02
Courts .....	343,895 82	9,309 37	.....	.....	353,205 19
Public Service Commission .....	.....	110,475 46	1,096,271 04	.....	1,206,746 50
Miscellaneous .....	1,244,508 70	264,822 01	486,831 92	1,052,212 97	3,048,375 60
Total Disbursements .....	\$11,210,126 90	\$701,902 08	\$5,556,343 54	\$33,842,755 95	\$51,311,128 47
Balance, November 30, 1912 .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	51,311,128 47
Sinking Funds—					
Balance, October 31, 1912 .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	\$14,662,792 29
Receipts .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	\$8,098,312 28
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10,252,389 41
Payments .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	\$18,350,701 69
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7,977,264 23
Balance, November 30, 1912 .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10,373,437 46
Special Funds—					
Balance, October 31, 1912 .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	\$10,671,213 56
Receipts .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	883,271 04
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	\$11,554,484 60
Payments .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	11,369,168 67
Balance, November 30, 1912 .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	185,315 93
Aggregate Balances, November 30, 1912 .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	\$25,221,545 68
Aggregate Balances, October 31, 1912 .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	43,194,360 06
Decrease .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	\$17,972,814 38

ROBERT R. MOORE, Chamberlain.



## Changes in Departments, Etc.

## EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

## Office of the Mayor.

December 18—The Mayor yesterday made the following appointments as Members of the Examining Board of Plumbers: Paul S. Bolger, 1891 Madison ave., Manhattan, to succeed August C. Schwager; John M. Morrow, 412 Adelphi st., Brooklyn, to succeed James J. Donahue.

## DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

December 16—Changes in this Department: Benjamin Baum, 310 Glenmore ave., Brooklyn, has been appointed as First Grade Clerk with salary at \$300 per annum and assignment to the Office of the City Paymaster, taking effect as of December 23, 1912.

John J. Larkin, 215 Vanderbilt st., Brooklyn, has been appointed as Second Grade Clerk, with salary at \$600 per annum and assignment to the Brooklyn Office of the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears, taking effect as of January 2, 1913.

## TENEMENT HOUSE DEPARTMENT.

December 17—Resigned: George F. Fay, 2303 Bathgate ave., Bronx, Inspector of Tenements, salary \$1,200 per annum, this resignation to take effect at the beginning of business, Monday, December 16, 1912.

William F. Nolan, 408 Union st., Brooklyn, Clerk, salary \$300 per annum, this resignation to take effect at the close of business, December 14, 1912.

## DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

December 17—James White, Laborer, died November 8, 1912.

Resigned: Richard A. Boyle, Laborer. The Commissioner has fixed the pay of Dock Builders at \$4 per day while employed and of Riggers at \$4 per day while employed, to take effect January 1, 1913.

## DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

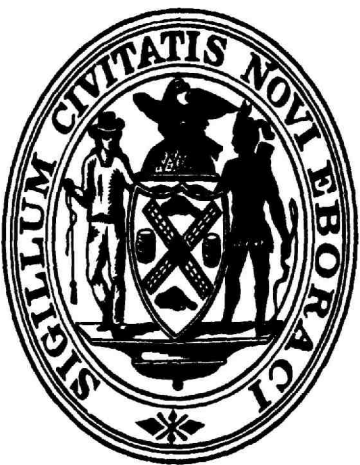
Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond.

Pay Fixed, to Take Effect January 1, 1913—Keepers of Menagerie: James Conway, \$1,200 per annum; Thomas Donohue, \$1,200 per annum; Patrick J. Kiernan, \$1,020 per annum; Donald Burns, \$1,020 per annum; Timothy J. Corcoran, \$1,020 per annum; George H. Sichert, \$1,020 per annum; Joseph J. Cunningham, \$1,020 per annum; James Crowley, \$1,020 per annum; Thomas F. Hoey, \$1,020 per annum.

Inspectors of Masonry: Matthew E. Dunne, \$1,500 per annum; William M. Burke, \$1,500 per annum; Henry J. Devlin, \$1,500 per annum.

Axemen: Charles Murphy, \$1,050 per annum; John F. Heffernan, \$1,050 per annum; Patrick McNamee, \$1,050 per annum; Isaac C. Castle, \$1,050 per annum; John McManus, \$1,050 per annum.

Appointed, December 12, 1912: Frank R. Egan, Gardener, 1576 Park ave., \$75 per month.



## OFFICIAL DIRECTORY

STATEMENT OF THE HOURS DURING which the Public Offices in the City are open for business and at which the Courts regularly open and adjourn, as well as the places where such offices are kept and such Courts are held, together with the heads of Departments and Courts.

## CITY OFFICES.

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No. 5 City Hall, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturday 9 a. m. to 12 m.  
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William J. Gaynor, Mayor.  
Robert Adamson, Secretary.  
James Matthews, Executive Secretary.  
John J. Glennon, Chief Clerk and Bond and Warrant Clerk.

## BUREAU OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.

Room 7, City Hall, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturday 9 a. m. to 12 m.  
John L. Walsh, Commissioner.  
Telephone, 4334 Cortlandt.

## BUREAU OF LICENSES.

9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m. Telephone, 4109 Cortlandt.  
James G. Wallace, Jr., Chief of Bureau.  
Principal Office, Room 1, City Hall.

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Telephone, 3900 Worth.

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City Hall, Room 21.  
Telephone call, 1197 Cortlandt.  
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John Quincy Adams, Assistant Secretary.

## BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

No. 11 City Hall, 10 a. m. to 4 p. m. Saturdays, 10 a. m. to 12 m.  
Telephone, 7560 Cortlandt.  
John Purroy Mitchell, President.

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Borough of The Bronx—34th Dist., James L. Devine; 35th Dist., Thomas J. Mulligan; 36th Dist., Thomas H. O'Neil; 37th Dist., —; 38th Dist., Abram W. Herbst; 39th Dist., James Hamilton; 40th Dist., Jacob Well; 41st Dist., Frederick H. Wilmut.

Borough of Brooklyn—42d Dist., Robert F. Downing; 43d Dist., Michael Carberry; 44th Dist., Frank Cunningham; 45th Dist., John S. Gaynor; 46th Dist., James K. Weston; 47th Dist., John Diemer; 48th Dist., James J. Molen; 49th Dist., Francis P. Kenney; 50th Dist., John J. Meagher; 51st Dist., Ardolph L. Kline; 52d Dist., Daniel R. Coleman; 53d Dist., Frederick H. Stevenson; 54th Dist., Jesse D. Moore; 55th Dist., Frank T. Dixon; 56th Dist., William P. McGarry; 57th Dist., Robert H. Bosse; 58th Dist., O. Grant Esterbrook; 59th Dist., George A. Morrison; 60th Dist., Otto Muhlbauer; 61st Dist., William H. Pendry; 62d Dist., Jacob J. Velten; 63d Dist., Edward Eichhorn; 64th Dist., Henry F. Grimm; 65th Dist., James F. Martyn.

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Borough of Richmond—71st Dist., William Pink; 72d Dist., John J. O'Rourke; 73d Dist., Charles P. Cole.

P. J. Scully, City Clerk.

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Office, Bellevue Hospital, Twenty-sixth street and First avenue.  
Telephone, 4400 Madison Square.  
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## BOARD OF AMBULANCE SERVICE.

Headquarters, 300 Mulberry street.  
Office hours, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. Saturdays, 12 m.  
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Ambulance Calls—Telephone, 3100 Spring.  
Administration Offices—Telephone, 7586 Spring.

## BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

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William C. Ormond.  
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Thomas J. Drennan, Secretary.  
Telephones, 29, 30 and 31 Worth.

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The Mayor, the Corporation Counsel and the Comptroller.  
Office of the Supervisor.  
Park Row Building, No. 21 Park Row.  
David Ferguson, Supervisor.  
Henry McMillen, Deputy Supervisor.  
C. McKemie, Secretary.  
Office hours, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.  
Distributing Division, Nos. 96 and 98 Reade street, near West Broadway.  
Telephones, 1505 and 1506 Cortlandt.

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General Office, No. 107 West Forty-first street.  
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Telephone, 2946 Bryant.

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No. 112 West Forty-second street.  
William C. Baxter, Chief Clerk.  
Telephone, 2946 Bryant.

The Bronx.  
One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and Morris avenue (Solingen Building).  
John J. Burgoyne, Chief Clerk.  
Telephone, 336 Melrose.

Brooklyn.  
No. 42 Court street (Temple Bar Building).  
George Russell, Chief Clerk.  
Telephone, 693 Main.

Queens.  
No. 64 Jackson avenue, Long Island City.  
Carl Vogel, Chief Clerk.  
Telephone, 3375 Hunters Point.

Richmond.  
Borough Hall, New Brighton, S. I.  
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Telephone, 1000 Tompkinsville.  
All offices open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. Saturdays, from 9 a. m. to 12 m.

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The Mayor, Chairman; the Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen, President of the Borough of Manhattan, President of the Borough of Brooklyn, President of the Borough of The Bronx, President of the Borough of Queens, President of the Borough of Richmond.

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No. 277 Broadway, Room 1406. Telephone, 2280 Worth.

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Harry P. Nichols, Engineer, Chief of Bureau, 277 Broadway, Room 801. Telephone, 2282 Worth.  
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Rooms 6027 and 6028, Metropolitan Building, No. 1 Madison avenue, Borough of Manhattan, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m. Telephone, 5840 Gramercy.  
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Telephone, 7116 Spring.  
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Telephone, 1200 Worth.

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Telephone, 4270 Worth.

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Office of the Commission, Room 223, No. 280 Broadway (Stewart Building), Borough of Manhattan, New York City.  
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Telephone, 3254 Worth.

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P. J. Scully, City Clerk and Clerk of the Board of Aldermen.  
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Telephone, 4315 Worth.  
The Standard Testing Laboratory, Otto H. Klein, Director, 127 Franklin street, office hours, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.  
Telephones, 3088 and 3089 Franklin.

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Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.  
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Arrears.

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sessments and Arrears.

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Theodore G. Christmas, Deputy Collector of  
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Edward W. Berry, Deputy Collector of As-  
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**DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.**

Charles B. Stover, Commissioner of Parks for  
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President Park Board.

Clinton H. Smith, Secretary.  
Offices, Arsenal, Central Park.  
Telephone, 7300 Plaza.

Office hours, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturdays,  
9 a. m. to 12 m.

Michael J. Kennedy, Commissioner of Parks for  
the Borough of Brooklyn.

Offices, Litchfield mansion, Prospect Park,  
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Office hours, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; July and August,  
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Telephone, 2300 South.

Thomas J. Higgins, Commissioner of Parks for  
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hattan.

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The Mayor, City Superintendent of Schools and  
Police Commissioner. George H. Chatfield,  
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Telephone, 5752 Plaza.

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**PRINCIPAL OFFICE.**

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Michael J. Drummond, Commissioner.

Frank J. Goodwin, First Deputy Commissioner.  
William J. McKenna, Third Deputy Commis-  
sioner.

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sioner for Brooklyn and Queens, Nos. 327 to  
331 Schermerhorn street, Brooklyn. Telephone,  
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Jeremiah Connelly, Superintendent for Rich-  
mond Borough, Borough Hall, St. George, Staten  
Island.

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Julian B. Beaty, Secretary to the President.

Edgar Victor Frothingham, Commissioner of  
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Office of the President, corner Third avenue  
and One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street;  
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George Donnelly, Secretary.

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Works.

James A. Henderson, Superintendent of Build-  
ings.

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Borough of Manhattan—Office, 70 Lafayette  
street, corner of Franklin street.

Open at all times of the day and night.

Coroners: Israel L. Feinberg, Herman Hellen-  
stein, James E. Winterbottom, Herman W. Holts-  
hauser.

Telephones, 5087, 5058 Franklin.

Borough of The Bronx—Corner of Arthur avenue  
and Tremont avenue. Telephones, 1250 Tremont  
and 1402 Tremont.

Coroner, Jerome P. Healy.

Borough of Brooklyn—Office, 238 Duffield street,  
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4005 Main.

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Borough of Queens—Office, Town Hall, Fulton  
street, Jamaica, L. I.

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Borough of Richmond—No. 175 Second street,  
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**NEW YORK COUNTY.**

**COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.**

Room 127, Stewart Building, Chambers street  
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Thomas Allison, Commissioner.

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**COMMISSIONER OF RECORDS.**

Office, Hall of Records.

William S. Andrews, Commissioner.

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James J. Fleming, Jr., Secretary.

Telephone, 3900 Worth.

Office hours, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m.  
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During the months of July and August the hours  
are from 9 a. m. to 2 p. m.

**COUNTY CLERK.**

Nos. 5, 8, 9, 10 and 11 New County Court House.  
Office hours, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays,  
9 a. m. to 12 m.

During the months of July and August the hours are  
from 9 a. m. to 2 p. m., except on Saturdays.

William F. Schneider, County Clerk.

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**DISTRICT ATTORNEY.**

Office, 66 Court street, Borough of Brooklyn.  
Hours, 9 a. m. to 5.30 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 1 p. m.  
James C. Crosey, District Attorney.  
Telephone, 2954-5-6-7 Main.

**PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.**

No 44 Court street (Temple Bar), Brooklyn.  
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Frank V. Kelly, Public Administrator.  
Telephone, 2840 Main.

**REGISTER.**

Hall of Records. Office hours, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., excepting months of July and August, then from 9 a. m. to 2 p. m., provided for by statute; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.  
Edward T. O'Loughlin, Register.  
Alfred T. Hobbey, Deputy Register.  
Telephone, 2830 Main.

**SHERIFF.**

Temple Bar Building, 186 Remsen street, Room 401, Brooklyn, N. Y.  
9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 12 m.  
Charles B. Law, Sheriff.  
Lewis M. Swasey, Under Sheriff.  
Telephones, 6845, 6846, 6847 Main.

**SURROGATE.**

Hall of Records, Brooklyn, N. Y.  
Herbert T. Ketcham, Surrogate.  
John H. McCooley, Chief Clerk and Clerk to the Surrogate's Court.  
Court opens at 10 a. m. Office hours, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., except during months of July and August, when office hours are from 9 a. m. to 2 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.  
Telephone, 3954 Main.

**QUEENS COUNTY.****COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.**

Office hours, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; July and August, 9 a. m. to 2 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.; Queens County Court House, Long Island City.  
Thorndyke C. McKenne, Commissioner of Jurors.  
Rodman Richardson, Assistant Commissioner.  
Telephone, 455 Greenpoint.

**COUNTY CLERK.**

No. 364 Fulton street, Jamaica, Fourth Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.  
Office open, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.  
Martin Mager, County Clerk.  
Telephone, 151 Jamaica.

**COUNTY COURT.**

County Court House, Long Island City.  
County Court opens at 10 a. m. Trial Terms begin first Monday of each month, except July, August and September. Special Terms each Saturday, except during August and first Saturday of September.  
Burt J. Humphrey, County Judge.  
Telephone, 651 Jamaica.

**DISTRICT ATTORNEY.**

Office, Queens County Court House, Long Island City, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.  
County Judge's office always open at No. 336 Fulton street, Jamaica, N. Y.  
Matthew J. Smith, District Attorney.  
Telephones, 3871 and 3872 Hunters Point.

**PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.**

No. 364 Fulton street, Jamaica, Queens County, Randolph White, Public Administrator, County of Queens.  
Office hours, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.  
Telephone, 39-Jamaica.

**SHERIFF.**

County Court House, Long Island City, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; during July and August, 9 a. m. to 2 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.  
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John M. Phillips, Under Sheriff.  
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**SURROGATE.**

Daniel Noble, Surrogate.  
Office, No. 364 Fulton street, Jamaica.  
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The calendar is called on each week day at 10 a. m., except during the month of August.  
Telephone, 397 Jamaica.

**RICHMOND COUNTY.****COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.**

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Charles J. Kullman, Commissioner.  
Office open from 9 a. m. until 4 p. m.; Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m.  
Telephone, 81 Tompkinsville.

**COUNTY CLERK.**

County Office Building, Richmond, S. I., 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.  
C. Livingston Boetwick, County Clerk.  
Telephone, 28 New Dorp.

**COUNTY JUDGE AND SURROGATE.**

County Court—J. Harry Tiernan, County Judge.  
Terms of the County Court.  
First Monday of March and first Monday of October, 1912, with a Grand and Trial Jury.  
First Monday of May and first Monday of December, 1912, with a Trial Jury only.  
On Wednesdays of each week at Richmond (except during the month of August).  
Surrogate's Court—J. Harry Tiernan, Surrogate.  
Court days: Mondays and Tuesdays, at the Surrogate's Office in the Borough Hall, St. George, and Wednesdays, at the Surrogate's Office, Richmond, at 10.30 a. m., on which citations and orders are returnable, except during the month of August, and except on days when Jury terms of the County Court are held.  
Telephones, 235 New Dorp and 1000 Tompkinsville—Court Room.

**DISTRICT ATTORNEY.**

Borough Hall, St. George, S. I.  
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Telephone, 80 Tompkinsville.  
Office hours, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.

**PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.**

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**SHERIFF.**

County Court House, Richmond, S. I.  
John J. Collins, Sheriff; Peter J. Finn, Jr., Under Sheriff.

Office hours, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.  
Telephone, 120 New Dorp.

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FIRST JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.  
Court House, Madison avenue, corner Twenty-fifth street. Court open from 2 p. m. until 6 p. m. Friday, Motion Day. Court opens at 10.30 a. m. Motions called at 10 a. m. Orders called at 10.30 a. m.  
George L. Ingraham, Presiding Justice; Chester B. McLaughlin, Frank C. Laughlin, John Proctor Clarke, Francis M. Scott, Nathan L. Miller, Victor J. Downing, Justices; Alfred Wagstaff, Clerk, William Lamb, Deputy Clerk.  
Clerk's Office opens 9 a. m.  
Telephone, 3340 Madison Square.

**SUPREME COURT—FIRST DEPARTMENT.**

County Court House, Chambers street. Court open from 10.15 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Special Term, Part I. (motions), Room No. 16.  
Special Term, Part II. (ex-parte business), Room No. 13.  
Special Term, Part III., Room No. 19.  
Special Term, Part IV., Room No. 20.  
Special Term, Part V., Room No. 6.  
Special Term, Part VI., Room No. 31.  
Trial Term, Part I., Room No. 34.  
Trial Term, Part II., Room No. 32.  
Trial Term, Part III., Room No. 21.  
Trial Term, Part IV., Room No. 24.  
Trial Term, Part V., Room No. 18.  
Trial Term, Part VI., Room No. 18.  
Trial Term, Part VII., Room No. 23.  
Trial Term, Part VIII., Room No. 35.  
Trial Term, Part IX., Room No. 26.  
Trial Term, Part X., Room No. 27.  
Trial Term, Part XI., Room No. 27.  
Trial Term, Part XII., Room No. 27.  
Trial Term, Part XIII., and Special Term, Part VII., Room No. 36.  
Trial Term, Part XIV., Room No. 28.  
Trial Term, Part XV., Room No. 37.  
Trial Term, Part XVI., Room No. 37.  
Trial Term, Part XVII., Room No. 29.  
Trial Term, Part XVIII., Room No. 29.  
Appellate Term, Room No. 29.  
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 38, third floor.  
Assignment Bureau, room on mezzanine floor, northeast.  
Clerks in attendance from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Clerk's Office, Special Term, Part I. (motion), Room No. 16.  
Clerk's Office, Special Term, Part II. (ex-parte business), ground floor, southeast corner.  
Clerk's Office, Special Term, Calendar, ground floor, south.  
Clerk's Office, Trial Term, Calendar, room northeast corner, second floor, east.  
Clerk's Office, Appellate Term, room southwest corner, third floor.  
Trial Term, Part I. (criminal business), Criminal Court House, Centre street.  
Justices—Henry Bischoff, Leonard A. Giegerich, P. Henry Dugro, James Fitzgerald, James A. Blanchard, Samuel Greenbaum, Edward E. McCall, Edward B. Amend, Vernon M. Davis, Joseph E. Newburgh, John W. Goff, Samuel Seabury, M. Wastley Plaisant, Peter A. Hendrick, John Ford, John J. Brady, Mitchell L. Erlanger, Charles L. Guy, James W. Gerard, Irving Lehman, Alfred R. Page, Edward J. Gavegan, Nathan Bijur, John J. Delany, Francis K. Pendleton, Daniel F. Cohalan, Henry D. Hotchkiss.  
Telephone, 4580 Cortlandt.

**SUPREME COURT—CRIMINAL DIVISION.**

Building for Criminal Courts, Centre, Elm White and Franklin streets.  
Court opens at 10.30 a. m.  
William F. Schneider, Clerk; Edward R. Carroll, Special Deputy to the Clerk.  
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.  
During July and August, Clerk's Office will close at 2 p. m.  
Telephone, 6064 Franklin.

**APPELLATE DIVISION, SUPREME COURT.**

SECOND JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.  
Court House, Borough Hall, Brooklyn.  
Court meets from 1 p. m. to 5 p. m., except that on Fridays court opens at 10 o'clock a. m. Almet F. Jenks, Presiding Justice; Michael H. Hirschberg, Joseph A. Burr, Edward B. Thomas, William J. Carr, John Woodward, Adelbert P. Rich, Justices; John B. Byrne, Clerk; Clarence A. Barrow, Deputy Clerk. Motion days, first and third Mondays of each Term.  
Clerk's office opens 9 a. m.  
Telephone, 1292 Main.  
John B. Byrne, Clerk.

**APPELLATE TERM—SUPREME COURT.**

Court Room, 503 Fulton street, Brooklyn.  
Court meets 10 a. m. December Term begins December 2, 1912. Justices Samuel T. Maddox, Abel E. Blackmar, Harrington Putnam, Joseph H. DeBragga, Clerk; Owen J. Macaulay, Deputy Clerk.  
Clerk's Office opens 9 a. m.  
Telephones, 7452 and 7453 Main.

**SUPREME COURT—SECOND DEPARTMENT.**

KINGS COUNTY.  
Kings County Court House, Joralemon and Fulton streets, Borough of Brooklyn.  
Clerk's office hours, 9 o'clock a. m. to 5 o'clock p. m. Seven jury trial parts. Special Term for Trials. Special Term for Motions. Special Term (ex-parte business).  
Naturalization Bureau, Room 7, Hall of Records, Brooklyn, N. Y.  
James F. McGee, General Clerk.  
Telephone, 5460 Main.

**QUEENS COUNTY.**

County Court House, Long Island City.  
Court opens at 10 a. m. Trial and Special Term for Motions and ex-parte business each month except July, August and September, in Part I.  
Trial Term, Part 2, January, February, March, April, May and December.  
Special Term for Trials, January, April, June and November.  
Naturalization, first Friday in each Term.  
Thomas B. Seaman, Special Deputy Clerk in charge.  
John D. Peace, Part 1 and Calendar Clerk.  
James Ingram, Part 2, Clerk.  
Clerk's office open 9 a. m. to 5 p. m., except Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12.30 p. m.  
Telephone, 3896 Hunters Point.

**RICHMOND COUNTY.**

Terms of Court in Year 1912.  
Second Monday of January, first Monday of February, first Monday of April, first Monday of June, first Monday of November. Trial Terms to be held at County Court House at Richmond.  
Second Monday of February, second Monday of June, second Monday of November. Special Terms for Trials to be held at Court Room, Borough Hall, St. George.  
First and third Saturdays of January, second and fourth Saturdays of March, first and third Saturdays of April, second and fourth Saturdays of May, first and third Saturdays of October, first and third Saturdays of December. Special Terms for Motions to be held at Court Room, Borough Hall, St. George.  
C. Livingston Boetwick, Clerk.  
John H. Wilkinson, Special Deputy.

**COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.**

Held in the Building for Criminal Courts, Centre, Elm White and Franklin streets.  
Court opens at 10.30 a. m.  
Warren W. Foster, Thomas C. O'Sullivan, Otto A. Rosalesky, Thomas C. T. Crain, Edward Swann, Joseph F. Mulqueen, James T. Malone, Judges of the Court of General Sessions; Edward R. Carroll, Clerk. Telephone, 1201 Franklin.  
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
During July and August Clerk's Office will close at 2 p. m., and on Saturdays at 12 m.

**CITY COURT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.**

No. 32 Chambers street, Brownstone Building, City Hall Park, from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Special Term Chambers will be held from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Edward P. O'Dwyer, Chief Justice; Francis B. Delehanty, Joseph I. Green, Alexander Finelite, Thomas F. Donnelly, John V. McAvoy, Peter Schmuck, Richard T. Lynch, Edward B. La Petra, Richard H. Smith, Justices. Thomas F. Smith, Clerk.  
Telephone, 122 Cortlandt.

**COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.**

Isaac Franklin Russell, Chief Justice; Joseph M. Deuel, Lorenz Zeller, John B. Mayo, Franklin Chase Hoyt, Joseph F. Moss, Howard J. Forker, John Fleming, Robert J. Wilkin, George J. O'Keefe, Morgan M. L. Ryan, James J. McInerney, Arthur C. Salmon, Henry Steinert and Cornelius F. Collins, Justices. Frank W. Smith, Chief Clerk.  
Building for Criminal Courts, Centre street, between Franklin and White streets, Borough of Manhattan.  
Court opens at 10 a. m.  
Part I., Criminal Court Building, Borough of Manhattan, John P. Hilley, Clerk. Telephone, 2092 Franklin.  
Part II., 171 Atlantic avenue, Borough of Brooklyn. This part is held on Mondays, Thursdays and Fridays. Joseph L. Kerrigan, Clerk. Telephone, 4280 Main.  
Part III., Town Hall, Jamaica, Borough of Queens. This part is held on Tuesdays. H. S. Moran, Clerk. Telephone, 657 Jamaica.  
Part IV., Borough Hall, St. George, Borough of Richmond. This part is held on Wednesdays. Robert Brown, Clerk. Telephone, 49 Tompkinsville.

**CHILDREN'S COURT.**

New York County—No. 66 Third avenue, Manhattan, Dennis A. Lambert, Clerk. Telephone, 1832 Stuyvesant.  
Kings County—No. 102 Court street, Brooklyn. Joseph W. Duffy, Clerk. Telephone, 627 Main.  
Queens County—No. 19 Hardenbrook avenue, Jamaica. Sydney Ollendorff, Clerk. This court is held on Mondays and Thursdays.  
Richmond County—Corn Exchange Bank Bldg. St. George, S. I. William J. Browne, Clerk. This court is held on Tuesdays. Office open every day (except Sundays and holidays) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. On Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m.

**CITY MAGISTRATES' COURT.**

FIRST DIVISION.  
William McAdoo, Chief City Magistrate; Robert C. Cornell, Peter T. Barlow, Matthew P. Breen, Frederick B. House, Charles N. Harris, Frederic Kernochan, Arthur C. Butts, Joseph E. Corrigan, Moses Herrman, Paul Krotel, Keyran J. O'Connor, Henry W. Herbert, Charles W. Appleton, Daniel F. Murphy, John J. Freschi, Francis X. McQuade, John A. L. Campbell, City Magistrates.  
Court open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Philip Bloch, Chief Clerk, 300 Mulberry street. Telephone, 6213 Spring.  
First District—Criminal Court Building.  
Second District—Jefferson Market.  
Third District—Second avenue and First street.  
Fourth District—Fifth District—One Hundred and Twenty-first street, southeastern corner of Sylvan place.  
Sixth and Eighth Districts—One Hundred and Sixty-second street and Washington avenue.  
Seventh District—No. 314 West Fifty-fourth street.  
Eighth District—Main Street, Westchester.  
Ninth District (Night Court for Females)—No. 125 Sixth avenue.  
Tenth District (Night Court for Males)—No. 314 West Fifty-fourth street.  
Eleventh District—Domestic Relations Court—Southwest corner Prince and Wooster streets.

**SECOND DIVISION.**

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.  
Otto Kemper, Chief City Magistrate; Edward J. Dooley, John Nauman, A. V. B. Voorhees, Jr., Alexander H. Geismar, John F. Hylan, Howard P. Nash, Moses J. Harris, Charles J. Dodd, John C. McGuire, Louis H. Reynolds, City Magistrates.  
Office of Chief Magistrate, 44 Court street, Rooms 209-214. Telephone, 7411 Main.  
Archibald J. McKinney, Chief Probation Officer, Myrtle and Vanderbilt avenues, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Courts.  
First District—No. 318 Adams street.  
Second District—Court and Butler streets.  
Fifth District—No. 249 Manhattan avenue.  
Sixth District—No. 495 Gates avenue.  
Seventh District—No. 31 Snider avenue (Flat bush).  
Eighth District—West Eighth street (Coney Island).  
Ninth District—Fifth avenue and Twenty-third street.  
Tenth District—No. 133 New Jersey avenue.  
Domestic Relations Court—Myrtle and Vanderbilt avenues.

**BOROUGH OF QUEENS.**

City Magistrates—Joseph P. Fitch, John A. Leach, Harry Miller, James J. Conway.  
Courts.  
First District—St. Mary's Lyceum, Long Island City.  
Second District—Town Hall, Flushing, L. I.  
Third District—Central avenue, Far Rockaway, L. I.  
Fourth District—Town Hall, Jamaica, L. I.

**BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.**

City Magistrates—Joseph B. Handy, Nathaniel Marsh.  
Courts.  
First District—Lafayette avenue, New Brighton, Staten Island.  
Second District—Village Hall, Stapleton, Staten Island.  
All Courts open daily for business from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., except on Saturdays, Sundays and legal holidays, when only morning sessions are held.

**MUNICIPAL COURTS.**

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.  
First District—The First District embraces the territory bounded on the south and west by the southerly and westerly boundaries of the said borough, on the north by the centre line of Fourteenth street and the centre line of Fifth street from the Bowery to Second avenue, on the east by the centre lines of Fourth avenue from Fourteenth street to Fifth street, Second avenue, Chrystie street, Division street and Catharine street.  
Wauhope Lynn, William F. Moore, John Hoyer, Justices.

Thomas O'Connell, Clerk.  
Frank Mangin, Deputy Clerk.  
Location of Court—Merchants' Association Building, Nos. 54-56 Lafayette street. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m. July and August from 9 a. m. to 2 p. m. Additional Part is held at southwest corner of Sixth avenue and Tenth street.  
Telephone, 6030 Franklin.

Second District—The Second District embraces the territory bounded on the south by the centre line of Fifth street from the Bowery to Second avenue and on the south and east by the southerly and easterly boundaries of the said borough, on the north by the centre line of East Fourteenth street, on the west by the centre lines of Fourth avenue from Fourteenth street to Fifth street, Second avenue, Chrystie street, Division street and Catharine street.  
Benjamin Hoffman, Leon Sanders, Thomas P. Dinnean, Leonard A. Snitkin, Justices.  
James J. Devlin, Clerk.  
Location of Court—Nos. 264 and 266 Madison street. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Telephone, 4300 Orchard.

Third District—The Third District embraces the territory bounded on the south by the centre line of Fourteenth street, on the east by the centre line of Seventh avenue from Fourteenth street to Fifty-ninth street and by the centre line of Central Park West from Fifty-ninth street to Sixty-fifth street, on the north by the centre line of Sixty-fifth street and the centre line of Fifty-ninth street from Seventh to Eighth avenues, on the west by the westerly boundary of the said borough.  
Thomas E. Murray, Thomas F. Noonan, Justices.  
Michael Skelly, Clerk.  
Location of Court—No. 314 West Fifty-fourth street. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.  
Telephone number, 5450 Columbus.

Fourth District—The Fourth District embraces the territory bounded on the south by the centre line of East Fourteenth street, on the west by the centre line of Lexington avenue and by the centre line of Irving place, including its projection through Gramercy Park, on the north by the centre line of Fifty-ninth street, on the east by the easterly line of said borough; excluding, however, any portion of Blackwells Island.  
Michael F. Blake, William J. Boyhan, Justices.  
Abram Bernard, Clerk.  
Location of Court—Part I. and Part II., No. 207 East Thirty-second street. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Telephone, 4358 Madison square.

Fifth District—The Fifth District embraces the territory bounded on the south by the centre line of Sixty-fifth street, on the east by the centre line of Central Park West, on the north by the centre line of One Hundred and Tenth street, on the west by the westerly boundary of said borough.  
Alfred P. W. Seaman, William Young, Frederick Spiegelberg, Justices.  
John H. Servis, Clerk.  
Location of Court—Southwest corner of Broadway and Ninety-sixth street. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Telephone, 4008 Riverside.

Sixth District—The Sixth District embraces the territory bounded on the south by the centre line of Fifty-ninth street and by the centre line of Ninety-sixth street from Lexington avenue to Fifth avenue, on the west by the centre line of Lexington avenue from Fifty-ninth street to Ninety-sixth street and the centre line of Fifth avenue from Ninety-sixth street to One Hundred and Tenth street, on the north by the centre line of One Hundred and Tenth street, on the east by the easterly boundary of said borough, including however, all of Blackwells Island and excluding any portion of Wards Island.  
Jacob Marks, Solomon Oppenheimer, Justices.  
Edward A. McQuade, Clerk.  
Location of Court—Northwest corner of Third avenue and Eighty-third street. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.

Seventh District—The Seventh District embraces the territory bounded on the south by the centre line of One Hundred and Tenth street, on the east by the centre line of Fifth avenue to the northerly terminus thereof, and north of the northerly terminus of Fifth avenue, following in a northerly direction the course of the Harlem River, on a line coterminous with the easterly boundary of said borough, on the north and west by the northerly and westerly boundaries of said borough.  
Philip J. Sinnott, David L. Weil, John R. Davies, Justices.  
John P. Burns, Clerk.  
Location of Court—No. 70 Manhattan street. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; July and August, 9 a. m. to 2 p. m.

Eighth District—The Eighth District embraces the territory bounded on the south by the centre line of One Hundred and Tenth street, on the west by the centre line of Fifth avenue, on the north and east by the northerly and easterly boundaries of said borough, including Randall's Island and the whole of Wards Island.  
Joseph P. Fallon and Leopold Prince, Justices.  
Hugh H. Moore, Clerk.  
Location of Court—Sylvan place and One Hundred and Twenty-first street, near Third avenue. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Telephone, 3950 Harlem.

Ninth District—The Ninth District embraces the territory bounded on the south by the centre line of Fourteenth street and by the centre line of Fifty-ninth street from the centre line of Seventh avenue to the centre line of Central Park West, on the east by the centre line of Lexington avenue and by the centre line of Irving place, including its projection through Gramercy Park, and by the centre line of Fifth avenue from the centre line of Ninety-sixth street to the centre line of One Hundred and Tenth street, on the north by the centre line of Lexington avenue to the centre line of Fifth avenue and One Hundred and Tenth street from Fifth avenue to Central Park West, on the west by the centre line of Seventh avenue and Central Park West.  
Edgar J. Lauer, Frederic De Witt Wells, Frank D. Sturges, William C. Wilson, Justices.  
Frank Bulkley, Clerk.  
Location of Court—Southwest corner of Madison avenue and Fifty-ninth street. Parts I. and II. Court opens at 9 a. m. Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.  
Telephone, 3873 Plaza.

Tenth District—All that part of the Twenty-fourth Ward which was lately annexed to the City and County of New York by chapter 934 of the Laws of 1895, comprising all of the late Town of Westchester and part of the Towns of Eastchester and Pelham, including the Village of Wakefield and Williamsbridge. Court room, Town Hall, No. 1400 Williamsbridge road, Westchester Village. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. Trial of causes, Tuesday and Friday of each week.  
Peter A. Shell, Justice.  
Stephen Collins, Clerk.



Office hours from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays closing at 12 m.  
Telephone, 457 Westchester.  
Second District—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, except the territory described in chapter 934 of the Laws of 1895. Court room southeast corner of Washington avenue and One Hundred and Sixty-second street. Office hours from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. Court opens at 9 a. m., Sundays and legal holidays excepted.  
John M. Tierney and William E. Morris, Justices.  
Thomas A. Maher, Clerk.  
Telephone, 3043 Melrose.

**BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.**  
First District—Comprising First, Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth, Sixth, Tenth and Twelfth Wards, and that portion of the Eleventh Ward beginning at the intersection of the center lines of Hudson and Myrtle avenues, thence along the center line of Myrtle avenue to North Portland avenue, thence along the center line of North Portland avenue to Flushing avenue, thence along the center line of Flushing avenue to Navy street, thence along the center line of Navy street to Johnson street, thence along the center line of Johnson street to Hudson avenue, and thence along the center line of Hudson avenue to the point of beginning of the Borough of Brooklyn.  
Court House, northwest corner State and Court streets. Parts I. and II.  
Eugene Conran, Justice. John L. Gray, Clerk.  
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., Sundays and legal holidays excepted.  
Telephone, 7991 Main.

Second District—Seventh Ward and that portion of the Twenty-first and Twenty-third Wards west of the center line of Stuyvesant avenue and the center line of Schenectady avenue, also that portion of the Twentieth Ward beginning at the intersection of the center lines of North Portland and Myrtle avenues, thence along the center line of Myrtle avenue to Waverly avenue, thence along the center line of Waverly avenue to Park avenue, thence along the center line of Park avenue to Washington avenue, thence along the center line of Washington avenue to Flushing avenue, thence along the center line of Flushing avenue to North Portland avenue, and thence along the center line of North Portland avenue to the point of beginning.  
Court room, No. 495 Gates avenue.  
John R. Farrar, George Preiffeld, Justices.  
John Henigin, Jr., Clerk.  
Clerk's Office open from 8.45 a. m. to 4 p. m., Sundays and legal holidays excepted. Saturdays, 8.45 a. m. to 12 m.  
Telephone, 504 Bedford.

Third District—Embraces the Thirteenth, Fourteenth, Fifteenth, Sixteenth, Seventeenth, Eighteenth and Nineteenth Wards, and that portion of the Twenty-seventh Ward lying northwest of the center line of Starr street between the boundary line of Queens County and the center line of Central avenue and northwest to the center line of Suydam street between the center lines of Central and Bushwick avenues, and northwest of the center line of Willoughby avenue between the center lines of Bushwick avenue and Broadway.  
Court House, Nos. 6 and 8 Lee avenue, Brooklyn.  
Philip D. Meagher and William J. Bogenschutz, Justices. John W. Carpenter, Clerk.  
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., Sundays and legal holidays excepted.  
Court opens at 9 a. m.  
Telephone, 995 Williamsburg.

Fourth District—Embraces the Twenty-fourth and Twenty-fifth Wards, that portion of the Twenty-first and Twenty-third Wards lying east of the center line of Stuyvesant avenue and east of the center line of Schenectady avenue, and that portion of the Twenty-seventh Ward lying southeast of the center line of Starr street between the boundary line of Queens County and the center line of Central avenue and southeast of the center line of Suydam street between the center lines of Central and Bushwick avenues, and southeast of the center line of Willoughby avenue between the center lines of Bushwick avenue and Broadway.  
Court room, No. 14 Howard avenue.  
Jacob S. Strahl, Justice. Joseph P. McCarthy, Clerk.  
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., Sundays and legal holidays excepted.

Fifth District—Contains the Eighth, Thirtieth and Thirty-first Wards, and so much of the Twenty-second Ward as lies south of Prospect avenue.  
Court House, northwest corner of Fifty-third street and Third avenue (No. 5220 Third avenue).  
Cornelius Furgueson, Justice. Jeremiah J. O'Leary, Clerk.  
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., Sundays and legal holidays excepted.  
Telephone, 3607 Sunset.

Sixth District—The Sixth District embraces the Ninth and Twenty-ninth Wards and that portion of the Twenty-second Ward north of the center line of Prospect avenue; also that portion of the Eleventh and the Twentieth Wards beginning at the intersection of the center lines of Bridge and Fulton streets; thence along the center line of Fulton street to Flatbush avenue; thence along the center line of Flatbush avenue to Atlantic avenue; thence along the center line of Atlantic avenue to Washington avenue; thence along the center line of Washington avenue to Park avenue; thence along the center line of Park avenue to Waverly avenue; thence along the center line of Waverly avenue to Myrtle avenue; thence along the center line of Myrtle avenue to Hudson avenue; thence along the center line of Hudson avenue to Johnson street; thence along the center line of Johnson street to Bridge street, and thence along the center line of Bridge street to the point of beginning.  
Lucien S. Baylis and Stephen Callaghan, Justices. William R. Fagan, Clerk.  
Court House, No. 236 Dufrid street.  
Telephone, 6164-J Main.

Seventh District—The Seventh District embraces the Twenty-sixth, Twenty-eighth and Thirty-second Wards.  
Alexander S. Rosenthal and Edward A. Richards, Justices. James P. Sinnott, Clerk.  
Court House, corner Pennsylvania avenue and Fulton street (No. 81 Pennsylvania avenue).  
Clerk's Office open from 8.45 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 12 m. Trial days, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays. During July and August, 8.45 a. m. to 2 p. m.  
Telephones, 904 and 905 East New York.

**BOROUGH OF QUEENS.**  
First District—Embraces the territory bounded by and within the canal, Rapelye avenue, Jackson avenue, Old Bowers Bay road, Bowers Bay, East River and Newtown Creek. Court room, St. Mary's Lyceum, Nos. 115 and 117 Fifth street, Long Island City.  
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. each day, excepting Saturdays, closing at 12 m. Trial days, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. All other business transacted on Tuesdays and Thursdays.  
Thomas C. Kadien, Justice. John F. Cassidy, Clerk.  
Telephone, 1420 Hunters Point.

Second District—Embraces the territory bounded by and within Maspeth avenue, Maurice avenue, Calamus road, Long Island Railroad; Trotting Course lane, Metropolitan avenue, boundary line between the Second and Fourth Wards, boundary line between the Second and Third Wards, Flushing Creek, Ireland Mill road, Lawrence avenue, Bradford avenue, Main street, Lincoln street, Union street, Broadway, Parsons avenue, Murray lane, Bay side avenue, Little Bay side road, Little Neck Bay, East River, Bowers Bay, Old Bowers Bay road, Jackson avenue, Rapelye avenue, the canal and Newtown Creek.

Court room in Court House of the late Town of Newtown, corner of Broadway and Court street, Elmhurst, New York. P. O. address, Elmhurst, Queens County, New York.  
John M. Cragen, Justice. J. Frank Ryan, Clerk.

Trial days, Tuesdays and Thursdays.  
Fridays for jury trials only.  
Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., Sundays and legal holidays excepted.  
Telephone, 87 Newtown.

Third District—Embraces the territory bounded by and within Maspeth avenue, Maurice avenue, Calamus road, Long Island Railroad; Trotting Course lane, Metropolitan avenue, boundary line between the Second and Fourth Wards, Vandever avenue, Jamaica avenue, Shaw avenue, Atlantic avenue, Morris avenue, Rockaway road, boundary line between Queens and Nassau counties, Atlantic Ocean, Rockaway Inlet, boundary line between Queens and Kings counties and Newtown Creek.  
Alfred Denton, Justice. John H. Huhn, Clerk.  
1908 and 1910 Myrtle avenue, Glendale.  
Telephone, 2352 Bushwick.

Clerk's Office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Trial days, Tuesdays and Thursdays (Fridays for jury trials only), at 9 a. m.

Fourth District—Embraces the territory bounded by and within the boundary line between the Second and Fourth Wards, the boundary line between the Second and Third Wards, Flushing Creek, Ireland Mill road, Lawrence avenue, Bradford avenue, Main street, Lincoln street, Union street, Broadway, Parsons avenue, Murray lane, Bay side avenue, Little Bay side road, Little Neck Bay, boundary line between Queens and Nassau counties, Rockaway road, Morris avenue, Atlantic avenue, Shaw avenue, Jamaica avenue and Vandever avenue.  
Court House, Town Hall, northeast corner of Fulton street and Flushing avenue, Jamaica.  
James F. McLaughlin, Justice. George W. Damon, Clerk.  
Clerk's Office open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Court held on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 9 a. m.  
Telephone, 1654 Jamaica.

**BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.**  
First District—First and Third Wards (Towns of Castleton and Northfield). Court room, former Village Hall, Lafayette avenue and Second street, New Brighton.  
Thomas C. Brown, Justice. Thomas E. Cremins, Clerk.  
Clerk's Office open from 8.45 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Telephone, 503 Tompkinsville.

Second District—Second, Fourth and Fifth Wards (Towns of Middletown, Southfield and Westfield). Court room, former Edgewater Village Hall, Stapleton.  
Arnold J. B. Wedemeyer, Justice. William Wedemeyer, Clerk.  
Clerk's Office open from 8.45 a. m. to 4 p. m.  
Court opens at 9 a. m. Court continued until close of business.  
Trial days, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.  
Telephone, 313 Tompkinsville.

## PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION.

## NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A PUBLIC HEARING will be held at the office of the Public Service Commission for the First District, at 154 Nassau st., Borough of Manhattan, New York City, on

**SATURDAY, JANUARY 4, 1913,**  
at 11 o'clock a. m., upon the proposed terms and conditions of contracts for the construction of Sections Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4 of the Astoria, Woodside and Corona Rapid Transit Railroad (Routes 36 and 37), in the Borough of Queens, which sections may be briefly described as follows:

Section No. 1. Beginning at a point over Queensboro Bridge Plaza, in the Borough of Queens, at or near the easterly line of Ely ave., and extending thence easterly over the Queensboro Bridge Plaza to a point at or near Jackson ave., where the road divides into two branches, one branch curving to the north and extending thence in a northerly direction over Jackson avenue and 2d (formerly Debevoise) ave. to a point over 2d ave. about three hundred (300) feet south of the center line of Beebe ave., and the other branch extending in an easterly direction over Queens boulevard (Diagonal st.) to a point about two hundred and seventy (270) feet northwest of the westerly line of Van Dam st.

Section No. 2. Beginning at a point over 2d (formerly Debevoise) ave. in the Borough of Queens, about three hundred (300) feet south of the center line of Beebe ave., and extending thence over 2d ave. to a point about three hundred and thirty (330) feet south of the center line of Ditmars ave., with local stations at Beebe ave., Washington ave., Broadway, Grand ave. and Ditmars ave., and with an express station at Hoyt ave.

Section No. 3. Beginning at a point over Queens boulevard, in the Borough of Queens, about two hundred and seventy (270) feet northwest of the westerly line of Van Dam st. and extending thence over Queens boulevard, Greenpoint ave., Skillman ave. and Roosevelt ave. to a point over Roosevelt ave. about seventy (70) feet east of the easterly line of Sycamore ave. (Albertus ave.), with local stations at Rawson st., Lowery st., Bliss st., Lincoln ave., Broadway, 25th st., Elmhurst ave. and Sycamore ave., and with express stations at Woodside ave. and Junction ave.

Section No. 4. Beginning at a point over Roosevelt ave., in the Borough of Queens, about seventy (70) feet east of the easterly line of Sycamore ave. (Albertus ave.) and extending thence over Roosevelt ave. to a point about seventy (70) feet east of the easterly line of Prime st., with local stations at Tieman ave., Morris ave. and Prime st.

Copies of the drafts of said contracts may be obtained at the said office of the said Public Service Commission for one dollar each.

Dated New York, December 19, 1912.  
**PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION FOR THE FIRST DISTRICT,** By WILLIAM R. WILCOX, Chairman. d19,j4

## DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES, PIER "A," FOOT OF BATTERY PLACE, NORTH RIVER, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

## AUCTION SALE OF LEASE.

JOSEPH P. DAY, AUCTIONEER, WILL sell, on behalf of the Department of Docks and Ferries, at Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North River, Borough of Manhattan, at public auction to the highest bidder on

**TUESDAY, DECEMBER 31, 1912,**  
commencing at 10.30 o'clock a. m., for a term of five years, beginning January 15, 1913, a lease of the following described property:

Beginning at the point of intersection of the southerly side of E. 95th st. pier and the bulkhead between E. 94th and E. 95th sts., extend-

ing then southerly along the bulkhead a distance of 219.4 feet; thence westerly and at right angles to the bulkhead a distance of 21.6 feet; thence northerly and parallel with the bulkhead a distance of 106.7 feet; thence easterly at right angles to the last mentioned line a distance of 4.1 feet; thence northerly and parallel with the bulkhead a distance of 113.2 feet; thence easterly at right angles to the last mentioned line a distance of 18.6 feet to the point or place of beginning, being the area at present occupied by the dumping board and approach thereto between E. 94th and 95th sts., East River, together with the right to use the bulkhead between the northerly side of E. 94th st. pier and the southerly side of E. 95th st. pier.

The lessee shall have the right to use the dumping board now erected on said premises, together with the existing ramp or approach thereto.

**TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE.**  
The upset price of the parcel offered for sale will be announced by the auctioneer at the time of sale, and no bid will be received which shall be less than the upset price.

The auctioneer's fee of Fifty Dollars (\$50) must be paid by the purchaser at the time of sale.

The purchaser will be required at the time of the sale to pay, in addition to the auctioneer's fee, namely Fifty Dollars (\$50), to the Department of Docks and Ferries twenty-five per cent. (25%) of the amount of the annual rent bid as security for the execution of the lease, which twenty-five per cent. (25%) will be applied to the rent first accruing under the lease, when executed, or will be forfeited to the Department of Docks and Ferries if the purchaser neglects or refuses to execute the lease with good and sufficient surety to be approved by the Commissioner of Docks within ten (10) days after being notified that the lease is prepared and ready for execution at the office of the Department of Docks and Ferries, Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North River.

The Department expressly reserves the right to resell the lease of the premises bid for by those failing, refusing or neglecting to comply with these terms and conditions, the party so failing, refusing or neglecting to be liable to the City of New York for any deficiency resulting from or occasioned by such resale.

The term for which the lease is sold will commence at the date mentioned in this advertisement, namely January 15, 1913, and rent will be payable from that date.

The lessee will be required to erect over the present dumping board, within one hundred and twenty (120) days from the date of the commencement of the lease, a corrugated metal shed with steel supports.

No dredging will be done prior to the commencement of the lease in the slip or basin or water immediately adjacent to the premises and the premises and the structures thereon must be taken in the condition in which they are at the commencement of the term of the lease, and no claim or demand that the premises or property or any structures thereon are not in suitable and tenable condition at the commencement of the term will be allowed by the Commissioner of Docks.

The lease shall contain the following terms and conditions:  
The rent shall be paid in four equal quarterly payments in advance.

All dumping boards erected or maintained under the provisions of the lease will extend from a line parallel to and about twenty-two (22) feet east of the bulkhead line to a line parallel to and about twenty-two (22) feet west of the bulkhead line, in all a distance of about forty-four (44) feet.

All ramps, runways, approaches, dumping boards, sheds and all other structures erected under the provisions of the lease shall be constructed in accordance with plans and specifications to be submitted to and approved by the Chief Engineer of the Department of Docks and Ferries and shall be erected under his direction and supervision.

All such structures shall revert to and become the property of The City of New York at the expiration or sooner termination of the lease. The lessee will be required to agree that he will at all times do such dredging from time to time during the term of the lease as may be considered by the Commissioner of Docks necessary and proper to be done in the half slip or water adjacent to the bulkhead between the northerly side of the pier foot of E. 94th st. and the southerly side of pier foot of E. 95th st., and extending outshore a distance of 75 feet.

All repairs, maintaining, rebuilding or painting required or necessary in the opinion of the Commissioner of Docks to be done to or upon the premises leased or the structures thereon, including the metal shed, shall be done by and at the sole cost and expense of the lessee to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Docks.

If by reason of total or partial destruction from any cause the premises hereby leased, or the structures thereon, including the metal shed, shall require to be rebuilt, the same shall be so rebuilt under the direction of the Commissioner of Docks in like manner and similar to the premises destroyed, by and at the expense of the lessee and in accordance with plans and specifications submitted to and approved by the Commissioner of Docks.

In case the lessee shall make default or shall neglect to make repairs or rebuilding or do such painting or dredging for the space of ten days after notice so to do shall have been given by the Commissioner of Docks or any proper officer, agent or employee of the Department of Docks and Ferries, then the lease shall be null and void and the lessee will pay to The City of New York such damages as it may have sustained, or the Commissioner of Docks may, at his option, make such repairs and rebuilding or do such dredging and painting, and the full cost and expense thereof shall and will be paid on demand by the lessee to The City of New York, and no claim for damages or for reduction of rent shall be made by the lessee by reason thereof.

No claim or demand will be considered or allowed by the Department for any loss or deprivation from use of said premises or otherwise resulting from or occasioned by any delay on account of or by reason of the premises or any part thereof being occupied for or on account of repairs, rebuilding, painting or dredging.

The lessee will be required upon the execution of the lease to furnish a bond executed by a guaranty or surety company, to be approved by the Commissioner of Docks, in double the amount of the annual rent bid, for the faithful performance of all the covenants and conditions of the lease. In the event that the Commissioner of Docks shall, during the term of said lease, for any reason whatsoever, deem it advisable that other surety or sureties should be substituted in lieu of the surety or sureties upon the bond, then, and in such event, the lessee shall and will, whenever so ordered by the Commissioner of Docks, furnish a new bond with such surety or sureties as may be approved by him in lieu of the bond originally furnished.

The lessee will be required to agree that he will at all times keep posted in at least two conspicuous places upon the pier, printed in large type, so that the same can be readily seen by passers-by on the adjacent marginal street, the prices to be charged to the public for the privilege of dumping, and that the maximum

prices to be charged to the public shall be as follows:

For single dump carts, not exceeding 40 cents.  
For single trucks, not exceeding 50 cents.  
For double trucks, not exceeding 70 cents.  
Rubbish and light material, 20 cents additional per truck.

—It being understood and agreed that the establishment of such maximum or limiting prices does not prevent the lessee, at his option, from charging lower rates, and that during the life of the lease the Commissioner of Docks may, in his discretion, increase but not decrease said maximum or limiting prices, but such prices shall only be increased after the establishment of justifying facts as to market conditions at a public hearing before him.

The lessee will be required to agree that he will at all times during the term of the lease keep true and correct books of account, showing moneys received, the quantity of material dumped and where disposed of, the rates charged therefor and the names and persons using the dump, and that said books of account shall at all times during the term of the lease be open to inspection by the Commissioner of Docks or his authorized representative.

The lessee will be required to agree that he will at all times during the term of the lease continue to operate a dumping board on the premises leased and that said dumping board shall be public to all, and that no application for dumping privileges shall be refused until the maximum capacity of the board is reached, and that there shall be no discrimination in price charged either by special rate or rebate.

The premises demised, or any part thereof, shall not be used as a stable nor for the sorting or storage of rags, barrels, boxes or refuse of any kind, and the premises shall at all times be kept in a clean and sanitary condition to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Docks.

The establishment of violation of any of the terms and conditions herein contained as fact in the judgment of the Commissioner of Docks shall be sufficient ground for the cancellation of the lease, and in such event the lessee will make no claim of any kind whatsoever for damages against The City of New York.

The lessee will be required to agree that if at any time during the term hereby created the Commissioner of Docks shall determine to proceed with the work of building or rebuilding wharves, piers, bulkheads, basins, docks or slips within a section or district of the water-front which shall include the premises hereinbefore described, according to any plan or plans now adopted and approved, or which may hereafter be adopted and approved, and pursuant to any existing or future law, and if the said Commissioner of Docks shall determine that for the purpose of such building or rebuilding it will be necessary to terminate the interest of the lessee in the property hereby leased, or any part thereof, then upon service upon the lessee written notice from the Commissioner of Docks that effect, the interest of the lessee in the said property, or part thereof, shall be thereby terminated, and the rent hereby reserved shall cease from the date specified in said notice, and no claim for damages or compensation in favor of the lessee by reason of the termination of such interest or to, or on account of any construction or improvement that may have been erected by the lessee shall, at any time, be made by the lessee or by any person or persons whomsoever.

The remaining terms and conditions of the lease shall be similar to those contained in leases of wharf property now used by the Department of Docks and Ferries, copies of which may be seen and examined at the office of the Department, Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North River, Borough of Manhattan, CALVIN TOMKINS, Commissioner of Docks, December 14, 1912. d18,j31

OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES, PIER "A," FOOT OF BATTERY PLACE, NORTH RIVER, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

## AUCTION SALE OF LEASES.

JOSEPH P. DAY, AUCTIONEER, WILL sell, on behalf of the Department of Docks and Ferries, at Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North River, Borough of Manhattan, at public auction to the highest bidder, on

**TUESDAY, DECEMBER 31, 1912,**  
commencing at 10.30 o'clock a. m., for a term of five years, beginning January 15, 1913, a lease of the following described property:

Beginning at a point at the inner end of the south side of the pier foot of E. 60th st.; running thence easterly a distance of about one hundred and thirty (130) feet to the out-shore end of the present dumping board on said pier; thence northerly and along the out-shore end of the dumping board eighteen (18) feet to the northeasterly corner of said dumping board; thence westerly and along the northerly side of said dumping board about one hundred and thirty-five (135) feet to the inner end of the pier; thence southerly a distance of about eighteen (18) feet along the inner end of the pier to the point or place of beginning, together with the right to use the entire south side of the pier.

The lessee shall have the right to use the dumping board now erected on said premises, together with the existing ramp or approach thereto.

**TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE.**  
The upset price of the parcel offered for sale will be announced by the auctioneer at the time of sale, and no bid will be received which shall be less than the upset price.

The auctioneer's fee of Fifty Dollars (\$50) must be paid by the purchaser at the time of sale.

The purchaser will be required at the time of the sale to pay, in addition to the auctioneer's fee, namely Fifty Dollars (\$50), to the Department of Docks and Ferries twenty-five per cent. (25%) of the amount of the annual rent bid as security for the execution of the lease, which twenty-five per cent. (25%) will be applied to the rent first accruing under the lease, when executed, or will be forfeited to the Department of Docks and Ferries if the purchaser neglects or refuses to execute the lease with good and sufficient surety to be approved by the Commissioner of Docks within ten (10) days after being notified that the lease is prepared and ready for execution at the office of the Department of Docks and Ferries, Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North River.

The Department expressly reserves the right to resell the lease of the premises bid for by those failing, refusing or neglecting to comply with these terms and conditions, the party so failing, refusing or neglecting to be liable to The City of New York for any deficiency resulting from or occasioned by such resale.

The term for which the lease is sold will commence at the date mentioned in this advertisement, namely, January 15, 1913, and rent will be payable from that date.

The lessee will be required to erect over the present dumping board, within one hundred and twenty (120) days from the date of the commencement of the lease, a corrugated metal shed with steel supports.

No dredging will be done prior to the commencement of the lease in the slip or basin or water immediately adjacent to the premises and the premises and the structures thereon must be taken in the condition in which they are at the commencement of the term of the lease, and



no claim or demand that the premises or property or any structures thereon are not in suitable and tenable condition at the commencement of the term will be allowed by the Commissioner of Docks.

The lease shall contain the following terms and conditions:

The rent shall be paid in four equal quarterly payments in advance.

All dumping boards erected or maintained under the provisions of the lease will extend from a line parallel to and about eighteen (18) feet north of the south line of the pier to a line parallel to and about eighteen (18) feet south of the southerly line of the pier, in all a distance of about thirty-six (36) feet.

All ramps, runways, approaches, dumping boards, sheds and all other structures erected under the provisions of the lease shall be constructed in accordance with plans and specifications to be submitted to and approved by the Chief Engineer of the Department of Docks and Ferries and shall be erected under his direction and supervision.

All such structures shall revert to and become the property of The City of New York at the expiration or sooner termination of the lease.

The lessee will be required to agree that he will at all times do such dredging from time to time during the term of the lease as may be considered by the Commissioner of Docks necessary and proper to be done in the half slip or water adjacent to the southerly side of the pier.

All repairs, maintaining, rebuilding or painting required or necessary in the opinion of the Commissioner of Docks to be done to or upon the premises leased or the structures thereon, including the metal shed, shall be done by and at the sole cost and expense of the lessee to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Docks.

If by reason of total or partial destruction from any cause the premises hereby leased, or the structures thereon, including the metal shed, shall require to be rebuilt, the same shall be so rebuilt under the direction of the Commissioner of Docks in like manner and similar to the premises destroyed by, and at the expense of the lessee and in accordance with plans and specifications submitted to and approved by the Commissioner of Docks.

In case the lessee shall make default or shall neglect to make repairs or rebuilding or do such painting or dredging for the space of ten days after notice so to do shall have been given by the Commissioner of Docks or any proper officer, agent or employee of the Department of Docks and Ferries, then the lease shall be null and void and the lessee will pay to The City of New York such damages as it may have sustained, or the Commissioner of Docks may, at his option, make such repairs and rebuilding or do such dredging and painting, and the full cost and expense thereof shall and will be paid on demand by the lessee to The City of New York, and no claim for damages or for reduction of rent shall be made by the lessee by reason thereof.

No claim or demand will be considered or allowed by the Department for any loss or deprivation from use of said premises or otherwise resulting from or occasioned by any delay on account of or by reason of the premises or any part thereof being occupied for or on account of any repairs, rebuilding, painting or dredging.

The lessee will be required upon the execution of the lease to furnish a bond executed by a guaranty or surety company, to be approved by the Commissioner of Docks, in double the amount of the annual rent bid, for the faithful performance of all the covenants and conditions of the lease.

In the event that the Commissioner of Docks shall, during the term of said lease, for any reason whatsoever, deem it advisable that other surety or sureties should be substituted in lieu of the surety or sureties upon the bond, then, and in such event, the lessee shall and will, whenever so ordered by the Commissioner of Docks, furnish a new bond with such surety or sureties as may be approved by him in lieu of the bond originally furnished.

The lessee will be required to agree that he will at all times keep posted in at least two conspicuous places upon the pier, printed in large type, so that the same can be readily seen by passers-by on Avenue A, the prices to be charged to the public for the privilege of dumping, and that the maximum prices to be charged to the public shall be as follows:

For single dump carts, not exceeding 40 cents.  
For single trucks, not exceeding 50 cents.  
For double trucks, not exceeding 70 cents.  
Rubbish and light material, 20 cents additional per truck.

It being understood and agreed that the establishment of such maximum or limiting prices does not prevent the lessee, at his option, from charging lower rates, and that during the life of the lease the Commissioner of Docks may, in his discretion, increase but not decrease said maximum or limiting prices, but such prices shall only be increased after the establishment of justifying facts as to market conditions at a public hearing before him.

The lessee will be required to agree that he will at all times during the term of the lease keep true and correct books of account, showing moneys received, the quantity of material dumped and where disposed of, the rates charged therefor and the names of persons using the dump, and that said books of account shall at all times during the term of the lease be open to inspection by the Commissioner of Docks or his authorized representative.

The lessee will be required to agree that he will at all times during the term of the lease continue to operate a dumping board on the premises leased and that said dumping board shall be public to all, and that no application for dumping privileges shall be refused until the maximum capacity of the board is reached, and that there shall be no discrimination in price charged either by special rate or rebate.

The premises demised, or any part thereof, shall not be used as a stable nor for the sorting or storage of rags, barrels, boxes or refuse of any kind, and the premises shall at all times be kept in a clean and sanitary condition to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Docks.

The establishment of violation of any of the terms and conditions herein contained as fact in the judgment of the Commissioner of Docks shall be sufficient ground for the cancellation of the lease, and in such event the lessee will make no claim of any kind whatsoever for damages against The City of New York.

The lessee will be required to agree that if at any time during the term hereby created the Commissioner of Docks shall determine to proceed with the work of building or rebuilding wharves, piers, bulkheads, basins, docks or slips within a section or district of the water-front which shall include the premises hereinbefore described, according to any plan or plans now adopted and approved, or which may hereafter be adopted and approved, and pursuant to any existing or future law, and if the said Commissioner of Docks shall determine that for the purpose of such building or rebuilding it will be necessary to terminate the interest of the lessee in the property hereby leased, or any part thereof, then upon service upon the lessee of written notice from the Commissioner of Docks to that effect, the interest of the lessee in the said property, or part thereof, shall be thereby terminated and the rent hereby reserved shall cease from the date specified in said notice, and no claim for damages or compensa-

tion in favor of the lessee by reason of the termination of such interest or to, or on account of any construction or improvement that may have been erected by the lessee shall, at any time, be made by the lessee or by any person or persons whomsoever.

The remaining terms and conditions of the lease shall be similar to those contained in leases of wharf property now used by the Department of Docks and Ferries, copies of which may be seen and examined at the office of the Department, Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North River, Borough of Manhattan.  
CALVIN TOMKINS, Commissioner of Docks.  
December 17, 1912. d18,31

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES, PIER "A," FOOT OF BATTERY PLACE, NORTH RIVER, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.  
JOSEPH P. DAY, AUCTIONEER, WILL sell, on behalf of the Department of Docks and Ferries, at public auction, to the highest bidder, on

MONDAY, DECEMBER 23, 1912, at 12 o'clock noon, at Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North River, the herein detailed privilege to be exercised under and according to the terms, conditions and limitations of agreement with the Commissioner of Docks, which is entered into as hereinafter required, for a term beginning on January 1, 1913, and continuing up to noon on May 1, 1915, a period of two years and four months, to wit:

Upset price, \$6,000 per annum.  
The privilege of operating a boot-blacking business on the municipal ferries of the Staten Island Ferry and in the terminals of said ferry at St. George, in the Borough of Richmond, and at the foot of Whitehall st., in the Borough of Manhattan.

This privilege will allow the bootblacks on all parts of the boats and in the terminals of the said ferry under such restrictions as the Commissioner of Docks shall make, but in no case will the bootblacks be permitted to solicit trade.

GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS.

1. All bidding shall be upon the basis of an aggregate per annum fee or compensation to The City of New York for the privilege, which shall be payable quarterly in advance in equal sums on the first day of May, August, November and February, respectively, the Cashier of the Department of Docks and Ferries, except that the successful bidder will be required at the time of sale to pay one-third of the per annum fee or compensation at which the privilege is knocked down to cover the first four months of the term to May 1, 1913.

2. The successful bidder will be allowed the privilege of subletting any portion or portions of the privilege, subject, however, to consent thereto in writing being first obtained from the Commissioner of Docks. The subletting of any portion of the privilege without having first obtained the consent of the Commissioner of Docks in writing thereto shall at once subject the successful bidder to forfeiture of the privilege held by him, at the election of the Commissioner of Docks, who, in the event of any such forfeiture, shall then have the power at any time during the term of the privilege to revoke and cancel the permit for the exercise thereof and to resell such privilege and the successful bidder so forfeiting the privilege shall be liable to The City of New York for any deficiency resulting from such resale.

3. The successful bidder on the privilege will be required to

(a) Pay at the time of the sale the Auctioneer's fee of \$50.  
(b) Enter into a written agreement at the time of the sale with the Commissioner of Docks to comply with the terms, conditions and limitations of the permit issued to him by the Commissioner of Docks, blank forms of which agreement are on file for examination at the office of the Secretary of the Department of Docks and Ferries.

(c) Pay to the Department of Docks and Ferries at the time of the sale one-third of the amount of the annual fee or compensation to be paid to The City of New York for the privilege as security for carrying into effect the terms of the sale, which one-third will be applied to the payment of the installment of such fee or compensation first accruing under said agreement when executed, namely, for the four months to May 1, 1913, or will be forfeited to The City of New York as liquidated damages if the successful bidder neglects or refuses to execute the agreement with good and sufficient bond or obligation of a surety company, authorized by law to act as surety, in the sum of the upset annual fee or compensation herein specified, namely, \$5,000, to be approved by the Commissioner of Docks, for the faithful performance of the terms and conditions thereof, within five days after being notified that the agreement is prepared and ready for execution at the office of the Department of Docks and Ferries, Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North River.

4. The Commissioner of Docks expressly reserves the right to

(a) Revoke, cancel and annul any permit issued to or agreement made with any successful bidder at this sale who shall fail or neglect to observe, keep and perform any of the terms, conditions or limitations of such permit or agreement.

(b) Resell the privilege where the successful bidder fails, refuses or neglects to comply with the terms and conditions herein contained, the parties so failing, refusing or neglecting to be liable to The City of New York for any deficiency resulting from or caused by such resale.

(c) Reject any or all bids if in his judgment he deems it for the best interests of The City of New York so to do. No person will be accepted as a successful bidder who is delinquent on any form of contract with the Department of Docks and Ferries or with The City of New York. No bid will be received from any person who is in arrears to the Department of Docks and Ferries or to The City of New York upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter of surety or otherwise upon any obligation to the Department of Docks and Ferries or to The City of New York.

CALVIN TOMKINS, Commissioner of Docks.  
Dated New York, December 13, 1912. d16,23

#### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, FOOT OF E. 26TH ST., NEW YORK.

##### TO CONTRACTORS.

#### PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Department of Public Charities at the above office until 2.30 o'clock p. m. on

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 27, 1912, FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING MEAT, POULTRY, FLOUR AND ICE.

The time for the performance of the contract is during the year 1913.

The amount of security required is fifty (50) per cent. of the amount of the bid or estimate. 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 made to the lowest bidder on each line or item, 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 and further information may be obtained at the office of the Department, foot of E. 26th st., Borough of Manhattan.

MICHAEL J. DRUMMOND, Commissioner.  
Dated December 14, 1912. d16,27

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, FOOT OF E. 26TH ST., NEW YORK.

##### TO CONTRACTORS.

#### PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Department of Public Charities at the above office until 2.30 o'clock p. m. on

MONDAY, DECEMBER 23, 1912, FOR THE TRANSPORTATION AND BURIAL OF PAUPER DEAD IN THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time for the performance of the contract is during the year 1913.

The amount of security required is Four Hundred Dollars (\$400).

Certified check or cash in the sum of Twenty Dollars (\$20) must accompany bid.

The bidder will state the price for the burial of each body, by which the bids will be tested. The bids will be read from the total and award made to the lowest bidder.

MICHAEL J. DRUMMOND, Commissioner.  
Dated December 10, 1912. d12,23

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, FOOT OF E. 26TH ST., NEW YORK.

#### BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS.

##### TO CONTRACTORS.

#### PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Department of Public Charities at the above office until 2.30 o'clock p. m. on

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 20, 1912.

1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE ERECTION AND COMPLETION OF PSYCHOPATHIC WARD, OBSERVATION BUILDING, KINGS COUNTY HOSPITAL, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

2. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE COMPLETION OF THE PLUMBING AND GAS FITTING WORK OF PSYCHOPATHIC WARD, OBSERVATION BUILDING, KINGS COUNTY HOSPITAL, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

3. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE COMPLETION OF THE HEATING AND VACUUM CLEANING WORK OF PSYCHOPATHIC WARD, OBSERVATION BUILDING, KINGS COUNTY HOSPITAL, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed for doing and completing the work will be one hundred and seventy-five (175) consecutive working days on each contract.

The security required will be Thirty-five Thousand Dollars (\$35,000) on Contract No. 1; Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000) on Contract No. 2, and Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000) on Contract No. 3.

A deposit of five per cent. (5%) of the amount of security required on each contract, in cash or certified check, must accompany each bid.

Bids will be compared and the contract separately awarded to the lowest bidder on Propositions 1, 2 and 3.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of Frank J. Helmle, Architect, 190 Montague st., Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, where plans and specifications may be seen.

MICHAEL J. DRUMMOND, Commissioner.  
Dated December 7, 1912. d19,20

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

#### COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

THE COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, 139TH ST. AND ST. NICHOLAS TERRACE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Board of Trustees of the College of The City of New York at 17 Lexington ave. until 1 p. m. on

MONDAY, DECEMBER 23, 1912, FOR PRINTING.

The time for the performance of the contract is sixty (60) calendar days after the execution of the contract.

The amount of security shall be thirty per cent. (30%) of the amount of the contract, except as otherwise provided in the specifications. Bids will be received on any or all items per thousand, page, hundred or other unit of measurement by which the bids will be tested. The bids will be compared and the awards made, if made, by items.

A copy of the contract and specifications, bid sheet and envelope in which to inclose the bid may be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Curator of the College, Room 114, Main Building, The College of The City of New York, 139th st. and St. Nicholas terrace, Borough of Manhattan, The City of New York.

THEODORE F. MILLER, Chairman; JAMES W. HYDE, Secretary; BERNARD M. BARUCH, FREDERICK P. BELLAMY, JAMES BYRNE, WM. HENRY CORBITT, LEE KOHNS, WILLIAM F. MCCOMBS, MOSES J. STROOCK, EGERTON L. WINTHROP, JR., Board of Trustees.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, December 12, 1912. d12,23

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

THE COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, 139TH ST. AND ST. NICHOLAS TERRACE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Board of Trustees of the College of The City of New York at 17 Lexington ave. until 1 p. m. on

MONDAY, DECEMBER 23, 1912, FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING SUPPLIES AS FOLLOWS:

CLASS B—CHEMICAL APPARATUS.

The time allowed for the delivery of the supplies herein scheduled and for the performance of the contract is 180 calendar days for importations and 60 calendar days for domestic supplies after the execution of the contract.

The amount of security shall be thirty per cent. (30%) of the amount of the contract, except as otherwise provided in the specifications.

Bids will be received on any or all items per pound, dozen, gross or other unit of measurement by which the bids will be tested. The bids will be compared and the awards made, if made, by items.

Bidders must submit their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the Board of Trustees. A copy of this form with an envelope in which to enclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract and specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, may be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Curator, Room 114, Main Building, The College of The City of New York, 139th st. and St. Nicholas terrace, Borough of Manhattan.

THEODORE F. MILLER, Chairman; JAMES W. HYDE, Secretary; BERNARD M. BARUCH, FREDERICK P. BELLAMY, JAMES BYRNE, WM. HENRY CORBITT, LEE KOHNS, WILLIAM F. MCCOMBS, MOSES J. STROOCK, EGERTON L. WINTHROP, JR., Board of Trustees.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, December 12, 1912. d12,23

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

#### POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, CENTRAL DEPARTMENT, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Police Commissioner of the Police Department of The City of New York, at the Bookkeeper's Office, Headquarters of the Police Department, 240 Centre st., Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, until 10 o'clock a. m. on

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 22, 1912, FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND FURNISHING AND ERECTING ALL THE MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR ELECTRICAL CONDUCTORS AND PLACING ELECTRICAL CONDUCTORS UNDERGROUND.

The time allowed for making and completing the work will be ninety (90) calendar days after the execution of the contract, the endorsement thereon of his certificate by the Comptroller, and the receipt by the contractor of a written order to deliver from the Police Commissioner.

The security required will be fifty (50) per cent. of the amount of the bid or estimate. The bids will be compared and award of contract, if made, made to the lowest bidder for all the articles, materials or supplies specified and contained in the specifications and schedules.

The bidder will state the price for which he will do all the work, and provide, furnish and deliver all the labor and materials mentioned and described in said contract and specifications.

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

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the Commissioner, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner, and any further information can be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Telegraph, Headquarters of the Police Department, 240 Centre st., Borough of Manhattan.

R. WALDO, Police Commissioner.  
The City of New York, December 14, 1912. d16,28

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POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, CENTRAL DEPARTMENT, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Police Commissioner of the Police Department of The City of New York, at the Bookkeeper's office, Headquarters of the Police Department, 240 Centre st., Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, until 10 o'clock a. m. on

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 27, 1912, FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING TWO AUTOMOBILES.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is forty (40) days from the date of the execution thereof, the endorsement thereon of his certificate by the Comptroller, and the receipt by the contractor of a written order to deliver from the Police Commissioner.

The amount of security required will be fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of the bid or estimate.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules, per pound, ton, dozen, gallon, yard or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total for each item, and the Police Commissioner will award the contract to the lowest bidder on each item for all the articles, materials or supplies specified and contained in the specifications and schedules.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the Commissioner, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner, and any further information can be obtained at the office of the Bureau of Repairs and Supplies, Headquarters of the Police Department, 240 Centre st., Borough of Manhattan.

R. WALDO, Police Commissioner.  
The City of New York, December 13, 1912. d14,27

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, OFFICE OF THE PROPERTY CLERK, December 5, 1912.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the 144th public auction sale, UNCLAIMED BOATS, will be held at the foot of E. 120th st., Borough of Manhattan, on Monday, December 23, 1912, at 11 a. m.

R. WALDO, Police Commissioner. d11,23

POLICE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK. OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY

Clerk of the Police Department of The City of New York, No. 240 Centre street, for the following property now in custody, without claimants: Boats, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, wine, blankets, diamonds, canned goods, liquors, etc.; also small amount of money taken from prisoners and found by Patrolmen of this Department.

R. WALDO, Police Commissioner.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF CITY OF NEW YORK, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY Clerk of the Police Department of The City of New York—Office, No. 269 State street, Bor-



ough of Brooklyn—for the following property, now in custody, without claimants: Boats, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, wine, blankets, diamonds, canned goods, liquors, etc.; also small amount of money taken from prisoners and found by Patrolmen of this Department.

R. WALDO, Police Commissioner.

### BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY HALL, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.  
SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Manhattan at the offices, Commissioner of Public Works, Room 1836, 21 Park row, until 2 o'clock p. m. on

**THURSDAY, DECEMBER 26, 1912.**  
No. 1. ITEM A—FURNISHING AND INSTALLING NON-RETURN BOILER STOP VALVES ON FIVE BOILERS IN HALL OF RECORDS BUILDING, 29 CHAMBERS ST.  
Item B—FURNISHING AND INSTALLING TRIPLE ACTING BOILER STOP VALVES ON FIVE BOILERS IN HALL OF RECORDS BUILDING, 29 CHAMBERS ST.  
The time allowed for the completion of the work will be thirty (30) consecutive calendar working days.

The amount of security required will be Four Hundred Dollars (\$400), and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five per cent. (5%) of the amount of security.  
The bidder will state one aggregate price for each item A and B as described and specified.  
The bids will be compared and the contract awarded to the lowest bidder of the item selected or determined upon.

No. 2. FOR ALL LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR CLEANING ALL THE GLASS IN ALL WINDOWS, DOORS, DOMES AND SKYLIGHTS OF THE VARIOUS PUBLIC BUILDINGS, COURTS AND OFFICES UNDER THE CARE OF THE PRESIDENT BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, DURING THE YEAR 1913.

The time allowed for the completion of the contract will be until December 31, 1913. The amount of security required will be Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000), and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five per cent. (5%) of the amount of security.

The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.  
Blank forms, specifications and plans may be obtained at the office of the Auditor, offices of the Commissioner of Public Works, eighteenth floor, 13 to 21 Park row, Borough of Manhattan.  
GEORGE McANENY, President.  
December 14, 1912. d14,26

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

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY HALL, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.  
SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Manhattan at the offices, Commissioner of Public Works, Room 1836, 21 Park row, until 2 o'clock p. m. on

**THURSDAY, DECEMBER 26, 1912.**  
FOR FURNISHING, DELIVERING AND ERECTING 900 ENAMEL STREET SIGNS WITH CONTAINER AT VARIOUS PLACES IN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.  
The time allowed for the completion of the work will be one hundred (100) consecutive calendar working days.

The amount of security required will be Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000), and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five (5) per cent. of the amount of security.

The bidder will state one aggregate price for the whole work described and specified as the contract is entire and for a complete job.  
The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum to the lowest bidder.

Blank forms, specifications and plans may be obtained at the office of the Auditor, offices of the Commissioner of Public Works, Room 1807, 21 Park row, Borough of Manhattan.  
GEORGE McANENY, President.  
City of New York, December 13, 1912. d14,26

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

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY HALL, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.  
SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Manhattan at the offices, Commissioner of Public Works, Room 1836, 21 Park row, until 2 o'clock p. m. on

**FRIDAY, DECEMBER 20, 1912.**  
NO. 1. FOR ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR ALTERATIONS AND THE CONSTRUCTION OF A WIMMING POOL AND ADDITIONS TO THE PUBLIC BATH BUILDING AT NO. 324 RIVINGTON ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

Item 1. An aggregate price for the entire work as called for in contract "A."

Item 2. An aggregate price for the entire work as called for in contract "B," using marble as specified on page 29 of the specifications.

Item 3. An aggregate price for the entire work as called for in contract "C," using artificial marble, as specified on page 29 of the specifications.

Item 4. An aggregate price for the entire work as called for in contract "C," using marble, as specified on page 29 of the specifications.

Item 5. An aggregate price for the entire work as called for in contract "C," using artificial marble as specified on page 29 of the specifications.

Bidders will state a price for each item, as described and specified. The contract will be awarded to the lowest bidder of the item selected or determined upon.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be one hundred and fifty (150) consecutive calendar working days.

The amount of security required will be Seven Thousand Dollars (\$7,000), and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five per cent. (5%) of the amount of security.

No. 2. FOR ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE INSTALLATION AND ALTERATIONS TO THE HEATING AND VENTILATING SYSTEMS OF THE PUBLIC BATH BUILDING, 324 RIVINGTON ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

Item 1. An aggregate price for the entire work as called for in contract "A," of the specifications.

Item 2. An aggregate price for the entire work as called for in contract "B" of the specifications.

Item 3. An aggregate price for the entire work as called for in contract "C" of the specifications.

work will be one hundred (100) consecutive calendar working days.

The amount of security required will be One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000), and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five per cent. (5%) of the amount of security.

No. 3. FOR ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE INSTALLATION AND ALTERATIONS TO THE PLUMBING AND DRAINAGE SYSTEMS OF THE PUBLIC BATH BUILDING, 324 RIVINGTON ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

Item 1. An aggregate price for the entire work as called for in contract "A" of the specifications.

Item 2. An aggregate price for the entire work as called for in contract "B" of the specifications.

Item 3. An aggregate price for the entire work as called for in contract "C" of the specifications.

Bidders will state a price for each item as described and specified. The contract will be awarded to the lowest bidder of the item selected or determined upon.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be one hundred (100) consecutive calendar working days.

The amount of security required will be Four Thousand Dollars (\$4,000), and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid will be five per cent. (5%) of the amount of security.

Blank forms and specifications and plans may be obtained at the office of the architects, Charles G. Armstrong & Son, 149 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.  
GEORGE McANENY, President.  
City of New York, December 9, 1912. d9,20

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

### BELLEVUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS.

BELLEVUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS DEPARTMENT OF NEW YORK CITY, 26TH ST. AND 1ST AVE., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.  
SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Board of Trustees in the Staff Room of Bellevue Hospital (entrance, 415 E. 26th st.), until 3 o'clock p. m. on

**THURSDAY, DECEMBER 26, 1912.**  
FOR SPECIFICATION NO. 3—MISCELLANEOUS ENGINEERS' SUPPLIES, OILS, GREASES AND LUBRICANTS, PAINTS, OILS, VARNISHES AND PAINTERS' MATERIALS; LUMBER, BUILDING MATERIALS, ETC.; VALVES AND PIPE FITTINGS, SOLDER AND ELECTRICAL SUPPLIES.

The time for the delivery of the supplies and the full performance of the contract is during the year 1913.

SPECIFICATION NO. 4—COAL (3 MONTHS ONLY).  
The time for the delivery of the above supplies is on or before March 31, 1913.

The surety required will be not less than fifty (50) per cent. of the amount of the bid or estimate.

The bidder will state the price per pound, quart, dozen, foot, ton 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 will be compared, and awards made to the lowest bidder on each line or class, as stated in the specifications, as soon thereafter as practicable, according to law.

Bids must be submitted in duplicate, each 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 Contract Clerk (entrance, No. 400 E. 29th st., Borough of Manhattan).  
BOARD OF TRUSTEES, BELLEVUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS.  
By JOHN W. BRANNAN, President.  
Dated December 9, 1912. d13,26

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

BELLEVUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS DEPARTMENT OF NEW YORK CITY, 26TH ST. AND 1ST AVE., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Board of Trustees in the Staff Room of Bellevue Hospital (entrance, 415 E. 26th st.) until 3 o'clock p. m. on

**FRIDAY, DECEMBER 20, 1912.**  
NO. 1. FOR PROVIDING ALL LABOR AND MATERIALS NECESSARY OR REQUIRED FOR THE EXCAVATION, MASONRY, CARPENTRY, ORNAMENTAL IRON WORK, STRUCTURAL STEEL AND IRON WORK, METAL WORK, AND ROOFING, ELECTRIC WORK, ELEVATOR WORK, REFRIGERATING, PAINTING, HARDWARE, VACUUM SWEEPING, AND OTHER WORK AS SET FORTH IN THE DRAWINGS AND SPECIFICATIONS FOR THE CONSTRUCTION AND COMPLETION OF A NEW WARD WING EXTENSION TO THE HARLEM HOSPITAL, 136TH, 137TH ST. AND LENOX AVE., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time allowed for doing and completing all the work included under this contract will be not more than three hundred (300) consecutive calendar days from date of mailing notice that the Comptroller has attached his signature to the contract.

The surety required will be Seventy-six Thousand Dollars (\$76,000).

No. 2. FOR PROVIDING ALL LABOR AND MATERIALS NECESSARY OR REQUIRED FOR STEAM HEATING AND VENTILATING WORK AS SET FORTH IN THE DRAWINGS AND SPECIFICATIONS FOR A NEW WARD WING EXTENSION TO THE HARLEM HOSPITAL, 136TH, 137TH ST. AND LENOX AVE., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time allowed for doing and completing all the work included under this contract will be not more than two hundred and seventy (270) consecutive calendar days from date of mailing notice that the Comptroller has attached his signature to the contract.

The surety required will be Twelve Thousand Dollars (\$12,000).

No. 3. FOR PROVIDING ALL LABOR AND MATERIALS NECESSARY OR REQUIRED FOR PLUMBING AND GAS-FITTING WORK AS SET FORTH IN THE DRAWINGS AND SPECIFICATIONS FOR A NEW WARD WING EXTENSION TO THE HARLEM HOSPITAL, 136TH, 137TH ST. AND LENOX AVE., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time allowed for doing and completing all the work included under this contract will be not more than two hundred and seventy (270) consecutive calendar days from date of mailing notice that the Comptroller has attached his signature to the contract.

The surety required will be Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000).

The bids will be compared and the contracts

awarded as soon thereafter as practicable, according to law.

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Contract Clerk, entrance 400 E. 29th st., Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES, BELLEVUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS.  
By JOHN W. BRANNAN, President.  
Dated December 7, 1912. d10,20

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

BELLEVUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS, DEPARTMENT OF NEW YORK CITY, 26TH ST. AND 1ST AVE., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Board of Trustees in the Staff Room of Bellevue Hospital (entrance, 415 E. 26th st.), until 3 o'clock p. m. on

**FRIDAY, DECEMBER 20, 1912.**  
FOR SPECIFICATION NO. 1—FRESH MEATS, FRESH KOSHER MEATS, FRESH FISH, MILK AND CREAM, POULTRY, BREAD AND ROLLS, FRUITS AND VEGETABLES, HAY, OATS AND STRAW, ICE, DOCTORS' UNIFORMS, OPERATING GOWNS, AND OPERATING SUITS, X-RAY PLATES, X-RAY TUBES, PHOTOGRAPHIC PRINTING PAPER.

FOR SPECIFICATION NO. 2—TEAS AND COFFEES, DAIRY PRODUCTS, BOTTLED AND CANNED GOODS, DRIED FRUITS, MISCELLANEOUS GROCERIES, FARINACEOUS FOODS, PROVISIONS, SOAPS OF ALL KINDS, BOM AML, SODAS, POWDERS, ETC., DRY GOODS, NOTIONS, ETC. (6 MONTHS ONLY); RUBBER GOODS, BOOTS, SHEETS AND COATS, GLASSWARE, CHINAWARE AND CROCKERY, ENAMELWARE, WOODENWARE AND KITCHEN UTENSILS, MOP WRINGERS AND MOPS, HARDWARE, CORDAGE, MISCELLANEOUS TOILET ARTICLES, ETC., STABLE SUPPLIES, SADDLERY, ETC.

The time for the delivery of the supplies and the full performance of the contract is during the year 1913.

The surety required will be not less than fifty (50) per cent. of the amount of the bid or estimate.

The bidder will state the price per pound, quart, dozen, foot 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 will be compared, and awards made to the lowest bidder on each line or class, as stated in the specifications, as soon thereafter as practicable, according to law.

Bids must be submitted in duplicate, each 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 Contract Clerk, entrance No. 400 E. 29th st., Borough of Manhattan.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES, BELLEVUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS.  
By JOHN W. BRANNAN, President.  
Dated December 9, 1912. d10,20

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

### DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Bridges at the above office until 2 o'clock p. m. on

**THURSDAY, DECEMBER 19, 1912.**  
FOR THE IMPROVEMENT OF THE MANHATTAN PLAZA OF THE MANHATTAN BRIDGE.

The contractor will be required to begin work within five days of the date of certification of the contract by the Comptroller of the City of New York, and will be required to complete the entire work to the satisfaction of the Commissioner and in accordance with the plans and specifications within four hundred (400) consecutive working days.

In case the contractor shall fail to complete the work within the time aforesaid, he shall pay to the City of New York the sum of Two Hundred Dollars (\$200) for each and every calendar day the time consumed in said performance and completion may exceed the time allowed.

The amount of security to guarantee the faithful performance of the work will be Two Hundred and Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$250,000).  
The right is reserved by the Commissioner to reject all the bids should he deem it to the interest of the City so to do.

Blank forms and specifications may be obtained at the office of the Department of Bridges.  
ARTHUR J. O'KEEFE, Commissioner.  
Dated November 20, 1912. n22,d19

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

### DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

MAIN OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING, ROOM 1403, NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning at the above office until 12 o'clock m. on

**FRIDAY, DECEMBER 20, 1912.**  
Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx and Brooklyn.

No. 1. CONTRACT FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING IRON AND STEEL.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before November 30, 1913.

The amount of security required is fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of the bid or estimate.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per pound, per hundred pounds, ton, dozen, gallon, yard or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total for each class and awards made to the lowest bidder on each class. Bids must be submitted in duplicate, each in a separate envelope. No bid will be accepted unless this provision is complied with.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Department of Street Cleaning, the Borough of Manhattan, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row.  
WM. H. EDWARDS, Commissioner of Street Cleaning.  
Dated December 6, 1912. d9,20

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

MAIN OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING, ROOM 1403, NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning at the above office until 12 o'clock m. on

**FRIDAY, DECEMBER 20, 1912.**  
Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx and Brooklyn.

No. 2. CONTRACT FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING LUMBER.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before December 31, 1913.

The amount of security required is fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of the bid or estimate.

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

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Department of Street Cleaning, the Borough of Manhattan, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row.  
WM. H. EDWARDS, Commissioner of Street Cleaning.  
Dated December 6, 1912. d9,20

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

MAIN OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING, ROOM 1403, NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning at the above office until 12 o'clock m. on

**FRIDAY, DECEMBER 20, 1912.**  
Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx and Brooklyn.

No. 1. CONTRACT FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING COAL FOR HEATING PURPOSES.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before June 30, 1913.

The amount of security required is fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of the bid or estimate.

The bidder will state the price per gross ton of 2,240 pounds avoirdupois contained in the specifications annexed by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total for each class and awards made to the lowest bidder on each class, each of the Boroughs constituting a class.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Department of Street Cleaning, the Borough of Manhattan, 13 to 21 Park row.  
WM. H. EDWARDS, Commissioner of Street Cleaning.  
Dated December 6, 1912. d9,20

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

MAIN OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING, ROOM 1403, NOS. 13 TO 21 PARK ROW, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning at the above office until 12 o'clock m. on

**FRIDAY, DECEMBER 20, 1912.**  
Borough of Brooklyn.

No. 1. CONTRACT FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR SHOEING HORSES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING IN THE STABLES OF THAT DEPARTMENT, IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The amount of security required is Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000).

No. 2. CONTRACT FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR SHOEING HORSES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING IN THE STABLES OF THAT DEPARTMENT, IN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The amount of security required is Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000).

No. 3. CONTRACT FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR SHOEING HORSES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING IN THE STABLES OF THAT DEPARTMENT, IN THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

The amount of security required is Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000).

These contracts shall be for the period beginning on the first day of the month next succeeding their execution and delivery and ending on the 31st day of December, 1913.

The award of the contracts will be made, if made, to the lowest bidder at prices per draft horse and driving horse for the whole number of draft horses and driving horses in each of the Boroughs which for the purpose of the award of these contracts are estimated to be: For the Borough of Manhattan, 1,404 draft horses and 80 driving horses; for the Borough of the Bronx, 270 draft horses, 14 driving horses; Borough of Brooklyn, 902 draft horses, 45 driving horses.

These horses are distributed in stables as follows: 12 stables in Manhattan, 3 stables in The Bronx, 8 stables in Brooklyn.



### Borough of The Bronx.

#### No. 3. CONTRACT FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FORAGE.

The time for the delivery of the articles and the performance of the contract is by or before March 31, 1913.

The amount of security required is fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of bid or estimate.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per pound, per hundred pounds, ton, dozen, gallon, yard or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total for each contract and awards made to the lowest bidder on each contract.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Department of Street Cleaning, the Borough of Manhattan, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row.

WM. H. EDWARDS, Commissioner.

Dated December 7, 1912. d9,20

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

### DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, SOUTHWEST CORNER OF CENTRE AND WALKER STS., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Board of Health of the Department of Health until 10.30 o'clock a. m. on

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 31, 1912.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING, AS REQUIRED, STOCK FRUITS AND VEGETABLES AND FRESH FRUITS AND VEGETABLES TO THE HOSPITALS AND THE CHILDREN'S CLINICS, THE RESEARCH LABORATORY AND THE TUBERCULOSIS DAY CAMPS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, CITY OF NEW YORK, IN THE VARIOUS BOROUGHES, AND THE TUBERCULOSIS SANATORIUM AT OTISVILLE, ORANGE COUNTY, NEW YORK, AS NOTED IN THE SCHEDULE, OR SUCH OTHER PLACE OR PLACES AS MAY BE SPECIFIED IN WRITING BY THE BOARD OF HEALTH DURING THE YEAR 1913.

The time for the delivery of the supplies and the performance of the contract is during the year 1913.

The amount of security required is fifty (50) per cent. of the amount of the bid.

Bids will be compared and the contract awarded to the lowest bidder for each class complete. Bids must be submitted in duplicate, each 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, southwest corner of Centre and Walker sts., Borough of Manhattan.

ERNST J. LEDERLE, Ph.D., President; JOSEPH J. O'CONNELL, M.D., RHINE-LANDER WALDO, Board of Health.

Dated December 19, 1912. d19,31

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

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, SOUTHWEST CORNER OF CENTRE AND WALKER STS., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Board of Health of the Department of Health until 10.30 o'clock a. m. on

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 31, 1912.

FOR FURNISHING ALL LABOR AND MATERIALS NECESSARY OR REQUIRED TO FURNISH, ALTER, ERECT AND COMPLETE FIRE ESCAPES AND SOLARIUMS ON THE SCARLET FEVER PAVILION, "A" AT THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF THE BUILDING, "B" AT THE NORTHEAST AND NORTHWEST CORNERS AND AT THE REAR OF THE BUILDING, TOGETHER WITH ALL REPAIRING AND OTHER WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO, ON THE GROUNDS OF THE WILLARD PARKER HOSPITAL, AT THE FOOT OF E. 16TH ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time for the delivery of the supplies and the performance of the contract is sixty (60) consecutive working days on Bid A and ninety (90) consecutive working days on Bid B.

The amount of security required is fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of the bid.

Bids will be compared and the contract awarded to the lowest bidder for Classes A and B.

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

ERNST J. LEDERLE, Ph.D., President; JOSEPH J. O'CONNELL, M.D., RHINE-LANDER WALDO, Board of Health.

Dated December 19, 1912. d19,31

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, SOUTHWEST CORNER OF CENTRE AND WALKER STS., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Board of Health of the Department of Health until 10.30 o'clock a. m. on

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 31, 1912.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING, AS REQUIRED, RAW AND PASTEURIZED MILK, CONDENSED MILK, CREAM AND BUTTERMILK TO THE HOSPITALS, CHILDREN'S CLINICS AND TUBERCULOSIS DAY CAMPS LOCATED IN THE VARIOUS BOROUGHES OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, AND TO THE TUBERCULOSIS SANATORIUM AT OTISVILLE, ORANGE COUNTY, NEW YORK, DURING THE YEAR 1913.

The time for the delivery of the supplies and the performance of the contract is during the year 1913.

The amount of security required is fifty (50) per cent. of the amount of the bid.

Bids will be compared and the contract awarded to the lowest bidder for each class complete. Bids must be submitted in duplicate, each 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, southwest corner of Centre and Walker sts., Borough of Manhattan.

ERNST J. LEDERLE, Ph.D., President; JOSEPH J. O'CONNELL, M.D., RHINE-LANDER WALDO, Board of Health.

Dated December 19, 1912. d19,31

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

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, SOUTHWEST CORNER OF CENTRE AND WALKER STS., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Board of Health of the Department of Health until 10.30 o'clock a. m. on

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 31, 1912.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING, AS REQUIRED, BREAD, FISH AND MINERAL WATERS, TO THE HOSPITALS, CHILDREN'S CLINICS AND THE TUBERCULOSIS DAY CAMPS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, CITY OF NEW YORK, IN THE VARIOUS BOROUGHES, AND THE TUBER-

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 31, 1912.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS NECESSARY OR REQUIRED TO FURNISH AND INSTALL ELECTRIC AND GAS LIGHTING FIXTURES, ETC., TOGETHER WITH ALL NECESSARY ALTERATIONS AND OTHER WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO, FOR TWO CONCRETE TAVILIONS, ON THE GROUNDS OF THE RIVERSIDE HOSPITAL, AT NORTH BROTHER ISLAND, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is sixty-five (65) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required is fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of the bid.

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

Blank forms and plans for the above work and further information may be obtained at the office of the Chief Clerk of the Department of Health, southwest corner of Centre and Walker sts., Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

ERNST J. LEDERLE, Ph.D., President;

JOSEPH J. O'CONNELL, M.D., RHINE-LANDER WALDO, Board of Health.

Dated December 19, 1912. d19,31

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

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, SOUTHWEST CORNER OF CENTRE AND WALKER STS., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Board of Health of the Department of Health until 10.30 o'clock a. m. on

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 24, 1912.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING, AS REQUIRED, STOCK FRUITS AND VEGETABLES AND FRESH FRUITS AND VEGETABLES TO THE HOSPITALS AND THE CHILDREN'S CLINICS, THE RESEARCH LABORATORY AND THE TUBERCULOSIS DAY CAMPS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, CITY OF NEW YORK, IN THE VARIOUS BOROUGHES, AND THE TUBERCULOSIS SANATORIUM AT OTISVILLE, ORANGE COUNTY, NEW YORK, DURING THE YEAR 1913.

The time for the delivery of the supplies and the performance of the contract is during the year 1913.

The amount of security required is fifty (50) per cent. of the amount of the bid.

Bids will be compared and the contract awarded to the lowest bidder for each class complete.

Bids must be submitted in duplicate, each 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, southwest corner of Centre and Walker sts., Borough of Manhattan.

ERNST J. LEDERLE, Ph.D., President; JOSEPH J. O'CONNELL, M.D., RHINE-LANDER WALDO, Board of Health.

Dated December 12, 1912. d13,24

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

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, SOUTHWEST CORNER OF CENTRE AND WALKER STS., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Board of Health of the Department of Health until 10.30 o'clock a. m. on

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 24, 1912.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING, AS REQUIRED, FRESH MEATS, SMOKED MEATS AND POULTRY, TO THE WILLARD PARKER, RECEPTION, RIVERSIDE AND KINGSTON AVENUE HOSPITALS, THE TUBERCULOSIS DAY CAMPS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, CITY OF NEW YORK, IN THE VARIOUS BOROUGHES, AND THE TUBERCULOSIS SANATORIUM AT OTISVILLE, ORANGE CO., N. Y., AS NOTED IN THE SCHEDULE, OR SUCH OTHER PLACE OR PLACES AS MAY BE SPECIFIED IN WRITING BY THE BOARD OF HEALTH FROM JANUARY 1 TO JUNE 30, 1913.

The time for the delivery of the supplies and the performance of the contract is from January 1 to June 30, 1913.

The amount of security required is fifty (50) per cent. of the amount of the bid.

Bids will be compared and the contract awarded to the lowest bidder for each class complete. Bids must be submitted in duplicate, each 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, southwest corner of Centre and Walker sts., Borough of Manhattan.

ERNST J. LEDERLE, Ph.D., President; JOSEPH J. O'CONNELL, M.D., RHINE-LANDER WALDO, Board of Health.

Dated December 12, 1912. d13,24

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, SOUTHWEST CORNER OF CENTRE AND WALKER STS., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Board of Health of the Department of Health until 10.30 o'clock a. m. on

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 24, 1912.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING, AS REQUIRED, RABBITS, TO THE RESEARCH LABORATORY, FOOT OF E. 16TH ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK, DURING THE YEAR 1913.

The time for the delivery of the supplies and the performance of the contract is during the year 1913.

The amount of security required is fifty (50) per cent. of the amount of the bid.

Bids will be compared and the contract awarded to the lowest bidder for the contract complete.

Bids must be submitted in duplicate, each 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, southwest corner of Centre and Walker sts., Borough of Manhattan.

ERNST J. LEDERLE, Ph.D., President; JOSEPH J. O'CONNELL, M.D., RHINE-LANDER WALDO, Board of Health.

Dated December 12, 1912. d13,24

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, SOUTHWEST CORNER OF CENTRE AND WALKER STS., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Board of Health of the Department of Health until 10.30 o'clock a. m. on

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 24, 1912.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING, AS REQUIRED, BREAD, FISH AND MINERAL WATERS, TO THE HOSPITALS, CHILDREN'S CLINICS AND THE TUBERCULOSIS DAY CAMPS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, CITY OF NEW YORK, IN THE VARIOUS BOROUGHES, AND THE TUBER-

CULOSIS SANATORIUM AT OTISVILLE, ORANGE COUNTY, NEW YORK, AS NOTED IN THE SCHEDULE, OR SUCH OTHER PLACE OR PLACES AS MAY BE SPECIFIED IN WRITING BY THE BOARD OF HEALTH DURING THE YEAR 1913.

The time for the delivery of the supplies and the performance of the contract is during the year 1913.

The amount of security required is fifty (50) per cent. of the amount of the bid.

Bids will be compared and the contract awarded to the lowest bidder for each class complete.

Bids must be submitted in duplicate, each 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, southwest corner of Centre and Walker sts., Borough of Manhattan.

ERNST J. LEDERLE, Ph.D., President; JOSEPH J. O'CONNELL, M.D., RHINE-LANDER WALDO, Board of Health.

Dated December 12, 1912. d13,24

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

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, SOUTHWEST CORNER OF CENTRE AND WALKER STS., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Board of Health of the Department of Health until 10.30 o'clock a. m. on

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 24, 1912.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING, AS REQUIRED, BUTTER, CHEESE AND EGGS TO THE HOSPITALS, CHILDREN'S CLINICS AND THE TUBERCULOSIS DAY CAMPS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, CITY OF NEW YORK, IN THE VARIOUS BOROUGHES, AND THE TUBER-

CULOSIS SANATORIUM AT OTISVILLE, ORANGE COUNTY, N. Y., AS NOTED IN THE SCHEDULE, OR SUCH OTHER PLACE OR PLACES AS MAY BE SPECIFIED IN WRITING BY THE BOARD OF HEALTH DURING THE YEAR 1913.

The time for the delivery of the supplies and the performance of the contract is during the year 1913.

The amount of security required is fifty (50) per cent. of the amount of the bid.

Bids will be compared and the contract awarded to the lowest bidder for each class.

Bids must be submitted in duplicate, each 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, southwest corner of Centre and Walker sts., Borough of Manhattan.

ERNST J. LEDERLE, Ph.D., President; JOSEPH J. O'CONNELL, M.D., RHINE-LANDER WALDO, Board of Health.

Dated December 12, 1912. d13,24

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

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, SOUTHWEST CORNER OF CENTRE AND WALKER STS., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Board of Health of the Department of Health until 10.30 o'clock a. m. on

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 24, 1912.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING, AS REQUIRED, BUTTER, CHEESE AND EGGS TO THE HOSPITALS, CHILDREN'S CLINICS AND THE TUBERCULOSIS DAY CAMPS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, CITY OF NEW YORK, IN THE VARIOUS BOROUGHES, AND THE TUBER-CULOSIS SANATORIUM AT OTISVILLE, ORANGE COUNTY, N. Y., AS NOTED IN THE SCHEDULE, OR SUCH OTHER PLACE OR PLACES AS MAY BE SPECIFIED IN WRITING BY THE BOARD OF HEALTH DURING THE YEAR 1913.

The time for the delivery of the supplies and the performance of the contract is during the year 1913.

The amount of security required is fifty (50) per cent. of the amount of the bid.

Bids will be compared and the contract awarded to the lowest bidder for each item.

Bids must be submitted in duplicate, each 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, southwest corner of Centre and Walker sts., Borough of Manhattan.

ERNST J. LEDERLE, Ph.D., President; JOSEPH J. O'CONNELL, M.D., RHINE-LANDER WALDO, Board of Health.

Dated December 12, 1912. d13,24

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

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, SOUTHWEST CORNER OF CENTRE AND WALKER STS., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Board of Health of the Department of Health until 10.30 o'clock a. m. on

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 24, 1912.

FOR FURNISHING, SETTING AND SHARPENING HORSESHOES AND FURNISHING AND SETTING PADS, REQUIRED BY THE HORSES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, CONTAINED IN ITS SEVERAL STABLES IN THE VARIOUS BOROUGHES OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK DURING THE YEAR 1913.

The time for the delivery of the supplies and the performance of the contract is during the year 1913.

The amount of security required is fifty (50) per cent. of the amount of the bid.

Bids will be compared and the contract awarded to the lowest bidder for each class complete. Bids must be submitted in duplicate, each 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, southwest corner of Centre and Walker sts., Borough of Manhattan.

ERNST J. LEDERLE, Ph.D., President; JOSEPH J. O'CONNELL, M.D., RHINE-LANDER WALDO, Board of Health.

Dated December 12, 1912. d13,24

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

### BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Board of Water Supply, at its offices, seventh floor, 165 Broadway, New York, until 11 a. m. on

MONDAY, DECEMBER 23, 1912,

for

CONTRACT 142.

FOR THE REMOVAL OF CHESTNUT GROWTH AROUND THE SITE OF KENSICO RESERVOIR, IN THE TOWNS OF MOUNT PLEASANT, NORTH CASTLE AND HARRISON, WESTCHESTER COUNTY, N. Y.

Further information is given in the information for bidders, forming part of the contract. At the above place and time bids will be publicly opened and read. The award of the contract, if awarded, will be made by the Board at such time and place as may be deemed practicable. The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

A bond, in the sum of Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000), will be required for the faithful performance of the contract.

No bid will be received and deposited unless accompanied by a certified check upon a national or state bank, drawn to the order of the Comptroller of The City of New York, to the amount of Three Hundred Dollars (\$300).

Time allowed for the completion of the work is twelve (12) months from the service of notice by the Board to begin work.

Pamphlets containing information for bidders, forms of proposal and contract, specifications, etc., and pamphlets of contract drawings can be obtained at the above address, upon application in person or by mail, by depositing the sum of Five Dollars (\$5) in currency, or check drawn to the order of the Board of Water Supply for each pamphlet. This deposit will be refunded upon the return of the pamphlets in acceptable condition within thirty days from the date on which bids are to be opened.

CHARLES STRAUSS, President; CHARLES N. CHADWICK, JOHN F. GALVIN, Commissioners of the Board of Water Supply.

JOSEPH P. MORRISSEY, Secretary. d5,23

Note—See general instructions to bidders on last page, last column of the City Record, so far as applicable hereto and not otherwise provided for.

### BOARD OF CITY RECORD.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS OR ESTIMATES.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received at the office of the Supervisor of the City Record, Room 809, Park Row Building, 13 to 21 Park row, in The City of New York, until 11 o'clock a. m. on

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 20, 1912.

FOR SUPPLYING PRINTED, LITHOGRAPHED OR BLANK BOOKS, DOCKETS, LIBERS, BINDING COVERS, BINDING, ETC., FOR THE USE OF THE COURTS AND THE DEPARTMENTS AND BUREAUS OF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK DURING THE YEAR 1913.

The delivery shall be fully and entirely performed within one hundred and fifty (150) calendar days after the execution of the contract. The Supervisor, however, may require delivery at an earlier date of any item or items on this contract by notice to the contractor, whereupon the item or items called for must be delivered not later than thirty days after said notice.

The amount of security shall be 25 per cent. (25%) of the amount of the bid.

The bidder must state the item price for each item and the total price of each Department, Bureau or Court schedule. The bids will be tested and the award made by the schedule.

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

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

Delivery will be required to be made at the Distributing Division of the City Record, at 96 and 98 Reade st., from time to time and in such quantities as may be directed by the Supervisor of the City Record.

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

WILLIAM J. GAYNOR, Mayor; ARCHIBALD R. WATSON, Corporation Counsel; WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller, Board of City Record.

The City of New York, November 27, 1912. d2,20

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

### BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS, 3D FLOOR OF THE BOROUGH HALL, 5TH ST. AND JACKSON AVE., LONG ISLAND CITY, BOROUGH OF QUEENS, CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Queens at the above office until 11 a. m. on

MONDAY, DECEMBER 30, 1912.

1. FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A TEMPORARY DRY WEATHER FLOW SEWER IN THE LINE



3 manholes.  
The time allowed for completing the above work will be thirty (30) working days.  
The amount of security required will be Eight Hundred Dollars (\$800).

3. FOR CONSTRUCTING A TEMPORARY SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN 7TH AVE. FROM 21ST ST. TO 22D ST., AND IN 22D ST. FROM 7TH AVE. TO 6TH AVE., 3D WARD.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

630 linear feet 12-inch vitrified salt-glazed pipe sewer.  
22 linear feet 12-inch vitrified salt-glazed culvert pipe.

275 linear feet 6-inch vitrified salt-glazed sewer pipe for house connections.

6 manholes.

1 receiving basin.

The time allowed for completing the above work will be thirty (30) working days.

The amount of security required will be Eight Hundred Dollars (\$800).

4. FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN VAN ALST AVE., FROM PAYNTER AVE. TO BEEBE AVE., 1ST WARD.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

560 linear feet 12-inch vitrified salt-glazed pipe sewer.

24 linear feet 12-inch Class A cast iron pipe drain, including double tee.

4 manholes.

100 cubic yards rock excavated and removed.

90 cubic yards Class B concrete in place for cradle and extra foundation for manholes.

The time allowed for completing the above work will be thirty (30) working days.

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

5. FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER AND APPURTENANCES IN MARION ST., FROM WEBSTER AVE. TO PAYNTER AVE., 1ST WARD.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

1,482 linear feet 12-inch vitrified salt-glazed pipe sewer in cradle.

50 linear feet 12-inch vitrified salt-glazed culvert pipe.

10 manholes, complete.

2 receiving basins, complete.

100 cubic yards rock excavated and removed.

10 cubic yards concrete in place, exclusive of concrete shown on plan.

5,000 feet (B. M.) timber for foundation.

8,000 pounds steel for reinforcement in concrete cradle.

1,500 linear feet of piles below caps, furnished, driven and cut off.

The time allowed for completing the above work will be sixty (60) working days.

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

The bidder must state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedule herein contained or hereafter annexed per square yard, per linear foot, or other unit of measure by which the bids will be tested.

The extension must be made and footed up as the bids will be read from a total. Bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum. Blank forms may be obtained and the plans or drawings may be seen at the office of the President of the Borough of Queens.

Dated December 16, 1912.

MAURICE E. CONNOLLY, President.

Dated December 16, 1912.

MAURICE E. CONNOLLY, President.

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

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS, THIRD FLOOR OF THE BOROUGH HALL, 5TH ST. AND JACKSON AVE., LONG ISLAND CITY, BOROUGH OF QUEENS, CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS AT THE ABOVE OFFICE UNTIL 11 O'CLOCK A. M. ON

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 24, 1912.

NO. 1. FOR FURNISHING, DELIVERING AND ERECTING 500 NEW STREET SIGNS AND POSTS, WHERE DIRECTED, IN THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials or supplies and for the performance of the contract is ninety (90) calendar days.

The amount of security required will be Two Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$2,500).

NO. 2. FOR PAVING WITH (A PERMANENT PAVEMENT) ASPHALT BLOCK ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERE-TO, IN RADDE ST. FROM PAYNTER AVE. TO WEBSTER AVE., 1ST WARD.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be thirty (30) working days.

The amount of security required will be Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000).

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

900 cubic yards of concrete.

5,300 square yards of asphalt block pavement.

NO. 3. FOR REGULATING, GRADING THE SIDEWALK SPACES, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS (WHERE NOT ALREADY LAID TO GRADE AND IN GOOD CONDITION) AND ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERE-TO, IN JACKSON AVE., FROM JUNCTION AVE. TO 54TH ST., 2D WARD.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be seventy-five (75) working days.

The amount of security required will be Six Thousand Dollars (\$6,000).

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

4,500 cubic yards of earth excavation.

50 cubic yards of rock excavation.

1,700 cubic yards of embankment (in excess of excavation).

9,000 linear feet of new bluestone curb.

100 linear feet of old curb reset.

100 linear feet of 12-inch vitrified sewer pipe in place.

100 square feet of old flagstone sidewalks re-timed and relaid.

42,000 square feet of cement sidewalks and one year's maintenance.

320 cubic yards of gravel and crosswalks.

100 square yards of stone gutters furnished and laid.

1,000 feet (B. M.) spruce timber in place.

NO. 4. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, RECURRING, FLAGGING AND REFLAGGING WITH BLUESTONE AND PAVING WITH (A PERMANENT PAVEMENT) ASPHALT BLOCKS ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERE-TO, IN THE BOULEVARD, FROM WEBSTER AVE. TO WASHINGTON AVE., 1ST WARD.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be forty-five (45) working days.

The amount of security required will be Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000).

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

900 cubic yards of earth excavation.

950 linear feet of new bluestone curb.

5,050 square feet of new flagstone sidewalk.

350 cubic yards of concrete.

2,200 square yards of asphalt block pavement.

NO. 5. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH IMPROVED GRANITE BLOCKS

(PERMANENT PAVEMENT) ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERE-TO, IN CYPRESS AVE. FROM MYRTLE AVE. TO COOPER ST., 2D WARD.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be forty-five (45) working days.

The amount of security required will be Fifteen Thousand Dollars (\$15,000).

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

1,500 cubic yards of earth excavation.

1,100 cubic yards of concrete.

6,500 square yards of improved granite block pavement (laid outside of the railroad franchise area, including sand bed and bituminous grouted joints and one (1) year maintenance).

5,300 square yards of improved granite block pavement (laid within the railroad franchise area, including sand bed and bituminous grouted joints, and no maintenance).

900 cubic yards of concrete (within the railroad franchise area).

NO. 6. FOR REGULATING, GRADING AND PAVING WITH (A PERMANENT PAVEMENT) ASPHALT BLOCKS ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERE-TO, IN PROSPECT ST., FROM PAYNTER AVE. TO BEEBEE AVE., 1ST WARD.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be thirty (30) working days.

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

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

50 linear feet of old cement curb reset, not to be bid for.

380 cubic yards of concrete.

2,250 square yards of asphalt block pavement.

1 catch basin to be readjusted, not to be bid for.

NO. 7. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING TO THE BUREAU OF HIGHWAYS THREE (3) TEN (10) GROSS TON STEAM ROAD ROLLERS.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials or supplies and the performance of the contract is fifty (50) calendar days.

The amount of security required will be Four Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$4,500).

The bidder must state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedule herein contained or hereafter annexed, per square yard, linear foot or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested.

The extension must be made and footed up as the bids will be read from a total. Bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum. Blank forms may be obtained and the plans or drawings may be seen at the office of the President of the Borough of Queens.

Dated Long Island City, N. Y., December 13, 1912.

MAURICE E. CONNOLLY, President.

Dated December 13, 1912.

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

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, PARK AVE. AND 59TH ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOL SUPPLIES AT THE ABOVE OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION UNTIL 11 A. M. ON

MONDAY, DECEMBER 30, 1912.

FOR FURNISHING AND OPERATING STAGES OR OTHER CONVEYANCES TO CONVEY PUPILS TO AND FROM THE SCHOOLS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, IN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE BRONX, BROOKLYN, QUEENS AND RICHMOND.

The time for the performance of the contract is prior to December 31, 1913. The amount of security required is fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of the bid or estimate.

The bidder may quote on conveyance other than by stage. If by trolley or other conveyance the price per pupil per day and the manner in which it is intended to convey the pupils must be stated. If it is intended to convey by special car over a particular route the price per day must be stated, and such other information must be furnished as will enable the Committee on Supplies to reach a proper determination.

In the event of a school or schools being closed the contract shall be terminated as to that school or schools.

Contract will be awarded to the lowest bidder.

The Board of Education reserves the right to award the contract as a whole for the Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx, Brooklyn, Queens and Richmond, or to award it separately for the Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx, Brooklyn, Queens and Richmond, or item by item, if deemed to be for the best interests of the City.

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, Board of Education, Borough of Manhattan, southwest corner of Park ave. and 59th st.

Dated December 17, 1912.

PATRICK JONES, Superintendent of School Supplies.

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

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, PARK AVE. AND 59TH ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOL SUPPLIES AT THE ABOVE OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION UNTIL 11 A. M. ON

MONDAY, DECEMBER 24, 1912.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FORAGE FOR HORSES USED AT THE BROOKLYN TRUANT SCHOOL, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, AND THE NEW YORK PARENTAL SCHOOL, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before December 31, 1913.

The amount of security required is fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of the bid or estimate.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications and schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per bag and per 100 pounds, or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested.

Award will be made to the lowest bidder on each item whose sample is equal to those referred to in the printed specifications.

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

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, Department of Education, Borough of Manhattan, southwest corner of Park ave. and 59th st.

PATRICK JONES, Superintendent of School Supplies.

Dated December 9, 1912.

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

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, CORNER OF PARK AVE. AND 59TH ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS AT THE ABOVE OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION UNTIL 3 O'CLOCK P. M. ON

MONDAY, DECEMBER 23, 1912.

Borough of The Bronx.

NO. 5. FOR THE GENERAL EXCAVATION, ETC. (CONTRACT NUMBER ONE) OF NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 51, ON TRINITY AND JACKSON AVES. AND E. 158TH ST., BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be one hundred (100) working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is Eight Hundred Dollars (\$800).

On No. 4 the bids will be compared and the contract will be awarded in a lump sum to the lowest bidder.

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., Borough of Manhattan.

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

Dated December 11, 1912.

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

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, CORNER OF PARK AVE. AND 59TH ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS AT THE ABOVE OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION UNTIL 3 O'CLOCK P. M. ON

MONDAY, DECEMBER 23, 1912.

Borough of The Bronx.

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The time allowed to complete the whole work will be one hundred (100) working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is Eight Hundred Dollars (\$800).

On No. 4 the bids will be compared and the contract will be awarded in a lump sum to the lowest bidder.

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., Borough of Manhattan.

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

Dated December 11, 1912.

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

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, CORNER OF PARK AVE. AND 59TH ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS AT THE ABOVE OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION UNTIL 3 O'CLOCK P. M. ON

MONDAY, DECEMBER 23, 1912.

Borough of The Bronx.

NO. 5. FOR THE GENERAL EXCAVATION, ETC. (CONTRACT NUMBER ONE) OF NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 51, ON TRINITY AND JACKSON AVES. AND E. 158TH ST., BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be one hundred (100) working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is Eight Hundred Dollars (\$800).

On No. 4 the bids will be compared and the contract will be awarded in a lump sum to the lowest bidder.

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., Borough of Manhattan.

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

Dated December 11, 1912.

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

School Supplies, Department of Education, Borough of Manhattan, southwest corner of Park ave. and 59th st.

PATRICK JONES, Superintendent of School Supplies.

Dated December 13, 1912.

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

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, CORNER OF PARK AVE. AND 59TH ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOL SUPPLIES AT THE ABOVE OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION UNTIL 11 O'CLOCK A. M. ON

MONDAY, DECEMBER 30, 1912.

FOR PRINTING AND FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING STATIONERY AND PRINTED SUPPLIES FOR THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before December 31, 1913.

The amount of security required is fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of the bid or estimate.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, by which the bids will be tested. The Board of Education reserves the right to award the contract as a whole for the Board of Education, or item by item, if deemed for the best interests of the City.

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

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, southwest corner of Park ave. and 59th st., Borough of Manhattan.

PATRICK JONES, Superintendent of School Supplies.

Dated December 17, 1912.

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

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, CORNER OF PARK AVE. AND 59TH ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOL SUPPLIES AT THE ABOVE OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION UNTIL 11 A. M. ON

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 24, 1912.

FOR PACKING, CARRYING, LOADING, CARTING, DELIVERING, TRANSFERRING, RETRANSFERRING, RETURNING, ETC., SCHOOL SUPPLIES TO THE SCHOOLS, PLAYGROUNDS, RECREATION CENTRES, DEPOSITORIES, ETC. OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, IN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE BRONX, BROOKLYN, QUEENS AND RICHMOND.

The value of the supplies to be delivered will be about \$1,500,000.

Supplies are to be delivered in baskets and packages to all schools in The City of New York, located in the Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx, Brooklyn, Queens and Richmond, at the time and in the manner and in such quantities as may be required.

All supplies must be delivered to the floors and rooms of the various school buildings, must be unpacked and assorted, so that Principals or representatives may check same intelligently, and itemized receipt presented the day of delivery, if possible, but not later than 9 a. m. the day following.

Contractor will be required, when supplies are to be transferred from one school to another, to pack supplies in said school, transfer same and unpack them at the school or schools where they are delivered.

The time for the completion and performance of the contract is from January 1, 1913, to December 31, 1913, inclusive. The amount of security required is: For entire contract, Fifteen Thousand Dollars (\$15,000); for extra trucks or auto trucks, Five Hundred Dollars (\$500), for each item.

The bidder will write out the amount of his bid, in addition to inserting the same in figures. Award of contract will be made to the lowest bidder on each item who proves to the satisfaction of the Committee on Supplies that he can do the work.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained in the office of the Superintendent of School Supplies, Board of Education, corner of Park ave. and 59th st., Borough of Manhattan.

PATRICK JONES, Superintendent of School Supplies.

Dated December 12, 1912.

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

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, CORNER OF PARK AVE. AND 59TH ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

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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., Borough of Manhattan, and also at branch office, No. 69 Broadway, Flushing, Borough of Queens, C. B. J. SNYDER, Superintendent of School Buildings.

Dated December 4, 1912. d4,23  
See General Instructions to Bidders on the last page, last column, of the "City Record."

#### DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, No. 148 E. 20th St., Borough of Manhattan, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.  
SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Correction at the above office until 11 o'clock a. m. on

**THURSDAY, DECEMBER 26, 1912.**  
FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING DRY GOODS, HARDWARE, PAINTS, OILS, TIN, TINWARE AND MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before December 31, 1913.

The amount of security required is fifty (50) per cent. of the amount of the bid or estimate. Bids must be submitted in duplicate, each in a separate envelope. No bid will be received unless this provision is complied with.

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

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Department of Correction, the Borough of Manhattan, No. 148 E. 20th st.

PATRICK A. WHITNEY, Commissioner.  
Dated December 13, 1912. d14,26

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

#### DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY, Room 1903, 13 to 21 Park Row, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.  
SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, at the above office, until 2 p. m. on

**FRIDAY, DECEMBER 27, 1912.**

**Borough of Manhattan.**  
FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FIVE HUNDRED (500) CAST IRON LAMP POSTS, ETC., IN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed for doing and completing the entire work or furnishing supplies will be one hundred and twenty-five (125) calendar days on Class "B" and one hundred and twenty-five (125) calendar days on Class "C" posts.

The security required will be thirty-three and one-third per cent. (33 1/3%) of the entire bid. The bidder will state the price, per unit, of each item of work, or supplies contained in the specifications or schedule, by which the bids will be tested.

The bids will be compared and each contract awarded for all the work, articles, materials and supplies in all class as contained in the specifications or schedule attached thereto.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the Department, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to enclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department, Room 2339, Nos. 13 to 21 Park row, where plans and specifications may be obtained.

HENRY S. THOMPSON, Commissioner.  
New York, December 14, 1912. d16,27

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

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY, Room 1903, Nos. 13 to 21 Park Row, Borough of Manhattan, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.  
SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity at the above office until 2 o'clock p. m. on

**MONDAY, DECEMBER 23, 1912.**

**All Boroughs.**  
FOR FURNISHING, DELIVERING, STORING AND TRIMMING COAL.

The time allowed for the delivery of the supplies herein scheduled and for the performance of the contract is before June 1, 1913.

The amount of the security shall be twenty-five per cent. (25%) of the amount of bid or estimate.

The bidder will state price of work contained in the specifications or schedule by which the bids will be tested. The bids will be compared and the award made to the lowest formal bidder in a lump or aggregate sum for each section.

Bids will be received for each section singly or for all sections, but in comparing the bids the bids for each section will be compared separately and the contract awarded by sections.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the Department, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to enclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department, Room 1903, 13 to 21 Park row, Borough of Manhattan, where any further information desired may be obtained.

HENRY S. THOMPSON, Commissioner.  
Dated December 12, 1912. d12,23

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

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY, Room 1903, 13 to 21 Park Row, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.  
SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity at the above office until 2 o'clock p. m. on

**MONDAY, DECEMBER 23, 1912.**

**Boroughs of Brooklyn and Richmond.**  
1. AUTOMATIC FEED WATER WEIGHTS, PIPING AND FITTINGS AT THE VARIOUS PUMPING STATIONS.

The time allowed for the delivery of the supplies herein scheduled and for the performance of the contract is one hundred (100) calendar days.

The amount of the security shall be Fifteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,500).

**Borough of Brooklyn.**  
2. FURNISHING AND DELIVERING VENTURI METERS WITH INDICATING, RECORDING AND REGISTERING APPARATUS, ETC.

The time allowed for the delivery of the supplies herein scheduled and for the performance of the contract is ninety (90) calendar days.

The amount of the security shall be Four Hundred Dollars (\$400).

The bidder will state the price, per unit, of each item of work or supplies contained in the specifications or schedule by which the bids will be tested. Awards will be made to the lowest bidder in a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the Department, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to enclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department, Room 1903, 13 to 21 Park row, Borough of Manhattan, where any further information desired may be obtained.

HENRY S. THOMPSON, Commissioner.  
Dated December 9, 1912. d11,23

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

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY, Room 1903, 13 to 21 Park Row, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.  
SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity at the above office until 2 o'clock p. m. on

**MONDAY, DECEMBER 23, 1912.**

**Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.**

1. FURNISHING AND DELIVERING LUBRICANTS.

The time allowed for the delivery of the supplies herein scheduled and for the performance of the contract is three hundred and sixty-five (365) calendar days.

The amount of the security shall be Fifteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,500).

2. FOR FURNISHING, PLACING, REPAIRING, REPLACING AND EMPTYING VAULT PANS IN THE VICINITY OF MT. KISCO, WESTCHESTER COUNTY, NEW YORK.

The time allowed for doing and completing the entire work will be until June 30, 1913.

The security required will be Eight Hundred Dollars (\$800).

3. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING A PORTABLE GASOLINE ENGINE DRIVEN ELECTRIC GENERATING OUTFIT, TOGETHER WITH MOTOR, WIRING, ETC.

The time allowed for the delivery of the supplies herein scheduled and for the performance of the contract is seventy-five (75) calendar days.

The amount of the security shall be Fifteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,500).

4. FURNISHING AND DELIVERING CHLORIDE OF LIME.

The time allowed for the delivery of the supplies herein scheduled and for the performance of the contract is ninety (90) calendar days.

The amount of the security shall be Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000).

**Borough of Queens.**

5. FURNISHING AND DELIVERING CAST IRON PIPE AND SPECIAL CASTINGS, SECTION 4.

The time allowed for the delivery of the materials and supplies and the performance of the contract will be fifty (50) calendar days.

The amount of the security required will be Six Hundred Dollars (\$600).

**Borough of Richmond.**

6. FURNISHING, DELIVERING AND ERECTING SCALES, SECTION 1, AT GRANT CITY AND WEST NEW BRIGHTON PUMPING STATIONS, BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

The time allowed for doing and completing the entire work will be sixty (60) working days.

The security required will be Fifteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,500).

The bidder will state the price, per unit, of each item of work or supplies contained in the specifications or schedule by which the bids will be tested. Awards will be made to the lowest bidder in a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the Department, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to enclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department, Room 1903, 13 to 21 Park row, Borough of Manhattan, where any further information desired may be obtained.

HENRY S. THOMPSON, Commissioner.  
Dated December 9, 1912. d11,23

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

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY, Room 1903, 13 to 21 Park Row, Borough of Manhattan, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.  
SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity at the above office until 2 o'clock p. m. on

**WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 8, 1913.**

**FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE JEROME PARK FILTERS, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.**

The work consists of the construction and equipment of 80 mechanical filters consisting of concrete tanks having a net filtering area of about 2.7 acres; covered concrete settling basins having an area of about 12 acres, and a capacity of about 88 million gallons; a covered concrete filtered water reservoir having an area of about 55 acres, and a capacity of about 350 million gallons; 5 concrete gate chambers, a concrete house for the preparation of chemicals, and all piping, valves and filter equipment.

The total excavation amounts to about 800,000 cubic yards and the total concrete masonry about 350,000 cubic yards. A considerable portion of the work is in the item for filter equipment, which consists of piping, valves, strainer system, operating tables, apparatus for handling and applying chemicals, etc.

The time allowed for doing and completing the work is thirty-six (36) calendar months.

The security required is One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000).

In addition thereto, a supplementary bond in the sum of One Hundred and Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$150,000) shall be furnished by the contractor prior to the acceptance of the work and continuing for six years thereafter to protect the City against any claims for infringements of patents, due to any work done or materials or processes used or installed by the contractor.

The bidder will state the price per unit for each item of work contained in the specifications or schedule by which the bids will be tested. The bids will be compared and the award will be made to the lowest bidder.

Any repairs needed due to defects in materials or workmanship, shall be made by the contractor

during a period of one year from the completion of the work.

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

A deposit of Twenty-five Dollars (\$25) will be required from all applicants for each copy of the plans and specifications. This deposit will be returned if said copies of the plans and specifications are delivered to the Department within five (5) days after the opening of the bids, provided they are in good condition.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the Department, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to enclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department, Room 1903, 13 to 21 Park row, Borough of Manhattan.

Dated November 25, 1912.

HENRY S. THOMPSON, Commissioner. n25,j8

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#### CHANGE OF GRADE DAMAGE COMMISSION.

**TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS.**

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF chapter 537 of the Laws of 1893 and the acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, notice is hereby given that meetings of the Commissioners appointed under said acts will be held at the office of the Commission, Room 223, 280 Broadway (Stewart Building), Borough of Manhattan, New York City, on Mondays, Tuesdays and Thursdays of each week, at 2 o'clock p. m., until further notice.

Dated New York City, July 26, 1911.

WILLIAM D. DICKEY, CAMBRIDGE LIVINGSTON, DAVID ROBINSON, Commissioners.  
LAWSON McLOUGHLIN, Clerk.

#### DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, ARSENAL BUILDING, 5TH AVE. AND 64TH ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.  
SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Park Board at the above office of the Department of Parks until 3 o'clock p. m. on

**THURSDAY, DECEMBER 26, 1912.**

**Borough of Manhattan.**

FOR FURNISHING AND ERECTING UPON EXISTING CAST-IRON SHOES, NEW WROUGHT IRON RICKET FENCES IN AND AROUND JOHN JAY PARK, IN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be fifty (50) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required is Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000).

Certified check or cash in the sum of One Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$150) must accompany bid.

Bids will be compared and the contracts awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

Blank forms may be obtained and plans may be seen at the office of the Department of Parks, Arsenal, Central Park, 64th st. and 5th ave., Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

CHARLES B. STOVER, President; THOMAS J. HIGGINS, MICHAEL J. KENNEDY, WALTER G. ELIOT, Commissioners of Parks. d13,26

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OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, ARSENAL BUILDING, 5TH AVE. AND 64TH ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Park Board at the above office of the Department of Parks until 3 o'clock p. m. on

**THURSDAY, DECEMBER 26, 1912.**

**Borough of Brooklyn.**

FOR ALL LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR CHANGING THE RUN OF STEAM MAINS NOW CONNECTING THE CENTRAL PORTION WITH THE EAST WING OF THE BROOKLYN INSTITUTE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES, LOCATED AT EASTERN PARKWAY AND WASHINGTON AVE., IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, NEW YORK CITY.

The time allowed for the completion of this contract will be fifty (50) days.

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

Bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of Messrs. McKim, Mead & White, Architects, 160 5th ave., Borough of Manhattan, The City of New York, where plans and specifications may be seen.

CHARLES B. STOVER, President; THOMAS J. HIGGINS, MICHAEL J. KENNEDY, WALTER G. ELIOT, Commissioners of Parks. d13,26

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OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, ARSENAL BUILDING, 5TH AVE. AND 64TH ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.  
SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Park Board, at the above office of the Department of Parks, until 3 o'clock p. m. on

**THURSDAY, DECEMBER 26, 1912.**

**Borough of Manhattan.**

FOR FURNISHING AND SETTING AND RESETTING CURBSTONES AND PAVING WITH ASPHALTIC CONCRETE UPON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF THE PLAZA AT 110TH ST. AND 8TH AVE.

The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be forty (40) consecutive working days.

The amount of the security required is Six Thousand Dollars (\$6,000).

Certified check or cash in the sum of Three Hundred Dollars (\$300) must accompany bid.

Bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

Blank forms may be obtained and plans may be seen at the office of the Department of Parks, Arsenal, Central Park, 64th st. and 5th ave., Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

CHARLES B. STOVER, President; THOMAS J. HIGGINS, MICHAEL J. KENNEDY, WALTER G. ELIOT, Commissioners of Parks. d13,26

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OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, ARSENAL BUILDING, 5TH AVE. AND 64TH ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.  
SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Park Board at the above office of the Department of Parks until 3 o'clock p. m. on

**THURSDAY, DECEMBER 26, 1912.**

**Borough of The Bronx.**

FURNISHING AND DELIVERING COAL, NO. 1, 1913, BOTANICAL GARDEN, FOR PARKS, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

The time allowed for the completion of the contract is before May 31, 1913.

The amount of security required is Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000).

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

Blank forms and other information may be obtained at the office of the Department of Parks, Zbrowski Mansion, Claremont Park, Borough of The Bronx, on personal application; or by mail, only when request is accompanied by ten (10) cents in stamps to pay postage.

CHARLES B. STOVER, President; THOMAS J. HIGGINS, MICHAEL J. KENNEDY, WALTER G. ELIOT, Commissioners of Parks. d13,26

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OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, ARSENAL BUILDING, 5TH AVE. AND 64TH ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Park Board at the above office of the Department of Parks until 3 o'clock p. m. on

**THURSDAY, DECEMBER 26, 1912.**

**Borough of The Bronx.**

FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 400 GROSS TONS EGG COAL, NO. 1, 1913, FOR PARKS, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

The time allowed for the completion of the contract is before May 31, 1913.

The amount of security required is Fifteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,500).

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

Blank forms and other information may be obtained at the office of the Department of Parks, Zbrowski Mansion, Claremont Park, Borough of The Bronx, on personal application; or by mail, only when request is accompanied by ten (10) cents in stamps to pay postage.

CHARLES B. STOVER, President; THOMAS J. HIGGINS, MICHAEL J. KENNEDY, WALTER G. ELIOT, Commissioners of Parks. d13,26

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OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, ARSENAL BUILDING, 5TH AVE. AND 64TH ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Park Board at the above office of the Department of Parks until 3 o'clock p. m. on

**THURSDAY, DECEMBER 19, 1912.**

**Borough of Manhattan.**

FOR FURNISHING AND ERECTING A HIGH GAS-PIPE AND WIRE MESH FENCE ALONG THE FRONT OF THE PLAYGROUND ON AMSTERDAM AVE., BETWEEN 174TH AND 175TH STS.

The time allowed for the completion of the whole work will be forty (40) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required is Seven Hundred Dollars (\$700).

Certified check or cash to the amount of Thirty-five Dollars (\$35) must accompany bid.

Bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

Blank forms may be obtained and plans may be seen at the office of the Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, Arsenal, Central Park, 64th st. and 5th ave., Borough of Manhattan.

CHARLES B. STOVER, President; THOMAS J. HIGGINS, MICHAEL J. KENNEDY, WALTER G. ELIOT, Commissioners of Parks. d7,19

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DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

Notice to Property Owners.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE assessment roll in the following entitled matter has been completed and will be due and payable on the 16th instant, and that the authority for the collection of the same has been delivered to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, and all persons liable to pay such assessment are required to pay the same without delay at his office in the Mechanics Bank Building, Court and Montague sts., in the Borough of Brooklyn.

Assessment for benefit from Prospect Park (for lands taken) under chapter 244, Laws of 1878, 35th installment.

EXTRACT FROM THE LAW.

Chapter 583, Laws of 1888, title 7, section 10, as amended by chapter 888, Laws of 1895; chapter 775, Laws of 1896, and section 937, chapter 378, Laws of 1897, and chapter 466 of the Laws of 1901 amendatory thereof.

On all \* \* \* assessments which shall be paid to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears before the expiration of thirty days from the time the same shall become due and payable, an allowance shall be made to the person or persons making such payments at the rate of seven and three-tenths per centum per annum for the unexpired portion thereof. On all \* \* \* assessments \* \* \* paid after the expiration of thirty days from the time the same shall have become due and payable there shall be added to and collected as part of every such assessment \* \* \* interest at the rate of nine per cent. per annum, to be computed from the time the same became due and payable to the date of payment.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, December 16, 1912. d13,30

NOTICE OF ASSESSMENTS FOR OPENING STREETS AND PARKS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1905 OF THE



Beginning at a point on the line which bisects the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the northeasterly line of Hunters Point ave., as laid out southeasterly from Van Dam st., and the southerly line of Anable ave., distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Van Dam st., the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Van Dam st., and running thence easterly along the said bisecting line to a point distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Van Dam st., the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Van Dam st.; thence southwardly and parallel with Van Dam st. to the intersection with a line which bisects the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongation of the southerly line of Covert ave. and the northeasterly line of Hunters Point ave.; thence easterly along the said bisecting line to a point distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Bragaw st., the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Bragaw st.; thence southwardly and parallel with Bragaw st. to the prolongation thereof to a point distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Borden ave., the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Borden ave.; thence westwardly and parallel with Borden ave. to the intersection with a line which bisects the angle formed by the intersection of the southwesterly line of Hunters Point ave. and the northerly line of Borden ave.; thence northwardly along the said bisecting line to a point distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Hunters Point ave., the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Hunters Point ave.; thence northwardly along the said line at right angles to Borden ave. to the northerly line of Borden ave.; thence northwardly and parallel with Hunters Point ave. to the intersection with a line which bisects the angle formed by the intersection of the southwesterly line of Hunters Point ave. and the northerly line of Borden ave.; thence northwardly along the said bisecting line to a point distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Van Dam st., the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Van Dam st.; thence northwardly and parallel with Van Dam st. to the point of place of beginning.

The above entitled assessment was entered on the day hereinafter given in the Record of Titles of Assessments kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides, in part, that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment, to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment, from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides: "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, at the Municipal Building, Court House square, Long Island City, Borough of Queens, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before February 10, 1913, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when the above assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.  
City of New York, Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's Office, December 12, 1912.  
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## NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessments for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS IN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN:

**TWENTY-SECOND WARD, SECTION 3.**  
**WEST FORTY-SIXTH STREET—RESTORING ASPHALT PAVEMENT** in front of Nos. 132. Area of assessment: South side of 46th st., between 6th ave. and Broadway, known as Lot 47, in Block 998.

**NINETEENTH WARD, SECTION 5.**  
**EAST FORTY-FOURTH STREET—RESTORING ASPHALT PAVEMENT** in front of Nos. 228 and 230. Area of assessment: South side of 44th st., 180 feet west of 2d ave., known as Lot No. 32, in Block 1418.

The above assessments were certified to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, under the provisions of section 391 of the Greater New York Charter.

—that the same were entered on December 10, 1912, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1019 of said Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides, in part, that "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment, to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment, from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides: "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, Room H, 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before February 8, 1913, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when above assessments became liens to the date of payment.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.  
City of New York, Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's Office, December 10, 1912.  
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## NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following

assessments for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN:

**EIGHTH WARD, SECTION 3; TENTH AND TWELFTH WARDS, SECTION 2; FOURTEENTH AND NINETEENTH WARDS, SECTION 8; TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 5; TWENTY-SIXTH WARD, SECTIONS 12 AND 13, AND TWENTY-SEVENTH WARD, SECTION 11.**

**FENCING—VACANT LOTS ON WEST NINTH STREET**, north side, between Hamilton ave. and Court st.; **THIRD PLACE**, north side, between Court and Smith sts.; **FIFTY-FIRST STREET**, south side, between 3d and 4th aves.; **GLENMORE AVENUE**, south side, between Fountain and Central aves.; **ST. MARKS AVENUE**, north side, between Troy and Schenectady aves.; **TAYLOR STREET**, southeast side, between Kent and Wythe aves.; **ROEBLING STREET**, west side, from Fillmore place to a point about 60 feet northerly; **IRVING AVENUE** and **FRONTMAN STREET**, northwest corner; **WILLOUGHBY AVENUE**, southeast side, between Central and Hamburg aves.; **STOCKHOLM STREET**, north side, between Evergreen and Central aves.; **BERGEN STREET**, both sides, between Rockaway and Hopkinson aves.; **RIVERDALE AVENUE**, both sides, between Osborn and Watkins sts.; **OSBORN STREET**, east side, between Riverdale and Newport aves. Area of assessment affects Block Nos. 381, 463, 798, 4210, 1353, 2175, 2367, 3176, 3208, 3243, 1454, 1448, 3605 and 3592.

**EIGHTEENTH WARD, SECTION 10.**  
**JOHNSON AVENUE—LAYING CEMENT SIDEWALKS**, from Morgan ave. to Flushing ave. Area of assessment: Both sides of Johnson ave., from Morgan ave. to Flushing ave.

**TWENTY-FOURTH AND TWENTY-NINTH WARDS, SECTION 5.**

**CARROLL STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING**, between Utica and East New York aves. Area of assessment: Both sides of Carroll st., between Utica and East New York aves., and to the extent of half the block at intersecting avenues.

**TWENTY-NINTH WARD, SECTION 16.**  
**EAST SECOND STREET—PAVING**, between Vanderbilt st. and Greenwood ave. Area of assessment: Both sides of E. 2d st., between Vanderbilt st. and Greenwood ave., and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

**WASHINGTON AVENUE—PAVING**, between 3d st. and Gravesend ave. Area of assessment: Both sides of Washington ave. between 3d st. and Gravesend ave., and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

**SEWER BASIN** at west side of EAST SEVENTH STREET opposite Montgomery st. Area of assessment affects Lots 15, 18, 19, 21, 22, 24, 26 and 28 in Block 5323.

**TWENTY-NINTH AND THIRTIETH WARDS, SECTIONS 16 AND 17.**  
**THIRTEENTH AVENUE—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING**, between 37th st. and New Utrecht ave. Area of assessment: Both sides of 13th ave., from 37th st. to New Utrecht ave., and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues.

**TWENTY-SIXTH WARD, SECTION 13.**  
**WARWICK STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING**, between Belmont and Sutter aves. Area of assessment: Both sides of Warwick st., between Belmont and Sutter aves., and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on December 10, 1912, and entered December 10, 1912, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon, as provided by section 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides, in part, "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment, to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment, from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides: "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Mechanics Bank Building, Court and Montague sts., Borough of Brooklyn, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before February 8, 1913, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when such assessments became liens to the date of payment.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.  
City of New York, Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's Office, December 10, 1912.  
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## NOTICE OF ASSESSMENT FOR OPENING STREETS AND PARKS.

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

**TWENTY-NINTH AND THIRTIETH WARDS, SECTIONS 16 AND 17.**  
**THIRTEENTH AVENUE—OPENING**, from 36th st. to 73d st., excluding the land occupied by the Prospect Park and South Brooklyn Railroad Company, the Sea Beach Railroad Company, the Manhattan Beach Division of the Long Island Railroad Company and the Brooklyn, Bath and West End Railroad Company. Confirmed September 7, 1912; entered December 6, 1912. Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows:

On the northwest by a line midway between the westerly side of 13th ave. and the easterly side of 12th ave.; on the southeast by a line midway between the easterly side of 13th ave. and the westerly side of 14th ave.; on the northeast by a line 100 feet northeast of the northeasterly side of 36th st. and parallel therewith; on the southwest by a line 100 feet southwest of the southwesterly side of 73d st. and parallel therewith.

The above entitled assessment was entered on the day hereinafter given in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the

Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided by section 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides, in part, "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment, to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated to the date of payment, from the date when such assessment became a lien, as provided by section 159 of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides: "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Mechanics Bank Building, Court and Montague sts., Borough of Brooklyn, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before February 4, 1913, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when such assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.  
City of New York, Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's Office, December 6, 1913.  
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## Corporation Sales.

**CORPORATION SALE OF BUILDINGS AND APPURTENANCES THERETO ON CITY REAL ESTATE BY SEALED BIDS.**

**AT THE REQUEST OF THE PRESIDENT OF** the Borough of Queens, public notice is hereby given that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale by sealed bids certain encroachments standing upon property owned by The City of New York, acquired by it for street opening purposes, in the

**Borough of Queens.**  
Being the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., standing within the lines of Ditmars ave., from 43d st. to 51st st., and of 43d st., from Ditmars ave. to the bulkhead line of Flushing Bay, in the Borough of Queens, all of which are more particularly described on a certain map on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room K, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

Pursuant to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted at a meeting held November 27, 1912, the sale by sealed bids, at the upset or minimum prices named in the description of each parcel of the above buildings and appurtenances thereto will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

**WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 8, 1913,**  
at 11 a. m., in lots and parcels and in manner and form and at upset prices, as follows:

Parcels No. 7 and No. 8. Part of two and one-half-story frame house on the southerly side of Ditmars ave., at Mansfield ave. and Dulon st. Upset price, \$10.

Parcel No. 14. Part of two and one-half-story frame house on the northerly side of Ditmars ave., about 50 feet west of Schurz ave. Upset price, \$50.

Parcel No. 15. Part of two and one-half-story frame house on the northeast corner of Ditmars ave. and Schurz ave. Upset price, \$50.

Parcel No. 24. Part of two and one-half-story frame house on the northerly side of Ditmars ave., about 150 feet west of Grand ave. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 48. Part of two and one-half-story frame house on the northerly side of Ditmars ave., about 240 feet west of Banks ave. Upset price, \$40.

Parcel No. 49. Part of two and one-half-story concrete house, east of and adjoining Parcel No. 48. Cut 13.4 feet on west side by 3.1 feet on east side by 29.14 feet. Upset price, \$25.

Parcel No. 51. Part of two and one-half-story frame house, 60 feet east of Parcel No. 49. Cut 13.4 feet on west side by 6.9 feet on east side by 40.15 feet. Upset price, \$50.

Parcel No. 60. Part of two and one-half-story frame house on the northeast corner of Ditmars ave. and Monitor st. Upset price, \$75.

Sealed bids (blank forms of which may be obtained upon application) will be received by the Comptroller at the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Room K, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, until 11 a. m. on the 8th day of January, 1913, and then publicly opened for the sale for removal of the above described buildings and appurtenances thereto, and the award will be made to the highest bidder within twenty-four hours, or as soon as possible thereafter.

Each parcel must be bid for separately and will be sold in its entirety, as described in above advertisement.

Each and every bid must be accompanied by a deposit of cash or certified check in a sum equal to 25 per cent. of the amount of the bid, except that a minimum deposit of \$50 will be required with all bids, and that a deposit of \$500 will be sufficient to entitle bidders to bid on any or all of the buildings.

Deposits of unsuccessful bidders will be returned within twenty-four hours after successful bidders have paid purchase price in full and given security, and those of successful bidders may be declared forfeited to The City of New York by the Comptroller upon the failure of the successful bidder to further comply with the requirements of the terms and conditions of the sale as set forth hereinafter.

Successful bidders will be required to pay the purchase money and deposit the required security within twenty-four hours of the receipt of notification of the acceptance of their bids.

The Comptroller reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any defects or informalities in any bid should he be deemed in the interest of The City of New York to do so.

All bids must state clearly (1) the number or description of the building or buildings bid for, (2) the amount of the bid, (3) the full name and address of the bidder.

All bids must be inclosed in properly sealed envelopes, marked "Proposals to be opened January 8, 1913," and must be delivered, or mailed in time for their delivery, prior to 11 a. m. of that date to the "Collector of City Revenue, Room K, No. 280 Broadway, New York City," from whom any further particulars regarding the buildings to be disposed of may be obtained.

**THE BUILDINGS WILL BE SOLD FOR IMMEDIATE REMOVAL ONLY, SUBJECT TO THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS PRINTED ON THE LAST PAGE OF THIS ISSUE OF THE "CITY RECORD."**

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.  
City of New York, Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's Office, December 17, 1912.  
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**CORPORATION SALE OF BUILDINGS AND APPURTENANCES THERETO ON CITY REAL ESTATE BY SEALED BIDS.**

**AT THE REQUEST OF THE PRESIDENT** of the Borough of The Bronx, public notice is hereby given that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale by sealed bids certain encroachments standing upon property owned by The City of New York, acquired by it for street opening purposes, in the

**Borough of The Bronx.**  
Being the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., standing within the lines of White Plains road, from West Farms road to Westchester ave., in the Borough of The Bronx, which are more particularly described on a certain map on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room K, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

Pursuant to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted at a meeting held November 27, 1912, the sale by sealed bids at the upset or minimum prices named in the description of each parcel of the above buildings and appurtenances thereto, will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

**MONDAY, JANUARY 6, 1913,**  
at 11 a. m., in lots and parcels and in manner and form and at upset prices as follows:

Parcel No. 14—Part of two and one-half-story frame house on the west side of White Plains road, about 140 feet south of Guerlain st. Cut 4.9 feet on north side by 5.2 feet on south side by 20.5 feet. Upset price, \$100.

Parcel No. 15—Part of two and one-half-story frame house south of Parcel No. 14. Cut 5.6 feet on north side by 5.8 feet on south side by 20.2 feet. Upset price, \$75.

Parcel No. 35—Part of two and one-half-story frame house on the east side of White Plains road, 100 feet south of Guerlain st. Cut 5.4 feet on north side by 5.2 feet on south side by 20.2 feet. Upset price, \$50.

Parcel No. 36—Part of two and one-half-story frame house south of Parcel No. 35. Cut 5.1 feet on north and south sides by 18.2 feet. Upset price, \$50.

Parcel No. 37—Part of one and one-half-story frame house south of Parcel No. 36. Cut 5.1 feet on north and south sides by 20.3 feet. Upset price, \$50.

Parcel No. 38—Part of two and one-half-story frame house south of Parcel No. 37. Cut 5.3 feet on north side by 5.4 feet on south side by 20.4 feet. Upset price, \$50.

Parcel No. 39—Part of two and one-half-story frame house south of Parcel No. 38. Cut 5.4 feet on north and south sides by 20.2 feet. Upset price, \$50.

Parcel No. 41—Part of two and one-half-story frame house south of Parcel No. 39. Cut 5.4 feet on north side by 5.5 feet on south side by 20.2 feet. Upset price, \$50.

Parcel No. 42—Part of two and one-half-story frame house south of Parcel No. 41. Cut 5.6 feet on north and south sides by 20.2 feet. Upset price, \$50.

Parcel No. 43—Part of two-story frame house south of Parcel No. 42. Cut 5.6 feet on north side by 5.7 feet on south side by 21.1 feet. Upset price, \$50.

Parcel No. 44—Part of two and one-half-story frame house south of Parcel No. 43. Cut 5.9 feet on north side by 5.8 feet on south side by 20.2 feet. Upset price, \$50.

Parcel No. 125A—Part of two-story frame house on the southeast corner of Wood ave. and White Plains road. Cut 14 feet on north and south sides by 20.2 feet. Upset price, \$100.

Parcel No. 126—Part of two-story frame house south of Parcel No. 125A. Cut 14 feet on north and south sides by 18 feet. Upset price, \$100.

Parcel No. 139—Part of two-story brick house on the west side of White Plains road, 25 feet south of Wood ave. Cut 11 feet on north side by 11.2 feet on south side by 20.1 feet. Upset price, \$150.

Parcel No. 140—Part of two-story frame house south of Parcel No. 139. Cut 9.8 feet on north side by 9.9 feet on south side by 21.1 feet. Upset price, \$100.

Parcel No. 141—Part of two-story frame house south of Parcel No. 140. Cut 11.9 feet on north side by 10 feet by 20 feet. Upset price, \$100.

Parcel No. 145—Part of stone foundation 100 feet south of Parcel No. 141. Cut 10.1 feet on north and south sides. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 153—Part of two and one-half-story frame house on the southeast corner of White Plains road and McGraw ave. Cut 16.7 feet on front by 12.7 feet on rear by 34.6 feet. Upset price, \$800.

Sealed bids (blank forms of which may be obtained upon application) will be received by the Comptroller at the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Room K, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, until 11 a. m. on the 6th day of January, 1912, and then publicly opened for the sale for removal of the above described buildings and appurtenances thereto, and the award will be made to the highest bidder within twenty-four hours, or as soon as possible thereafter.

Each parcel must be bid for separately and will be sold in its entirety, as described in above advertisement.

Each and every bid must be accompanied by a deposit of cash or certified check in a sum equal to 25 per cent. of the amount of the bid, except that a minimum deposit of \$50 will be required with all bids, and that a deposit of \$500 will be sufficient to entitle bidders to bid on any or all of the buildings.

Deposits of unsuccessful bidders will be returned within twenty-four hours after successful bidders have paid purchase price in full and given security, and those of successful bidders may be declared forfeited to The City of New York by the Comptroller upon the failure of the successful bidder to further comply with the requirements of the terms and conditions of the sale as set forth hereinafter.

Successful bidders will be required to pay the purchase money and deposit the required security within twenty-four hours of the receipt of notification of the acceptance of their bids.

The Comptroller reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any defects or informalities in any bid should it be deemed in the interest of The City of New York to do so.

All bids must state clearly (1) the number or description of the building or buildings bid for, (2) the amount of the bid, (3) the full name and address of the bidder.

All bids must be inclosed in properly sealed envelopes, marked "Proposals to be opened January 6, 1912," and must be delivered, or mailed in time for their delivery, prior to 11 a. m. of that date to the "Collector of City Revenue, Room K, No. 280 Broadway, New York City," from whom any further particulars regarding the buildings to be disposed of may be obtained.

**THE BUILDINGS WILL BE SOLD FOR IMMEDIATE REMOVAL ONLY, SUBJECT TO THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS PRINTED ON THE LAST PAGE OF THIS ISSUE OF THE "CITY RECORD."**

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.  
City of New York, Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's Office, December 11, 1912.  
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# CORPORATION SALE OF BUILDINGS AND APPURTENANCES THERETO ON CITY REAL ESTATE BY SEALED BIDS.

AT THE REQUEST OF THE PRESIDENT of the Borough of The Bronx public notice is hereby given that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale by sealed bids certain encroachments standing upon property owned by The City of New York, acquired by it for street opening purposes in the

**Borough of The Bronx.**  
Being the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., standing within the lines of Taylor avenue, from Wood avenue to Westchester avenue, and Beach avenue, from the northerly line of Wood avenue to the southerly line of Randolph avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, all of which are more particularly described on a certain map on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room K, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

Pursuant to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted at a meeting held November 27, 1912, the sale by sealed bids at the upset or minimum prices named in the description of each parcel of the above buildings and appurtenances thereto, will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

**FRIDAY, JANUARY 3, 1913,**  
at 11 a. m., in lots and parcels and in manner and form and at upset prices, as follows:

Parcel No. 8. Fence on the northeast corner of Beach avenue and McGraw avenue. Upset price, \$10.

Parcel No. 117. Part of one and one-half story frame barn on the west side of Taylor avenue, 100 feet north of Westchester avenue. Upset price, \$10.

Parcel No. 120. Iron fence and part of steps 5 feet north of Parcel No. 117. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 121. Iron fence and part of steps north of Parcel No. 120. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 122. Iron fence and part of steps north of Parcel No. 121. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 123. Fence and part of steps north of Parcel No. 122. Upset price, \$10.

Parcel No. 124. Fence and part of steps north of Parcel No. 123. Upset price, \$10.

Parcel No. 129. Fence and part of steps 125 feet north of Parcel No. 124. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 130. Fence and part of steps north of Parcel No. 129. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 131. Fence and part of steps north of Parcel No. 130. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 143 to No. 146. Fence and part of steps on east side of Taylor avenue, 200 feet north of Westchester avenue. Upset price, \$10.

Parcel No. 155. Fence and part of steps 225 feet north of Parcel No. 146. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 156. Part of two-story frame flat on the southeast corner of Taylor avenue and McGraw avenue. Cut 3 feet on north and south sides by 56.1 feet. Upset price, \$50.

Parcel No. 164. Part of steps on the west side of Taylor avenue, 60 feet north of Tremont avenue. Upset price, \$2.

Parcel No. 165. Fence and part of steps north of Parcel No. 164. Upset price, \$2.

Parcel No. 178. Fence and part of steps on the east side of Taylor avenue, 25 feet south of Wood avenue. Upset price, \$3.

Sealed bids (blank forms of which may be obtained upon application) will be received by the Comptroller at the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Room K, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, until 11 a. m., on the 3d day of January, 1913, and then publicly opened for the sale for removal of the above-described buildings and appurtenances thereto, and the award will be made to the highest bidder within twenty-four hours, or as soon as possible thereafter.

Each parcel must be bid for separately and will be sold in its entirety, as described in above advertisement.

Each and every bid must be accompanied by a deposit of cash or certified check in a sum equal to 25 per cent. of the amount of the bid, except that a minimum deposit of \$50 will be required with all bids, and that a deposit of \$500 will be sufficient to entitle bidders to bid on any or all of the buildings.

Deposits of unsuccessful bidders will be returned within twenty-four hours after successful bidders have paid purchase price in full and given security, and those of successful bidders may be declared forfeited to The City of New York by the Comptroller upon the failure of the successful bidder to further comply with the requirements of the terms and conditions of the sale as set forth hereinafter.

Successful bidders will be required to pay the purchase money and deposit the required security within twenty-four hours of the receipt of notification of the acceptance of their bids.

The Comptroller reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any defects or informalities in any bid should it be deemed in the interest of The City of New York to do so.

All bids must state clearly (1) the number or description of the building or buildings bid for, (2) the amount of the bid, (3) the full name and address of the bidder.

All bids must be inclosed in properly sealed envelopes, marked "Proposals to be opened January 3, 1913," and must be delivered, or mailed in time for their delivery, prior to 11 a. m. of that date to the "Collector of City Revenue, Room K, No. 280 Broadway, New York City," from whom any further particulars regarding the buildings to be disposed of may be obtained.

**THE BUILDINGS WILL BE SOLD FOR IMMEDIATE REMOVAL ONLY, SUBJECT TO THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS PRINTED ON THE LAST PAGE OF THIS ISSUE OF THE "CITY RECORD."**

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.  
City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, December 11, 1912.

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# CORPORATION SALE OF BUILDINGS AND APPURTENANCES THERETO ON CITY REAL ESTATE BY SEALED BIDS.

AT THE REQUEST OF THE PRESIDENT of the Borough of The Bronx, public notice is hereby given that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale by sealed bids certain encroachments standing upon property owned by The City of New York, acquired by it for street opening purposes, in the

**Borough of The Bronx.**  
Being the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., standing within the lines of McGraw ave., from White Plains road to Unionport road, in the Borough of The Bronx, all of which are more particularly described on a certain map on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room K, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

Pursuant to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopted at a meeting held November 27, 1912, the sale by sealed bids, at the upset or minimum prices named in the description of each parcel of the above described buildings and appurtenances thereto, will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

**THURSDAY, JANUARY 2, 1913,**  
at 11 a. m., in lots and parcels and in manner and form and at upset prices as follows:

Parcel No. 18—Board fence on the north side

of McGraw ave. at Unionport road. Upset price, \$25.

Parcel No. 20—Part of one and one-half story frame house and extension and part of porch on the south side of McGraw ave., about 350 feet west of Unionport road. Cut house 0.5 feet on west side by 3.1 feet on east side by 26.1 feet. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 21—Fence east of Parcel No. 20. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 22—Fence east of Parcel No. 21. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 26—Fence and part of one and one-half story frame house on south side of McGraw ave. at Unionport road. Cut house 0.5 feet on west side by 0.8 feet on east side by 16.3 feet. Upset price, \$5.

Sealed bids (blank forms of which may be obtained upon application) will be received by the Comptroller at the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Room K, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, until 11 a. m. on the 2d day of January, 1913, and then publicly opened for the sale for removal of the above-described buildings and appurtenances thereto, and the award will be made to the highest bidder within twenty-four hours, or as soon as possible thereafter.

Each parcel must be bid for separately and will be sold in its entirety, as described in above advertisement.

Each and every bid must be accompanied by a deposit of cash or certified check in a sum equal to 25 per cent. of the amount of the bid, except that a minimum deposit of \$50 will be required with all bids, and that a deposit of \$500 will be sufficient to entitle bidders to bid on any or all of the buildings.

Deposits of unsuccessful bidders will be returned within twenty-four hours after successful bidders have paid purchase price in full and given security, and those of successful bidders may be declared forfeited to The City of New York by the Comptroller upon the failure of the successful bidder to further comply with the requirements of the terms and conditions of the sale as set forth hereinafter.

Successful bidders will be required to pay the purchase money and deposit the required security within twenty-four hours of the receipt of notification of the acceptance of their bids.

The Comptroller reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any defects or informalities in any bid should it be deemed in the interest of The City of New York to do so.

All bids must state clearly (1) the number or description of the building or buildings bid for, (2) the amount of the bid, (3) the full name and address of the bidder.

All bids must be inclosed in properly sealed envelopes, marked "Proposals to be opened January 2, 1913," and must be delivered, or mailed in time for their delivery, prior to 11 a. m. of that date to the "Collector of City Revenue, Room K, No. 280 Broadway, New York City," from whom any further particulars regarding the buildings to be disposed of may be obtained.

**THE BUILDINGS WILL BE SOLD FOR IMMEDIATE REMOVAL ONLY, SUBJECT TO THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS PRINTED ON THE LAST PAGE OF THIS ISSUE OF THE "CITY RECORD."**

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.  
City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, December 10, 1912.

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# CORPORATION SALE OF BUILDINGS AND APPURTENANCES THERETO ON CITY REAL ESTATE BY SEALED BIDS.

AT THE REQUEST OF THE PRESIDENT of the Borough of The Bronx, public notice is hereby given that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale by sealed bids certain encroachments standing upon property owned by The City of New York, acquired by it for street opening purposes, in the

**Borough of The Bronx.**  
Being the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., standing within the lines of Glover st., from Westchester ave. to Castle Hill ave., and Doris st., from Glebe ave. to Westchester ave., in the Borough of The Bronx, all of which are more particularly described on a certain map on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room K, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

Pursuant to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted at a meeting held November 27, 1912, the sale by sealed bids at the upset or minimum prices named in the description of each parcel of the above buildings and appurtenances thereto, will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

**TUESDAY, DECEMBER 31, 1912,**  
at 11 a. m., in lots and parcels and in manner and form and at upset prices, as follows:

Parcel No. 4. Part of two and one-half-story frame house on the south side of Glover st., 60 feet east of Castle Hill ave. Cut 4.1 feet on east and west sides by 18.4 feet. Upset price, \$50.

Parcel No. 6. Part of two and one-half-story frame house, 30 feet east of Parcel No. 4. Cut 4.1 feet on east and west sides by 18.5 feet. Upset price, \$50.

Parcel No. 7. Part of two-story frame and brick house east of Parcel No. 6. Cut 4.5 feet on east and west sides by 20.2 feet. Upset price, \$50.

Parcel No. 9. Part of two and one-half-story frame house, 25 feet east of Parcel No. 7. Cut 4 feet on east and west sides by 18.4 feet. Upset price, \$50.

Parcel No. 10. Porch of two-story and basement frame house, 30 feet east of Parcel No. 9. Upset price, \$10.

Parcels No. 19 to No. 22. Wire fence on north side of Glover st., east of Castle Hill ave. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 23. Part of steps east of Parcel No. 22. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 24. Part of three-story frame and brick building, northwest corner of Glover and Stearns st. Cut 3.5 feet on east and west sides by 23.9 feet. Upset price, \$50.

Parcel No. 26. Wire fence on northeast corner of Glover st. and Stearns st. Upset price, \$1.

Parcel No. 27. Fence and part of steps east of Parcel No. 26. Upset price, \$2.

Parcel No. 28. Fence and part of steps east of Parcel No. 27. Upset price, \$2.

Parcel No. 29. Fence and part of steps east of Parcel No. 28. Upset price, \$2.

Parcel No. 31. Fence and part of steps east of Parcel No. 29. Upset price, \$3.

Parcel No. 37. Fence and part of steps 75 feet east of St. Raymonds ave. Upset price, \$2.

Parcel No. 43. Fence and part of steps on southeast corner Glover st. and Glebe ave. Upset price, \$10.

Parcel No. 44. Fence and part of steps east of Parcel No. 43. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 45. Fence and part of steps east of Parcel No. 44. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 46. Fence and part of steps east of Parcel No. 45. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 47. Fence and part of steps east of Parcel No. 46. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 48. Fence and part of steps east of Parcel No. 47. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 49. Fence and part of steps east of Parcel No. 48. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 50. Fence and part of steps east of Parcel No. 49. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 51. Fence and part of steps east of Parcel No. 50. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 52. Fence and part of steps east of Parcel No. 51. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 53. Part of two and one-half-story frame house and one and one-half-story frame shop on northeast corner of Glover st. and Glebe ave. Cut house 4.6 feet on front by 4.7 feet on rear by 32.2 feet. Cut shop 4.7 feet on east and west sides by 18.2 feet. Upset price, \$50.

Parcel No. 56. Part of open frame shed east of Parcel No. 53. Cut 4.8 feet on east and west sides by 17.9 feet. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 60 to No. 62. Cement block wall, 75 feet east of Parcel No. 56. Upset price, \$20.

Parcel No. 63. Cement wall and bay window east of Parcel No. 62. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 66. Fence and part of steps on south side of Glover st., 100 feet east of Lyon ave. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 67. Fence and part of steps east of Parcel No. 66. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 68. Fence and part of steps east of Parcel No. 67. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 69. Fence and part of steps east of Parcel No. 68. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 70. Fence and part of steps east of Parcel No. 69. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 71 to No. 73. Fence east of Parcel No. 70. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 75. Cement wall and part of steps east of Parcel No. 73. Upset price, \$10.

Parcel No. 80. Iron fence on north side of Glover st., 100 feet east of Lyon ave. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 84. Cement wall and part of steps, 100 feet east of Parcel No. 80. Upset price, \$2.

Parcel No. 86. Fence and part of steps, 75 feet east of Parcel No. 84. Upset price, \$5.

Parcels No. 87 and No. 88. Fence and part of steps east of Parcel No. 86. Upset price, \$10.

Parcel No. 106. Wall and fence on the northeast corner of Doris st. and Lyon ave. Upset price, \$20.

Sealed bids (blank forms of which may be obtained upon application) will be received by the Comptroller at the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Room K, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, until 11 a. m. on the 31st day of December, 1912, and then publicly opened for the sale for removal of the above-described buildings and appurtenances thereto, and the award will be made to the highest bidder within twenty-four hours, or as soon as possible thereafter.

Each parcel must be bid for separately and will be sold in its entirety, as described in above advertisement.

Each and every bid must be accompanied by a deposit of cash or certified check in a sum equal to 25 per cent. of the amount of the bid, except that a minimum deposit of \$50 will be required with all bids, and that a deposit of \$500 will be sufficient to entitle bidders to bid on any or all of the buildings.

Deposits of unsuccessful bidders will be returned within twenty-four hours after successful bidders have paid purchase price in full and given security, and those of successful bidders may be declared forfeited to The City of New York by the Comptroller upon the failure of the successful bidder to further comply with the requirements of the terms and conditions of the sale as set forth hereinafter.

Successful bidders will be required to pay the purchase money and deposit the required security within twenty-four hours of the receipt of notification of the acceptance of their bids.

The Comptroller reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any defects or informalities in any bid should it be deemed in the interest of The City of New York to do so.

All bids must state clearly (1) the number or description of the building or buildings bid for, (2) the amount of the bid, (3) the full name and address of the bidder.

All bids must be inclosed in properly sealed envelopes, marked "Proposals to be opened December 31, 1912," and must be delivered, or mailed in time for their delivery, prior to 11 a. m. of that date to the "Collector of City Revenue, Room K, No. 280 Broadway, New York City," from whom any further particulars regarding the buildings to be disposed of may be obtained.

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WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.  
City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, December 10, 1912.

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Parcel No. 50. Fence and part of steps east of Parcel No. 49. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 51. Fence and part of steps east of Parcel No. 50. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 52. Fence and part of steps east of Parcel No. 51. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 53. Part of two and one-half-story frame house and one and one-half-story frame shop on northeast corner of Glover st. and Glebe ave. Cut house 4.6 feet on front by 4.7 feet on rear by 32.2 feet. Cut shop 4.7 feet on east and west sides by 18.2 feet. Upset price, \$50.

Parcel No. 56. Part of open frame shed east of Parcel No. 53. Cut 4.8 feet on east and west sides by 17.9 feet. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 60 to No. 62. Cement block wall, 75 feet east of Parcel No. 56. Upset price, \$20.

Parcel No. 63. Cement wall and bay window east of Parcel No. 62. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 66. Fence and part of steps on south side of Glover st., 100 feet east of Lyon ave. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 67. Fence and part of steps east of Parcel No. 66. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 68. Fence and part of steps east of Parcel No. 67. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 69. Fence and part of steps east of Parcel No. 68. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 70. Fence and part of steps east of Parcel No. 69. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 71 to No. 73. Fence east of Parcel No. 70. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 75. Cement wall and part of steps east of Parcel No. 73. Upset price, \$10.

Parcel No. 80. Iron fence on north side of Glover st., 100 feet east of Lyon ave. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 84. Cement wall and part of steps, 100 feet east of Parcel No. 80. Upset price, \$2.

Parcel No. 86. Fence and part of steps, 75 feet east of Parcel No. 84. Upset price, \$5.

Parcels No. 87 and No. 88. Fence and part of steps east of Parcel No. 86. Upset price, \$10.

Parcel No. 106. Wall and fence on the northeast corner of Doris st. and Lyon ave. Upset price, \$20.

Sealed bids (blank forms of which may be obtained upon application) will be received by the Comptroller at the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Room K, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, until 11 a. m. on the 31st day of December, 1912, and then publicly opened for the sale for removal of the above-described buildings and appurtenances thereto, and the award will be made to the highest bidder within twenty-four hours, or as soon as possible thereafter.

Each parcel must be bid for separately and will be sold in its entirety, as described in above advertisement.

Each and every bid must be accompanied by a deposit of cash or certified check in a sum equal to 25 per cent. of the amount of the bid, except that a minimum deposit of \$50 will be required with all bids, and that a deposit of \$500 will be sufficient to entitle bidders to bid on any or all of the buildings.

Deposits of unsuccessful bidders will be returned within twenty-four hours after successful bidders have paid purchase price in full and given security, and those of successful bidders may be declared forfeited to The City of New York by the Comptroller upon the failure of the successful bidder to further comply with the requirements of the terms and conditions of the sale as set forth hereinafter.

Successful bidders will be required to pay the purchase money and deposit the required security within twenty-four hours of the receipt of notification of the acceptance of their bids.

The Comptroller reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any defects or informalities in any bid should it be deemed in the interest of The City of New York to do so.

All bids must state clearly (1) the number or description of the building or buildings bid for, (2) the amount of the bid, (3) the full name and address of the bidder.

All bids must be inclosed in properly sealed envelopes, marked "Proposals to be opened December 31, 1912," and must be delivered, or mailed in time for their delivery, prior to 11 a. m. of that date to the "Collector of City Revenue, Room K, No. 280 Broadway, New York City," from whom any further particulars regarding the buildings to be disposed of may be obtained.

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WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.  
City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, December 10, 1912.

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# CORPORATION SALE OF BUILDINGS AND APPURTENANCES THERETO ON CITY REAL ESTATE BY SEALED BIDS.

AT THE REQUEST OF THE PRESIDENT of the Borough of Richmond, public notice is hereby given that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale by sealed bids certain encroachments standing upon property owned by The City of New York, acquired by it for street opening purposes in the

**Borough of Richmond.**  
Being the buildings, parts or buildings, etc., standing within the lines of Broadway, from its present terminus south of Elizabeth st., southwardly in a straight line to Mersereau ave., in the Borough of Richmond, which are more particularly described on a certain map on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room K, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

Pursuant to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted at a meeting held November 27, 1912, the sale by sealed bids, at the upset or minimum prices named in the description of each parcel of the above described buildings and appurtenances thereto, will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

**MONDAY, DECEMBER 30, 1912,**  
at 11 a. m., in lots and parcels and in manner and form and at upset prices as follows:

Parcel No. 1. Two-story frame house, No. 115 Mersereau ave. Upset price, \$100.

Sealed bids (blank forms of which may be obtained upon application) will be received by the Comptroller at the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Room K, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, until 11 a. m. on the 30th day of December, 1912, and then publicly opened for the sale for removal of the above-described buildings and appurtenances thereto, and the award will be made to the highest bidder within twenty-four hours, or as soon as possible thereafter.

Each parcel must be bid for separately and will be sold in its entirety, as described in above advertisement.

Each and every bid must be accompanied by a deposit of cash or certified check in a sum equal to 25 per cent. of the amount of the bid, except that a minimum deposit of \$50 will be required with all bids, and that a deposit of \$500 will be sufficient to entitle bidders to bid on any or all of the buildings.

Deposits of unsuccessful bidders will be returned within twenty-four hours after successful bidders have paid purchase price in full and given security, and those of successful bidders may be declared forfeited to The City of New York by the Comptroller upon the failure of the successful bidder to further comply with the requirements of the terms and conditions of the sale as set forth hereinafter.

Successful bidders will be required to pay the purchase money and deposit



ing upon property owned by The City of New York, acquired by it for Fire Department purposes in the

#### Borough of Brooklyn.

Being the two-story frame building, formerly occupied by Engine Company No. 154, on the southeast corner of Gravesend ave. and Neck road, in the Borough of Brooklyn, and which is more particularly described on a certain map on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room K, 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

Pursuant to a resolution adopted by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, at a meeting held November 27, 1912, the sale by sealed bids of the above described building and appurtenances thereto will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 26, 1912,

at 11 a. m., in lots and parcels and in manner and form as follows:

Parcel No. 1. Two-story frame building on the southeast corner of Gravesend ave. and Neck road, formerly occupied by Engine Company No. 154.

Sealed bids (blank forms of which may be obtained upon application) will be received by the Comptroller at the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Room K, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, until 11 a. m. on the 26th day of December, 1912, and then publicly opened for the sale for removal of the above described buildings and appurtenances thereto, and the award will be made to the highest bidder within twenty-four hours, or as soon as possible thereafter.

Each parcel must be bid for separately and will be sold in its entirety, as described in above advertisement.

Each and every bid must be accompanied by a deposit of cash or certified check in a sum equal to 25 per cent. of the amount of the bid, except that a minimum deposit of \$50 will be required with all bids, and that a deposit of \$500 will be sufficient to entitle bidders to bid on any or all of the buildings.

Deposits of unsuccessful bidders will be returned within twenty-four hours after successful bidders have paid purchase price in full and given security, and those of successful bidders may be declared forfeited to The City of New York by the Comptroller upon the failure of the successful bidder to further comply with the requirements of the terms and conditions of the sale as set forth hereinafter.

Successful bidders will be required to pay the purchase money and deposit the required security within twenty-four hours of the receipt of notification of the acceptance of their bids.

The Comptroller reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any defects or informalities in any bid should it be deemed in the interest of The City of New York to do so.

All bids must state clearly (1) the number or description of the building or buildings bid for, (2) the amount of the bid, (3) the full name and address of the bidder.

All bids must be inclosed in properly sealed envelopes, marked "Proposals to be opened December 26, 1912," and must be delivered, or mailed in time for their delivery, prior to 11 a. m. of that date to the "Collector of City Revenue, Room K, No. 280 Broadway, New York City," from whom any further particulars regarding the buildings to be disposed of may be obtained.

**THE BUILDINGS WILL BE SOLD FOR IMMEDIATE REMOVAL ONLY, SUBJECT TO THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS PRINTED ON THE LAST PAGE OF THIS ISSUE OF THE "CITY RECORD."**

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.  
City of New York, Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's Office, December 6, 1912. d9,26

#### CORPORATION SALE OF BUILDINGS AND APPURTENANCES THERETO ON CITY REAL ESTATE BY SEALED BIDS.

AT THE REQUEST OF THE PRESIDENT of the Borough of The Bronx public notice is hereby given that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale by sealed bids certain encroachments standing upon property owned by The City of New York, acquired by it for street opening purposes in the

#### Borough of The Bronx.

Being the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., standing within the lines of Rosedale ave., from Walker ave. to Tremont ave., in the Borough of The Bronx, which are more particularly described on a certain map on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room K, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

Pursuant to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted at a meeting held November 27, 1912, the sale by sealed bids at the upset or minimum prices named in the description of each parcel of the above buildings and appurtenances thereto, will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 24, 1912,

at 11 a. m., in lots and parcels and in manner and form as follows:

Parcel No. 5—Part of porch and steps and picket fence at northwest corner of Rosedale ave. and Tremont ave. Upset price, \$2.

Parcel No. 6—Picket fence north of Parcel No. 5. Upset price, \$2.

Parcel No. 7—Part of steps and fence north of Parcel No. 6. Upset price, \$2.

Parcel No. 8—Wire netting fence north of Parcel No. 7. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 9—Picket fence and part of steps north of Parcel No. 8. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 10—Picket fence and part of steps north of Parcel No. 9. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 11—Picket fence and part of steps north of Parcel No. 10. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 12—Picket fence and part of steps north of Parcel No. 11. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 13—Picket fence, hedge and part of steps north of Parcel No. 12. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 14—Hedge fence and part of steps north of Parcel No. 13. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 15—Picket fence north of Parcel No. 14. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 16—Picket fence and part of steps north of Parcel No. 15. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 17—Wire net fence north of parcel No. 16. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 18—Fence and part of steps north of Parcel No. 17. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 19—Picket fence and hedge north of Parcel No. 18. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 20—Fence and part of steps north of Parcel No. 19. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 21—Picket fence and part of steps north of Parcel No. 20. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 22—Picket fence, hedge and part of steps north of Parcel No. 21. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 23—Picket fence north of Parcel No. 22. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 24—Picket fence and part of steps north of Parcel No. 23. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 25—Wire fence north of Parcel No. 24. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 26—Part of one-story frame store, No. 1519 Rosedale ave. Cut 5.1 feet on south side by 5.2 feet on north side. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 27—Picket fence and part of steps north of Parcel No. 26. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 28—Picket fence north of Parcel No. 27. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 29—Picket fence north of Parcel No. 28. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 32—Picket fence and part of steps north of Parcel No. 30. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 35—Picket fence and part of steps north of Parcel No. 32. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 36—Picket fence and part of steps north of Parcel No. 35. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 37—Picket fence and part of steps north of Parcel No. 36. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 38—Picket fence and part of steps north of Parcel No. 37. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 45—Wooden platform, 45 feet north of the northeast corner of Rosedale ave. and Tremont ave. Cut 5 feet on north and south sides. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 46—Picket fence and part of steps north of Parcel No. 45. Upset price, \$2.

Parcel No. 47—Picket fence and part of steps north of Parcel No. 46. Upset price, \$2.

Parcel No. 50—Picket fence and part of steps north of Parcel No. 47. Upset price, \$2.

Parcel No. 57—Picket fence and part of steps north of Parcel No. 50. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 58—Picket fence and part of steps north of Parcel No. 57. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 59—Picket fence and part of steps north of Parcel No. 58. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 60—Picket fence north of Parcel No. 59. Upset price, \$2.

Parcel No. 61—Picket fence north of Parcel No. 60. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 62—Fence and part of two steps north of Parcel No. 61. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 63—Part of brick steps north of Parcel No. 62. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 64—Picket fence and part of steps north of Parcel No. 63. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 65—Picket fence and part of steps north of Parcel No. 64. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 66—Picket fence north of Parcel No. 65. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 67—Fence north of Parcel No. 66. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 68—Fence north of Parcel No. 67. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 70—Picket fence and part of steps on northeast corner of Mansion st. and Rosedale ave. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 71—Picket fence and part of steps north of Parcel No. 70. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 72—Picket fence and part of steps north of Parcel No. 71. Upset price, \$2.

Parcel No. 73—Picket fence and part of steps north of Parcel No. 72. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 74—Fence and part of steps north of Parcel No. 73. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 75—Fence and part of steps north of Parcel No. 74. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 76—Fence and part of steps north of Parcel No. 75. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 77—Iron fence and part of steps north of Parcel No. 76. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 80—Wire fence and part of steps 75 feet north of Parcel No. 77. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 81—Picket fence and part of steps north of Parcel No. 80. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 82—Picket fence and part of steps north of Parcel No. 81. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 83—Picket fence north of Parcel No. 82. Upset price, \$5.

Sealed bids (blank forms of which may be obtained upon application) will be received by the Comptroller at the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Room K, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, until 11 a. m. on the 24th day of December, 1912, and then publicly opened for the sale for removal of the above-described buildings and appurtenances thereto, and the award will be made to the highest bidder within twenty-four hours, or as soon as possible thereafter.

Each parcel must be bid for separately and will be sold in its entirety, as described in above advertisement.

Each and every bid must be accompanied by a deposit of cash or certified check in a sum equal to 25 per cent. of the amount of the bid, except that a minimum deposit of \$50 will be required with all bids, and that a deposit of \$500 will be sufficient to entitle bidders to bid on any or all of the buildings.

Deposits of unsuccessful bidders will be returned within twenty-four hours after successful bidders have paid purchase price in full and given security, and those of successful bidders may be declared forfeited to The City of New York by the Comptroller upon the failure of the successful bidder to further comply with the requirements of the terms and conditions of the sale as set forth hereinafter.

Successful bidders will be required to pay the purchase money and deposit the required security within twenty-four hours of the receipt of notification of the acceptance of their bids.

The Comptroller reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any defects or informalities in any bid should it be deemed in the interest of The City of New York to do so.

All bids must state clearly (1) the number or description of the building or buildings bid for, (2) the amount of the bid, (3) the full name and address of the bidder.

All bids must be inclosed in properly sealed envelopes, marked "Proposals to be opened December 24, 1912," and must be delivered, or mailed in time for their delivery, prior to 11 a. m. of that date to the "Collector of City Revenue, Room K, No. 280 Broadway, New York City," from whom any further particulars regarding the buildings to be disposed of may be obtained.

**THE BUILDINGS WILL BE SOLD FOR IMMEDIATE REMOVAL ONLY, SUBJECT TO THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS PRINTED ON THE LAST PAGE OF THIS ISSUE OF THE "CITY RECORD."**

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.  
City of New York, Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's Office, December 5, 1912. d7,24

#### CORPORATION SALE OF BUILDINGS AND APPURTENANCES THERETO ON CITY REAL ESTATE BY SEALED BIDS.

AT THE REQUEST OF THE BOARD OF Education public notice is hereby given that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale by sealed bids certain encroachments standing upon property owned by The City of New York, acquired by it for school site purposes in the

**Borough of The Bronx.**

Being all the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., on the plot of ground having a frontage of 225 feet on the easterly side of Trinity ave., 175 feet on the northerly side of E. 158th st. and 236 feet on the westerly side of Jackson ave., in the Borough of The Bronx, which are more particularly described on a certain map on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room K, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

Pursuant to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted at a meeting held November 27, 1912, the sale by sealed bids of the above described buildings and appurtenances thereto will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 23, 1912,

at 11 a. m., in lots and parcels and in manner and form as follows:

Parcel No. 1. Two-story and basement frame house and sheds in rear, 804 Trinity ave.

Parcel No. 2. Two 2-story and basement frame houses and shed in rear, 806 and 808 Trinity ave.

Parcel No. 3. Two-story and basement frame house, 812 Trinity ave.

Parcel No. 4. Two-story and basement frame house, 816 Trinity ave.

Parcel No. 5. Two-story and basement frame house, 818 Trinity ave.

Parcel No. 6. Two 3-story and basement frame houses, 815 and 817 Jackson ave.

Parcel No. 7. Four 3-story and basement frame houses, 819, 821, 823 and 825 Jackson ave.

Sealed bids (blank forms of which may be obtained upon application) will be received by the Comptroller at the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Room K, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, until 11 a. m. on the 23d day of December, 1912, and then publicly opened for the sale for removal of the above described buildings and appurtenances thereto, and the award will be made to the highest bidder within twenty-four hours, or as soon as possible thereafter.

Each parcel must be bid for separately and will be sold in its entirety, as described in above advertisement.

Each and every bid must be accompanied by a deposit of cash or certified check in a sum equal to 25 per cent. of the amount of the bid, except that a minimum deposit of \$50 will be required with all bids, and that a deposit of \$500 will be sufficient to entitle bidders to bid on any or all of the buildings.

Deposits of unsuccessful bidders will be returned within twenty-four hours after successful bidders have paid purchase price in full and given security, and those of successful bidders may be declared forfeited to The City of New York by the Comptroller upon the failure of the successful bidder to further comply with the requirements of the terms and conditions of the sale as set forth hereinafter.

Successful bidders will be required to pay the purchase money and deposit the required security within twenty-four hours of the receipt of notification of the acceptance of their bids.

The Comptroller reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any defects or informalities in any bid should it be deemed in the interest of The City of New York to do so.

All bids must state clearly (1) the number or description of the building or buildings bid for, (2) the amount of the bid, (3) the full name and address of the bidder.

All bids must be inclosed in properly sealed envelopes, marked "Proposals to be opened December 23, 1912," and must be delivered, or mailed in time for their delivery, prior to 11 a. m. of that date to the "Collector of City Revenue, Room K, No. 280 Broadway, New York City," from whom any further particulars regarding the buildings to be disposed of may be obtained.

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WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.  
City of New York, Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's Office, November 29, 1912. d6,23

#### CORPORATION SALE OF BUILDINGS AND APPURTENANCES THERETO ON CITY REAL ESTATE BY SEALED BIDS.

AT THE REQUEST OF THE BOARD OF Education, public notice is hereby given that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale by sealed bids certain buildings standing upon property owned by The City of New York, acquired by it for educational purposes, in the

**Borough of Richmond.**

Being the buildings, parts of buildings etc., situated on the plot of ground, 200 feet by 200 feet by irregular, on the southeast corner of Washington ave. and Columbus ave., in the Borough of Richmond, which are more particularly described on a certain map on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room K, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

Pursuant to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted at a meeting held November 27, 1912, the sale by sealed bids of the above buildings and appurtenances thereto will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 20, 1912,

at 11 a. m., in lots and parcels and in manner and form as follows:

Parcel No. 1. One and one-half story frame house on the south side of Washington ave., about 150 feet east of Columbus ave.

Sealed bids (blank forms of which may be obtained upon application) will be received by the Comptroller at the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Room K, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, until 11 a. m. on the 20th day of December, 1912, and then publicly opened for the sale for removal of the above described buildings and appurtenances thereto, and the award will be made to the highest bidder within twenty-four hours, or as soon as possible thereafter.

Each parcel must be bid for separately and will be sold in its entirety, as described in above advertisement.

Each and every bid must be accompanied by a deposit of cash or certified check in a sum equal to 25 per cent. of the amount of the bid, except that a minimum deposit of \$50 will be required with all bids, and that a deposit of \$500 will be sufficient to entitle bidders to bid on any or all of the buildings.

Deposits of unsuccessful bidders will be returned within twenty-four hours after successful bidders have paid purchase price in full and given security, and those of successful bidders may be declared forfeited to The City of New York by the Comptroller upon the failure of the successful bidder to further comply with the requirements of the terms and conditions of the sale as set forth hereinafter.

Successful bidders will be required to pay the purchase money and deposit the required security within twenty-four hours of the receipt of notification of the acceptance of their bids.

The Comptroller reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any defects or informalities in any bid should it be deemed in the interest of The City of New York to do so.

All bids must state clearly (1) the number or description of the building or buildings bid for, (2) the amount of the bid, (3) the full name and address of the bidder.

All bids must be inclosed in properly sealed envelopes, marked "Proposals to be opened December 20, 1912," and must be delivered, or mailed in time for their delivery, prior to 11 a. m. of that date to the "Collector of City Revenue, Room K, No. 280 Broadway, New York City," from whom any further particulars regarding the buildings to be disposed of may be obtained.

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WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.  
City of New York, Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's Office, November 29, 1912. d4,20

#### CORPORATION SALE OF BUILDINGS AND APPURTENANCES THERETO ON CITY REAL ESTATE BY SEALED BIDS.

AT THE REQUEST OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE Borough of The Bronx, public notice is hereby given that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale by sealed bids certain encroachments standing upon property owned by The City of New York, acquired by it for street opening purposes in the

**Borough of The Bronx.**

Being the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., standing within the lines of West Farms road, from the Bronx River to Westchester Creek, in the Borough of The Bronx, all of which are more particularly described on a certain map on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room K, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

Pursuant to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted at a meeting held November 27, 1912, the sale by sealed bids at the upset or minimum prices named in the description of each parcel of the above buildings and appurtenances thereto, will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 19, 1912,

at 11 a. m., in lots and parcels and in manner and form as follows:

Parcel No. 1. Two-story frame hotel and shed on the south side of West Farms road at Westchester Creek. Upset price, \$200.

Sealed bids (blank forms of which may be obtained upon application) will be received by the Comptroller at the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Room K, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, until 11 a. m. on the 19th day of December, 1912, and then publicly opened for the sale for removal of the above described buildings and appurtenances thereto, and the award will be made to the highest bidder within twenty-four hours, or as soon as possible thereafter.

Each parcel must be bid for separately and will be sold in its entirety, as described in above advertisement.

Each and every bid must be accompanied by a deposit of cash or certified check in a sum equal to 25 per cent. of the amount of the bid, except that a minimum deposit of \$50 will be required with all bids, and that a deposit of \$500 will be sufficient to entitle bidders to bid on any or all of the buildings.

Deposits of unsuccessful bidders will be returned within twenty-four hours after successful bidders have paid purchase price in full and given security, and those of successful bidders may be declared forfeited to The City of New York by the Comptroller upon the failure of the successful bidder to further comply with the requirements of the terms and conditions of the sale as set forth hereinafter.

Successful bidders will be required to pay the purchase money and deposit the required security within twenty-four hours of the receipt of notification of the acceptance of their bids.

The Comptroller reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any defects or informalities in any bid should it be deemed in the interest of The City of New York to do so.

All bids must state clearly (1) the number or description of the building or buildings bid for, (2) the amount of the bid, (3) the full name and address of the bidder.

All bids must be inclosed in properly sealed envelopes, marked "Proposals to be opened December 19, 1912," and must be delivered, or mailed in time for their delivery, prior to 11 a. m. of that date to the "Collector of City Revenue, Room K, No. 280 Broadway, New York City," from whom any further particulars regarding the buildings to be disposed of may be obtained.

**THE BUILDINGS WILL BE SOLD FOR IMMEDIATE REMOVAL ONLY, SUBJECT TO THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS PRINTED ON THE LAST PAGE OF THIS ISSUE OF THE "CITY RECORD."**

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.  
City of New York, Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's Office, November 29, 1912. d4,20

ing Fund, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale by sealed bids certain encroachments standing upon property owned by The City of New York, acquired by it for street opening purposes in the

#### Borough of The Bronx.

Being the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., standing within the lines of West Farms road, from the Bronx River to Westchester Creek, in the Borough of The Bronx, all of which are more particularly described on a certain map on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room K, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

Pursuant to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted at a meeting held November 27, 1912, the sale by sealed bids at the upset or minimum prices named in the description of each parcel of the above buildings and appurtenances thereto, will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 19, 1912,

at 11 a. m., in lots and parcels and in manner and form as follows:



and 25 feet westerly from the westerly line of W. 1st st., said point being distant 251.53 feet southerly from the intersection of the southerly line of Sheephead Bay road with said line, which line is the westerly line of a 25-foot right of way as shown on map of boulevard Lots 21 and 22 of common lands in the Town of Gravesend, as subdivided into lots situated on Coney Island, Town of Gravesend, Kings County, N. Y., by C. A. Voorhies, running thence southerly and parallel with W. 1st st. 60 feet; running thence westerly and at right angles to W. 1st st. 100 feet; running thence northerly and parallel with W. 1st st. 60 feet; running thence easterly and at right angles to W. 1st st. 100 feet to the point or place of beginning, said premises being the lots shown on map of boulevard Lots 21 and 22 of common lands in the Town of Gravesend, as subdivided into lots situated on Coney Island, Town of Gravesend, Kings County, N. Y., by C. A. Voorhies, as Nos. 119, 120 and 121.

The minimum or upset price at which said property shall be sold is hereby fixed at Eighteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,800), plus the cost of advertising the sale. The sale to be made upon the following:

#### TERMS AND CONDITIONS.

The highest bidder will be required to pay 10 per cent. of the amount of his bid, together with the auctioneer's fees at the time of the sale; the balance to be paid upon the delivery of the deed, which shall be within thirty (30) days from the date of the sale.

The Comptroller may, at his option, resell the property, if the successful bidder or bidders shall fail to comply with the terms of the sale and the person or persons failing to comply therewith will be held liable for any deficiency which may result from such resale.

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

The deed so delivered shall be in the form of a bargain and sale deed without covenants.

It is distinctly understood that the City does not intend to convey any interest it may have in the streets abutting on the above described property, which are now opened or may hereafter be opened.

Maps of said real estate may be seen on application at the Comptroller's office, Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan.

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, under resolution adopted at meeting of the Board held November 27, 1912.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.  
City of New York, Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's Office, November 30, 1912. d3,19

#### Interest on City Bonds and Stock.

THE INTEREST DUE JANUARY 1, 1913, on registered bonds and stock of The City of New York, and of former corporations now included therein, will be paid on January 2, 1913, by the Comptroller at his office (Room 85) in the Stewart Building, corner of Broadway and Chambers st., in the Borough of Manhattan.

The interest due January 1, 1913, on the coupon bonds of the late City of Brooklyn will be paid on January 2, 1913, by the Nassau National Bank of Brooklyn, 26 Court st., in the Borough of Brooklyn.

The interest due on January 1, 1913, on coupon bonds of former corporations now included in The City of New York, except the late City of Brooklyn and the former County of Queens, will be paid on January 2, 1913, at the office of the Guaranty Trust Co. of New York, Standard Branch, 25 Broad st., Borough of Manhattan.

The coupons that are payable on January 1, 1913, for interest on bonds issued by the former County of Queens will be paid on January 2, 1913, at the Queens County Bank, Branch of the Corn Exchange Bank, Borden ave. and Front st., Long Island City.

The books for the transfer of bonds and stock on which interest is due on January 1, 1913, will be closed from December 14, 1912, to January 2, 1913.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.  
City of New York, Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's Office, December 2, 1912. d3,11

#### Sureties on Contracts.

UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE SURETY COMPANIES will be accepted as sufficient upon the following contracts to the amounts named: *Supplies of Any Description, Including Gas and Electricity.*

One company on a bond up to \$50,000.

When such company is authorized to write that amount as per letter of Comptroller to the surety companies, dated September 16, 1907.

#### Construction.

One company on a bond up to \$25,000. Including regulating, grading, paving, sewers, maintenance, dredging, construction of parks, parkways, docks, buildings, bridges, tunnels, aqueducts, repairs, heating, ventilating, plumbing, etc., etc.

When such company is authorized to write that amount as per letter of Comptroller to the surety companies, dated September 16, 1907.

*Asphalt, Asphalt Block and Wood Block Pavements.*

Two companies will be required on any and every bond up to amount authorized by letter of Comptroller to the surety companies, dated September 16, 1907.

Dated January 3, 1910.  
WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

#### Notice of Sale.

#### NOTICE OF CONTINUATION OF BRONX TAX SALE.

THE SALE OF THE LIENS FOR UNPAID taxes, assessments and water rents for the Borough of The Bronx, as to liens remaining unsold at the termination of the sale of December 16, 1912, has been continued to

MONDAY, JANUARY 6, 1913,

at 2 o'clock p. m., pursuant to section 1028 of the Greater New York Charter, and will be continued at that time on the 4th floor of the Bergen Building, corner of Arthur and Tremont ayes, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York. DANIEL MOYNAHAN, Collector of Assessments and Arrears. d17,16

#### NOTICE OF CONTINUATION OF QUEENS TAX SALE.

THE SALE OF THE LIENS FOR UNPAID taxes, assessments and water rents for the Borough of Queens, 2d Ward, as to liens remaining unsold at the termination of the sales of October 29, November 19 and December 10, 1912, has been continued to

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 31, 1912,

at 10 o'clock a. m., pursuant to section 1028 of the Greater New York Charter, and will be continued at that time in the Arrears Office, third floor, Municipal Building, Court House square, Long Island City, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York.

DANIEL MOYNAHAN, Collector of Assessments and Arrears. d11,31

#### NOTICE OF CONTINUATION OF RICHMOND TAX SALE.

THE SALE OF THE LIENS FOR UNPAID taxes, assessments and water rents for the Borough of Richmond, as to liens remaining unsold at the termination of the sale of November 13, and December 4, 1912, has been continued to

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 8, 1913,

at 2 o'clock p. m., pursuant to section 1028 of the Greater New York Charter, and will be continued at that time in Room 129, in the Borough Hall, New Brighton, Borough of Richmond. Dated December 4, 1912.

DANIEL MOYNAHAN, Collector of Assessments and Arrears. d5,18

#### NOTICE OF CONTINUATION OF QUEENS TAX SALE.

THE SALE OF THE LIENS FOR UNPAID taxes, assessments and water rents for the Borough of Queens, Fifth Ward, as to liens remaining unsold at the termination of sales of November 21, December 12, 1911; January 16, February 20, March 19, April 23, May 21, June 25, July 23, August 23, September 27 and November 22, 1912, has been continued to

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 20, 1912,

at 2 o'clock p. m., pursuant to section 1028 of the Greater New York Charter, and will be continued at that time in the Arrears Office, third floor, Municipal Building, Court House square, Long Island City, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York.

DANIEL MOYNAHAN, Collector of Assessments and Arrears. n23,d20

#### BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF RICHMOND, BOROUGH HALL, ST. GEORGE, NEW BRIGHTON, NEW YORK CITY.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Richmond, at the above office, until 12 o'clock m. on

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 31, 1912,

Borough of Richmond.

FOR SHOEHING THE HORSES IN STABLE "A," SWAN ST., TOMPKINSVILLE, S. I.

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:

Shoehing 31 draught horses.

Shoehing 10 driving horses.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is December 31, 1912.

The amount of security required is Five Hundred Dollars (\$500).

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

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

Other information obtained at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works of the Borough of Richmond, Borough Hall, New Brighton, Borough of Richmond.

GEORGE CROMWELL, President. d18,31

Dated December 11, 1912.

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

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF RICHMOND, BOROUGH HALL, ST. GEORGE, NEW BRIGHTON, NEW YORK CITY.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Richmond, at the above office, until 12 o'clock m. on

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 24, 1912,

Borough of Richmond.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR DELIVERING COAL TO PUBLIC BUILDINGS.

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 and sixty-five (165) tons of stove coal to the following buildings as needed: County Clerk's Office and Court House, Richmond, N. Y.; Village Halls at Stapleton and New Brighton and Field Offices. Six hundred and ninety (690) tons of buckwheat coal No. 1 to the Borough Hall, St. George, N. Y. Buckwheat coal to be delivered in two hundred (200) ton lots and stove coal in two and five ton lots.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is December 31, 1913.

The amount of security required is Nineteen Hundred Dollars (\$1,900).

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

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

The plans and drawings may be seen and other information obtained at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works of the Borough of Richmond, Borough Hall, New Brighton, Borough of Richmond.

GEORGE CROMWELL, President. d12,24

Dated December 11, 1912.

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

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF RICHMOND, BOROUGH HALL, ST. GEORGE, NEW BRIGHTON, NEW YORK CITY.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Richmond at the above office until 12 o'clock m. on

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 24, 1912,

Borough of Richmond.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH NAPPED GRANITE BLOCK PAVEMENT ON CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAYS OF BROAD ST. FROM GORDON ST. TO VAN DUZER ST. AND OTHER STREETS, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

7,120 square yards of napped granite block pavement, complete, including sand bed and laid with cement grout joints, with one (1) year maintenance.

1,560 square yards of napped granite block pavement, complete, including sand bed and laid with cement grout joints, for the maintenance of which the railroad company is responsible.

1,230 cubic yards of concrete foundation.

1,770 linear feet of new five by twenty (5x20) inch bluestone curbstone, furnished and set.

3,340 linear feet of old five by twenty (5x20) inch bluestone curbstone redressed, rejoined and reset.

240 square feet of new cement sidewalk constructed.

800 square feet of new flagstone furnished and laid.

3,300 square feet of old sidewalk relaid.

50 linear feet of roof leader outlets relaid.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is seventy-five (75) days.

The amount of security required is Nine Thousand Dollars (\$9,000).

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH BITUMINOUS CONCRETE PAVEMENT ON PRESENT MACADAM FOUNDATION THE ROADWAYS OF CRANFORD AVE. FROM RICHMOND TERRACE TO CEDAR ST. AND OTHER STREETS, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

40,600 square yards of bituminous concrete pavement, with five (5) years maintenance.

40,600 square yards of old foundation prepared.

100 cubic yards of concrete foundation.

10,570 square feet of old sidewalk relaid.

2,500 square feet of new flagstone furnished and laid.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is sixty (60) days.

The amount of security required is Twenty-four Thousand Dollars (\$24,000).

No. 3. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR REPAVING AND REPAVING WITH WOOD BLOCK PAVEMENT THE ROADWAYS OF BROADWAY FROM UNION ST. TO HENDERSON AVE. AND OTHER STREETS, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

4,130 square yards of wood block pavement (four-inch blocks), including sand bed, with five (5) years maintenance.

450 square yards of wood block pavement (four-inch blocks), including sand bed, for the maintenance of which the railroad company is responsible.

1,010 square yards of wood block pavement (three-inch blocks), including sand bed, with five (5) years maintenance.

190 square yards of wood block pavement (three-inch blocks), including sand bed, for the maintenance of which the railroad company is responsible.

290 cubic yards of concrete foundation.

400 linear feet of new five by twenty (5x20) inch bluestone curbstone furnished and set.

900 linear feet of old five by twenty (5x20) inch bluestone curbstone redressed, rejoined and reset.

40 square feet of new cement sidewalk constructed.

300 square feet of new flagstone furnished and laid.

700 square feet of old sidewalk relaid.

20 linear feet of roof leader outlets relaid.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is fifty (50) days.

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

The contracts must be bid 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, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Engineer.

The plans and the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, may be seen and other information obtained at the office of the Engineer of the Borough of Richmond, Borough Hall, St. George, S. I.

GEORGE CROMWELL, President. d9,24

Dated December 6, 1912.

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

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, CROTONA PARK, 177TH ST. AND 3d AVE.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of The Bronx at the above office until 10.30 a. m. on

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 15, 1913.

FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWERS AND APPURTENANCES IN LACOMBE AVE., BETWEEN BRONX RIVER AND BRONX RIVER AVE.; AND IN BRONX RIVER AVE., BETWEEN LACOMBE AVE. AND METCALF AVE.; AND IN METCALF AVE., BETWEEN BRONX RIVER AVE. AND E. 177TH ST., TOGETHER WITH ALL THE WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate of the work is as follows:

698 linear feet of double concrete sewer 9 feet by 6 feet and 11 feet 3 inches by 8 feet.

103 linear feet of double concrete sewer 11 feet 3 inches by 8 feet.

2,388 linear feet of double concrete sewer 10 feet by 8 feet.

72 linear feet of double concrete sewer 8 feet 9 inches by 8 feet.

60 linear feet of double concrete sewer 8 feet 6 inches by 8 feet.

828 linear feet of double concrete sewer 8 feet 3 inches by 8 feet.

785 linear feet of single concrete sewer 12 feet 6 inches by 8 feet.

312 linear feet of single concrete sewer 12 feet by 8 feet.

73 linear feet of single concrete sewer 11 feet 6 inches by 8 feet.

74 linear feet of single concrete sewer 11 feet 3 inches by 8 feet.

723 linear feet of single concrete sewer 10 feet by 8 feet.

830 linear feet of single concrete sewer 9 feet 6 inches by 8 feet.

1,096 linear feet of single concrete sewer 7 feet by 8 feet.

434 linear feet of single concrete sewer 9 feet by 6 feet.

32 linear feet of single concrete sewer, 6 feet 11 inches by 6 feet.

40 linear feet of single concrete sewer 4 feet in diameter.

33 linear feet of single concrete sewer 42 inches by 56 inches.

71 linear feet of single concrete sewer 40 inches by 53 inches.

168 linear feet of single concrete sewer 38 inches by 50 inches.

74 linear feet of single concrete sewer 34 inches by 46 inches.

67 linear feet of single concrete sewer, 29 inches by 40 inches.

100 linear feet of pipe sewer, 30-inch.

118 linear feet of pipe sewer, 24-inch.

29 linear feet of pipe sewer, 18-inch.

28 linear feet of pipe sewer, 18-inch.

116 linear feet of pipe sewer, 12-inch.

1,129 spurs for house connections, over and above the cost per linear foot of sewer.

500 linear feet of six (6) inch pipe as risers for house connections, including the supporting and surrounding Class C concrete.

77 manholes, complete.

3 receiving basins, complete.

7,300 cubic yards of rock excavation.

7,050 cubic yards of Class B concrete.

1,700 cubic yards of broken stone.

500,000 feet (B.M.) of timber.

280,000 linear feet of piles.

312,000 pounds of steel bars.

300 linear feet of pipe drain, 12-inch to 24-inch.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be six hundred (600) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Two Hundred and Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$250,000).

Blank forms can be obtained upon application therefor, the plans and specifications may be seen and other information obtained at said office.

CYRUS C. MILLER, President. d18,15

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

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, CROTONA PARK, 177TH ST. AND 3d AVE.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of The Bronx at the above office until 10.30 a. m. on

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 26, 1912.

NO. 1. FOR CLEANING AND PAINTING ALL THE STEEL AND IRON WORK OF THE MELROSE AVE. VIADUCT, IN THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, CITY OF NEW YORK, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be fifty (50) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Two Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$2,500).

Blank forms can be obtained upon application therefor, the specifications may be seen and other information obtained at said office.

CYRUS C. MILLER, President. d14,26

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

#### BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO all persons claiming to have been injured by a change of grade in the regulating and grading of the following named streets to present their claims, in writing, to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors, No. 320 Broadway, on or before December 31, 1912, at 11 o'clock a. m., at which place and time the said Board of Assessors will receive evidence and testimony of the nature and extent of such injury. Claimants are requested to make their claims for damages upon the blank form prepared by the Board of Assessors, copies of which may be obtained upon application at the above office:

**Borough of Manhattan.**  
2894. 176th st., between Amsterdam ave. and Broadway.

2895. Riverside drive (widened portion),



2981. Malbone st., between Nostrand and New York aves.  
2983. Sea View ave., between Rockaway ave. and 400 feet easterly.  
2985. 66th st., between 6th and 7th aves.  
2986. 73d st., between 10th and 11th aves.  
2990. E. 12th st., between Avenues I and J.  
2991. E. 14th st., between Avenues H and I, excepting land occupied by the Long Island Railroad.  
2994. Maple st., between Nostrand and Albany aves.

**Borough of Queens.**  
2882. Bleeker st., southeast side, between Cypress and Onderdonk aves.; Stanhope st. and Onderdonk ave., southeast corner; Seneca ave., southwest side, from Green ave. to a point 50 feet east; northwest side of St. Nicholas ave., between Linden and Gates aves., and southeast side, between Linden and Myrtle aves.; Myrtle ave., north side, between Palmetto and Woodbine sts., 2d Ward.

2885. DeKalb ave., between Woodward and Onderdonk aves.  
2886. Flushing ave., between Melrose ave. and New York and Queens County Railroad Company, and west side, between Fulton st. and Terrace ave., 4th Ward.

2887. 9th st., between Vernon and East aves.  
2891. Van Alst ave., between Ditmars and Winthrop aves.

2892. Willard ave., east side, between Jamaica ave. and Ferris st.; Ferris st., south side, between Manor and Willard aves.; Jamaica ave., south side, between Shaw ave. and Suydam st.; west side of Manor ave., between Jamaica ave. and Brandon st.; south side of Brandon st., between Manor ave. and a point 100 feet west; Maple ave., west side, between Hillsdale ave. and a point 420 feet north; Woodhaven ave., between Jamaica ave. and a point 100 feet south, 4th Ward.

JOS. P. HENNESSY, WM. C. ORMOND, ANTONIO C. ASTARITA, Board of Assessors. THOMAS J. DRENNAN, Secretary, 320 Broadway, City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, December 14, 1912. d14,26

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

**Borough of The Bronx.**  
2515. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging, laying crosswalks, building approaches, drains, walls, etc., in Burke ave., from White Plains road to Bronx boulevard.

2751. Paving with sheet asphalt and asphalt blocks Carter ave., from E. 173d st. to E. 176th st., and curbing where necessary, together with all work incidental thereto.

The area of assessment extends to within one-half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues.

2749. Sewer and appurtenances in Aqueduct ave., between Burnside ave. and Tremont ave. Affecting Blocks Nos. 2868 and 2879.

2797. Sewer and appurtenances in E. 133d st., between Southern boulevard and Cypress ave.

Affecting Block No. 2546.

**Borough of Queens.**  
2543. Regulating, grading, curbing and laying sidewalks in Centre st., from Wyckoff ave. to Myrtle ave., 2d Ward, together with a list of awards for damages caused by a change of grade.

2569. Regulating, grading, curbing, recubing, flagging and resetting manhole covers on Wierfield st. (Willow st.), between Wyckoff ave. and Myrtle ave., 2d Ward, together with a list of awards for damages caused by a change of grade.

The area of assessment extends to within one-half the block at the intersecting and terminating streets.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named proposed assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections, in writing, to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors, 320 Broadway, New York, on or before January 14, 1913, at 11 a. m., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

JOS. P. HENNESSY, WM. C. ORMOND, ANTONIO C. ASTARITA, Board of Assessors. THOMAS J. DRENNAN, Secretary, 320 Broadway, City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, December 14, 1912. d14,26

## BOARD MEETINGS.

**Board of Aldermen.**  
The Board of Aldermen meets in the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, every Tuesday, at 1.30 o'clock p. m.  
P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk and Clerk to the Board of Aldermen.

**Board of Estimate and Apportionment.**  
The Board of Estimate and Apportionment meets in the Old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, every Thursday, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

**Commissioners of Sinking Fund.**  
The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund meet in the Meeting Room (Room 16), City Hall, on Wednesdays, at 11 a. m., at call of the Mayor.

JOHN KORB, JR., Secretary.

**Board of Revision of Assessments.**  
The Board of Revision of Assessments meets in the Meeting Room (Room 16), City Hall, every Friday, at 11 a. m., upon notice of the Chief Clerk.

JOHN KORB, JR., Chief Clerk.

**Board of City Record.**  
The Board of City Record meets in the City Hall at call of the Mayor.  
DAVID FERGUSON, Supervisor, Secretary.

## MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, 299 BROADWAY, New York, December 16, 1912.  
**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** THAT applications will be received from

**MONDAY, DECEMBER 16, 1912, TO 4 P. M.**  
**TUESDAY, DECEMBER 17, 1912,**  
for the position of  
**INSTRUMENT MAKER, FIRE DEPARTMENT.**

No application delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 p. m., December 31, 1912, will be accepted. The examination will be held THURSDAY, JANUARY 23, 1913, at 10 o'clock a. m.

The subjects and weights of the examination are as follows: Technical, 5; experience, 4; mathematics, 1; 75 per cent. is required on the technical paper and 70 per cent. on all.

Candidates should be able to make repairs to all the electrical instruments in use in the Fire Department, as transmitters, registers, gongs, fire alarm signal boxes; also keyless doors and combination fire alarm lamp posts. They should also be able to make adjustments on engine house equipments and be able to make either permanent or temporary repairs in order to keep same in working order; should be familiar with the

winding and rewinding of magnets and be able to do lathe work as regards the manufacture and repairs of instruments.

It will be a waste of time for candidates to apply who cannot meet the above requirements. Minimum age, 21 years; no vacancies at present; salary, \$1,200 per annum. Application blanks will be mailed upon request, but the Commission will not guarantee the delivery of the same.  
F. A. SPENCER, Secretary. d16,31

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, 299 BROADWAY, New York, December 12, 1912.  
**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** THAT applications will be received from

**THURSDAY, DECEMBER 12, 1912, TO 4 P. M.**  
**FRIDAY, DECEMBER 13, 1912,**

for the position of  
**TELEPHONE OPERATOR (FEMALE), GRADES 1 AND 2.**

No application delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 p. m. Friday, December 27, 1912, will be accepted.

The examination will be held MONDAY, JANUARY 20, 1913, at 10 o'clock a. m. The subjects and weights of the examination are as follows: Duties, 6; Experience, 4. 70 per cent. is required on the Duties paper and 70 per cent. on all.

Candidates must be familiar with operating telephone switchboards, as used by the N. Y. and N. J. Telephone Companies.

Minimum age, 18 years; vacancies constantly occurring; usual salary, \$480 to \$900 per annum. Application blanks will be mailed upon request, but the Commission will not guarantee the delivery of the same.  
F. A. SPENCER, Secretary. d12,27

## BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

### Franchise Matters.

**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** THAT at a meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held October 10, 1912, the following petition was received:

*To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:*  
The petition of New York, Westchester and Boston Railway Company respectfully shows as follows:

Your petitioner has constructed and is engaged in operating its railroad in the City of New York, in accordance with a certain ordinance adopted by the Board of Aldermen of said City on the 26th day of July, 1904, approved by the Mayor on August 2, 1904, as amended by resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted July 14, 1905, approved by the Mayor July 21, 1905, and by several subsequent contracts between New York, Westchester and Boston Railway Company and the City of New York, none of which amendments, however, alter or amend that portion of said ordinance to which this petition is addressed.

That and by said ordinance it is provided, in section 2, paragraph 12, as follows:

"Twelfth—The roadbed within the limits of The City of New York shall be watered daily whenever the thermometer is above 35 degrees Fahrenheit. For any failure to comply here-with the railway company shall be liable for a penalty of fifty dollars (\$50) per day."

That the railroad of your petitioner is wholly upon private right of way, except where it crosses over or under streets, avenues and other public places. That the construction of petitioner's roadbed is of such quality and nature that the requirements of said provision of said ordinance are wholly unnecessary, and do not serve any useful public purpose, or offer any advantage to the traveling public or to the City.

The roadbed throughout is ballasted with stone, and your petitioner verily believes that it is wholly unnecessary to water the same, and that no dust will arise in the absence of watering.

That it will be a serious hardship and inconvenience to your petitioner if it is obliged to comply with said section 2, paragraph 12 of said ordinance without any corresponding benefit to the public or to the City.

Wherefore your petitioner prays that subdivision 12 of section 2 of the ordinance of The City of New York, adopted July 26, 1904, approved by the Mayor August 2, 1904, as amended by resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, adopted July 14, 1905, and approved by the Mayor July 21, 1905, and further amended by subsequent contracts between New York, Westchester and Boston Railway Company and The City of New York, be further amended by striking therefrom the whole of said subdivision 12 of section 2.

Dated September 30, 1912.

NEW YORK, WESTCHESTER AND BOSTON RAILWAY COMPANY, by L. S. MILLER, President.

State of New York, County of New York, ss.: Leverett S. Miller, being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is President of New York, Westchester and Boston Railway Company, the petitioner named in the foregoing petition; that he has read the said petition and knows the contents thereof, and that the same is true to his own knowledge, except as to the matters therein stated to be alleged on information and belief, and that as to those matters he believes it to be true.

Sworn to before me this 30th day of September, 1912.

JAMES J. DWYER, Notary Public, Westchester County; Certificate Filed in New York County; New York County No. 93; New York Register No. 4183.

—and at the meeting on November 21, 1912, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, The foregoing petition from the New York, Westchester and Boston Railway Company dated September 30, 1912, was presented to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting held October 10, 1912.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of law, this Board sets Thursday, the 19th day of December, 1912, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, as the time and place when and where such petition shall be first considered, and a public hearing be had thereon, at which citizens shall be entitled to appear and be heard; and be it further

Resolved, That the Secretary is directed to cause such petition and these resolutions to be published for at least two (2) days in two daily newspapers in the City of New York, to be designated by the Mayor, and for at least ten (10) days in the City Record immediately prior to such date of public hearing. The expense of such publication to be borne by the petitioner. ("The Sun" and the "New York Press" designated.)

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.  
New York, November 21, 1912. d7,19

**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** THAT at a meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held November 7, 1912, the following petition was received:

*To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York:*  
Dow, Jones News Transmission Company, a corporation created and organized under and pursuant to article 9 of the Transportation Corporations Law, hereby respectfully applies for a consent and franchise from The City

of New York to conduct the business of transmitting financial, railroad and general news and stock and bond and other quotations by telegraph from the principal place of business of the company, now situated at 44 Broad street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, to other buildings, offices and rooms situated therein, in said City of New York, with permission to use the subway ducts within the territory hereinafter specified, and to lay and conduct to and through such subway ducts electric wires for telegraph purposes, and to use and operate the same for the purpose of transmitting such financial, railroad and general news and stock and bond and other quotations.

The territory in The City of New York in which the company proposes to operate is the Borough of Manhattan and the Borough of Brooklyn.

The period for which said franchise is desired is the period of twenty-five years. Respectfully submitted,

DOW, JONES NEWS TRANSMISSION COMPANY,

(SEAL.) By HUGH BANCROFT, President.

Attest: HARRY A. HOPKINS, Secretary.  
State of New York, County of New York, ss.:

On this 16th day of October, in the year 1912, before me personally came Hugh Bancroft, to me known, who, being by me duly sworn, did depose and say that he resides in the city of Boston, in the State of Massachusetts, that he is the President of Dow, Jones News Transmission Company, the corporation described in and which executed the above instrument; that he knows the seal of said corporation; that the seal affixed to said instrument is said corporate seal; that it was so affixed by order of the Board of Directors of said corporation, and that he signed his name thereto by like order.

LANGDON P. MARVIN, Notary Public; New York County, No. 223; New York Register No. 3280.

—and at the meeting of November 21, 1912, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, The foregoing petition from the Dow, Jones News Transmission Company, dated October 16, 1912, was presented to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a meeting held November 7, 1912.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of law this Board sets Thursday, the 19th day of December, 1912, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, as the time and place when and where such petition shall be first considered, and a public hearing be had thereon, at which citizens shall be entitled to appear and be heard; and be it further

Resolved, That the Secretary is directed to cause such petition and these resolutions to be published for at least two (2) days in two daily newspapers in the City of New York, to be designated by the Mayor, and for at least ten (10) days in the City Record immediately prior to such date of public hearing. The expense of such publication to be borne by the petitioner. ("The Sun" and the "New York Commercial" designated.)

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.  
New York, November 21, 1912. d7,19

## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, NOS. 157 AND 159 E. 67TH ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

JOSEPH P. DAY, AUCTIONEER, ON BEHALF OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK, will offer for sale at public auction, to the highest bidder, on

**FRIDAY, DECEMBER 27, 1912,**

at the Repair Shops, Boliver and St. Edwards sts., Borough of Brooklyn, at 10 a. m. on said date, the following condemned property of the Department:

Lot No. 1. Fifteen empty oil barrels.  
Lot No. 2. One lot of old ladders.  
Lot No. 3. One lot of old wheels.  
Lot No. 4. One lot of old iron, five tons, more or less.

Lot No. 5. One Clapp & Jones engine, registered No. 417.

Lot No. 6. One Manchester Locomotive Works engine, registered No. 486.

Lot No. 7. One Hayes aerial hook and ladder truck, registered No. 103.

Lot No. 8. One lot of scrap rubber, 500 pounds, more or less.

Lot No. 9. One battalion wagon, registered No. 52-E.

Lot No. 10. One lot of old harness.

Lot No. 11. One lot of old rubber tires, 1,000 pounds, more or less.

Lot No. 12. One lot of old rope, horse blankets, etc.

Lot No. 13. Four pillows, hair.

Lot No. 14. Two lengths of hose, one 3-inch, one 2½-inch.

Lot No. 15. One revolving chair.

Lot No. 16. Two copying presses.

Lot No. 17. One old tire setter.

Lot No. 18. One old trip hammer.

Lot No. 19. Six iron bedsteads.

Lot No. 20. Three bedsprings.

Lot No. 21. Ten lengths of old hose.

Lot No. 22. Ten lengths of old hose.

Lot No. 23. Ten lengths of old hose.

Lot No. 24. Ten lengths of old hose.

Lot No. 25. Ten lengths of old hose.

Lot No. 26. Ten lengths of old hose.

Lot No. 27. Ten lengths of old hose.

Lot No. 28. Ten lengths of old hose.

Lot No. 29. Ten lengths of old hose.

Lot No. 30. Ten lengths of old hose.

Lot No. 31. Ten lengths of old hose.

Lot No. 32. Ten lengths of old hose.

Lot No. 33. Ten lengths of old hose.

Lot No. 34. Fourteen old suction.

Each lot will be sold separately. The right to reject all bids is reserved.

The highest bidder for each lot, in case the bid is accepted, will be required to pay for the same in cash at the time of sale (except lots 4, 8 and 11, which must be paid for at the time of weighing and delivery), and must remove the same within twenty-four (24) hours after the sale.

The articles may be seen at any time before the day of sale at the place above specified.

JOSEPH JOHNSON, Commissioner. d19,27

HEADQUARTERS OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, NOS. 157 AND 159 E. 67TH ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

JOSEPH P. DAY, AUCTIONEER, ON BEHALF OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK, will offer for sale at public auction, to the highest bidder, on

**THURSDAY, DECEMBER 26, 1912,**

at the Repair Shops, northeast corner of 12th ave. and 56th st., Borough of Manhattan, at 10 a. m. on said date, the following condemned property of the Department:

Lot No. 1. One Nott engine, registered No. 461.

Lot No. 2. One Clapp & Jones engine, registered No. 359.

Lot No. 3. One auto, Buick runabout, registered No. 17.

Lot No. 4. One lot of scrap iron, three tons, more or less.

Lot No. 5. One lot of lead cable, two tons, more or less.

Lot No. 6. One lot of rope, 200 pounds, more or less.

Lot No. 7. One lot of battery copper, 400 pounds, more or less.

Lot No. 8. One lot of battery zinc, 500 pounds, more or less.

Lot No. 9. One lot of battery carbons.

Lot No. 10. One automobile radiator.

Lot No. 11. One lot of hose, to be sold in lots of ten lengths each.

Lot No. 12. One lot of lanterns, 50 pounds, more or less.

Lot No. 13. One lot of wheels.

Lot No. 14. One lot of office furniture, desks, chairs, filing cabinets.

Lot No. 15. One lot of brass borings, 150 pounds, more or less.

Lot No. 16. One lot of telephone receivers and mouthpieces.

Lot No. 17. One lot of carpet and rugs.

Lot No. 18. One lot of scrap rubber.

Lot No. 19. One lot of suction and hydrant connections.

Lot No. 20. One lot of ladders.

Lot No. 21. One lot of harness.

Lot No. 22. One lot of rubber tires, 2,500 pounds, more or less.

Lot No. 23. One lot of auto casings and inner tubes, 300 pounds, more or less.

Lot No. 24. One lot of feather pillows.

Lot No. 25. One lot of mattresses.

Lot No. 26. One lot of oil barrels.

Lot No. 27. One lot of horseshoes, three tons, more or less.

Lot No. 28. One lot of horseshoe pads, two tons, more or less.

Lot No. 29. One March motor cycle.

Lot No. 30. One Indian motor cycle.

Each lot will be sold separately. The right to reject all bids is reserved.

The highest bidder for each lot, in case the bid is accepted, will be required to pay for the same in cash at the time of sale (except lots 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 12, 13, 22, 23, 27 and 28, which must be paid for at the time of weighing and delivery), and must remove the same within twenty-four (24) hours after the sale.

The articles may be seen at any time before the day of sale at the place above specified.

JOSEPH JOHNSON, Commissioner. d19,26

HEADQUARTERS OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, NOS. 157 AND 159 E. 67TH ST., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Fire Commissioner at the above office until 10.30 o'clock a. m. on

**TUESDAY, DECEMBER 31, 1912,**

1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS FOR AND INSTALLING AND COMPLETING A STEAMHEATING SYSTEM IN NEW BUILDING, FOR AN ENGINE AND HOOK AND LADDER COMPANY, ON THE NORTH SIDE OF RICHARDSON ST., 100 FEET WEST OF LEONARD ST., BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is one hundred and fifty (150) working days.

The amount of surety required is fifty (50) per cent. of the amount of the bid or estimate.

2. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS FOR AND INSTALLING AND COMPLETING A STEAMHEATING SYSTEM IN NEW BUILDING, FOR AN ENGINE AND HOOK AND LADDER COMPANY, ON THE WEST SIDE OF SHEFFIELD AVE., 140 FEET NORTH OF LIVONIA AVE., BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is one hundred and fifty (150) working days.

The amount of surety required is fifty (50) per cent. of the amount of the bid or estimate.

3. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS FOR AND INSTALLING AND COMPLETING A STEAMHEATING SYSTEM IN NEW BUILDING, FOR AN ENGINE AND HOOK AND LADDER COMPANY, ON THE NORTH SIDE OF GRAND ST., 159.13 FEET EAST OF VAN ALST ST., ELMHURST, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is one hundred and fifty (150) working days.

The amount of surety required is fifty



NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE supplemental and amended final reports of the commissioners of Estimate and of the Commissioner of Assessment in the above-entitled matter



will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 20th day of December, 1912, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day; and that the said final reports have been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of five days, as required by law.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, December 14, 1912.  
ERNEST HALL, WALTER E. BROWN,  
Commissioners of Estimate; WALTER E.  
BROWN, Commissioner of Assessment.  
JOSE J. SQUIER, Clerk. d14,19

## FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, for the same purpose in fee to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of BOSTON ROAD (although not yet named by proper authority), from White Plains road to north line of the City, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE final reports of the Commissioners of Estimate and of the Commissioner of Assessment in the above-entitled matter will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 20th day of December, 1912, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day; and that the said final reports have been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of five days, as required by law.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, December 14, 1912.

JOHN A. HAWKINS, FRANK A. SPENCER, JR.,  
Commissioners of Estimate; JOHN A. HAWKINS, Commissioner of Assessment.  
JOSE J. SQUIER, Clerk. d14,19

## FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of MINERVA PLACE, between Jerome avenue and the Grand Boulevard and Concourse, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I., to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 23d day of December, 1912, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by law.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, December 9, 1912.

GEO. F. STIEBELING, JOHN F. MAHER,  
JOHN C. ROGGE, Commissioners of Estimate; GEO. F. STIEBELING, Commissioner of Assessment.  
JOSE J. SQUIER, Clerk. d9,19

## FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of EAST ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-SECOND STREET, from Park avenue to Washington avenue, where not heretofore acquired, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL PERSONS interested in the above entitled proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That the undersigned, Commissioners of Estimate, have completed their estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with them at their office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 30th day of December, 1912, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at their said office on the 2d day of January, 1913, at 12.30 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the undersigned, Commissioner of Assessment, has completed his estimate of benefit and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with him at his office, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 30th day of December, 1912, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 3d day of January, 1913, at 12.30 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 by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 29th day of November, 1911, and that the said area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows:

Bounded on the north by the southerly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-second street, on the east by the westerly line of Washington avenue, on the south by a line distant 100 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of East One Hundred and Eighty-second street, the said distance being measured at right angles to East One Hundred and Eighty-second street, and on the west by the easterly line of Park avenue.

Fourth—That the abstracts of said estimate of damage and of said assessment for benefit together with the damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and

other documents used by the Commissioners of Estimate and by the Commissioner of Assessment in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, Nos. 90 and 92 West Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said City, there to remain until the 2d day of January, 1913.

Fifth—That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said abstracts, the reports as to awards, and as to assessments for benefit herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part III., to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 4th day of February, 1913, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Sixth—In case, however, objections are filed to the foregoing abstracts of estimate and assessment, or to either of them, the motion to confirm the reports as to awards and as to assessments shall stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified in the notice provided in such cases to be given in relation to filing the final reports, pursuant to sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, December 6, 1912.

MAX BENDIT, Chairman; PHILIP J. SCHMIDT, PHILIP EMRICH, Commissioners of Estimate; PHILIP J. SCHMIDT, Commissioner of Assessment.  
JOSE J. SQUIER, Clerk. d11,28

## FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of UNION-PORT ROAD, from Morris Park avenue to White Plains road, near Baker avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, bearing date the 2d day of December, 1912, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 6th day of December, 1912, Manton M. Wyvell, Frank E. Gore and Edward J. McLaughlin, Esquires, were appointed Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled proceeding, and that in and by said order Manton M. Wyvell, Esquire, was appointed the Commissioner of Assessment.

Notice is further given that, pursuant to the statute in such cases made and provided, the said Manton M. Wyvell, Frank E. Gore and Edward J. McLaughlin, Esquires, will appear at a Special Term, Part II., of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, to be held at the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 20th day of December, 1912, at the opening of the Court on that date, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel, or by any other person having any interest in the said proceeding as to their qualifications to act as such Commissioners.

Dated New York, December 9, 1912.  
ARCHIBALD R. WATSON, Corporation Counsel, Attorney for The City of New York. d9,20

## FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of THE UN-NAMED STREET adjoining the property acquired for the New York and Brooklyn Bridge, extending from William street to North William street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, bearing date the 5th day of December, 1912, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 6th day of December, 1912, Charles L. Hoffman, Charles J. Leslie and Benno Lewinson, Esquires, were appointed Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled proceeding, and that in and by said order Charles L. Hoffman, Esquire, was appointed the Commissioner of Assessment.

Notice is further given that pursuant to the statute in such cases made and provided, the said Charles L. Hoffman, Charles J. Leslie and Benno Lewinson, Esquires, will appear at a Special Term, Part II., of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, to be held at the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 20th day of December, 1912, at the opening of the Court on that date, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel, or by any other person having any interest in the said proceeding as to their qualifications to act as such Commissioners.

Dated New York, December 9, 1912.  
ARCHIBALD R. WATSON, Corporation Counsel, Attorney for The City of New York. d9,19

## FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of SPUYTEN DUYVIL ROAD, from West Two Hundred and Thirtieth street to West Two Hundred and Forty-second street, and RIVERDALE AVENUE, from West Two Hundred and Thirtieth street northwardly to its junction with Spuyten Duvyl road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, bearing date the 2d day of December, 1912, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 6th day of December, 1912, Peter A. Hatting, John J. Mackin and Thomas Kiernan, Esqs., were appointed Commissioners of Estimate in the above-entitled proceeding, and that in and by said order Peter A. Hatting, Esq., was appointed the Commissioner of Assessment.

Notice is further given that, pursuant to the statute in such cases made and provided, the said Peter A. Hatting, John J. Mackin and Thomas Kiernan, Esqs., will appear at a Special Term, Part II., of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, to be held at the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 20th day of December, 1912, at the opening of the Court on that date, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the

purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel, or by any other person having any interest in the said proceeding as to their qualifications to act as such Commissioners.

Dated New York, December 9, 1912.  
ARCHIBALD R. WATSON, Corporation Counsel, Attorney for The City of New York. d9,20

## SUPREME COURT—SECOND DEPARTMENT.

## SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening and extending VAN SICLEN AVENUE, between New Lots avenue and Vandalia avenue; MILLER AVENUE, between Riverdale avenue and Vandalia avenue; BRADFORD STREET, between New Lots avenue and Vandalia avenue; WYONA STREET, between New Lots avenue and Vandalia avenue, and VERMONT STREET, between New Lots avenue and Vandalia avenue, in the Twenty-sixth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE final report of the Commissioners of Estimate and Commissioner of Assessment in the above-entitled matter will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, on the 24th day of December, 1912, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, and that the said final report has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, there to remain for and during the space of five days, as required by law.

Dated New York, December 17, 1912.

HOWARD O. WOOD, JOHN C. FAWCETT,  
WM. J. MAHON, Commissioners of Estimate; HOWARD O. WOOD, Commissioner of Assessment.

EDWARD RIEGELMANN, Clerk. d17,21

## SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title in fee, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of WILLOW STREET, between Wyckoff avenue and Myrtle avenue; STEPHEN STREET, between Wyckoff avenue and Myrtle avenue; SUMMERFIELD STREET, between Wyckoff avenue and Myrtle avenue; NORMAN STREET, between Wyckoff avenue and Myrtle avenue; GEORGE STREET, between Wyckoff avenue and Myrtle avenue; CENTRE STREET, between Wyckoff avenue and Myrtle avenue, in the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York, as amended by an order of this Court bearing date the 25th day of November, 1910, and entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on the 28th day of November, 1910, so as to relate to the said streets as shown upon Section 30 of the final maps of the Borough of Queens, as adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 21st day of May, 1909, and further amended by an order of this Court bearing date the 29th day of August, 1911, and entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on the 30th day of August, 1911, so as to relate to the said streets, as shown upon Section 30 of the Final Maps of the Borough of Queens, adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 1st day of July, 1910, and approved by the Mayor on the 13th day of July, 1910.

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 6th day of January, 1913, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at their said office on the 8th day of January, 1913, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the undersigned, Commissioner of Assessment, has completed his estimate of benefit and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with him at his office, 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 6th day of January, 1913, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 9th day of January, 1913, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Third—That the Commissioner of Assessment has assessed any or all such lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises as are within the area of assessment fixed and prescribed by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 6th day of April, 1911, and that the said area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of Queens, in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point on the southerly line of Myrtle avenue distant 100 feet easterly from its intersection with the southeasterly line of Summerfield street, and running thence southerly at right angles to Myrtle avenue to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongation of the centre line of Summerfield street and Decatur street, as these streets are laid out between Cypress avenue and Forest avenue; thence southwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with the northeasterly line of Cypress avenue; thence southwardly in a straight line to a point on the southwesterly line of Cypress avenue where it is intersected by a line midway between Summerfield street and Decatur street, as these streets are laid out between Wyckoff avenue and Cypress avenue; thence southwardly along the said line midway between Summerfield street and Decatur street, and along the prolongation of the said line to a point distant 100 feet southwesterly from the southwesterly line of Wyckoff avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Wyckoff avenue; thence northwesterly and always distant 100 feet southwesterly from and parallel with the southwesterly line of Wyckoff avenue to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Hancock street and

Weirfield street, as these streets are laid out between Wyckoff avenue and Myrtle avenue; thence northwesterly along the said line midway between Hancock street and Weirfield street, and along the prolongations of the said line to the intersection with the northerly line of Myrtle avenue; thence northwardly at right angles to Myrtle avenue a distance of 100 feet; thence easterly and always distant 100 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly line of Myrtle avenue to the intersection with a line at right angles to Myrtle avenue and passing through the point of beginning; thence southwardly along the said line at right angles to Myrtle avenue to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That the abstracts of said estimate of damage and of said assessment for benefit, together with the damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by the Commissioners of Estimate and by the Commissioner of Assessment in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, in the Municipal Building, Court House square, in the Borough of Queens, in said City, there to remain until the 8th day of January, 1913.

Fifth—That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said abstracts, the reports as to awards and as to assessments for benefit herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, on the 15th day of April, 1913, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Sixth—In case, however, objections are filed to the foregoing abstracts of estimate and assessment or to either of them the motion to confirm the reports as to awards and as to assessments shall stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified in the notice provided in such cases to be given in relation to filing the final reports, pursuant to sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, December 12, 1912.

WM. A. MOLLER, Chairman; HERMAN PLUMP, Commissioners of Estimate; WM. A. MOLLER, Commissioner of Assessment.  
WALTER C. SHEPPARD, Clerk. d17,j4

## SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of EIGHTEENTH AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Jackson avenue to the East River, in the First Ward, Borough of Queens, in the City of New York, as amended by an order of this Court bearing date the 11th day of October, 1911, and entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, on the 13th day of October, 1911, so as to relate to Eighteenth avenue, from Jackson avenue to Berrian avenue, in accordance with the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 15th day of June, 1911.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to all persons interested in this proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, and having objections thereto, do present their said objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, in the Municipal Building, Court House square, Long Island City, Borough of Queens, in the City of New York, on or before the 6th day of January, 1913, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on the 8th day of January, 1913, at 3 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstracts of our said estimate and assessment, together with our damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by us in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, in the Municipal Building, Court House square, Long Island City, in the Borough of Queens, in said City, there to remain until the 8th day of January, 1913.

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

Beginning at a point on the northerly side of Jackson avenue where the same is intersected by a line drawn parallel to Eighteenth avenue and 100 feet west of the westerly line of Eighteenth avenue; running thence northerly and at all times parallel with the westerly line of Eighteenth avenue to the northerly line of Berrian avenue; thence running easterly along the northerly line of Berrian avenue to a point 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Eighteenth avenue, said distance being measured at right angles to Eighteenth avenue; thence running southerly and at all times parallel with the easterly line of Eighteenth avenue to the northerly line of Jackson avenue; thence running westerly along the northerly line of Jackson avenue to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said abstracts, our final report herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof, for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, on the 28th day of February, 1913, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Fifth—In case, however, objections are filed to any of said abstracts of estimate and assessment, the notice of motion to confirm our final report herein will stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified, and of which notice will be given to all those who have theretofore appeared in this proceeding, as well as by publication in the CITY RECORD, pursuant to sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, November 27, 1912.

WM. J. BURNETT, Chairman; THOMAS F. MULLIGAN, JOHN SILVESTER, Commissioners.

WALTER C. SHEPPARD, Clerk. d16,j3

## SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee to the lands, tenements and hereditaments included within the public park (Seaside Park), at Rockaway Beach, Fifth Ward, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, as shown on a map bear-



ing the signature of the Secretary of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, dated July 27, 1911, adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on September 21, 1911, by a resolution which was approved by the Mayor on September 26, 1911, together with all the right, title and interest of the owners thereof in and to the lands under the waters of the Atlantic Ocean and of Jamaica Bay in front thereof, except so much of the land shown on the aforesaid map as lies within the lines of an avenue known and shown thereon as Washington avenue, running across the entire length of the premises shown on said map, and which avenue is referred to in the sale of the above described premises in the action of partition entitled "H. H. Chittendon, plaintiff, against I. E. Gates and others, defendants," but including a perpetual right of way over the said strip of land lying within the limits of the said Washington avenue as appurtenant to the property abutting on either side thereof.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE** bill of costs and charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof, to be held for the hearing of motions at the County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, on the 30th day of December, 1912, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by law.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, December 16, 1912.

WM. S. COGSWELL, CLARENCE EDWARDS, JOHN J. GOODWIN, Commissioners of Estimate.

JOEL J. SQUIER, Clerk. d16,27

#### SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title in fee, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the purpose of opening and extending **EAST TWELFTH STREET** (Westminster road), from Ditmas avenue to Foster avenue, in the Twenty-ninth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York.

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH** cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held for the hearing of motions, in the County Court House, in the County of Kings, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, on the 27th day of December, 1912, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of three Commissioners of Estimate, one of whom shall be appointed Commissioner of Assessment in the above entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title in fee by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening and extending of East Twelfth street (Westchester road), from Ditmas avenue to Foster avenue, in the Twenty-ninth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at the intersection of the north line of Ditmas avenue with the west line of Westminster road, as the same are laid out on the map of the City; thence easterly along the north line of Ditmas avenue 65.46 feet; thence southerly deflecting 113 degrees 34 minutes to the right 1,117.72 feet to the north line of Foster avenue; thence westerly along the north line of Foster avenue 65.70 feet; thence northerly 1,118.32 feet to the point of beginning.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 29th day of June, 1911, duly fixed and determined the area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding as follows:

Bounded on the north by a line distant 100 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly line of Ditmas avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Ditmas avenue; on the east by a line midway between East Twelfth street and East Thirteenth street; on the south by a line distant 100 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of Foster avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Foster avenue; and on the west by a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the easterly line of Coney Island avenue and the westerly line of East Twelfth street as these streets are laid out between Ditmas avenue and Newkirk avenue.

Dated New York, December 13, 1912.  
ARCHIBALD R. WATSON, Corporation Counsel, Hall of Records, Borough of Manhattan, New York City. d13,24

#### SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title in fee, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the purpose of opening and extending **LAWRENCE AVENUE**, from Forty-seventh street to Ocean parkway; **NEWKIRK AVENUE**, from Ocean parkway to East Twelfth street; **EAST THIRTEENTH STREET**, from Ditmas avenue to Foster avenue; **EAST FIFTEENTH STREET**, from Ditmas avenue to Foster avenue; and **THIRD STREET**, from Eighteenth avenue to Foster avenue, in the Twenty-ninth and Thirtieth Wards, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York.

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH** cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held for the hearing of motions, in the County Court House, in the County of Kings, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, on the 27th day of December, 1912, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of three Commissioners of Estimate, one of whom shall be appointed Commissioner of Assessment in the above entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title in fee by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening and extending of Lawrence avenue, from Forty-seventh street to Ocean parkway; Newkirk avenue, from Ocean parkway to East Twelfth street; East Thirteenth street, from Ditmas avenue to Foster avenue; East Fifteenth street, from Ditmas avenue to Foster avenue; and Third street, from Eighteenth avenue to Foster avenue, in the Twenty-ninth and Thirtieth Wards, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

#### LAWRENCE AVENUE.

Beginning at the intersection of the east line of Forty-seventh street with the south line of Lawrence avenue as the same are laid out on the map of the City; thence northerly along the east line of Forty-seventh street 53.06 feet; thence easterly deflecting 109 degrees 17 minutes 48 seconds to the right 1,954.25 feet to the west line of Ocean parkway; thence southerly along the west line of Ocean parkway 54.85 feet; thence westerly 1,914.35 feet to the point of beginning.

#### NEWKIRK AVENUE.

Beginning at the intersection of the east line of Ocean parkway with the south line of Newkirk avenue as the same are laid out on the map of the City; thence northerly along the east line of Ocean parkway 65.80 feet; thence easterly deflecting 63 degrees 56 minutes 01 seconds to the right 1,359.04 feet to the west line of Coney Island avenue; thence easterly deflecting 12 degrees 12 minutes 00 seconds to the right 100.90 feet to the east line of Coney Island avenue; thence easterly deflecting 12 degrees 11 minutes 58 seconds to the left 1,830.14 feet to the east line of East Seventeenth street; thence southerly along the east line of East Seventeenth street 65.71 feet; thence westerly deflecting 65 degrees 56 minutes 25 seconds to the right 1,825.0 feet to the east line of Coney Island avenue; thence westerly deflecting 12 degrees 09 minutes 12 seconds to the right 100.81 feet to the west line of Coney Island avenue; thence westerly 1,364.19 feet to the point of beginning.

#### ARGYLE ROAD (EAST THIRTEENTH STREET).

Beginning at the intersection of the north line of Ditmas avenue with the west line of Argyle road as the same are laid out on the map of the City; thence easterly along the north line of Ditmas avenue 65.46 feet; thence southerly deflecting 113 degrees 34 minutes 00 seconds to the right 596.66 feet to the north line of Newkirk avenue; thence westerly along the north line of Newkirk avenue 65.71 feet; thence northerly 597.28 feet to the point of beginning.

Beginning at the intersection of the south line of Newkirk avenue with the west line of Argyle road as the same are laid out on the map of the City; thence easterly along the south line of Newkirk avenue 65.71 feet; thence southerly deflecting 114 degrees 03 minutes 35 seconds to the right 452.76 feet to the north line of Foster avenue; thence westerly along the north line of Foster avenue 65.70 feet; thence northerly 452.74 feet to the point of beginning.

#### MARLBOROUGH ROAD (EAST FIFTEENTH STREET).

Beginning at the intersection of the north line of Ditmas avenue with the west line of Marlborough road as the same are laid out on the map of the City; thence easterly along the north line of Ditmas avenue 65.46 feet; thence southerly deflecting 113 degrees 34 minutes 00 seconds to the right 591.32 feet to the north line of Newkirk avenue; thence westerly along the north line of Newkirk avenue 65.71 feet; thence northerly 591.94 feet to the point of beginning.

Beginning at the intersection of the south line of Newkirk avenue with the west line of Marlborough road as the same are laid out on the map of the City; thence easterly along the south line of Newkirk avenue 65.71 feet; thence southerly deflecting 114 degrees 03 minutes 35 seconds to the right 452.93 feet to the north line of Foster avenue; thence westerly along the north line of Foster avenue 65.70 feet; thence northerly 452.91 feet to the point of beginning.

#### THIRD STREET.

Beginning at the intersection of the north line of Eighteenth avenue with the west line of Third street as the same are laid out on the map of the City; thence easterly along the north line of Eighteenth avenue 50.08 feet; thence southerly deflecting 89 degrees 33 minutes 50 seconds to the right 569.21 feet to the north line of Lawrence avenue; thence westerly along the north line of Lawrence avenue 50.08 feet; thence northerly 569.61 feet to the point of beginning.

Beginning at the intersection of the south line of Lawrence avenue with the west line of Third street as the same are laid out on the map of the City; thence easterly along the south line of Lawrence avenue 50.08 feet; thence southerly deflecting 90 degrees 00 minutes 52 seconds to the right 511.03 feet to the south line of Foster avenue; thence westerly along the south line of Foster avenue 50.08 feet; thence northerly 511.04 feet to the point of beginning.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 22d day of October, 1909, duly fixed and determined the area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding as follows:

Beginning at a point on the southwest line of Forty-seventh street where it is intersected by the prolongation of a line midway between Webster avenue and Lawrence avenue, and running thence eastwardly along the said line midway between Webster avenue and Lawrence avenue and the prolongation thereof to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the easterly line of Gravesend avenue with the prolongation of the westerly line of Third street; thence northerly along the said bisecting line to a point distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Eighteenth avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Eighteenth avenue; thence eastwardly and parallel with Eighteenth avenue to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the westerly line of Ocean parkway and the prolongation of the easterly line of Third street; thence southerly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with a line midway between Webster avenue and Lawrence avenue; thence eastwardly along the said line midway between Webster avenue and Lawrence avenue to the westerly line of Ocean parkway; thence eastwardly in a straight line to a point on the easterly line of Ocean parkway midway between Webster avenue and Newkirk avenue; thence eastwardly along a line midway between Webster avenue and Newkirk avenue to the westerly line of Coney Island avenue; thence northerly in a straight line to a point on the easterly line of Coney Island avenue midway between Ditmas avenue and Newkirk avenue; thence eastwardly along a line midway between Ditmas avenue and Newkirk avenue to the intersection with a line midway between East Twelfth street and East Thirteenth street; thence northwardly along the said line midway between East Twelfth street and East Thirteenth street to a point distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Ditmas avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Ditmas avenue; thence eastwardly and parallel with Ditmas avenue to the intersection with a line midway between East Thirteenth street and East Fourteenth street; thence southwardly along the said line midway between East Thirteenth street and East Fourteenth street to the intersection with a line midway between Ditmas avenue and Newkirk avenue; thence eastwardly along the said line midway between Ditmas avenue and Newkirk avenue to the intersection with a line midway between East Fourteenth street and East Fifteenth street; thence northwardly along the said line midway between East Fourteenth street and East Fifteenth street to a point distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Ditmas

avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Ditmas avenue; thence eastwardly and parallel with Ditmas avenue to the intersection with a line midway between East Fifteenth street and East Sixteenth street; thence southwardly along the said line midway between East Fifteenth street and East Sixteenth street to the intersection with a line midway between Ditmas avenue and Newkirk avenue; thence eastwardly along the said line midway between Ditmas avenue and Newkirk avenue to the intersection with a line midway between East Seventeenth street and East Eighteenth street; thence southwardly along the said line midway between East Seventeenth street and East Eighteenth street to the intersection with a line midway between Newkirk avenue and Foster avenue; thence westwardly along the said line midway between Newkirk avenue and Foster avenue to the intersection with a line midway between East Fifteenth street and East Sixteenth street; thence southwardly along the said line midway between East Fifteenth street and East Sixteenth street and the prolongation thereof to a point distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Foster avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Foster avenue; thence westwardly and parallel with Foster avenue to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between East Fourteenth street and East Fifteenth street; thence northwardly along the said line midway between East Fourteenth street and East Fifteenth street and the prolongation thereof to the intersection with a line midway between Newkirk avenue and Foster avenue; thence westwardly along the said line midway between Newkirk avenue and Foster avenue to the intersection with a line midway between East Thirteenth street and East Fourteenth street; thence southwardly along the said line midway between East Thirteenth street and East Fourteenth street and the prolongation thereof to a point distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Foster avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Foster avenue; thence westwardly and parallel with Foster avenue to the intersection with a line midway between East Twelfth street and East Thirteenth street; thence southwardly along the said line midway between East Twelfth street and East Thirteenth street to the intersection with a line midway between Newkirk avenue and Foster avenue; thence westwardly along the said line midway between Newkirk avenue and Foster avenue to the easterly line of Coney Island avenue; thence northwardly in a straight line to a point on the westerly line of Coney Island avenue where it is intersected by the prolongation of a line midway between Newkirk avenue and Washington avenue; thence westwardly along the said line midway between Newkirk avenue and Washington avenue and the prolongation thereof to the easterly line of Ocean parkway; thence westwardly in a straight line to a point on the westerly side of Ocean parkway midway between Lawrence avenue and Washington avenue; thence westwardly along a line midway between Lawrence avenue and Washington avenue to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the westerly line of Ocean parkway and the prolongation of the easterly line of Third street; thence southwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with a line at right angles to Foster avenue and passing through a point on its southerly side where it is intersected by the easterly line of East Fifth street; thence southwardly along the said line at right angles to Foster avenue to a point distant 100 feet southerly from its southerly side; thence westwardly and parallel with Foster avenue to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the easterly line of Gravesend avenue with the prolongation of the westerly line of Third street; thence northwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with a line midway between Lawrence avenue and Washington avenue; thence westwardly along the said line midway between Lawrence avenue and Washington avenue and the prolongation thereof to the southwest line of Forty-seventh street; thence southwestwardly at right angles to Forty-seventh street, a distance of 100 feet; thence northwestwardly and parallel with Forty-seventh street to the intersection with a line at right angles to Forty-seventh street and passing through the point of beginning; thence northeastwardly along the said line at right angles to Forty-seventh street to the point of place of beginning.

#### Parcel "A."

Beginning at the intersection of the southeast line of Bay parkway with the west line of West Eleventh street, as the same are laid out on the map of the City; thence northeasterly along the southeast line of Bay parkway 82.53 feet; thence southerly deflecting 133 degrees 21 minutes 25 seconds to the right 9,560.12 feet to the west line of the right of way of the New York and Sea Beach Railroad; thence southerly deflecting to the right, on a curve whose radius is 4,982.50 feet, 158.03 feet; thence northerly 9,649.62 feet to the point of beginning.

Beginning at the intersection of the south line of Canal Avenue North with the east line of West Eleventh street, as the same are laid out on the map of the City; thence westerly along the south line of Canal Avenue North, excluding the right of way of the New York and Sea Beach Railroad, and of West Twelfth street, from Bay parkway to Kings highway, and from Avenue T to Avenue W, in the Thirty-first Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

#### WEST ELEVENTH STREET.

Beginning at the intersection of the southeast line of Bay parkway with the west line of West Eleventh street, as the same are laid out on the map of the City; thence northeasterly along the southeast line of Bay parkway 82.53 feet; thence southerly deflecting 133 degrees 21 minutes 25 seconds to the right 9,560.12 feet to the west line of the right of way of the New York and Sea Beach Railroad; thence southerly deflecting to the right, on a curve whose radius is 4,982.50 feet, 158.03 feet; thence northerly 9,649.62 feet to the point of beginning.

#### Parcel "B."

Beginning at the intersection of the south line of Neptune avenue with the west line of West Twenty-seventh street as the same are laid out on the map of the City; thence easterly along the south line of Neptune avenue 60.0 feet; thence southerly deflecting 90 degrees 00 minutes 30 seconds to the right 1,249.06 feet to the north line of the right of way of the New York and Coney Island Railroad; thence westerly deflecting 77 degrees 33 minutes 10 seconds to the right along the right of way of the New York and Coney Island Railroad 61.44 feet; thence northerly 1,262.30 feet to the point of beginning.

#### Parcel "A."

Beginning at the intersection of the north line of Surf avenue with the east line of West Twenty-seventh street as the same are laid out on the map of the City; thence westerly along the north line of Surf avenue 60.39 feet; thence northerly deflecting to the right 95 degrees 10 minutes 22 seconds from a line tangent to Surf avenue at the western end of the last-mentioned course, 348.68 feet to the south line of the right of way of the New York and Coney Island Railroad; thence easterly deflecting 77 degrees 33 minutes 10 seconds to the right 61.44 feet; thence southerly 355.06 feet to the point of beginning.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 8th day of February, 1912, duly fixed and determined the area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding as follows:

along the south line of Canal Avenue North 60 feet; thence northerly deflecting 90 degrees to the right 553.17 feet to the east line of the right of way of the New York and Sea Beach Railroad; thence northerly deflecting to the left on a curve whose radius is 5,017.50 feet, 151.67 feet; thence southerly 692.47 feet to the point of beginning.

#### WEST TWELFTH STREET.

Beginning at the intersection of the southeast line of Bay parkway with the west line of West 12th street, as the same are laid out on the map of the City; thence northeasterly along the southeast line of Bay parkway 82.53 feet; thence southerly deflecting 133 degrees 21 minutes 25 seconds to the right 1,405.63 feet to the north line of Kings highway; thence westerly deflecting 107 degrees 47 minutes 4 seconds to the right 63.01 feet along the north line of Kings highway; thence northerly 1,329.74 feet to the point of beginning.

#### Parcel "B."

Beginning at the intersection of the north line of Avenue T with the west line of West Twelfth street, as the same are laid out on the map of the City; thence easterly along the north line of Avenue T 60 feet; thence southerly deflecting 90 degrees to the right 2,570 feet to the south line of Avenue W; thence westerly along the south line of Avenue W 80 feet; thence northerly deflecting 90 degrees to the right 1,631.80 feet to the northeast line of Eighty-sixth street; thence northwestwardly along the northeast line of Eighty-sixth street 38.80 feet to the south line of Avenue U; thence easterly along the south line of Avenue U 26.63 feet; thence northerly 910 feet to the point of beginning.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 6th day of July, 1911, duly fixed and determined the area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding as follows:

Beginning at a point on the southeasterly line of Bay parkway midway between West Tenth street and West Eleventh street, and running thence southwardly along a line midway between West Tenth street and West Eleventh street and along the prolongation of the said line to a point distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Canal Avenue North; thence westwardly and parallel with Canal Avenue North to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between West Eleventh street and West Twelfth street; thence northwardly along the said line midway between West Eleventh street and West Twelfth street and along the prolongation of the said line to a point distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Avenue W; thence westwardly and parallel with Avenue W to the intersection with a line midway between West Twelfth street and West Thirteenth street; thence northwardly along the said line midway between West Twelfth street and West Thirteenth street to a point distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Kings highway, the said distance being measured at right angles to Kings highway; thence westwardly and always distant 100 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of Kings highway to the intersection with a line midway between West Twelfth street and West Thirteenth street; thence northwardly along the said line midway between West Twelfth street and West Thirteenth street to the intersection with the southeasterly line of Bay parkway; thence northwestwardly at right angles to Bay parkway a distance of 200 feet; thence northeastwardly and parallel with Bay parkway to the intersection with a line at right angles to Bay parkway, and passing through the point of beginning; thence southeastwardly along the said line at right angles to Bay parkway to the point of place of beginning.

Dated New York, December 13, 1912.  
ARCHIBALD R. WATSON, Corporation Counsel, Hall of Records, Borough of Manhattan, New York City. d13,24

#### SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title in fee, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the purpose of opening and extending **WEST TWENTY-SEVENTH STREET**, from Neptune avenue to Surf avenue, excepting the right of way of the New York and Coney Island Railroad, in the Thirty-first Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York.

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH** cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held for the hearing of motions, in the County Court House, in the County of Kings, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, on the 27th day of December, 1912, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of three Commissioners of Estimate, one of whom shall be appointed Commissioner of Assessment in the above entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title in fee by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening and extending of West Twenty-seventh street, from Neptune avenue to Surf avenue, excepting the right of way of the New York and Coney Island Railroad, in the Thirty-first Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

#### Parcel "A."

Beginning at the intersection of the south line of Neptune avenue with the west line of West Twenty-seventh street as the same are laid out on the map of the City; thence easterly along the south line of Neptune avenue 60.0 feet; thence southerly deflecting 90 degrees 00 minutes 30 seconds to the right 1,249.06 feet to the north line of the right of way of the New York and Coney Island Railroad; thence westerly deflecting 77 degrees 33 minutes 10 seconds to the right along the right of way of the New York and Coney Island Railroad 61.44 feet; thence northerly 1,262.30 feet to the point of beginning.

#### Parcel "B."

Beginning at the intersection of the north line of Surf avenue with the east line of West Twenty-seventh street as the same are laid out on the map of the City; thence westerly along the north line of Surf avenue 60.39 feet; thence northerly deflecting to the right 95 degrees 10 minutes 22 seconds from a line tangent to Surf avenue at the western end of the last-mentioned course, 348.68 feet to the south line of the right of way of the New York and Coney Island Railroad; thence easterly deflecting 77 degrees 33 minutes 10 seconds to the right 61.44 feet; thence southerly 355.06 feet to the point of beginning.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 8th day of February, 1912, duly fixed and determined the area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding as follows:



Bounded on the north by a line distant 100 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly line of Neptune avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Neptune avenue; on the east by a line midway between West Twenty-fifth street and West Twenty-seventh street and by the prolongation of the said line; on the south by a line always distant 100 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of Surf avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Surf avenue, and on the west by a line midway between West Twenty-seventh street and West Twenty-eighth street and by the prolongation of the said line.

Dated New York, December 13, 1912.  
ARCHIBALD R. WATSON, Corporation Counsel, Hall of Records, Borough of Manhattan, New York City. d13,24

## SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title in fee, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the purpose of opening and extending RUTLAND ROAD, from Remsen avenue to East Ninety-eighth street, in the Twenty-ninth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held for the hearing of motions, in the County Court House, in the County of Kings, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, on the 27th day of December, 1912, at the opening of Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of three Commissioners of Estimate, one of whom shall be appointed Commissioner of Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title in fee by The City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening and extending of Rutland road, from Remsen avenue to East Ninety-eighth street, in the Twenty-ninth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at the intersection of the west line of Remsen avenue with the south line of Rutland road, as the same are laid out on the map of the City; thence northerly along the west line of Remsen avenue 80 feet; thence easterly deflecting 90 degrees to the right 2,340 feet to the east line of East Ninety-eighth street; thence southerly along the east line of East Ninety-eighth street 80 feet; thence westerly 2,340 feet to the point of beginning.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 4th day of June, 1909, duly fixed and determined the area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding as follows:

Bounded on the northwest by a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the southeasterly line of East New York avenue, as laid out immediately north easterly from and adjoining Remsen avenue, and the northerly line of Rutland road; on the northeast by a line distant 100 feet northeasterly from and parallel with the northeasterly line of East Ninety-eighth street, the said distance being measured at right angles to East Ninety-eighth street; on the southeast by a line midway between Rutland road and Winthrop street, as laid out east of Remsen avenue, and by the prolongations of the said line; and on the southwest by a line distant 100 feet southerly from and parallel with the southwesterly line of Remsen avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Remsen avenue.

Dated New York, December 13, 1912.  
ARCHIBALD R. WATSON, Corporation Counsel, Hall of Records, Borough of Manhattan, New York City. d13,24

## SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title in fee, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the purpose of opening and extending TWENTY-FOURTH AVENUE, from Stillwell avenue to Crosey avenue, excluding the right of way of the Brooklyn, Bath and West End Railroad, in the Thirty-first Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held for the hearing of motions, in the County Court House, in the County of Kings, in the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York, on the 27th day of December, 1912, at the opening of Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of three Commissioners of Estimate, one of whom shall be appointed Commissioner of Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title in fee by The City of New York for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening and extending of Twenty-fourth avenue, from Stillwell avenue to Crosey avenue, excluding the right of way of the Brooklyn, Bath and West End Railroad, in the Thirty-first Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Parcel A.  
Beginning at the intersection of the north line of Crosey avenue with the east line of Twenty-fourth avenue as the same are laid out on the map of the City; thence westerly along the east line of Crosey avenue 73.43 feet; thence westerly deflecting 9 degrees 15 minutes 29 seconds to the right along the north line of Crosey avenue 6.65 feet; thence northerly deflecting 80 degrees 41 minutes 31 seconds to the right 607.44 feet to the south line of the right of way of the Brooklyn, Bath and West End Railroad; thence easterly deflecting 116 degrees 17 minutes 22 seconds to the right 89.23 feet along the right of way of the Brooklyn, Bath and West End Railroad; thence southerly 568.99 feet to the point of beginning.

Parcel B.  
Beginning at the intersection of the northeast line of Stillwell avenue with the west line of Twenty-fourth avenue as the same are laid out on the map of the City; thence southeasterly along the northeast line of Stillwell avenue 110.05 feet; thence southerly deflecting 46 degrees 37 minutes 54 seconds to the right 3,169.43 feet to the north line of the right of way of the Brooklyn, Bath and West End Railroad; thence westerly deflecting 116 degrees 17 minutes 22 seconds to the right along the right of way of the Brooklyn, Bath and West End Railroad 89.23 feet; thence northerly 3,205.48 feet to the point of beginning.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 15th day of June, 1911, duly fixed and de-

termined the area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding as follows:

Beginning at a point on the northeasterly line of Crosey avenue where it is intersected by a line midway between Twenty-third avenue and Twenty-fourth avenue, and running thence northeasterly along the said line midway between Twenty-third avenue and Twenty-fourth avenue to the intersection with the westerly line of Stillwell avenue; thence easterly at right angles to Stillwell avenue to the intersection with a line midway between Stillwell avenue and West Thirteenth street; thence southerly along the said line midway between Stillwell avenue and West Thirteenth street to the intersection with a line at right angles to Stillwell avenue and passing through a point on its easterly side, where it is intersected by the prolongation of a line midway between Twenty-fourth avenue and Twenty-fifth avenue; thence westerly along the said line at right angles to Stillwell avenue to its easterly side; thence southwesterly along the said line midway between Twenty-fourth avenue and Twenty-fifth avenue, and along the prolongation of the said line, to the intersection with the northeasterly line of Crosey avenue; thence southwesterly at right angles to Harway avenue to a point distant 100 feet southwesterly from its southwesterly side; thence northwesterly and always distant 100 feet southwesterly from and parallel with the southwesterly lines of Harway avenue and of Crosey avenue to the intersection with a line at right angles to Crosey avenue, and passing through the point of beginning; thence northeasterly along the said line at right angles to Crosey avenue to the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, December 13, 1912.  
ARCHIBALD R. WATSON, Corporation Counsel, Hall of Records, Borough of Manhattan, New York City. d13,24

## SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of ASHLAND STREET, from Cypress Hill Cemetery to Myrtle avenue; from Birch street to Spruce street, and from North Curtis avenue to Metropolitan avenue, as shown upon a map or plan adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment May 16, 1912, and approved by the Mayor May 22, 1912, together with the small unacquired portions of Forest Park, opposite Nostrand place, and at the intersection of Ashland street, Myrtle avenue and Guion street, in the Fourth Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, bearing date the 3d day of December, 1912, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on the 6th day of December, 1912, John L. Klages, Clinton T. Roe and Herman J. Smith, Esquires, were appointed Commissioners of Estimate in the above entitled proceeding, and that in and by the said order John L. Klages, Esquire, was appointed the Commissioner of Assessment.

Notice is further given that, pursuant to the statutes in such cases made and provided, the said John L. Klages, Clinton T. Roe and Herman J. Smith, Esquires, will attend at a Trial Term, Part I, of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, to be held at the County Court House in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, on the 23d day of December, 1912, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel, or by any other person having any interest in the said proceeding as to their qualifications to act as such Commissioners.

Dated New York, December 10, 1912.  
ARCHIBALD R. WATSON, Corporation Counsel, Attorney for The City of New York. d10,20

## SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of ADDISON PLACE, from Laurel Hill boulevard to Anable avenue, as shown upon a map or plan adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment January 11, 1912; and to GOSMAN AVENUE, from Borden avenue to Barnett avenue, and from Dreyer avenue to Jackson avenue, in the First and Second Wards, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, bearing date the 3d day of December, 1912, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on the 6th day of December, 1912, James H. Quinlan, William Bowne Parsons and Luke Otten, Esquires, were appointed Commissioners of Estimate in the above entitled proceeding, and that in and by the said order James H. Quinlan, Esquire, was appointed the Commissioner of Assessment.

Notice is further given that, pursuant to the statutes in such cases made and provided, the said James H. Quinlan, William Bowne Parsons and Luke Otten, Esquires, will attend at a Trial Term, Part I, of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, to be held at the County Court House in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, on the 23d day of December, 1912, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel, or by any other person having any interest in the said proceeding as to their qualifications to act as such Commissioners.

Dated New York, December 10, 1912.  
ARCHIBALD R. WATSON, Corporation Counsel, Attorney for The City of New York. d10,20

## SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of BRITTON AVENUE (Orchard avenue), from Broadway to Roosevelt avenue; and of ELMHURST AVENUE, from Broadway to Roosevelt avenue, in the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, bearing date the 3d day of December, 1912, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on the 6th day of December, 1912, James Dolan, Robert B. Lawrence and William J. Hamilton, Esqs., were appointed Commis-

sioners of Estimate in the above entitled proceeding, and that in and by the said order James Dolan, Esq., was appointed the Commissioner of Assessment.

Notice is further given that, pursuant to the statutes in such cases made and provided, the said James Dolan, Robert B. Lawrence and William J. Hamilton, Esqs., will attend at a Trial Term, Part I, of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, to be held at the County Court House, in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, on the 23d day of December, 1912, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel, or by any other person having any interest in the said proceeding as to their qualifications to act as such Commissioners.

Dated New York, December 10, 1912.  
ARCHIBALD R. WATSON, Corporation Counsel, Attorney for The City of New York. d10,20

## SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of ROSEBANK AVENUE, from Southside boulevard to Broad street, in the Second and Fourth Wards, Borough of Richmond, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, bearing date the 3d day of December, 1912, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Richmond on the 6th day of December, 1912, George A. Wood, George W. Stake and James T. Rourke, Esquires, were appointed Commissioners of Estimate in the above entitled proceeding, and that in and by the said order George A. Wood, Esquire, was appointed the Commissioner of Assessment.

Notice is further given that, pursuant to the statutes in such cases made and provided, the said George A. Wood, George W. Stake and James T. Rourke, Esquires, will appear at a Special Term for the hearing of ex-parte motions for the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 23d day of December, 1912, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel, or by any other person having any interest in the said proceeding as to their qualifications to act as such Commissioners.

Dated New York, December 10, 1912.  
ARCHIBALD R. WATSON, Corporation Counsel, Attorney for The City of New York. d10,20

## SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of POYER STREET, from Maurice avenue to Barnwell street, in the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL PERSONS interested in the above entitled proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

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 30th day of December, 1912, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at their said office on the 3d day of January, 1913, 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 30th day of December, 1912, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 6th day of January, 1913, 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 by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 4th day of May, 1911, and that the said area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point on the southerly property line of the Long Island Railroad where it is intersected by a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the northeasterly line of Poyer street and the southwesterly line of Broadway, as these streets are laid out between Dongan street and St. James street, and running thence southeasterly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with the northerly line of Maurice avenue; thence southerly at right angles to Maurice avenue a distance of 170 feet; thence westwardly and parallel with Maurice avenue to the intersection with a line at right angles to Maurice avenue and passing through a point on its southerly side where it is intersected by a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the southwesterly line of Poyer street and the northeasterly line of Queens boulevard; thence northwardly along the said line at right angles to Maurice avenue to its southerly side; thence northwesterly along the bisecting line last described to the intersection with the southerly property line of the Long Island Railroad; thence easterly along the said property line to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That the abstracts of said estimate of damage and of said assessment for benefit, together with the damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by the Commissioners of Estimate and by the Commissioner of Assessment in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, in the Municipal Building, Court House square, in the Borough of Queens, in said City, there to remain until the 3d day of January, 1913.

Fifth—That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said abstracts, the reports as

to awards and as to assessments for benefit herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 7th day of March, 1913, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Sixth—In case, however, objections are filed to the foregoing abstracts of estimate and assessment or to either of them the motion to confirm the reports as to awards and as to assessments shall stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified in the notice provided in such cases to be given in relation to filing the final reports, pursuant to sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, December 3, 1912.  
ROBT. B. LAWRENCE, Chairman; ABRAHAM D. VAN SICLEN, HARRY R. GELWICKS, Commissioners of Estimate; ROBT. B. LAWRENCE, Commissioner of Assessment.  
WALTER C. SHEPPARD, Clerk. d10,27

## SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of GARRISON AVENUE, from Grand street to Flushing avenue, in the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL PERSONS interested in the above-entitled proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

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 30th day of December, 1912, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at their said office on the 3d day of January, 1913, 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 30th day of December, 1912, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 6th day of January, 1913, 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 by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 4th day of May, 1911, and that the said area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point on the southeasterly line of Flushing avenue where it is intersected by the prolongation of a line midway between Garrison avenue and Furman avenue, and running thence southeasterly at right angles to Flushing avenue a distance of 100 feet; thence southwesterly and always distant 100 feet southeasterly from and parallel with the southeasterly line of Flushing avenue to the intersection with a line at right angles to Flushing avenue, and passing through a point on its northwesterly side where it is intersected by a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the centre lines of Sophie street and Garrison avenue as these streets are laid out between Flushing avenue and Frederick street; thence northwesterly along the said line at right angles to Flushing avenue to its northwesterly side; thence northwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with the prolongation of the line midway between Sophie street and Garrison avenue, as these streets are laid out north of Grand street; thence northwardly along the said line midway between Sophie street and Garrison avenue, and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly line of Grand street, the said distance being measured at right angles to Grand street; thence easterly along the said line parallel with Grand street to the intersection with a line midway between Garrison avenue and Furman avenue; thence southwardly along the said line always midway between Garrison avenue and Furman avenue, and along the prolongation of the said line to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That the abstracts of said estimate of damage and of said assessment for benefit, together with the damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by the Commissioners of Estimate and by the Commissioner of Assessment in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, in the Municipal Building, Court House square, in the Borough of Queens, in said City, there to remain until the 3d day of January, 1913.

Fifth—That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said abstracts, the reports as to awards and as to assessments for benefit herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 7th day of March, 1913, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Sixth—In case, however, objections are filed to the foregoing abstracts of estimate and assessment or to either of them the motion to confirm the reports as to awards and as to assessments shall stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified in the notice provided in such cases to be given in relation to filing the final reports, pursuant to sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, December 3, 1912.  
W. J. HAMILTON, Chairman; PATRICK J. MARA, Commissioners of Estimate; PATRICK J. MARA, Commissioner of Assessment.  
WALTER C. SHEPPARD, Clerk. d10,27

## SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments re-



quired for the opening and extending of PITKIN AVENUE, from East New York avenue to Stone avenue, in the Twenty-sixth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 20th day of December, 1912, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by law.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, New York, December 9, 1912.  
DAVID F. MANNING, EDWARD H. LOCKWOOD, FRANK V. KELLY, Commissioners of Estimate; DAVID F. MANNING, Commissioner of Assessment.  
EDWARD RIGELMANN, Clerk. d5,19

#### SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of SKILLMAN AVENUE, from Old Wood Point road to Kingsland avenue, in the Eighteenth Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, The 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, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on or before the 24th day of December, 1912, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at their said office on the 27th day of December, 1912, at 2.30 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, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on or before the 24th day of December, 1912, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 30th day of December, 1912, at 2.30 o'clock p. m.

Third—That the Commissioner of Assessment has assessed any or all such lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises as are within the area of assessment fixed and prescribed as the area of assessment for benefit by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 3d day of June, 1910, and that the said area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point on the prolongation of a line midway between Skillman avenue and Jackson street distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Kingsland avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Kingsland avenue, and running thence southwardly and parallel with Kingsland avenue to the intersection with a line parallel with Maspeth avenue and passing through a point on the westerly line of Kingsland avenue where it is intersected by a line distant 100 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of Skillman avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Skillman avenue; thence westwardly along the said line parallel with Maspeth avenue to the westerly line of Kingsland avenue; thence westwardly along the said line parallel with Skillman avenue to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the southerly line of Skillman avenue and the northerly line of Maspeth avenue as these streets are laid out adjoining Humboldt street; thence westwardly along the said bisecting line to a point distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Old Wood Point road, the said distance being measured at right angles to Old Wood Point road; thence northwardly and always distant 100 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly line of Old Wood Point road to the intersection with a line parallel with Skillman avenue and passing through the point of beginning; thence eastwardly along the said line parallel with Skillman avenue to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That the abstracts of said estimate of damage and of said assessment for benefit, together with the damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by the Commissioners of Estimate and by the Commissioner of Assessment in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in said City, there to remain until the 6th day of January, 1913.

Fifth—That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said abstracts, the reports as to awards and as to assessments for benefit herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 28th day of January, 1913, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Sixth—In case, however, objections are filed to the foregoing abstracts of estimate and assessment, or to either of them, the motion to confirm the reports as to awards and as to assessments shall stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified in the notice provided in such cases to be given in relation to filing the final reports, pursuant to sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, New York, December 5, 1912.  
EDWARD J. BYRNE, Chairman; SOLON BARBANELL, JOHN A. WARREN, Commissioners of Estimate; EDWARD J. BYRNE, Commissioner of Assessment.  
EDWARD RIGELMANN, Clerk. d5,21

#### SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required

for the opening and extending of TERRACE PLACE, from Seventeenth street to Coney Island avenue, in the Twenty-seventh and Twenty-ninth Wards, Borough of Brooklyn, The 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, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on or before the 24th day of December, 1912, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at their said office on the 30th day of December, 1912, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the undersigned, Commissioner of Assessment, has completed his estimate of benefit and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with him at his office, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on or before the 24th day of December, 1912, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 31st day of December, 1912, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Third—That the Commissioner of Assessment has assessed any or all such lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises as are within the area of assessment fixed and prescribed as the area of assessment for benefit by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 19th day of November, 1909, and that the said area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point on the prolongation of a line midway between Seelye street and Van Alst street distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Coney Island avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Coney Island avenue, and running thence westwardly along the said line midway between Seelye street and Vanderbilt street, and along the prolongation of the said line, to the intersection with the center line of Prospect avenue; thence northwardly along the center line of Prospect avenue to the intersection with a line midway between Terrace place and Seelye street; thence westwardly along the said line midway between Terrace place and Seelye street to a point distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Eighteenth street, the said distance being measured at right angles to Eighteenth street; thence northwardly and always distant 100 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly line of Eighteenth street, to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly line of Terrace place, the said distance being measured at right angles to Terrace place; thence eastwardly along the said line parallel with Terrace place to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the center line of Terrace place and the prolongation of the center line of Eleventh avenue as these streets are laid out between Sherman street and Windsor place; thence eastwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with a line parallel with Coney Island avenue as this street is laid out between Vanderbilt street and Seelye street, and passing through the point of beginning; thence southwardly along the said line parallel with Coney Island avenue to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That the abstracts of said estimate of damage and of said assessment for benefit, together with the damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by the Commissioners of Estimate and by the Commissioner of Assessment in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in said City, there to remain until the 6th day of January, 1913.

Fifth—That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said abstracts, the reports as to awards and as to assessments for benefit herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 28th day of January, 1913, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Sixth—In case, however, objections are filed to the foregoing abstracts of estimate and assessment, or to either of them, the motion to confirm the reports as to awards and as to assessments shall stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified in the notice provided in such cases to be given in relation to filing the final reports, pursuant to sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated Borough of Brooklyn, New York, December 5, 1912.  
GEORGE A. STEVES, Chairman; EDWARD J. O'DONNELL, SOLON BARBANELL, Commissioners of Estimate; SOLON BARBANELL, Commissioner of Assessment.  
EDWARD RIGELMANN, Clerk. d5,21

#### SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of the application of The City of New York relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of SUNSWICK STREET, from Harris avenue to Graham avenue, in the First 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 23d day of December, 1912, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at their said office on the 26th day of December, 1912, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the undersigned, Commissioner of Assessment, has completed his estimate of benefit and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby,

having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with him at his office, 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 23d day of December, 1912, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 27th day of December, 1912, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Third—That the Commissioner of Assessment has assessed any or all such lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises as are within the area of assessment fixed and prescribed as the area of assessment for benefit by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 20th day of December, 1907, and that the said area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Bounded on the northwest by a line which bisects the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the northwesterly line of Sunswick street and the southeasterly line of Van Alst avenue, as laid out between Harris avenue and Graham avenue; on the northeast by a line distant 100 feet northeasterly from and parallel with the northeasterly line of Graham avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Graham avenue; on the southeast by a line midway between Sunswick street and Ely avenue, and the prolongation of the said line, and on the southwest by a line distant 100 feet southwesterly from and parallel with the southwesterly line of Harris avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Harris avenue.

Fourth—That the abstracts of said estimate of damage and of said assessment for benefit, together with the damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by the Commissioners of Estimate and by the Commissioner of Assessment in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, in the Municipal Building, Court House square, in the Borough of Queens, in said City, there to remain until the 26th day of December, 1912.

Fifth—That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said abstracts, the reports as to awards and as to assessments for benefit herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof, for the hearing of motions, to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 21st day of February, 1913, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Sixth—In case, however, objections are filed to the foregoing abstracts of estimate and assessment or to either of them the motion to confirm the reports as to awards and as to assessments shall stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified in the notice provided in such cases to be given in relation to filing the final reports, pursuant to sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated Borough of Manhattan, New York, November 25, 1912.

WM. S. COGSWELL, Chairman; D. L. VAN NOSTRAND, Commissioners of Estimate; D. L. VAN NOSTRAND, Commissioner of Assessment.  
WALTER C. SHEPPARD, Clerk. d4,20

#### NOTICE TO BIDDERS AT SALES OF OLD BUILDINGS, ETC.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS UNDER WHICH BUILDINGS, ETC., WILL BE SOLD FOR REMOVAL FROM CITY PROPERTY.

THE BUILDINGS AND APPURTENANCES thereto will be sold to the highest bidder, who must pay cash or certified check, drawn to the order of the Comptroller of The City of New York, and must also give a certified check or cash in half the amount of the purchase price as security for the faithful performance of the terms and conditions of the sale. Where the amount of the purchase price does not equal or exceed the sum of \$50, the sum of \$50 shall be the amount of the security to be deposited. This security may at any time after the expiration of the contract period be applied by the City to the cost of completing any of the work required under the contract, but unfinished at the expiration of the contract period.

The purchaser shall not lease, occupy, cause or permit the building or buildings, etc., purchased by him to be used or occupied for any purpose other than that of their speedy removal, nor shall he collect any rental or other revenue for the use of either the land or the buildings, etc., situated thereon. The breach of either or any of these conditions shall forthwith void the sale and cause immediate forfeiture of the purchase money and the security deposited for the faithful performance of the conditions of the sale. The placing therein or permitting the occupancy of any such building by any tenant free, for rent or otherwise, excepting the necessary watchmen and the workmen engaged in the actual demolition thereof, shall of itself be a breach of the above conditions of sale.

The sale will be as of the condition of the property on date of delivery thereof to the purchaser. The City of New York will not be responsible for any change or loss which may occur in the condition of the buildings, or their appurtenances between the time of the sale thereof and the time of delivering possession to the purchaser, after being properly vacated of all tenants. The sale and delivery to purchaser will be made as nearly together as the circumstance of vacating the structures of their tenants will permit.

All the material of the buildings, sheds, walks, structures and cellars of whatsoever nature, with their exterior and interior fixtures, appurtenances and foundations of all kinds, except the exterior walls of the buildings and their foundations and the sidewalks and curb in front of said buildings, extending within the described area shall be torn down and removed from the premises. None of the dirt, debris or waste resulting from demolition shall be allowed to remain on the premises, except old mortar or plaster only, which may be left, but not higher at any point than two feet below the curb opposite that point. The exterior walls and their foundations shall be taken down only to a plane whose elevation shall be the level of the curb in front of the building. Where there is no curb the elevation of the surrounding ground shall be considered curb level. All wells, cesspools, sinks, etc., existing on the property must be filled to the level of the surrounding ground with clean earth.

The purchaser at the sale shall also withdraw and remove all abandoned water taps and old service mains, and in place thereof cause to be inserted a brass plug in the main water pipe in the street, in compliance with the rules and regulations of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, and furnish the Department of Finance with a certificate from the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity that this has been performed.

The purchaser at the sale shall also remove all house sewer connections to the main sewer in the street, and the opening of the main sewer in street shall be properly closed in compliance with the directions of the Bureau of Sewers in

the Borough in which the buildings are situated, and furnish the Department of Finance with a certificate from the Bureau of Sewers that the work has been properly performed.

The permit for all opening in the street to be obtained by and at the expense of the purchaser of the building.

Failure to remove said buildings, appurtenances, or any part thereof, within thirty days from the day of possession will work forfeiture of ownership of such buildings, appurtenances or portion as shall then be left standing, together with all moneys paid by said purchaser on account thereof at the time of the sale, and the bidder's assent to the above conditions being understood to be implied by the act of bidding and The City of New York, without notice to the purchaser, cause the same to be removed and the cost and expense thereof charged against the security above mentioned.

The work of removal must be carried on in every respect in a thorough and workmanlike manner, and must be completed within thirty days from the day of possession, and the successful bidder will provide and furnish all materials of labor and machinery necessary thereto, and will place proper and sufficient guards and fences and warning signs by day and night for the prevention of accidents, and will indemnify and save harmless The City of New York, its officers, agents and servants, and each of them, against any and all suits and actions, claims and demands of every name and description brought against it, them or any of them, and against and from all damage and costs to which it, they or any of them be put by reason of injury to the person or property of another, resulting from negligence or carelessness in the performance of the work, or in guarding the same, or from any improper or defective materials or machinery, implements or appliances used in the removal of said buildings.

Where party walls are found to exist between buildings purchased by different bidders, the materials of said party walls shall be understood to be equally divided between the separate purchasers.

Party walls and fences, when existing against adjacent property not sold, shall not be taken down. All furrings, plaster, chimneys, projecting brick, etc., on the faces of such party walls are to be taken down and removed. The walls shall be made permanently self-supporting, beams, holes, etc., bricked up, and the wall pointed and made to exclude wind and rain and present a clean exterior. The roofs and adjacent buildings shall be properly flashed and painted and made watertight where they have been disturbed by the operations of the contractor.

The Comptroller of The City of New York reserves the right on the day of sale to withdraw from sale any of the buildings, parts of buildings and machinery included therein, or to reject any and all bids, and it is further

Resolved, That, while the said sale is held under the supervision of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, the Comptroller is authorized to cause the sale to be advertised and to direct the sale thereof as financial officer of the City.

#### PROPOSALS FOR BIDS AND ESTIMATES FOR THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

##### NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

#### GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS.

The person or persons making a bid or estimate for any services, work, materials or supplies for The City of New York, or for any of its departments, bureaus or offices, shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed with the title of the supplies, materials, work or services for which the bid or estimate is made, with his or their name or names and the date of presentation to the President or Board or to the head of the Department at his or its office, on or before the date and hour named in the advertisement for the same, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the President or Board or head of said Department and read, and the award of the contract made according to law as soon thereafter as practicable.

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

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

No bid or estimate will be considered unless, as a condition precedent to the reception or consideration of any proposal, it be accompanied by a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money or corporate stock or certificates of indebtedness of any nature issued by The City of New York, which the Comptroller shall approve as of equal value with the security required in the advertisement, to the amount of not less than three nor more than five per centum of the amount of the bond required, as provided in section 420 of the Greater New York Charter.

The certified check or money should not be inclosed in the envelope containing the bid or estimate, but should be either inclosed in a separate envelope addressed to the head of the Department, President or Board, or submitted personally upon the presentation of the bid or estimate.

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies, or the nature and extent of the work, reference must be made to the specifications, schedules, plans, etc., on file in the said office of the President, Board or Department.

No bid shall be accepted from or contract awarded to any person who is in arrears to The City of New York upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the City.

The contract must be bid for separately. The right is reserved in each case to reject all bids or estimates if it is deemed to be for the interest of the City so to do.

Bidders will write out the amount of their bids or estimates in addition to inscribing the same in figures.

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank forms prepared and furnished by the City, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department for which the work is to be done. Plans and drawings of construction work may also be seen there.