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BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

Notice of Public Hearing.

Change of Grade at the Intersection of 34th Street and 4th and Park Avenues, Borough of Manhattan.

The Committee on the City Plan of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment will hold a PUBLIC HEARING in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, on THURSDAY, JULY 9, 1914, AT 3.30 P. M., on the proposed modified plan for the CHANGE OF GRADE AT THE INTERSECTION OF 34TH STREET AND 4TH AND PARK AVENUES, Borough of Manhattan.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building; Telephone 4560 Worth. j19,jy9

Notice of Public Hearing.

Extension of 6th Avenue to Varick Street, Borough of Manhattan.

The PUBLIC HEARING on a petition for the EXTENSION OF 6TH AVENUE SOUTHERLY TO VARICK STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, of the Committee on the City Plan of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment SCHEDULED FOR JUNE 26TH, HAS BEEN POSTPONED TO THURSDAY, JULY 9, 1914, AT 3 P. M., IN ROOM 16, CITY HALL.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building; Telephone 4560 Worth. j19,jy9

THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

STATED MEETING.

Tuesday, June 30, 1914, 1.30 o'Clock P. M.

The Board met in the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall.

Present:

Hon. George McAneny, President of the Board of Aldermen.

Aldermen

O. Grant Esterbrook, Vice-Chairman.	Frank J. Dotzler.	John F. McCourt.
Jacob Bartscherer.	Frank L. Dowling.	William P. McGarry.
Daniel M. Bedell.	William Duggan.	Anthony J. McNally.
Albert C. Benninger.	Alexander Dujat.	James J. Molen.
John H. Boschen.	Edward Eichhorn.	Charles J. Moore.
Robert H. Bosse.	James R. Ferguson.	Jesse D. Moore.
William D. Brush.	John T. Eagan.	Robert L. Moran.
Samuel J. Burden.	August Ferrand.	Frank Mullen.
William H. Burns.	William Fink.	James F. Mullen.
Michael Carberry.	John S. Gaynor.	James J. Nugent.
Lauren Carroll.	James Hamilton.	John J. O'Rourke.
William H. Chorosh.	Joseph M. Hannon.	Henry Ottes.
Charles P. Cole.	Michael J. Hogan.	William H. Pendry.
Frank Cunningham.	Oscar Igstaedter.	Charles A. Post.
Henry H. Curran.	Louis Jacobson.	Hyman Pouker.
Charles Delaney.	William P. Kenneally.	William F. Quinn.
John Diemer.	Francis P. Kenney.	John J. Reardon.
Frank T. Dixson.	John Kochendorfer.	Isadore M. Rosenblum.
Bernard E. Donnelly.	William J. Lein.	Peter Schweickert.
Frank Dostal, Jr.	Abraham M. Levy.	Joseph W. Spencer.
	John McCann.	Arnon L. Squiers.
	Michael Stapleton.	Frederick Trau.
	Frederick H. Stevenson.	Edward B. Valentine.
	Edward H. Taylor.	Jacob Weil.
		Louis Wendel, Jr.
		John J. White.
		Frederick H. Wilmot.

Charles J. McCormack, President, Borough of Richmond, by Lewis Nixon, Commissioner of Public Works.

Maurice E. Connolly, President, Borough of Queens, by James A. Dayton, Commissioner of Public Works.

Douglas Mathewson, President, Borough of The Bronx, by John G. Borgstede, Commissioner of Public Works.

Lewis H. Pounds, President, Borough of Brooklyn, and by Edmund W. Voorhies, Commissioner of Public Works.

Marcus M. Marks, President, Borough of Manhattan, by E. V. Frothingham, Commissioner of Public Works.

The Clerk proceeded to read the minutes of the stated meeting of June 23, 1914.

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

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

No. 810.

Executive Offices, The City Club of New York, 55 West Forty-fourth street, June 29, 1914.

To the Board of Aldermen, City Hall, New York City:

Gentlemen—The City Club respectfully urges your Board to approve ordinance No. 673, introduced by Alderman Bedell. This ordinance, providing for the "near side stop," will, in our opinion, greatly lessen the danger to pedestrians at street crossings and will lessen the running time of the cars.

We believe that the only serious objection to it is the hazard due to the added distance to be traversed by pedestrians in boarding cars of the "pay as you enter" type. This danger we believe can be offset by roping off a safety zone four or five feet in width and the length of the car, or by permitting passengers to get on and off cars at the forward end, as is done in Philadelphia. We understand that one or the other of these supplementary safeguards will be recommended to the proper authorities shortly and with such extra precautions we believe that the "near side stop" will be the means of greatly reducing the number of our needless street accidents. Even without these added safeguards we believe the "near side stop" will prove much safer than the present conditions, and we therefore respectfully ask you to enact it into law. Respectfully submitted,

THE CITY CLUB OF NEW YORK, By WAGNER D. HEYDECKER, Assistant Secretary.

Which was ordered on file.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM CITY, COUNTY AND BOROUGH OFFICERS.

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

No. 811.

Board of Education, Park Avenue and 59th Street, New York, June 26, 1914.

Hon. GEORGE MCANENY, *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 June 24, 1914, as summarized below:

1. Requesting the Board of Aldermen to adopt a resolution requesting the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to authorize the issue of Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of $10,000, for the purpose of defraying the cost of carrying out the orders issued by the Fire Department against the premises occupied by the Manhattan Trade School for Girls, Nos. 209-213 East 23d street, Manhattan.

2. Requesting the Board of Aldermen to adopt a resolution requesting the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to authorize the issue of Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of $947.25, to be applied to defraying the cost of increasing the compensation of electrician, wireman (electrician), lineman (electrician), and two batterymen, from $4.50 to $4.80 per day, to take effect as of April 1, 1914.

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

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen be, and it is hereby, respectfully requested to adopt a resolution asking the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to authorize the issue of Special Revenue Bonds, to the amount of $10,000, for the purpose of defraying the cost of carrying out the orders issued by the Fire Department against the premises occupied by the Manhattan Trade School for Girls, Nos. 209-213 East 23d street, Manhattan.

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Education on June 24, 1914.

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

No. 812.

To the Board of Education:

The Committee on Finance respectfully reports that it is in receipt of the following communication from the Secretary of the Board of Education:

"June 23, 1914.

"Hon. John Greene,

"Chairman, Committee on Finance.

"Dear Sir—I have the honor to advise you that the Committee on Buildings at a meeting held on the 22d inst. had under consideration a resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen on June 2, 1914, and approved by the Mayor on June 6, 1914, fixing the compensation of electrician, wireman (electrician) and lineman (electrician) at the rate of $4.80 per day.

In connection therewith the Superintendent of School Buildings stated that there are two electricians, one lineman and ten wiremen in the employ of this department, as well as two batterymen, who are performing exactly the same work, and that the additional amount required to increase the salaries of these men from $4.50 to $4.80 per day, taking effect April 1, 1914, will be $947.25.

"It was ordered that the Committee on Finance be requested to present a resolution to the Board of Education, asking the Board of Aldermen to authorize an issue of Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of $947.25 for the above-mentioned purpose.

"Respectfully yours, A. EMERSON PALMER, Secretary, Board of Education."

—and submits for adoption the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen be, and it is hereby, respectfully requested to adopt a resolution requesting the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to authorize the issue of Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of Nine hundred and forty-seven and 25/100 dollars ($947.25), pursuant to the provisions of subdivision 8 of Section 188 of the Revised Charter, said sum to be applied to defraying the cost of increasing the compensation of electricians, wiremen (electricians), linemen (electricians) and two batterymen from $4.50 to $4.80 per day, to take effect as of April 1, 1914; and that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be, and it is hereby, respectfully requested to authorize such issue upon the request of the Board of Aldermen.

A true copy of a report and resolution adopted by the Board of Education on June 24, 1914. A. E. PALMER, Secretary, Board of Education.

Which were severally referred to the Committee on Finance.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Trustees of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals:

No. 813.

Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, Office of The Board of Trustees, 1st Avenue and 26th Street, New York, June 18th, 1914.

Hon. GEORGE MCANENY, *President, Board of Aldermen*, City Hall, New York:

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 in the amount of $60,000 to meet the anticipated deficit in the appropriation for food supplies in accordance with the enclosed letter from the contract clerk and auditor of the department. Although it is estimated that the deficit in the schedule is likely to exceed this sum, the Trustees make this modest request, as they hope to reduce the expenditures for food items to such an extent that this amount will be sufficient.

There is also an apparent deficit in the appropriation for medical and surgical supplies, but the amount required is less than that for food and not so urgent. The Trustees may, in all probability, be compelled to ask for an issue of revenue bonds for this purpose in the early fall. Respectfully,

J. K. PAULDING, Secretary, Board of Trustees.

May 5, 1914.

Dr. GEORGE O'HANLON, *General Medical Superintendent, Bellevue and Allied Hospitals:*

Dear Sir—The appropriations for the year 1914 for Food Supplies ($306,300) and for Medical and Surgical Supplies ($80,000) appear to be insufficient.

Using the figures from the expense ledger as a basis, the cost of Food Supplies consumed during the first quarter of the year is $90,883.45. The cost for the entire year, figuring the balance of the year in the same ratio as the cost for the last nine (9) months of the year 1913 is to the cost for the first three (3) months of the year 1913, will approximately be $378,000, showing an estimated deficit of $71,700. This amount is very similar to the actual cost of Food Supplies for the year 1913 ($378,866.65), but allowance must be made for the increased census, slightly over 5% for patients and employees, which, if added to the cost of Food Supplies for the year 1913, would bring the total over $397,000, showing a saving for the year 1914 of approximately $19,000.

The cost of the Medical and Surgical Supplies used during the first three (3) months of the year is $22,956.02. Treating this appropriation in a similar manner as the Food Supplies the total expenses for the year will approximately be $100,000 showing an estimated deficit of $20,000.

I beg leave to recommend that a request be made for an issue of Special Revenue Bonds to meet this anticipated deficit in the appropriations, other than for personal services, for the year 1914.

Respectfully, ..., Contract Clerk and Auditor.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the President of the Borough of Queens:

No. 814.

The City of New York, Office of The President of the Borough of Queens, Long Island City, June 26, 1914.

To the Hon. Board of Aldermen, City of New York:

Gentlemen—Request is hereby made for your approval, in accordance with the provisions of Sub-division 8 of Section 188 of the Charter of the City of New York, of an issue of Revenue Bonds, amounting to $104.50 to provide funds whereby the rate of pay of a flagger employed in this department may be increased from $4.00 to $4.50 per diem for the period from April 24th to December 31, 1914.

The budget provides for a flagger at $4.00 per day for 303 days, whereas the prevailing rate of wages is $4.50 per diem. Respectfully,

MAURICE E. CONNOLLY, President of the Borough of Queens.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

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

No. 815.

City of New York, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Office of the Secretary, Municipal Building, June 30, 1914.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

Gentlemen—I transmit herewith certified copies of three resolutions adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment June 26, 1914, relative to the issue of corporate stock, as follows:

Cal. No. 26. Amending resolution adopted July 17, 1911, which authorized the issue of $10,000 corporate stock for the erection of a comfort house in Kings Park, Jamaica, Queens, under the jurisdiction of the Department of Parks, Borough of Queens, by reducing said amount to $5,000 for the erection of a band stand, permanently bettering the comfort station and constructing walks and lawns adjacent to the band stand in Kings Park, Jamaica, Queens.

Cal. No. 126. Authorizing the issue of $18,000 corporate stock for enlarging and covering the dumping board at 72nd street and the East River, Borough of Manhattan, under the jurisdiction of the Department of Street Cleaning.

Cal. No. 128B. Authorizing the issue of $5,000 corporate stock to provide means for the erection of a 14-cell disciplinary building at the penitentiary on Blackwell's Island, under the jurisdiction of the Department of Correction.

I also enclose copies of reports of the Committee on Corporate Stock Budget 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 July 17, 1911, as amended on March 7, 1912, and concurred in by the Board of Aldermen on July 25, 1911, and as amended on April 16, 1912, 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 ten thousand dollars ($10,000) to provide means for the erection of a comfort house in Kings Park, Jamaica, under the jurisdiction of the Department of Parks, Borough of Queens, 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 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 *five thousand dollars* ($5,000), *to provide means for the erection of a band stand, permanently bettering the comfort station and constructing walks and lawns adjacent to the band stand, in Kings Park, Jamaica,* under the jurisdiction of the Department of Parks, Borough of Queens, and that 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, the proceeds thereof to the amount of the par value of the stock to be applied to the purposes aforesaid, provided, however, that no part of the proceeds of the corporate stock herein authorized shall be available until after the Board of Estimate and Apportionment has approved forms of contracts, plans, specifications and estimates of cost pertaining to the same and that no part of such proceeds shall be used for the payment of fees of any architect, engineer or expert until after a contract with such architect, engineer or expert has been approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and that no part of the proceeds of corporate stock herein authorized shall be used for payment of any salary or wages of departmental employees, except after approval by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and in accordance with the schedules to be adopted by said board, and be it further,

Resolved, That the head of the Department of Parks, Borough of Queens, is directed to submit to this Board for its approval forms of contracts, plans, specifications and estimates of cost, prior to advertising for bids for work chargeable to the proceeds of the corporate stock herein authorized and such department head is also directed to submit to this Board for its approval all preliminary and final agreements with an architect or architects, engineer or engineers, expert or experts, whenever such agreements or contracts are chargeable against corporate stock herein authorized.

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, June 26, 1914. JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

City of New York, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building, Bureau of Contract Supervision, June 5, 1914.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—On May 9, 1914, the Commissioner of Parks requested a rescindment of the resolution approving plans and specifications for the construction of a combined band stand and comfort station in Kings Park, Jamaica. On May 15, 1914, the resolution of approval was rescinded.

On May 14, 1914, supplementing the above request, the Commissioner of Parks offered as a substitute the construction of a band stand and the remodelling of the present comfort station at an estimated cost of $5,000. This was referred to the Bureau of Contract Supervision on May 19, 1914.

On July 17, 1911, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted a resolution authorizing the issuance of corporate stock of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding $10,000, to provide means for the erection of a comfort house in Kings Park, Jamaica.

The disapproved plans called for the erection of a large and showy band stand with a comfort station underneath. It is the opinion, however, of the Commissioner of Parks that to erect this type of building in a park of this size would be a serious error. A modest band stand should be built, with storage facilities underneath. The present comfort station should be remodeled by raising the roof about three feet to permit of the use of transom windows to provide light and ventilation. The installation of a heating plant is also necesary.

The erection of the band stand, alterations to the comfort station and screenings, cinders, top soil and sod necessary to prepare walks and adjust lawns, would cost approximately $5,000, thus effecting a saving of $5,000. To effect this saving it will be necessary to amend the original resolution by changing the purpose and reducing the amount from $10,000 to $5,000.

We recommend the adoption of the attached resolution amending the previous resolution as suggested. Respectfully,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller; GEORGE McANENY, President, Board of Aldermen; LEWIS H. POUNDS, President, Borough of Brooklyn; DOUGLAS MATHEWSON, President, Borough of The Bronx; Committee on Corporate Stock Budget.

No. 816.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to the provisions of sections 47 and 546 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby authorizes the issue of corporate stock of The City of New York to the amount of eighteen thousand dollars ($18,000), maturing not more than twenty (20) years after the date of issue, to provide means for the enlarging and covering of the dumping board at 72d street and the East River, Borough of Manhattan, under the jurisdiction of the Department of Street Cleaning, and 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 whereof to the par value of the stock to be applied to the purpose aforesaid, provided, however, that no part of the proceeds of the corporate stock herein authorized shall be available until after the Board of Estimate and Apportionment has approved forms of contracts, plans, specifications and estimates of cost pertaining to the same, and that no part of such proceeds shall be used for the payment of fees of any architect, engineer, or expert until after a contract with such architect, engineer or expert has been approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and that no part of the proceeds of corporate stock herein authorized shall be used for the payment of any salary or wage of departmental employees, except after approval by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and in accordance with the schedules to be adopted by said Board, and be it further

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Street Cleaning is directed to submit to this Board for its approval, forms of contracts, plans, specifications and estimates of cost, prior to advertising for bids for work chargeable to the proceeds of the corporate stock herein authorized, and said Commissioner is also directed to submit to this Board for its approval all preliminary and final agreements with an architect or architects, engineer or engineers, expert or experts, whenever such agreements or contracts are chargeable against corporate stock herein authorized.

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, June 26, 1914.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

City of New York, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building, Bureau of Contract Supervision, May 29, 1914.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—On March 27, 1914, you referred to this Committee a communication from the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, dated March 24, 1914, requesting a corporate stock authorization of $18,000 for enlarging and covering the dumping board at 72d street and the East River, Manhattan.

It is proposed to extend and cover the temporary dump board, now under construction at 72d street. On December 4, 1913, your Board approved a contract for the construction of a bridge and dumping board at the location named; the cost, $4,873, to be paid from the 1913 tax levy appropriation entitled:

"1305, 1913, Department of Street Cleaning, Contract or Open Order Service, General Repairs, Maintenance of Buildings and Repairs, Manhattan."

It was intended that this should be a temporary dumping board to be used only during the construction of a sea wall and of a permanent dump at 80th street. The Commissioner of Street Cleaning has recently decided that the 72d street location is better for a permanent dump than 80th street.

The Bureau of Contract Supervision reports that the 80th street dump is old and dilapidated, and that it rests on an old crib bulkhead which is badly warped and settled, and is in danger of collapsing. The capacity of the dump has recently been greatly diminished by its partial destruction by fire.

It is proposed by the Department of Docks and Ferries, as soon as the 80th street dump is removed, to continue the construction beyond 80th street of a sea wall now extending from 71st street to 79th street.

As there is no other dump on the East River between 46th street and 107th street, it is essential that the 80th street dump should be replaced when abandoned, as it soon must be, by one of adequate and sufficient dumping capacity to meet the demands of the territory involved. It is also desirable, in view of the decision of the Commissioner of Street Cleaning to locate a permanent dump at 72d street, that this dump should be constructed so as to make it as unobjectionable to adjoining property owners as is possible. The street is built up on both sides, between Avenue A and Marginal street with tenements and factories, and there is a large meeting hall on the block.

The dump now being constructed is 65 feet 10 inches long, which will allow of the loading of but one scow at a time. It is intended, if funds are provided, to extend the structure at both ends, giving it a total length of 186 feet 8 inches, the whole to be covered with a frame work of steel with sides and top of asbestos protected sheet metal. All of the wood work to be covered with plaster board. Hose lines are to be provided. The entire structure will be comparatively safe from destruction by fire.

Special appliances are provided to eliminate the scattering of dust and ashes when carts are dumped. The dump board is to be equipped with chutes, through which the ashes and refuse will be delivered direct from the carts, when dumped, to the scow. These chutes are movable, both laterally and vertically, by hand.

The dump will probably have a life of about twenty years, and twenty-year corporate stock should be authorized.

The Bureau of Contract Supervision reports that the amount requested is reasonable for the proposed extension and cover.

We are of the opinion that the improvement is desirable and recommend the adoption of the attached resolution authorizing $18,000 in corporate stock maturing not more than twenty (20) years after the date of issue. Respectfully,

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller; LEWIS H. POUNDS, President, Borough of Brooklyn; DOUGLAS MATHEWSON, President, Borough of The Bronx, Committee on Corporate Stock Budget.

No. 817.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, hereby approves of the issue of corporate stock of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding five thousand dollars ($5,000) to provide means for the erection of a disciplinary building at the Penitentiary on Blackwell's Island, under the jurisdiction of the Department of Correction, 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.

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment June 26, 1914. JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

City of New York, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building, Bureau of Contract Supervision, May 25, 1914.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—On May 8, 1914, you referred to the Corporate Stock Budget Committee and the Bureau of Contract Supervision a communication from the Commissioner of Correction, dated May 4, 1914, in which application, pursuant to chapter 73 of the Laws of 1914, was made to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for permission to erect a small disciplinary building at the Penitentiary on Blackwells Island.

It is proposed to construct a building to contain 14 cells, in which unruly prisoners, now confined in the main building of the penitentiary, can be isolated.

At the present time temporarily deranged or unruly prisoners by their behavior incite others who are ordinarily amenable to discipline to rebel. This, at times, makes it almost impossible to maintain proper discipline in this institution.

The building is to be constructed by prison labor. The department estimates the cost of the materials necessary for the construction at $5,000.

Plans have been submitted to the Bureau of Contract Supervision and engineers of that bureau have made an itemized tabulation of the cost of the construction materials and have reported that the estimate of $5,000 is not excessive.

It is our judgment that corporate stock should be authorized for this purpose.

We recommend the adoption of the attached resolution granting the request, and authorizing $5,000 in corporate stock. Respectfully,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller; GEORGE McANENY, President, Board of Aldermen; LEWIS H. POUNDS, President, Borough of Brooklyn; DOUGLAS MATHEWSON, President, Borough of The Bronx, Corporate Stock Budget Committee.

Which were severally referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 818.

City of New York, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Office of the Secretary, Municipal Building, June 30, 1914.

To the Honorable Board of Aldermen:

Gentlemen—I transmit herewith certified copies of nine resolutions adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment June 26, 1914, relative to the establishment of various grades of positions:

Department and Position.	Compensation Per Annum.	Incumbents.
Cal. No. 31. Board of Estimate and Apportionment—		
Statistician	$1,500 00	1
Engineering Inspector	1,500 00	1
Draftsman	1,500 00	1
Draftsman	1,200 00	2
Clerk	420 00	1
Cal. No. 32. Board of Estimate and Apportionment—		
Assistant Engineer	4,300 00	1
Clerk	3,150 00	1
Law Clerk	2,400 00	1
Cal. No. 34. Department of Finance—		
Examiner	1,950 00	Unlimited
Clerk	1,950 00	Unlimited
Stenographer and Typewriter	1,200 00	Unlimited
—and various other positions as set forth therein.		
Cal. No. 35A. Police Department—Secretary to Department	3,600 00	1
Cal. No. 38. Department of Education—Janitors of various Public Schools as set forth therein.		
Cal. No. 40. Department of Licenses—		
Financial Clerk	1,650 00	2
Stenographer and Typewriter	1,800 00	1
—and various other positions as set forth therein.		
Cal. No. 42A. Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity—		
Plan Examiner (Electrical)	1,500 00	2
Plan Examiner (Illumination)	1,500 00	2
Cal. No. 44. Fire Department—		
Chief Examiner	2,500 00	1
Engineering Inspector	1,350 00	1
Cal. No. 48. Commissioners of Accounts—Efficiency Accountant	1,800 00	1

I also enclose copies of reports of the Committee on Salaries and Grades relative thereto. Yours very truly, JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

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 office of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of the grades of positions, in addition to those heretofore established, as follows:

Title.	Rate Per Annum.	Number of Incumbents.
Statistician	$1,500 00	1
Engineering Inspector	1,500 00	1
Draftsman	1,500 00	1
Draftsman	1,200 00	2
Clerk	420 00	1

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, June 26, 1914.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

City of New York, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building, Bureau of Standards, June 22, 1914.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—On June 17, 1914, the Committee on City Plan requested the establishment, pursuant to the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, of seven grades of positions, for nine incumbents. The request was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Grades on June 19, 1914. The Bureau of Standards reports thereon, under date of June 22, 1914, as follows:

"The grades of positions requested in detail are as follows:

Title.	Rate Per Annum.	Number of Incumbents.
Assistant Engineer	$2,100 00	1
Assistant Engineer	1,800 00	1
Assistant Engineer	1,650 00	2
Draftsman	1,500 00	1
Draftsman	1,200 00	2
Stenographer and Typewriter	750 00	1
Clerk	450 00	1

"The Committee on City Plan has evolved an extensive program with a view to zoning the City. This requires the collection of a mass of data as to transportation facilities, past and present, and estimates for the future, and on land values, past, present and future. The Committee will also need detailed information as to the amount of floor space and land area devoted to office use, to trade and commercial purposes and to residential purposes. The positions of Assistant Engineer are requested for the purpose of getting this data. At the suggestion of the Bureau of Standards, the two positions of Assistant Engineer, at $1,650, have been eliminated from the request and the positions of Statistician, one at $1,500, and Engineering Inspector, one at $1,500, have been substituted therefor, for the reason that these titles will probably prove more nearly descriptive of the work to be performed. The positions of Assistant Engineer, at $2,100, and Assistant Engineer, at $1,800, are already established in the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for an unlimited number of incumbents.

"The three positions of Draftsman are needed for the purpose of drafting maps and charts which the Committee intends to prepare.

"The position of Stenographer and Typewriter is necessary to conduct the additional correspondence entailed by the appointment of an Advisory Commission on City Planning, which was decided on by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment at its meeting of June 19, 1914. This position is already established in the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for an unlimited number of incumbents.

"The Clerk is necessary for the general light work of the office. The salary should, to bring it in agreement with the established rates in the City service, be $420."

In view of the foregoing statement, we recommend the adoption of the attached resolution establishing grades of positions for the Committee on City Plan as follows:

Title.	Rate Per Annum.	Number of Incumbents.
Statistician	$1,500 00	1
Engineering Inspector	1,500 00	1
Draftsman	1,500 00	1
Draftsman	1,200 00	2
Clerk	420 00	1

Respectfully,

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller; GEORGE McANENY, President, Board of Aldermen, Committee on Salaries and Grades.

No. 819.

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

Title.	Rate Per Annum.	Number of Incumbents.
Assistant Engineer	$4,300 00	1
Clerk	3,150 00	1
Law Clerk	2,400 00	1

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, June 26, 1914.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment, The City of New York, Bureau of Franchises, June 22, 1914.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—Your Committee, to which was referred on April 17, 1914, the application of the Chief of the Bureau of Franchises for certain increases in salary of six members of the staff of the bureau and the establishment of three grades, as follows:

Assistant Engineer	1 Incumbent	$4,300 00
Clerk	1 Incumbent	3,150 00
Law Clerk	1 Incumbent	2,400 00

—would respectfully report that they are of the opinion that the grades should be established and as the Board of Aldermen will have to concur therein, they submit for adoption a resolution establishing such grades.

A subsequent report will be made in regard to the promotions, for such report would be useless until the grades are established, in view of the coming adjournment of the Board of Aldermen for the summer season. Respectfully,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller; GEORGE A. McANENY, President, Board of Aldermen, Committee on Salaries and Grades.

No. 820.

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

Title.	Rate Per Annum.	Number of Incumbents.
Examiner	$1,950 00	Unlimited
Clerk	1,950 00	Unlimited
Stenographer and Typewriter	1,200 00	Unlimited
Accountant	1,650 00	Unlimited
Accountant	2,250 00	Unlimited
Accountant	2,400 00	Unlimited
Expert Accountant	1,800 00	Unlimited
Expert Accountant	2,250 00	Unlimited
Expert Accountant	2,400 00	Unlimited
Expert Accountant	2,500 00	Unlimited
Expert Accountant	3,000 00	Unlimited
Typewriting Accountant	1,050 00	Unlimited
Typewriting Accountant	1,200 00	Unlimited
Adding and Billing Machine Operator	1,050 00	Unlimited
Bookkeeper	2,250 00	Unlimited
Bookkeeper	2,850 00	Unlimited
Cashier	2,250 00	Unlimited
Cashier	2,400 00	Unlimited
Law Clerk	2,100 00	Unlimited
Law Clerk	2,250 00	Unlimited
Law Clerk	2,400 00	Unlimited
Law Clerk	2,550 00	Unlimited

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment June 26, 1914.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

City of New York, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building, Bureau of Standards, June 23, 1914.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentleman—On June 16, 1914, the Comptroller requested the establishment in his department, pursuant to the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, of certain grades of positions for an unlimited number of incumbents. The request was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Grades on June 19, 1914. The Bureau of Standards reports thereon, under date of June 22, as follows:

"The request is to establish, for an unlimited number of incumbents, the following grade of positions:

	Rate Per Annum.
Examiner	$1,950 00
Clerk	1,950 00
Stenographer and Typewriter	1,200 00
Accountant	1,650 00
Accountant	2,250 00
Accountant	2,400 00
Expert Accountant	1,800 00
Expert Accountant	2,250 00
Expert Accountant	2,400 00
Expert Accountant	2,500 00
Expert Accountant	3,000 00
Typewriting Accountant	1,050 00
Typewriting Accountant	1,200 00
Adding and Billing Machine Operator	1,050 00
Bookkeeper	2,250 00
Bookkeeper	2,850 00
Cashier	2,250 00
Cashier	2,400 00
Law Clerk	2,100 00
Law Clerk	2,250 00
Law Clerk	2,400 00
Law Clerk	2,550 00

"The great majority of the employees in the Finance Department are classified under the above titles. The establishments of these positions will obviate the necessity of establishing individual positions every time the need therefor arises.

"Action on this request will include the Comptroller's request of June 2, 1914, for the establishment, in his office, of the grade of position of Typewriter Accountant, at $1,050, for one additional incumbent."

In view of the foregoing statement we recommend the adoption of the attached resolution granting the request. Respectfully,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller; GEORGE McANENY, President, Board of Aldermen, Committee on Salaries and Grades.

Which were severally referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

No. 821.

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 Police Department of the grade of position, in addition to those heretofore established, as follows:

Title.	Rate Per Annum.	Number of Incumbents.
Secretary to Department	$3,600 00	1

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, June 26, 1914 JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

City of New York, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building, Bureau of Standards, June 17, 1914.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—On June 1, 1914, the Police Commissioner requested modification of a salary schedule involving cash transfer in his Department for the year 1914. The Bureau of Standards reports thereon as follows:

"In Personal Service, Salaries, Regular Employees, No. 1600, Administration, it is proposed to eliminate the vacant position of Assistant Bookkeeper, at $3,000, and also the vacant position of a Deputy Clerk, at $1,000, to provide for the appointment of a 'Secretary to the Department,' at $3,600. The grade at this rate has to be established before a modification of the schedule can be made effective.

"The Commissioner states that the vacant positions can be dispensed with for the time being and that the requested new position is needed in the Department. He further states that the new position of Secretary to the Department is required for important services relating to the Bureau of Repairs and Supplies, for general accounting and statistical work, for confidential investigations and to relieve the Deputy Commissioners of routine departmental labors and permit them to devote more time to more important administration matters.

"The Secretary to the Commissioner is paid at the rate of $3,500. His duties are chiefly confined to the office of the Commissioner. The duties of the proposed position of Secretary to the Department will include department administration matters of a secretarial and subordinate capacity under the direction of the Commissioner and Fourth Deputy Commissioner.

"A tentative appraisal of the work of a Secretary to the Department indicates that compensation at $3,600 would be reasonable.

"Pending the establishment of the grade of position of Secretary to the Department, the salary schedule line should be changed by placing the amounts in balance unassigned."

In view of the above facts we recommend the adoption of the attached resolution recommending to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of the grade of position of Secretary to the Department, at $3,600, and modifying the schedules. Respectfully,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller; GEORGE McANENY, President, Board of Aldermen, Committee on Salaries and Grades.

No. 822.

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

Whereas, The Special Committee on Janitorial Compensation and the Committee on School Inquiry, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, submitted a joint report on March 27, 1913, which contained detailed suggestions and recommendations for the reorganization of the janitorial force of the Board of Education; 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 action by the Board of Education on the aforesaid report, the compensation of Janitors in the Department of Education be fixed temporarily, and until further modified in accordance with the following list:

Janitor, Public School 116, Manhattan, per annum, less $299	$1,668 00
Janitor, Public School 27, Brooklyn, per annum, less $221	2,256 00
Janitor, Public School 36, The Bronx, for care of one portable building, per annum	84 00

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, June 26, 1914. JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, June 19, 1914.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—On June 10, 1914, the Board of Education requested the establishment of temporary rates of compensation for janitors in public schools 116, Manhattan, and 27, Brooklyn, and a reduction in compensation for the Janitor of 36, The Bronx, for care of portable buildings, pursuant to the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter. In connection therewith we report as follows:

For Public Schools 116, Manhattan, and 27, Brooklyn, the rates of compensation for janitors have been fixed at $1,668 and $2,256 per annum respectively. Since these janitorships are vacant, temporary rates, viz. regular rates less rent allowance, are requested. The rent allowance for 116 is $299 per annum; for 27 it is $221 per annum.

For 36, The Bronx, the rate for portable buildings is decreased from $168 to $84 per annum, because one of the two portable buildings has not been in use this term.

We recommend the adoption of the attached resolution granting the requests.

Respectfully, WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller; GEORGE McANEMY, President, Board of Aldermen, Committee on Salaries and Grades.

No. 823.

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 for the Department of Licenses, in addition to those heretofore recommended, of the following grades of positions:

Title.	Rate Per Annum.	Number of Incumbents.
Financial Clerk	$1,650 00	2
Stenographer and Typewriter	1,800 00	1
Chief Inspector of Licensed Vehicles	1,800 00	1
Chief Inspector	3,000 00	1
Supervising Inspector	2,100 00	2
Clerk	1,200 00	1

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment June 26, 1914. JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

City of New York, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building, Bureau of Standards, June 23rd, 1914.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—On June 12, 1914, your Board recommended the establishment to the Board of Aldermen, pursuant to the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, of grades of positions for the new Department of Licenses. On June 19, 1914, the following positions were withdrawn from the recommendation and recommitted to the Committee on Salaries and Grades for its further consideration:

Title.	Rate Per Annum.	Number of Incumbents.
Financial Clerk	$1,550 00	2
Stenographer and Typewriter	1,500 00	1
Chief Inspector of Licensed Vehicles	1,500 00	1
Chief Inspector	2,500 00	1
Supervising Inspector	1,000 00	2
Clerk	1,500 00	1

All of these positions will be filled by former employees of the Bureau of Licenses and the office of the Commissioner of Licenses. With the exception of the Clerk, at $1,500, who is now receiving $1,200, the rates recommended are lower than those now being paid. In view of the fact that the establishment of these grades would mean a reduction in salaries for present employees, some of whom have been in the city service for many years, your committee, upon reconsideration, recommends the adoption of the attached resolution recommending the establishment to Board of Aldermen of the grades of positions at the same salaries now being paid.

Respectfully, WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller; GEORGE McANENY, President, Board of Aldermen, Committee on Salaries and Grades.

Which were severally referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

No. 824.

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

Title.	Rate Per Annum.	Number of Incumbents.
Plan Examiner (Electrical)	$1,500 00	2
Plan Examiner (Illumination)	1,500 00	2

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, June 26, 1914. JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

City of New York, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building, Bureau of Standards, June 17, 1914.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—On May 12, 1914, the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity requested modification of three salary schedules in his office. The Bureau of Standards reports thereon, under date of June 15, as follows:

"The request calls for the elimination of 2 positions of Bookkeeper, at $1,200, and 3 Inspectors, at $1,100, from Salaries, Regular Employees, No. 2169, Water Revenue Collection, Tax Levy Force, and the elimination of the position of Chief Gas Inspector, at $3,000, from No. 2172, Gas Examination. Of the $8,700 so released $7,200 is used to add 6 Inspectors, at $1,200, to Illumination, Power and Heat Control, No. 2171, Executive, and the remaining $1,500 is placed in balance unassigned.

"The six additional Inspectors requested are to augment the force engaged in passing upon plans and specifications for the installation of electrical wiring and illumination fixtures in public buildings and the drafting of such plans and specifications whenever necessary. This work is several months behind, and the loss occasioned the City thereby in both time and money justifies additional force for the work. It is very unlikely, however, that the Commissioner would be successful in procuring the required type of men from the available civil service lists for Inspector. The paper given in the examination which was passed by the men on the list does not indicate that work of the nature to be performed was contemplated in framing the questions. It is furthermore stated that none of the men now holding positions of Inspector in the Department, outside of those already performing the work, are qualified. Under the circumstances it appears advisable to allow positions under a title which conforms with the nature of the work to be done. It appears that three men for the work on plans and specifications and one on fixture designing, at salaries of $1,500 each, will complement the present force satisfactorily. The title of Plan Examiner (Electrical) has been suggested by the Secretary of the Civil Service Commission as appropriate. The Secretary also states that the new positions can, in all probability, be filled from existing lists of Assistant Electrical Engineer, and, if not, an appropriate examination for the positions will be held.

"The request for an increase in force for the Division of Public Building Lighting again brings up for consideration the question of outage inspections. This matter has been the topic of discussion at budget hearings. The Department has 33 Inspectors, whose time is partly employed in this work. The inadequacy of the force to cover the entire City satisfactorily is apparent. The suggestion has therefore often been made that the work of reporting outages be abandoned entirely by the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity and that it be transferred to the Police Department. The Police Department, with its thorough patrol of the City, should be able to perform this work with far more success than the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, if the order to report all outages is properly enforced. This contention has heretofore always been met with the assertion that the police force simply disregards the order. It appears, however, that arrangements could now be made to have this work thoroughly performed by the police. A co-operative arrangement has recently been effected, upon the suggestion of the Mayor, whereby the Police Department assumes full responsibility for certain taxicab inspection work, formerly done by Inspectors of the Bureau of Licenses, as a result of which the services of 17 Inspectors became unnecessary, and the positions were abolished in the new Department of Licenses. This work, on taxicab inspection, will occasionally require the presence of police officers in court to press charges of violations. No such necessity would exist in the case of outages. Mr. O'Daniels, Fourth Deputy Commissioner of Police, has given assurance that steps will be taken at once to procure proper reporting of outages by the police force and that the Department stands ready to assume full responsibility for this work."

In view of the foregoing statement, we recommend the adoption of the attached resolutions recommending (1) the modification of the schedules from which positions are to be eliminated, (2) the establishment to the Board of Aldermen of the grade of position of Plan Examiner (Electrical), at $1,500, for 4 incumbents, and (3) requesting the Mayor to direct the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity to take the necessary steps toward transferring the work of outage inspection to the police force and adjusting the inspection force to the reduced needs for this kind of work.

Respectfully WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller; GEORGE McANENY, President, Board of Aldermen, Committee on Salaries and Grades.

Note—The President, Board of Aldermen, moved that the resolution as submitted by the Committee on Salaries and Grades, be amended to provide for two incumbents for the position of Plan Examiner (Electrical), instead of four incumbents, and that the position of Plan Examiner (Illumination) for two incumbents be added thereto.

Which motion was adopted.

No. 825.

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

Title.	Rate Per Annum.	Number of Incumbents.
Chief Examiner	$2,500 00	1
Engineering Inspector	1,350 00	1

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, June 26, 1914. JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

City of New York, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building, Bureau of Standards, June 11, 1914.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—On May 26, 1914, the Fire Commissioner requested establishment of additional positions in his department pursuant to the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter. The Bureau of Standards on June 8, 1914, reported thereon as follows:

"The request is for the establishment of the position of Chief Examiner at $2,500 per annum for one additional incumbent, and of Engineering Inspector, at $1,500, for one incumbent, in connection with the reorganization of the Bureau of Fire Prevention.

"The present Chief Examiner, at $2,500 per annum, is employed in the Bureau of Fire Prevention. He examines and supervises the Inspectors' reports and prepares orders to property owners and tenants directing them to remedy improper conditions, as shown by the reports.

"The additional Chief Examiner, at $2,500, is to take charge of the Division of Fire Appliances and to examine inspectors' reports on requests for modifications or rescindments of orders issued. The purpose in this work is to provide a responsible official other than the one preparing the original order to hear appeals. This work is now being done by Mr. Samuel Rosenblum, Inspector, at $2,000 per annum, and it is the intention to appoint him to the position, as he is No. 1 on the Civil Service eligible list.

"He has charge of the forty-five men in this division and the description of his work given by Mr. Rosenblum and approved by the Chief of the Bureau of Fire Prevention is as follows:

"'Supervision and direction of Stenographers, Clerks, Inspectors, etc., in this division, and examination of inspection reports on requests for modifications or rescindment of orders and final approval for dismissal of complied with orders.'

"A tentative appraisal of the value of this work shows a minimum compensation of $2,100 and a maximum of $3,000.

"The position of Engineering Inspector (Mechanical), at $1,500 per annum, is requested for inspection work in the Division of Fire Appliances where technical engineering training is required. Inspections of this kind are now made by Harold K. Hughes, Inspector, $1,500 per annum, who is an Engineer. The volume of the work is sufficient to require the services of an additional man and the Bureau is short of men having technical training.

"A tentative appraisal of the value of this work shows a minimum compensation of $1,350 and a maximum of $1,950. Appointment to this position is to be made from the eligible list of Engineering Inspectors, Grade C.

"To provide the funds for these additional positions, it is proposed to abolish the position of Inspector at $2,000 now held by Mr. Rosenblum and two vacant positions of Inspector at $1,200 per annum."

In view of the above facts, we recommend that the position of Chief Engineer at $2,500 be established for one incumbent, and as it is the policy of the Board to provide for initial employment in a position at the minimum value of such position, that the Engineering Inspector be established at $1,350 per annum. Respectfully,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller; GEORGE McANENY, President, Board of Aldermen, Committee on Salaries and Grades.

No. 826.

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

Title.	Rate Per Annum.	Number of Incumbents.
Efficiency Accountant	$1,800 00	1

A true copy of resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, June 26, 1914. JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

City of New York, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building, Bureau of Standards, June 15, 1914.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—On June 2, 1914, the Acting Commissioner of Accounts requested the establishment in his office of the grade of position of Efficiency Accountant, at $1,800. The Bureau of Standards reports thereon, under date of June 12, as follows:

"At the present time schedule 210, Salaries Regular Employees in the office of the Commissioners of Accounts, contains the line Efficiency Examiner, at $1,800. The position is in the exempt class, the present incumbent having been appointed under rule 12, paragraph 6, of the Municipal Civil Service Commission. It is now intended to hold a competitive civil service examination to fill the position. The Municipal Civil Service Commission has suggested that the title of Efficiency Accountant would be more indicative of the duties of the position than the present title. There is no eligible list for Efficiency Examiner The money for the proposed position will be provided by eliminating the line Efficiency Examiner, at $1,800."

In view of the foregoing statement we recommend the adoption of the attached resolution granting the request. Respectfully,

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller; GEORGE McANENY, President, Board of Aldermen, Committee on Salaries and Grades.

Which were severally referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

No. 827.

City of New York, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Office of the Secretary, Municipal Building, June 29, 1914.

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

Dear Sir—I transmit herewith, copy of a report of the Committee on Corporate Stock Budget in the matter of a resolution of the Board of Aldermen requesting the Board of Education and the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to give careful consideration to the practicability and advisability of equipping the public school buildings of the City with proper auditoriums where such auditoriums do not now exist. It is stated that a general appropriation for this purpose is inadvisable, particularly as each new school provides an additional auditorium, and should there be a special necessity in any particular locality or in connection with any one school building, the matter can better be considered with reference to the individual requirements in each such case.

At the meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on June 26, 1914, the Secretary was directed to notify the Board of Aldermen that the matter was ordered on file. Very truly yours, JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

June 4, 1914.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—On April 17, 1914, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment referred to the Corporate Stock Budget Committee a resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen on March 31, 1914, as follows:

"Whereas, In a number of existing public school buildings there are no auditorium facilities; be it

"Resolved, That the Board of Education and the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and they are hereby requested to give careful consideration to the practicability and advisability of equipping the public school buildings of the City with proper auditoriums where such auditoriums do not now exist."

After an investigation by the Bureau of Contract Supervision, it appears that the public schools of the City are, with very few exceptions, equipped with either auditoriums or assembly rooms.

An auditorium is understood to be a large hall or room equipped with individual seats, or in some cases, with benches, but without desks or facilities for holding classroom sessions.

An assembly room is understood to be a number of classrooms thrown into one large room by the sliding or folding of doors. The assembly rooms are provided with regulation classroom seats and desks. When the sliding doors are rolled to divide the room the resulting classrooms can be used for school sessions.

Auditoriums are usually equipped with a stage, and in some instances a gallery provides increased seating capacity. The assembly rooms are provided with a platform upon which are located the Principal's desk and a piano. Auditoriums are used for the morning assembly of the school, and are seldom used during the day, except for study periods or for instruction in elocution. Practically all of the auditoriums are used for evening lectures, and also as a place for holding graduation exercises.

Schools which are not equipped with auditoriums hold graduation exercises, which are semi-annual, in the nearest school building so equipped, so as to provide better accommodation for the usually large audience. For the ordinary school exercises the assembly room suffices. Auditoriums have been constructed in all new school buildings, erected since 1907. The total number of schools and their equipment with respect to auditoriums and assembly rooms, is as follows:

	Manhattan.	The Bronx.	Brooklyn.	Queens.	Richmond.	Total.
Total number of school buildings. Elementary and high schools included	155	53	186	88	35	517
Number with auditoriums.....	28	15	77	41	11	172
Number without auditoriums, but with assembly rooms	125	37	94	7	22	285
Number without auditoriums or assembly rooms	2	1	15	40	2	60

Following is a detailed statement showing the school enumerated in the last column of the above statement, with the reason in each case for the lack of auditoriums or assembly rooms. Where no reason is given it will be noted that the building is of very small capacity or is quite old.

Schools Without Auditoriums or Assembly Rooms.

Details of Buildings.

	Material.	Number of Stories.	Year of Erection.	Number of Classrooms.	Remarks.
Borough of Manhattan—					
Public School 3.....	Brick and stone..	5	1905	47	This building is only a part of the school building projected. An auditorium is designed to be constructed in the part to be erected.
Public School 100.....	Brick and stone..	5	1909	48	This is the vocational school for boys. An auditorium was constructed with the building, but has since been converted into workshops.
Borough of The Bronx—					
Public School 22.....	Frame.....	2	previous to 1905	8	This building was purchased with the site.
Borough of Brooklyn—					
Public School 48.....	Wood	2	....	11	This is leased property.
Public School 58.....	Brick.....	3	1884	16	
Public School 63.....	Brick.....	2	1878	18	
Public School 81.....	Frame.....	1	1870	4	
Public School 95.....	Frame.....	2	1875	10	An auditorium is provided in a new building now under construction.
Public School 96.....	Frame.....	1 and portable	1872	4	
Public School 99.....	Frame.....	2 and portable	1880	10	
Public School 100.....	Brick.....	2 and basement	1894	16	
Public School 104.....	Frame.....	3	1894	..	This is the old building of Public School 104 and is used as an annex for Bay Ridge High School.
Public School 104.....	Brick.....	4	1906	..	This is part of the new building as projected. An auditorium is designed for the part to be erected.
Public School 115.....	Frame.....	1	1890, 1900, 1903	8	These are portable buildings.
Public School 118.....	Brick.....	3	1870	24	This was formerly an armory. There is a large indoor playroom on the first story.
Public School 121.....	Frame.....	1	1892	1	
Public School 135.....	Frame.....	1	previous to 1909	8	Leased property.
Public School 177.....	Frame.....	1	....	2	Portable buildings.
Bay Ridge High School ..	Frame.....	2 and basement	1880	17	This was formerly Public School 101.
Manual Training High School Annex	Brick.....	2 and basement	1869	8	Old Public School 5.
Manual Training High School Annex	Frame.....	2 and basement	1869	14	Old Public School 94.

In the Boroughs of Queens and Richmond the buildings are mostly of frame and of a smaller average size than in the other three boroughs.

The resolution of the Board of Aldermen does not specify any school building in which an auditorium should be constructed.

Investigation indicates that with few exceptions the existing auditoriums are so located that one is conveniently accessible to any section of the City.

To construct auditoriums at all schools would necessitate the purchase of a large number of additional sites because many of the schools have not sufficient available unoccupied ground. This is especially true in the congested sections of the City where land is very expensive. The cost of the sites, the construction of the new auditoriums, and where possible, the necessary remodeling of old buildings, will be greatly out of proportion to the small additional benefit that the auditorium would provide.

Estimates of the cost vary from eight to eleven million dollars.

It is our opinion that a general appropriation for this purpose is inadvisable, particularly as each new school provides an additional auditorium. Should there be special necessity for an auditorium in any particular locality or in connection with any one school building, the matter can better be considered with reference to the individual requirements in each such case

Respectfully, WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller; GEORGE McANENY, President, Board of Aldermen; LEWIS H. POUNDS, President, Borough of Brooklyn; DOUGLAS MATHEWSON, President, Borough of The Bronx, Corporate Stock Budget Committee.

Which was ordered on file.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Board of City Magistrates:

No. 828.

Board of City Magistrates, First Division, City of New York, 300 Mulberry Street, Manhattan, New York, June 29, 1914.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen, City Hall, New York City:

Gentlemen—Application is hereby respectfully made for a special issue of revenue bonds, under Subdivision 8, Section 188, of the Greater New York Charter, in the sum of $300, to be applied toward disbursements and contingencies in this Division for the balance of 1914, approximately as follows:

Monthly inspection of typewriters.....	$70 00
Storing court records	67 50
Weekly window cleaning	31 50
Repairs to furniture and fixtures.....	100 00
Miscellaneous	31 00
	$300 00

In the budgetary appropriation for 1914, the account for contingencies, Code No. 2903, was fixed at only $30, which is entirely inadequate, and as a result it will be necessary to provide additional funds to the extent of about $300, to meet current expenditures and possible outlays for the balance of this year.

Very respectfully, PHILIP BLOCH, Chief Clerk.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS.

Alderman Squiers asked and obtained unanimous consent to introduce the following:

No. 829.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the First Regiment, Field Artillery, N. Y. D., United Boys' Brigades of America, to hold a miniature sham battle in Paerdegat Woods, on Paerdegat ave., Flatbush, in the Borough of Brooklyn, on Independence Day, July 4, 1914, between the hours of 2 and 4.30 o'clock p. m., and any ordinance or ordinances conflicting with the foregoing provisions are hereby suspended for the place, date and period of time above mentioned; the exercise of the privilege granted hereunder to be subject to supervision by the Police Department.

Which was laid over under the rule.

Subsequently the President put the question whether the Board would agree to adopt said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bartscherer, Bedell, Benninger, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Carroll, Chorosh, Cunningham, Curran, Delaney, Dixson, Donnelly, Dostal, Dotzler, Dowling, Dujat, Eichhorn, Ferguson, Ferrand, Eagan, Gaynor, Hamilton, Hogan, Igstaedter, Jacobson, Kenney, Kochendorfer, Levy, McCourt, McGarry, McNally, Moore (Chas. J.), Moore (Jesse D.), Moran, Mullen (Frank), Mullen (Jas. F.), Nugent, O'Rourke, Pendry, Post, Quinn, Rosenblum, Schweickert, Squiers, Stapleton, Stevenson, Taylor, Trau, Valentine, Weil, Wilmot; President McCormack, by Lewis Nixon, Commissioner of Public Works; President Connolly, by James A. Dayton, Commissioner of Public Works; President Mathewson, by John G. Borgstede, Commissioner of Public Works; President Pounds; President Marks, by E. V. Frothingham, Commissioner of Public Works; the Vice-Chairman, the President—59.

Alderman Curran asked and obtained unanimous consent to introduce the following:

No. 830.

Resolved, That William W. Colne, of 11 Irving Place, in the Borough of Brooklyn, be and he is hereby elected a member of the Board of Aldermen for the years 1914 and 1915, for the 52nd Aldermanic District, in the place and stead of Daniel R. Coleman, deceased.

Alderman Curran moved a suspension of the rules and the immediate consideration of this resolution.

Which motion was adopted.

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

Which was unanimously decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bartscherer, Bedell, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Burns, Carberry, Chorosh, Cole, Curran, Delaney, Diemer, Dixson, Donnelly, Dostal, Dotzler, Dowling, Duggan, Eichhorn, Ferrand, Eagan, Fink, Gaynor, Hamilton, Hogan, Igstaedter, Jacobson, Kenney, Kochendorfer, Lein, Levy, McCourt, McGarry, McNally, Moore (Chas J.), Moore (Jesse D.), Moran, Mullen (Frank), O'Rourke, Ottes, Pendry, Post, Quinn, Reardon, Rosenblum, Schweickert, Spencer, Squiers, Stevenson, Taylor, Trau, Valentine, Weil, White, Wilmot; the Vice-Chairman—56.

On motion, the President appointed the following Committee to see that Alderman Colne qualified before the proper authority:

Aldermen Gaynor, Ottes and McCourt.

Subsequently the Committee returned with Alderman Colne and reported that he had sworn in and filed his oath of office, whereupon the President introduced him to the Board and assigned him to a seat.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Reports of Committee on Codification—

No. 806—(G. O. No. 356).

The Committee on Codification of Ordinances to which was referred on June 23, 1914, (Minutes Page 806), the annexed ordinance entitled "An Ordinance relating to peddlers, venders, and hawkers, respectfully

REPORTS:

The subject was exhaustively examined at a meeting attended by Police Commissioner Wood who expressed himself as strongly in favor of the measure. It was stated that approximately only twenty per cent. of those plying the push cart trade are licensed, and though the remainder are willing to take out licenses they can not do so owing to the too drastic provisions of the existing ordinance. It is recommended that the ordinance be amended by striking therefrom so much of proposed section 307 as is contained in the following lines, placing a period preceding them:

"[.]; *provided that the commissioner of licenses may grant and issue a license to do business as a peddler, hawker or vender to any alien of good repute who has not resided in the United States for the period prescribed by law as requisite to a declaration of intention to become a citizen.*"

—thereby making it easier for many deserving persons, not now licensed, to obtain licenses, and making the ordinance less non-enforcable.

The Committee therefore recommends that the ordinance, as so amended, be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE relating to peddlers, hawkers and venders.

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

Section 1. Section 307 of Article I of Title II of Chapter 7 of Part I of the Code of Ordinances is hereby amended to read as follows:

§ 307. *Except as otherwise provided by this ordinance,* [All] *all* licenses shall be granted [by authority of the Mayor] and issued by the [Bureau] *Department* of Licenses for a term of one year from the date thereof, unless sooner suspended or revoked by the [Mayor], *Commissioner of Licenses* [, and no]. *No* person shall be licensed except a citizen of the United States or one who has regularly declared intention to become a citizen [.]; *provided that the commissioner of licenses may grant and issue a license to do business as a peddler, hawker or vender to any alien of good repute who has not resided in the United States for the period prescribed by law as requisite to a declaration of intention to become a citizen.*

The [Mayor] *Commissioner of Licenses* shall have power to suspend or revoke any license or permit issued under the provisions of this ordinance. [The Mayor] *He* shall also have power to impose a fine of not more than five dollars or less than one dollar for any violation of the regulations herein provided, and to suspend the license pending payment of such fine, which, when collected, shall be paid into the sinking fund for the redemption of the city debt.

Section 2. Section 1 of Article I of Chapter 1 of Part II of the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York, affecting that portion of The City of New York included within the Borough of Manhattan, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 1. No licensed peddler, vender, hawker or huckster shall permit any cart, wagon or vehicle, owned or controlled by him or her, to stop, remain upon or otherwise incumber any street, avenue or highway [for a longer period than thirty minutes at one time on any one block. Nor shall any such peddler, vender, hawker or huckster stand] in front of any premises, the owner of or the lessee of the ground floor thereof objecting thereto. [At the expiration of the thirty minutes aforesaid, any vender, with or without a basket, cart, wagon, or vehicle must be removed to a point at least one block distant.]

Section 3. Section 2 of Article I of Chapter 1 of Part II of the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York, affecting that portion of The City of New York included within the Borough of Manhattan, is hereby amended to read as follows:

§ 2. No licensed peddler, vender, hawker or huckster shall permit his or her cart, wagon or vehicle to stand on any street, avenue or highway within twenty-five feet of any corner of the curb [, nor within ten feet of any other peddler, vender, hawker or huckster].

Section 4. Section 6 of Article I of Chapter 1 of Part II of the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York, affecting that portion of The City of New York included within the Borough of Manhattan, as heretofore amended and supplemented, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

§ 6. No licensed peddler, vender, hawker, or huckster shall be allowed to cry his or her wares within 250 feet of any school, court house, church or hospital between the hours of eight o'clock a. m. and four o'clock p. m., on school days; or stop or remain in Nassau street, between Spruce and Wall streets; or in Chambers street, between Broadway and Centre street; or in Fulton street, between Broadway and Pearl street; or in Avenue B, from Houston street to Fourteenth street; or in Avenue C, from Houston street to Fourteenth street; or in Avenue A, between Houston and Seventh streets; Park row, from New Chambers to Ann street; Centre street, from New Chambers street to Park row; and Nassau street, from Park row to Ann street [,]; or in West End avenue, from 67th to 70th streets, or in Amsterdam avenue, from 67th to 70th streets [.] ; [Sixty-seventh street, Sixty-eighth street and Sixty-ninth street, from Amsterdam avenue to the westerly end of said street.] *67th street, 68th street, and 69th street, from Amsterdam avenue to the westerly end of said streets;* Broadway, from 134th street to 158th street [.] , [the territory bounded by Catherine street, the Bowery, Stanton street and the East River,] from eight o'clock a. m. to six o'clock p. m. None of the provisions of this section shall be construed as regulating the crying or hawking of newspapers in the territory comprised within the Borough of Manhattan.

Section 5. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

New matter in *italics;* old matter in [ ], to be omitted.

WILLIAM H. PENDRY, LOUIS JACOBSON, WILLIAM H. CHOROSH, LOUIS WENDEL, Jr., FREDERICK H. STEVENSON, ISADORE M. ROSENBLOOM, Committee on Codification of Ordinances.

Which was laid over.

Reports of Committee on Finance—

No. 725—(G. O. No. 357).

The Committee, to which was referred on June 9, 1914 (Minutes, page 541), the annexed request from the Commissioner of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, for $2,000 special revenue bonds for a farm garden at St. Gabriel's Park, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it does not believe the proposed improvement to be necessary, nor does it deem it advisable that the City's money should be used for this purpose.

It therefore recommends that the said request be placed on file.

HENRY H. CURRAN, FRANK J. DOTZLER, JOHN DIEMER, JOHN S. GAYNOR, F. H. STEVENSON, D. M. BEDELL, JESSE D. MOORE, C. AUGUSTUS POST, FRANCIS P. KENNEY, F. H. WILMOT, Committee on Finance.

The City of New York, Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, Municipal Building, 10th Floor, June 5, 1914.

Hon. GEORGE McANENY, President, Board of Aldermen, City Hall:

Sir—I have the honor to respectfully request that the Board of Aldermen recommend to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, that, pursuant to the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller be authorized to issue special revenue bonds in the sum of two thousand ($2,000) dollars, the proceeds to be used for excavation, purchase of top soil and fertilizers, and all other expenses incidental to the construction of a farm garden in St. Gabriel's Park, Borough of Manhattan.

It is urgently requested that this application receive immediate attention, so that we may proceed at once with the work at this season of the year. Yours very respectfully,

CABOT WARD, Commissioner of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond.

Which was laid over.

No. 787—(S. O. No. 73).

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on June 23, 1914 (Minutes, page 706), a request from the Comptroller for $1,133.33 special revenue bonds to pay rent of offices for one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed allowance to be necessary, this lease having been authorized by the Sinking Fund Commission.

It therefore recommends that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of subdivision 8, section 188, of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds to the amount of $1,133.33, the proceeds whereof to be used by the Comptroller for the payment of rent of rooms 814 and 815, on the eighth floor of the Emigrant Industrial Savings Bank Building, 51 Chambers st., Borough of Manhattan, under a lease to the City, from April 15, 1914, to December 31, 1914, for use of one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, designated as a member of the Court of Appeals, the same being a charge against the County of New York.

HENRY H. CURRAN, FRANK J. DOTZLER, JOHN DIEMER, JOHN S. GAYNOR, F. H. STEVENSON, D. M. BEDELL, C. AUGUSTUS POST, Committee on Finance.

Which was laid over.

No. 788—(S. O. No. 74).

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on June 23, 1914 (Minutes, page 706), the annexed communication from the Bronx Parkway Commission asking for $23,092.50 Special Revenue Bonds for surveys and improvements, respectfully

REPORTS:

That the details of this application are set forth in the letter of request and accompanying report. The money must be provided, and it is only a question of whether it shall be by corporate stock or revenue bonds. This method has been decided upon, and the Committee recommends that the said 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-three thousand and ninety-two 50-100 dollars ($23,092.50), the proceeds whereof to be used by the Bronx Parkway Commission for the purpose of paying salaries of engineering and labor forces engaged in surveys and improvements under the direction of said Commission.

All obligations contracted for hereunder to be incurred on or before December 31, 1914.

HENRY H. CURRAN, FRANK J. DOTZLER, JOHN DIEMER, JOHN S. GAYNOR, C. AUGUSTUS POST, JESSE D. MOORE, F. H. STEVENSON, FRANCIS P. KENNEY, F. H. WILMOT, Committee on Finance.

Bronx Parkway Commission, 100 Broadway, New York, June 19, 1914.

To the Honorable Board of Aldermen, City of New York, Municipal Building, New York City:

Gentlemen—I am enclosing herewith copy of report of the Corporate Stock Budget Committee of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, dated April 25, 1914, upon the Commission's application for $33,000 corporate stock for surveys and improvements, which application was submitted to the Board of Estimate on September 8, 1913, in accordance with section 16 of chapter 594 of the Laws of 1907.

At a meeting of the Board of Estimate on June 5, 1914, this report was considered and the following resolution adopted:

"Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board transmit to the Bronx Parkway Commission a copy of the report of the Committee on Corporate Stock Budget, dated April 25, 1914, in regard to the request for $33,000 corporate stock for the expenses of the Bronx Parkway Commission for 1914, an dthat the said Commission be notified that, in the opinion of this Board, it will be more appropriate to issue special revenue bonds for all except $9,907.50, the City's share of the expenses, and that application be made to the Board of Aldermen for the issue of special revenue bonds under subdivision 8, section 188, of the Greater New York Charter."

In pursuance of this resolution and under authority of section 16, chapter 594, of the Laws of 1907, as amended, the Bronx Parkway Commission hereby makes application to your Honorable Board for an issue of special revenue bonds, in amount $23,092.50, under subdivision 8, section 188, of the Greater New York Charter; this amount being the remaining portion of $33,000 applied for by this Commission in accordance with the Parkway law above cited, and being the balance of the City's share for surveys and improvements to be made available under said application.

These funds are required for the payment of salaries of the engineering and labor forces and for work which is required to be done during the present open season.

Respectfully,
MADISON GRANT, President.
April 25, 1914.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

Gentlemen—On September 8, 1913, the Bronx Parkway Commission requested the issue of $33,000 corporate stock for necessary expenses for procuring surveys, preparing maps and plans and improving the lands acquired and to be acquired by the Bronx Parkway Commission for the Bronx Parkway.

No authorization for corporate stock has been made in response to this request, but the Budget Committee, in recommending the Budget for 1914, included an account for the Bronx Parkway Commission as follows:

1420TC	Salaries and Expenses	$54,000 00
	Tax Levy Allowance	$21,000 00
	Corporate Stock Allowance	33,000 00
	Total Allowance	$54,000 00

This account was not scheduled in detail in the Budget. Only the $21,000 tax levy was actually appropriated. The object of the Budget Committee is scheduling the corporate stock allowance as $33,000 was simply to indicate its approval of an expenditure of that amount.

This $33,000 in corporate stock represents only three-fourths of the total proposed corporate stock for the year 1914. The remaining one-fourth is a charge against the County of Westchester, which has already appropriated $11,000, its share of the expense. This amount has been paid by the County to the Comptroller of The City of New York and has been used by the Commission for its disbursements for the first four months of the year. The amount is now about exhausted, and it will be necessary to provide that part of the appropriation for which The City of New York is responsible.

Chapter 594 of the Laws of 1907 gives the Commission the authority to employ and discharge, at pleasure, the Secretary, Engineer, Landscape Architect and all such officers and employees as may be necessary, and also to fix their compensation. The law provides for the payment of the expenses for procuring surveys, preparing plans and maps and improving the lands during the ensuing year, one-fourth of the expense to be borne by the County of Westchester and three-fourths by The City of New York. It is provided that these expenses should be paid upon proper requisition by the Commission. The same law provides for the payment of salaries of Commissioners, office employees, incidental rent and expenses, three-fourths of which charge shall be included in the annual Budget. It is this latter charge which is provided for by the $21,000 tax levy allowance included in the 1914 Budget.

With the $44,000 in corporate stock for The City of New York and the County of Westchester, the Commission proposes to pay salaries and expenses for the present topographical engineering force which is engaged in obtaining an accurate and careful topographical survey and in preparing maps of the entire reservation. The data which this force will accumulate is to be used as a basis for the ultimate improvement of the parkway.

The topographical force is engaged at present in checking and revising surveys and maps obtained two years ago, which are used as title maps, and as a basis for acquisition of all the lands to be acquired. The Commission feels that the accuracy of these maps is a matter of great importance, involving, as they do, the integrity of the Commission's titles.

In addition to the topographical and map revision work, an amount of about $4,000 has been estimated for appraisals of lands and buildings in order that the Commission can obtain necessary information to aid it in determining the prices to be paid. The Commission states that no general improvement work is contemplated this year, but a force is engaged in preserving the natural growth of trees upon the property already acquired. This force consists of tree trimmers and foresters. The men are now trimming and doctoring trees to restore them to the healthiest possible condition. They are also employed to prevent the ravages of insects. A portion of the corporate stock will be used for a nursery, upon which a large number of small plants have been planted. These will be ready within a few years for planting and screening purposes and for covering the naked tracts. The Commission expects to save a considerable amount of money by raising its own nursery stock, instead of purchasing in the open market.

A part of the expense in 1914 will be the removal of a spoil bank on lands donated by Miss Emily O. Butler. This bank is unsightly and should be removed. In order to obtain the benefit of $2,500 allowed by the New York Central Railroad for the diversion of the river at North White Plains, the Commission will use a part of the 1914 appropriation for this purpose. It is expected that the total cost of diversion will be $6,000.

A force of Laborers to clean up after the tree trimmers, and to clear the lands and put them in proper sanitary condition, will be engaged throughout the year. A total estimated cost of all the work planned for the year, outside of that charged by the Budget appropriation, is $44,000.

By far the greater part of the expense of the Commission should be charged to the Budget appropriation, but the present law appears to contemplate the use of corporate stock. However, the law does not exclude the use of revenue bonds, and in our opinion revenue bonds should be issued for the necessary work not properly chargeable to corporate stock in 1914, and hereafter such work be provided for in the Budget. A tentative amendment to the law has already been drafted and submitted to the Commission for its approval. This amendment, if enacted into law, would make it clearly possible for the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to include its portion of the expenses in the Budget with detailed schedules by which all the expenditures could be controlled. The $44,000, of which the $33,000 now requested represents the City's share, is roughly divided as follows:

Topographical work and appraisals	$16,000 00
General improvement work	28,000 00

The $28,000 desired for the general improvement work is divided as follows:

Salaries	$4,000 00
Wages	13,200 00
River diversion	3,500 00
Removal of spoil bank	1,000 00
Development of the nursery	2,500 00
Miscellaneous	3,800 00

The wage item in this list is for a force of Tree Trimmers and Laborers. This work should be regarded as maintenance and the City should not be issuing 50-year bonds to pay for such services. The $4,000 item for salaries is for an Engineer, Forester and a Clerk. This, in our opinion, is clearly a current charge and should not be paid from corporate stock. The diversion of the Bronx River at White Plains is, we believe, a proper charge against corporate stock. The estimated cost is $3,500.

The removal of the unsightly spoil bank from the property donated by the Butler estate is another feature of the work which we believe can be charged to corporate stock.

The item of $2,500 for the development of the nursery is in one sense a proper charge against corporate stock, as the nursery is to grow trees for the future development of the park. Some of these trees will no doubt live for a great many years. However, we think it would be best to maintain the nursery from current appropriations.

The miscellaneous item of $3,800 is chiefly for the removal of objectionable features of the same nature as the spoil bank. This work is to be done by contract. It is work that will have to be done only once, and it, therefore, does not come under the class of current expenses, as would the salaries and wage items.

We recommend that this item be allowed from corporate stock.

The $16,000 item for topographical work and appraisals is divided into $11,090 for salaries for the topographical force and $4,910 for appraisals and preparation of maps and plans. The item for appraisal and preparation of maps and plans is properly a part of the purchase price, and is in the same class as the purchase price of lands to be acquired, as the appraisals and preparations of maps and plans to be paid from this item will be used in the acquisition of property.

The $11,090 for salaries of the topographical force is to pay the salaries of a force engaged in bringing maps up to date and in planning for the future development of the parkway. This is a current appropriation, which will have to be met year after year. For that reason we believe that it should not be paid from corporate stock.

We recommend that this Board consider as proper corporate stock charges items as follows:

Appraisals and preparation of maps and plans to be used in connection with acquisition of property	$4,910 00
Diversion of the Bronx River	3,500 00
Removal of spoil bank	1,000 00
Miscellaneous charges in connection with permanent improvements	3,800 00
Total	$13,210 00

The three-quarters of this amount to be borne by the City of New York is $9,907.50.

We recommend that corporate stock for this amount be authorized.

The City's share of the $30,790 not properly chargable to corporate stock is $23,092.50.

We recommend that the Commission be notified that request for revenue bonds should be made to the Board of Aldermen for this part of the expense. It would costs the tax payer almost $3 before the corporate stock is amortized, we feel that a close distinction should be made between current expenses and the cost of considered that every dollar paid in salaries and wages from corporate stock proceeds costs the tax payer almost $3 berfore the corporate stock is amortized, we feel that a close distinction should be made between current expenses and the most of construction of improvements which will last for all time, and which will be done but once. Attached hereto are resolutions which, if adopted, will carry our recommendations into effect. Respectfully,

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller; GEO. McANENY, President, Board of Aldermen; LEWIS H. POUNDS, President, Borough of Brooklyn; DOUGLAS MATHEWSON, President, Borough of The Bronx, Corporate Stock Budget Committee.

Which was laid over.

No. 795—(S. O. No. 75).

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on June 23, 1914 (Minutes, page 795), the annexed request from the President of the Borough of The Bronx for $1,399.50 Special Revenue Bonds for employment of help in Bronx County Court House, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed allowance to be necessary. This building was opened for use sooner than was estimated when a previous bond issue was authorized, so that these additional funds are needed.

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 one thousand three hundred and ninety-nine 50-100 dollars ($1,399.50), the proceeds whereof to be used by the President of the Borough of The Bronx for the purpose of paying salaries and wages of employees at the Bronx County Court House, as follows:

Elevatorman, October 1 to December 31, 1914, at $840 per annum	$210 00
Engineer, September 1 to December 31, 1914, at $4.50 per day, 122 days	549 00
Engineer, November 1 to December 31, 1914, at $4.50 per day, 61 days	274 50
Fireman, September 1 to December 31, 1914, at $3 per day, 122 days	366 00
	$1,399 50

HENRY H. CURRAN, FRANK J. DOTZLER, JOHN DIEMER, JOHN S. GAYNOR, C. AUGUSTUS POST, D. M. BEDELL, JESSE D. MOORE, F. H. STEVENSON, FRANCIS P. KENNY, F. H. WILMOT, Committee on Finance.

City of New York, President of the Borough of The Bronx, 3d Ave. and 177th St., Office of the President, June 23, 1914.

Hon. GEORGE McANENY, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—Request is hereby respectfully made that a resolution be adopted by the Board of Aldermen requesting the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds in the sum of $1,399.50 for the purpose of defraying the cost of the employment at the Bronx County Court House, 161st st. and 3d ave., of one (1) Elevatorman, two (2) Engineers and one (1) Fireman, for the period as below set forth, viz.:

1 Elevatorman, from October 1 to December 31, 1914, at $840 per annum.	$210 00
1 Engineer, from September 1 to December 31, 1914, at $4.50 per day, 122 days	549 00
1 Engineer, from November 1 to December 31, 1914, at $4.50 per day, 61 days	274 50
1 Fireman, from September 1 to December 31, 1914, at $3 per day, 122 days	366 00
	$1,399 50

The revenue bond issue already allowed will be sufficient only to the commencement dates as above shown, and request is now made for funds for the purpose for the balance of the year, and application is made at this time in order that said funds may be forthcoming when required.

Respectfully, DOUGLAS MATHEWSON, President, Borough of The Bronx.

Which was laid over.

No. 805—(G. O. No. 358).

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on June 30, 1914 (Minutes, page 802) the annexed resolution in favor of an issue of $100,000 Special Revenue Bonds for participation by The City of New York in the Tercentenary Celebration, respectfully

REPORTS:

That the Committee, after careful consideration of this proposition, does not feel that the City should expend any of its funds for the purpose indicated, and it therefore recommends that the said resolution be rejected.

Resolved, That in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of one hundred thousand dollars ($100,000), the proceeds whereof to be used by a special committee of five members of the Board of Aldermen for the purpose of appropriate and adequate participation by The City of New York in the 300th anniversary of the beginning of chartered commerce of New York; all bills incurred hereunder to be audited by and under the supervision of the Department of Finance.

HENRY H. CURRAN, FRANK J. DOTZLER, JOHN DIEMER, JOHN S. GAYNOR, C. AUGUSTUS POST, D. M. BEDELL, JESSE D. MOORE, F. H. STEVENSON, F. H. WILMOT, Commitee on Finance.

Which was laid over.

No. 789—(G. O. No. 359).

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on June 23, 1914 (Minutes, page 709), the annexed resolution in favor of an issue of $25,000 corporate stock for construction of a mezzanine floor and other improvements in Washington Market, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed improvement to be necessary, and one which will be a benefit to the standholders and public generally by allotting extra space within the main confines of the market.

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

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding twenty-five thousand dollars ($25,000), to provide means for the construction of a mezzanine floor, stairways, freight elevators, railings, and work incidental thereto, in Washington Market, under the jurisdiction of the President of the Borough of Manhattan.

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

Section 1. The Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution, adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment June 19, 1914, and authorizes the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, hereby approves of the issue of corporate stock of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding twenty-five thousand dollars ($25,000), to provide means for the construction of a mezzanine floor, stairways, freight elevators, railings and work incidental thereto, in Washington Market, 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 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.

HENRY H. CURRAN, FRANK J. DOTZLER, JOHN DIEMER, JOHN S. GAYNOR, C. AUGUSTUS POST, D. M. BEDELL, JESSE D. MOORE, F. H. STEVENSON, FRANCIS P. KENNEY, F. H. WILMOT, Committee on Finance.

Which was laid over.

No. 790—(G. O. No. 360).

The Committee on Finance to which was referred on June 23, 1914, (Minutes, page 709), the annexed resolution in favor of an issue of $200,000 Corporate Stock for purchase of motor tractors and motor hose tenders for the Fire Department, respectfully

REPORTS:

That the attached letter from the Fire Commissioner explains the reasons for this appropriation. This is a further step in the motorizing of the equipment of this department in furtherance of the success which has attended that portion now in use.

The Committee recommends that the accompanying ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding two hundred thousand dollars ($200,000), matur-

ing not more than twenty (20) years after date of issue, for the purpose of providing means for the purchase of new motor tractors and new motor hose tenders for the use of the Fire Department.

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

Section 1. The Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution, adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment June 19, 1914, and authorizes the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, 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), maturing not more than twenty (20) years after the date of issue, for the purpose of providing means for the purchase of new motor tractors and new motor hose tenders for the use of the Fire Department, 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; provided, however, that no part of the proceeds of the corporate stock herein authorized shall be available until after the Board of Estimate and Apportionment has approved forms of contract, plans, specifications and estimates of cost pertaining to the same, and that no part of such proceeds shall be used for the payment of fees of any architect, engineer or expert until after a contract with such architect, engineer or expert has been approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and that no part of the proceeds of corporate stock herein authorized shall be used for the payment of any salary or wage of departmental employees, except after approval by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and in accordance with the schedules to be adopted by said Board; and be it further

Resolved, That the Commissioner of the Fire Department is directed to submit to this Board for its approval forms of contracts, plans, specifications and estimates of cost prior to advertising for bids for work chargeable to the proceeds of the corporate stock herein authorized, and said Commissioner is also directed to submit to this Board for its approval all preliminary and final agreements with an architect or architects, engineer or engineers, expert or experts whenever such agreements or contracts are chargeable against corporate stock herein authorized.

HENRY H. CURRAN, FRANK J. DOTZLER, JOHN DIEMER, JOHN S. GAYNOR, C. AUGUSTUS POST, DANIEL M. BEDELL, JESSE D. MOORE, FREDERICK H. STEVENSON, FRANCIS P. KENNEY, FREDERICK H. WILMOT, Committee on Finance.

Fire Department, City of New York, June 29, 1914.

Hon. HENRY H. CURRAN, *Chairman of the Finance Committee, Board of Aldermen, New York City.*

Dear Mr. Chairman—I have just this moment received a notice saying that the Finance Committee has before it this afternoon the request of this department for $200,000 for new motor equipment. The hour for the hearing is not stated in your letter, but I assume that it is the usual hour for your meetings. As you know, I have invited the Mayor, the members of the Board of Estimate, the heads of city departments and various other gentlemen to be my guests on the trial trip of the new fireboat WILLIAM J. GAYNOR this afternoon, starting from the Battery at 12:30 o'clock, and it will therefore be impossible for me to be present at this meeting which I very greatly regret since this is a matter of great importance to this department, and I am very anxious to have it acted on as early as possible.

The situation is just this: In the budget for this year no appropriation whatever was made for the purchase of horses for Fire Department apparatus. This appropriation is absolutely necessary to provide new apparatus to take the place of horses which will be retired from the service during the current year either by death or disability due to age or injury. It is estimated that the number of horses to be so retired this year will be about 195 and this apparatus is necessary to replace these horses, otherwise the department apparatus will be without motive power. The Comptroller's office went into this matter very carefully, the investigation covering several months.

The appropriation is to be used for the purchase of 30 tractors to be attached to fire engines now drawn by horses and 20 hose tenders. These tractors are to be placed under the front part of the old engines where the front wheels now are and are to furnish the propelling power for these engines. The motor hose wagons are necessary to carry hose. These pieces of apparatus represent the absolute minimum need of the department for this year. The department also needs 5 hook and ladder truck and 3 gasoline motor driven pumping engines for use as spare apparatus, but we will be unable to purchase the latter out of the appropriation of $200,000.

I regret very much that I am unable to attend the meeting this afternoon for the reasons stated and I will be very glad to meet you and your committee at any later time to give you further information if it be needed on this subject, if possible, in time for a report by your committee at the meeting of the Board tomorrow as several months are required to advertise, have the equipment manufactured and delivered to the department. Very truly yours,

ROBERT ADAMSON, Fire Commissioner.

Which was laid over.

No. 791 (G. O. No. 361).

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on June 23, 1914 (Minutes, page 711), the annexed resolution in favor of an issue of $142,000 corporate stock for repaving a portion of Riverside Drive, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed improvement to be an absolute necessity. The lower portion of the Drive was repaved last year, and the part now under consideration is in execrable condition.

The Committee recommends that the accompanying ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of Corporate Stock of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding one hundred and forty-two thousand dollars ($142,000), maturing not more than ten (10) years after date of issue, to provide means for the repaving of the roadway of Riverside Drive from 113th st. north around the east side of Grant's Tomb Reservation to the viaduct, etc.

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

Section 1. The Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution, adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment June 19, 1914, and authorizes the Comptroller to issue Corporate Stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, hereby approves of the issue of corporate stock of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding one hundred and forty-two thousand dollars ($142,000), maturing not more than ten (10) years after date of issue, to provide means for the repaving of the roadway of Riverside drive, from 113th st. north around the east side of Grant's Tomb Reservation to the viaduct, including the viaduct plaza, and thence southerly along the west side of Grant's Tomb Reservation to the intersection at 120th st., with a bituminous pavement on a concrete foundation, under the jurisdiction of the Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, 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, provided, however, that no part of the proceeds of the corporate stock herein authorized shall be available until after the Board of Estimate and Apportionment has approved forms of contracts, plans, specifications and estimates of cost pertaining to the same, and that no part of such proceeds shall be used for the payment of fees of any architect, engineer, or expert until after a contract with such architect, engineer or expert has been approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and that no part of the proceeds of corporate stock herein authorized shall be used for the payment of any salary or wage of departmental employees, except after approval by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and in accordance with the schedules to be adopted by said Board; and be it further

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, is directed to submit to this Board for its approval forms of contracts, plans, specifications and estimates of cost, prior to advertising for bids for work chargeable to the proceeds of the corporate stock herein authorized, and said Commissioner is also directed to submit to this Board for its approval all preliminary and final agreements with an architect or architects, engineer or engineers, expert or experts, whenever such agreements or contracts are chargeable against corporate stock herein authorized.

HENRY H. CURRAN, FRANK J. DOTZLER, JOHN DIEMER, JOHN S. GAYNOR, C. AUGUSTUS POST, D. M. BEDELL, JESSE D. MOORE, F. H. STEVENSON, FRANCIS P. KENNEY, F. H. WILMOT, Committee on Finance.

Which was laid over.

Reports of Committee on General Welfare—

No. 519—(G. O. No. 362).

The Committee on General Welfare, to which was referred on April 14, 1914 (Minutes, page 108), the annexed ordinance in favor of amending the regulations of the Municipal Explosives Commission by canceling clause requiring establishment of oil separators in garages, respectfully

REPORTS:

That it held several hearings on this subject and listened to the petitioners representing the garages and the fire department officials responsible for these rules, and after careful consideration of the matter concludes that there is no great menace from waste oils; that the oil separators in use do not give service at all commensurate with their cost; that the Fire Department has practically recognized this latter fact by not heretofore insisting on their installation in all garages or even in those belonging to the municipality, and that under such conditions it would be an imposition on a representative class of taxpayers to insist on what is practically a useless expense and which would amount to over a million dollars to the garage owners.

It therefore recommends that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE amending the regulations of the Municipal Explosives Commission of The City of New York, approved on the 3d day of January, 1912.

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

That sections 376 and 396 of the regulations of the Municipal Explosives Commission of The City of New York, adopted January 3, 1912, be and the same hereby are repealed.

Be It Further Ordained, That this ordinance shall take effect at once.

WM. BRUSH, OSCAR IGSTAEDTER, ARNON L. SQUIERS, JOSEPH W. SPENCER, J. H. PENDRY, LAUREN CARROLL, Committee on General Welfare.

Fire Department of The City of New York, May 21st, 1914.

Hon. W. HOLDEN WEEKS, *Deputy Fire Commissioner:*

Dear Sir—I herewith present the following regarding the use of oil separators in garages. The points to be considered are:

First—Whether gasolene actually flows from garages into sewers.

Second—Whether separators prevent gasolene and other oils from flowing into sewers.

In this connection Inspectors Lenahan and Lieberman visited a garage on East 43d St. on May 5, 1914, while washing of cars was in progress and obtained from the separator there installed the following quantities of separated oil:

12 p. m. to 1 a. m.	810 cubic cent.
1 a. m. to 2 a. m.	925 cubic cent.
2 a. m. to 3 a. m.	990 cubic cent.
Total, 3 hours	2,725 cubic cent., equals 3 (2.9) quarts.

An analysis of the separated oil shows it to be a mixture of heavy oil, kerosene and gasolene, and the per cent. of gasolene to be about 50.

Twelve samples covering the effluent from the separator, which was found to be in good and efficient working order, and effluent taken in the sewer at the point where the drainage of the garage is received, were tested and showed no gasolene present.

A further similar test was made at another garage as follows:

The separator was freed from all accumulated oil, cleaned and sealed at 10.30 a. m. The following amounts were observed:

Up to 12 p. m.	6,800 c.c.
12 p. m. to 1 a. m.	1,130 c.c.
1 a. m. to 2 a. m.	2,500 c.c.
2 a. m. to 3 a. m.	2,400 c.c.
3 a. m. to 4 a. m.	2,600 c.c.
	15,430 c.c, equals 16⅓ quarts for 29½ hours.

The samples were also tested and found to contain sufficient gasolene to render them inflammable, the 24-hour sample showing a flash point of 90 degrees F., and one of the hourly samples a flash point of 85 degrees F.

Six samples of effluent from the separator showed negative results as to gasolene.

A further test of the amount of oil and gasolene separated was made in another garage where a separator was installed by cleaning the separator and sealing same at 8.30 p. m. on May 6th, and opening separator and removing separator oil at 6 p. m., on May 7th. The amount was not determined, but it was considerable. The test showed about 50 per cent. of gasolene in the separated oil. A manhole was opened by a Sewer Cleaner near one of the garages in which there was a separator in unsatisfactory condition. The Sewer Cleaner stated that the sewer was in a dangerous condition from the presence of gasolene vapor. Samples of sewage were taken at the manhole, but showed no gasolene on test, indicating that the gasolene was all in the dangerous form of vapor.

It is sufficiently clear from the above tests that separators retain in a satisfactory manner the gasolene and oil from garages, and that the amounts so retained are considerable.

An inspection of the record of a concern purchasing refuse oils from garages shows the following:

	Bbls. Containing 55 Gals.	Days.
*Aero Garage, 302 W. 62nd St., from May 2nd to 9th	1½	7
*American Express, 217 E. 43rd St., from May 7th to 12th	4	5
*American Garage, 241 E. 51st St., from May 7th to 12th	2	5
*Buick Motor Car, 630 W. 52nd St., from May 2nd to 8th	3	4
*Boylston's Garage, 142 E. 41st St., from May 2nd to 11th	1½	9
Belnord Auto Garage, 252 W. 87th St., from May 5th to 11th	½	6
*Blue Sproket, 6 E. 31st St., from May 2nd to 12th	2	10
Bauman's Garage, 225 W. 49th St., from May 2nd to 12th	4	10
Colonial, from May 2nd to 12th	¾	10
*Coco Cola, 320 W. 27th St., from May 2nd to 8th	1	6
*Corvan's Garage, 124 W. 54th St., from May 2nd to 12th	5	10
Cole Motor Co., 63 West End Ave., from May 2nd to 7th	1	5
*Cedarhurst, 147 W. 83rd St., from May 2nd to 7th	1	5
*Conroy, 168 E. 75th St., from May 6th to 9th	¾	3
Cross & Brown, 245 W. 55th St., from May 2nd to 7th	1	5
*Drenco, 750 7th Ave., from May 8th to 12th	1½	4
*Duford Garage, 123 E. 83rd St., from May 4th to 10th	1	6
Eureka Garage, 235 St. Nicholas Ave., from May 7th to 12th	¾	5
*50th St. Garage, 218 W. 50th St., from May 5th to 12th	¾	7
*Greeley Square, 135 W. 37th St., from May 2nd to 12th	¾	10
*Grain Service, 427 W. 42nd St., from May 5th to 12th	¾	7
*Garden Garage, 131 W. 51st St., from May 5th to 13th	½	7
*Hoffman Taxi, 141 E. 23rd St., from May 5th to 8th	1	3
Holt Chandler, Long Island, from May 4th to 10th	¾	6
*Kraft and Eisner, 348 W. 42nd St	...	..
*Knox, 639 W. 51st St., from May 5th to 12th	¾	7
*Locomobile, 25 W. 60th St., from May 1st to 13th	3	10
*Gus Lind Garage, 423 W. 76th St., from May 1st to 12th	2	11
*Mason & Seaman, 57th St. & 11th Ave., from May 2nd to 11th	10	8
*Mercedes Repair Co., 218 E. 64th St., from May 2nd to 12th	3	9
*Mias Garage, 103 W. 51st St., from May 2nd to 12th	1	10
Mitchell, 419 W. 55th St., from May 7th to 12th	1	5
Maxwell Motor, Long Island City, from May 6th to 12th	½	6
*Opera House, 146 W. 39th St., from May 2nd to 8th	1	6
Oldsmobile, 221 W. 58th St., from May 6th to 12th	¼	6
*Premier Garage, 182 E. 71st St., from May 2nd to 12th	1	10
Pyramid Garage, 218 W. 65th St., from May 2nd to 9th	¾	7
Pennsylvania, 154 W. 31st St., from May 8th to 12th	1	4

	Bbls. Containing 55 Gals.	Days.
*Singer, 630 Jackson Ave., L. I. City, from May 6th to 12th.....	½	6
Simplex, Long Island City, from May 2nd to 6th.....	1	4
*Schuchman, 134 E. 41st St., from May 2nd to 12th.....	1¾	10
*66th St. Garage, 118 E. 66th St., from May 2nd to 8th.....	½	6
Times Square, 1743 Broadway, from May 6th to 12th.....	1½	6
*U. S. Motor, 247 W. 47th St., from May 8th to 12th.....	1	4
Universal Taxi, 153 E. 53rd St., from May 6th to 12th.....	½	6
*Wanamakers, 142 E. 31st St., from May 5th to 12th.....	1	7
White Motor Car, 631 E. 57th St., from May 8th to 12th.....	½	4
Total, 47.	70¼	307

*Separator.

Forty-seven garages, in varying periods, with a total of three hundred and seven working days, yielded 70¼ barrels of a mixture of heavy oils, kerosene and gasolene. A test representing 3,000 gals. of such collected material showed forty per cent. of gasolene.

In view of the above facts and tests, the affidavits—some twenty in number—cannot be considered as anything but estimates. They emphasize a point which, under existing conditions, is immaterial and liable to be misleading—the per cent. of gasolene in the drainage from garages. It is common knowledge that oil and gasolene float on water and that the liability to ignite is the same whether the amount of water is great or small; that is, the oil and gasolene will be exposed to igniting causes irrespective of the depth or per cent. of water underneath.

Further, in the affidavit signed by H. D. Williams (at bottom of file) it is stated that a separator approved by the Fire Department was unsatisfactory in all respects. A report from Harold A. Hughes, an inspector of the Fire Department, plainly shows that the separator was out of order and kept in such a manner that from one of its traps which was kept open the wash stand drainage did not pass through the separator, but was practically by-passed. A sample of such drainage showed the presence of gasolene. It is not thought proper care has been taken of this separator, and until it is put in proper order any opinion regarding its efficiency is not worthy of consideration. It is also plain that gasolene was running from the garage in question into the sewer.

It is desired to emphasize that the use of separators is simply a precaution and one that is particularly desirable in a business that is daily extending. On broad grounds it is plain that confining substances producing inflammable vapor is liable to cause explosion, and even if infrequent, such explosions, affecting as they do public highways, are sufficiently dangerous to justify precaution.

Respectfully submitted, RUSSELL W. MOORE, Consulting Engineer.

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

H. D. Williams, being duly sworn, deposes and says:

That he is the superintendent of the garage and repair shop of the White Company located at 631-649 West 57th Street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York; that deponent has been connected with this department of the White Company for ten years and, for the last three years, serving as superintendent. That he is familiar with every detail of the washing of cars and with all the operations which take place in the repair shop. That he is familiar with the amount of water used in the building above mentioned and that this amount, as shown by the bills of the New York City Water Department, is about three thousand gallons per day, and that, under no circumstances could more than half a pint of gasoline be discharged into the drains during the day, which is equivalent to about one five-hundredth of one per cent. of the flowage into the drains of the garage. That, should an automobile be leaking gasoline the same would immediately become noticeable because of the smell caused by the vapor and such leak would immediately be corrected. That, should a quantity of gasoline leak from the car, it would first form a pool on the floor and would then quickly evaporate and gasoline could not get in the drain from a leaking automobile unless the car was at that moment on the washstand. That each car, when on the washstand, is subjected to a shower of not less than one hundred gallons of water and that, simultaneously, several pails of soap solution are applied to each car while on the wash rack. That, in the conduct of the machine shop, no gasoline whatsoever is used for cleaning purposes. That, when it becomes necessary to drain the gasoline from the tank, such gasoline is drained into a McNutt safety can of a type approved by the Fire Department, and from such safety can it is then emptied into a portable gasoline tank, which is likewise of a type approved by the Department. That, when taking off the carburetor, the gasoline is closed off by means of the pet-cock provided in the line for that purpose and the engine is then run until the gasoline in the carburetor and in the line has been consumed in the engine. That there is no other source by which gasoline could get into the drain except from a leaking car, or from being used for cleaning purposes, or from the dismantling of a car.

Deponent further says:

That, to the best of his knowledge and belief, the aggregate amount of gasoline which might enter the drains in a period of one year, would not exceed one gallon, which would be equivalent to one ten-thousandth of one per cent. of the water which passes through the drains in the same period.

Deponent further states:

That the above mentioned garage is fitted with an oil separator of a type approved by the Department and which when first installed was approved by the Department. That said separator has been a constant source of trouble, annoyance, inconvenience and expense and, to the knowledge of the deponent, has entirely failed to perform its functions.

H. D. WILLIAMS.

Sworn to before me this 22nd day of April, 1914. JOSEPH G. CONEY, Notary Public, New York County.

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

Arthur C. Phillips, being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is Manager of the Parts and Repairs of the C. T. Silver Motor Company, doing business at 1760 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York, and as such Manager is in constant touch with the garage of the said company at that place; and that he has been such manager for over a year; that during that time he has come in contact with the washing of cars, and is familiar with the method of washing cars in the garage of the said company; and that he is familiar with all the uses of gasoline by the said C. T. Silver Motor Company in its garage.

That no gasoline whatever is used by the C. T. Silver Motor Company in the washing of cars on the wash-stands used in the garage of the C. T. Silver Motor Company; that the only gasoline flowing from the said wash-stands in the said garage into the sewer, if any, is that which comes from the drippings from the carburetors, while the machines are on the stands being washed, and that deponent verily believes and asserts that the amount of gasoline if any flowing from the said wash-stands into the sewer is not over one one hundred and twentieth of one per cent (1/120 of 1%) of the entire flowage from the wash stands into the sewer.

ARTHUR C. PHILLIPS.

Sworn to before me this 22nd day of April, 1914. DONALD F. ELLIOTT, Notary Public, New York County No. 989.

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

Arthur J. Kavanagh, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that he is the Superintendent of the New York Branch of the Winton Motor Car Company; that he has been the superintendent of said Branch for ten years; that as said superintendent he is familiar with the method of washing cars in the garage connected with the office and salesroom of the said Winton Motor Car Company, and with the use of all gasoline in connection with said garage. That no gasoline whatever is used by said Winton Motor Car Company in their garage or repair shop in the washing or cleaning of repair parts of cars, or in the washing of pans, wheels, running gears or other parts of cars; that the gasoline which collects in the drip pan under cars is never allowed to run into the sewers from the wash stands.

That the deponent verily believes and asserts that no gasoline whatever is allowed to flow, nor does flow, from wash stands in the garage of the said Winton Motor Car Company into the sewers, and that there is no percentage of gasoline in the flowage from the wash stands into the sewers. ARTHUR J. KAVANAGH.

Sworn to before me this 22nd day of April, 1914. DONALD F. ELLIOTT, Notary Public, New York County No. 989.

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

Sidney B. Bowman, being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the President and General Manager of the Sidney B. Bowman Automobile Company, doing business at 225-231 West Forty-ninth Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, and that as general manager of the said Company, he is in constant touch with the Garage of the said Sidney B. Bowman Automobile Company at that place; that he is familiar with the methods of washing cars in the garage of the said Sidney B. Bowman Automobile Company, and is familiar with all the uses of gasoline by the said Sidney B. Bowman Automobile Company in its garage; that no gasoline is used either in washing the cars on the washstands of the said garage or in the Shop of the Sidney B. Bowman Automobile Company for washing the motors or other parts of the chassis. As a matter of fact, there is no gasoline used anywhere in the garage except for filling the tanks of the automobiles; that there is no gasoline discharged into the sewer-pipes of this garage at all, and that all the cars as they come in are examined as far as the carburetors are concerned, to be sure that they leak no gasoline, which is a very small possibility anyway. The deponent says that as far as this garage is concerned, there is absolutely no leaking of gasoline whatever.

SIDNEY B. BOWMAN.

Sworn to before me this 23rd day of April, 1914. DONALD F. ELLIOTT, Notary Public, New York County No. 989, New York Register No. 6044.

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

Charles Hauck, being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the manager of the garage of the Sidney B. Bowman Automobile Company, doing business at 225-231 West Forty-ninth Street; that he has been such manager for over ten years; that as such manager he has superintended and still superintends the washing of cars in the garage of the said Sidney B. Bowman Automobile Company, at the above address; that he is familiar with all the uses of gasoline by the said Sidney B. Bowman Automobile Company in its garage; that no gasoline is used either in washing the cars on the washstands of the said garage or in the shop of the Sidney B. Bowman Automobile Company for washing the motors or other parts of the chassis. As a matter of fact there is no gasoline used anywhere in the garage except for filling the tanks of the automobiles; that there is no gasoline discharged into the sewer-pipes of this garage at all, and that all the cars as they come in are examined as far as the carburetors are concerned, to be sure that they leak no gasoline, which is a very small possibility anyway. The deponent says that as far as this garage is concerned, there is absolutely no leaking of gasoline whatever. CHARLES L. HAUCK.

Sworn to before me this 23rd day of April, 1914. DONALD F. ELLIOTT, Notary Public, New York County No. 989, New York Register No. 6044.

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

H. W. Nuckols, being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is General Manager of the Packard Motor Car Company of New York, doing business at 1861 Broadway; that he has been such General Manager in said Company for about one year; that he has been in the automobile business and connected with garages since 1905; that during that time he has come in contact with the washing of cars and is familiar with all the work connected with the running of a garage, and with the methods employed in washing cars on the stands of the said Packard Motor Car Company of New York.

That from his experience and as General Manager of the Packard Motor Car Company of New York deponent believes and asserts that the only gasoline going from the wash-stand of the garage connected with the said Packard Motor Car Company of New York into the sewer is that which comes from the drippings, if any, from the carburetor while the machines are on the stand being washed; that the amount of gasoline, if any, would not be over one one hundred and twentieth of one per cent. (1-120 of 1%) of the entire flowage from such washing.

Attached hereto and made a part of this affidavit is the affidavit of Mr. C. W. Doty, the Technical Manager of the garage in connection with the said Packard Motor Car Company of New York. H. W. NUCKOLS.

Sworn to before me this 22d day of April, 1914. DONALD F. ELLIOT, Notary Public, New York County, No. 989.

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

C. W. Doty, being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is Manager of the Technical Department of the Packard Motor Car Company of New York, doing business at 1861 Broadway; that he has been such Manager in said Company for about ten years; that he has been in the automobile business and conected with garages since 1904; that during that time he has come in contact with the washing of cars and is familiar with all the work connected with the running of a garage, and with the methods employed in washing cars on the stands of the said Packard Motor Car Company of New York.

That from his experience and as Technical Manager of the Packard Motor Car Company of New York deponent believes and asserts that the only gasoline going from the wash-stand of the garage connected with the said Packard Motor Car Company of New York into the sewer is that which comes from the drippings, if nay, from the carburetor while the machines are on the stand being washed; that the amount of gasoline, if any, would not be over one one hundred and twentieth of one per cent. (1-120 of 1%) of the entire flowage from such washing. C. W. DOTY.

Sworn to before me this 22d day of April, 1914. DONALD F. ELLIOT, Notary Public, New York County, No. 989.

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

George W. Simons, being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the Technical Manager of the Peerless Motor Car Company, of New York, doing business at No. 1760 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York; that he has been such Technical Manager for the said Peerless Motor Car Company for over a year; during that time he has come in contact with the washing of cars and is familiar with the method of washing the cars in the garage connected with the salesrooms of the said Peerless Motor Car Company and is familiar with all the uses of gasoline by the said Peerless Motor Car Company in its garage.

That no gasoline whatever is used by the Peerless Motor Car Company in the washing of cars on the wash-stands used in the garage of the Peerless Motor Car Company; that the only gasoline flowing from the said wash-stands in the said garage into the sewer, if any, is that which comes from the drippings from the carburetors while the machines are on the stands being washed, and that deponent verily believes and asserts that the amount of gasoline, if any, flowing from the said wash-stands into the sewer would not in any event be over one one hundred and twentieth of one per cent. (1-120 of 1%) of the entire flowage from the wash-stands into the sewer.

GEO. W. SIMONS.

Sworn to before me this 22nd day of April, 1914. DONALD F. ELLIOTT, Notary Public, New York County No. 989.

W. Reid Gould, Law Blank Publisher and Stationer, 141 Nassau Street and 120 Broadway, N. Y.; 112-114 E. 75th street, New York City.

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

Wm. Hirsch, being duly sworn, says that he has had charge of the Lenox Garage at number 112 E. 75th street, N. Y. City, for the past 6 years; that said Garage stores approximately 150 cars, and that to the best of his knowledge and belief not more than 1-120th of 1 per cent. gasoline, or in other words one (1) gallon of gasoline to 12,000 gallons of water passes into the sewer from the above Garage.

WILLIAM HIRSCH.

And further this deponent says not.

Sworn to before me this 23rd day of April, 1914. SIDNEY P. ENNIGER, Notary Public No. 1017, Register No. 5056.

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

Harry Andrus, being duly sworn, says, that he has had charge of the Watson Club Garage at 58 E. 88th street, New York City for the past 3 years; that said garage stores approximately 100 cars, and that to the best of his knowledge and belief that not more than 1-120th of 1 per cent. gasolene, or, in other words, one (1) gallon of gasolene to 12,000 gallons of water passes into the sewer from the above garage. HARRY ANDRUS, 58 E. 88th Street, New York City.

And further this deponent says not.

Sworn to before me this 23d day of April, 1914. SIDNEY P. ETTINGER, Notary Public No. 1017, Register No. 5056.

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

Henry S. Bloch, being duly sworn, says that he has had charge of the Bloch's Garage Company at No. 209 E. 64th street, New York City, for the past 5 years; that said garage stores approximately 100 cars, and that to the best of his knowledge and belief that not more than 1-120th of 1 per cent. gasoline, or, in other words, one (1) gallon of gasoline to 12,000 gallons of water passes into the sewer from the above garage. HENRY S. BLOCH, 209 E. 64th Street, New York City.

And further this deponent says not.

Sworn to before me this 23d day of April, 1914. SIDNEY P. ETTINGER, Notary Public No. 1017, Register No. 5056.

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

Adolph Miller, being duly sworn, says that he has had charge of the Yorkville Auto and Garage Company at No. 327 E. 84th street, New York City, for the past years; that said garage stores approximately 60 cars, and that to the best of his knowledge and belief that not more than 1-120th of 1 per cent. gasoline, or, in other words, one (1) gallon of gasoline to 12,000 gallons of water passes into the sewer from the above garage.

ADOLPH MILLER, 327 E. 84th Street, New York City.

And further this deponent says not.

Sworn to before me this 23d day of April, 1914. SIDNEY P. ETTINGER, Notary Public No. 1017, Register No. 5056.

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

Peter B. Riley being duly sworn, says that he has had charge of the Sullivan Garage Co., Inc., at number 115 E. 75th street, N. Y. City for the past 3 years; that said garage stores approximately 140 cars, and that to the best of his knowledge and belief that not more than 1-120th of 1 per cent. gasoline, or in other words one (1) gallon of gasoline to 12,000 gallons of water passes into the sewer from the above garage. PETER B. RILEY, 115 E. 75th Street, N. Y. City.

And further this deponent says not.

Sworn to before me this 23rd day of April, 1914. SIDNEY P. ETTINGER, Notary Public No. 1017, Register No. 5056.

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

William Burrows being duly sworn says, that he has had charge of the Niagra Garage, at number 73 E. 89th street, N. Y. City, for the past 7 years; that said garage stores approximately 175 cars, and that to the best of his knowledge and belief that not more than 1-120th of 1 per cent. gasoline, or in other words one (1) gallon of gasoline to 12,000 gallons of water passes into the sewer from the above garage.

WILLIAM BURROWS, 73 E. 89th Street, N. Y. City.

And further this deponent says not.

Sworn to before me this 23rd day of April, 1914. SIDNEY P. ETTINGER, Notary Public No. 1017, Register No. 5056.

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

Albert Bokelman being duly sworn, says that he has had charge of the Normal Auto Station Garage at number 208-214 W. 124th street, N. Y. City, for the past 1½ years; that said garage stores approximately 60 cars, and that to the best of his knowledge and belief not more than 1-120th of 1 per cent. gasoline, or in other words, one (1) gallon of gasoline to 12,000 gallons of water passes into the sewer from the above garage. ALBERT BOKELMAN, 208 to 214 W. 124th Street, N. Y. C.

And further this deponent says not.

Sworn to before me this 23rd of April, 1914. J. C. GRAVEUR, Notary Public, No. 89, New York County.

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

D. A. McClary being duly sworn, says that he has had charge of the Kingwood Garage at number 163-105 W. 132nd street, N. Y. City, for the past 4 years; that said garage stores approximately 85 cars, and that to the best of his knowledge and belief not more than 1-120th of 1 per cent. gasoline, or in other words, one (1) gallon of gasoline to 12,000 gallons of water passes into the sewer from the above garage. D. A. McCLARY, 163-165 W. 132nd Street, N. Y. C.

And further this deponent says not.

Sworn to before me this 22nd day of April, 1914. J. C. GRAVEUR, Notary Public, No. 89, New York County.

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

William Krauss, being duly sworn, says that he has had charge of the Eureka Garage at 122nd Street and St. Nicholas Ave., New York City, for the past 8 years; that said Garage stores approximately 60 cars, and that to the best of his knowledge and belief not more than 1-120th of 1 per cent. gasoline, or in other words one (1) gallon of gasoline to 12,000 gallons of water passes into the sewer from the above Garage.

WILLIAM KRAUSS, Manager, 122nd Street and St. Nicholas Ave., New York City.

And further this deponent says not.

Sworn to before me this 23rd day of April, 1914. J. C. GRAVEUR, Notary Public, New York County. No. 89.

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

J. C. Graveur, being duly sworn, says that he has had charge of the Alhambra Garage at number 65 W. 118th Street, New York City, for the past 4 years; that said Garage stores approximately 100 cars, and that to the best of his knowledge and belief not more than 1-120th of 1 per cent. gasoline, or in other words one (1) gallon of gasoline to 12,000 gallons of water passes into the sewer from the above Garage. J. C. GRAVEUR, 65 W. 118th Street, New York City.

And further this deponent says not.

Sworn to before me this 23rd day of April, 1914. A THOMAS, Notary Public, New York County.

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

Charles H. Potter, being duly sworn, says that he has had charge of the Uptown Garage at number 154 W. 124th Street, New York City, for the past 4 years; that said Garage stores approximately 150 cars, and that to the best of his knowledge and belief not more than 1-120th of 1 per cent. gasoline, or in other words one (1) gallon of gasoline to 12,000 gallons of water passes into the sewer from the above Garage.

CHARLES H. POTTER, 154 W. 124th Street, New York City.

And further this deponent says not.

Sworn to before me this 23rd day of April, 1914. J. C. GRAVEUR, Notary Public, New York County, No. 89.

Which was laid over.

No. 573.

The Committee on General Welfare, to which was referred on April 28, 1914 (Minutes, page 216), the annexed ordinance in favor of amending the license ordinance respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed changes to be necessary and in keeping with the original intention of the framers of the present motion picture law. It believes, however, that a slight change to more clearly show the intent is advisable, and it therefore recommends that the accompanying substitute ordinance be adopted.

SUBSTITUTE.

AN ORDINANCE amending an ordinance relating to motion picture threatres.

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

Section 1. Subdivision V. of Section 352C. of Article III. of Title II. of Chapter 7 of Part I. of the Code of Ordinances of the City of New York, as amended and supplemented by the ordinance apporved by the Mayor, June 29, 1914, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

5. Motion picture theatre licenses and open air motion picture theatre licenses shall expire on the 30th day of June next succeeding the date of issuance thereof and may be renewed for another term at their expiration, or within thirty days thereafter. [Upon payment of one-half the original license fee.]

License fee shall be as follows:

For each motion picture theatre [original] $100.

For each open air motion picture theatre [original] $50.

For motion picture theatre licenses, and open air motion picture theatre licenses issued between the first day of January and the 30th day of June, inclusive of any year, one-half the above mentioned fee shall be paid.

All motion picture theatre licenses and all open air motion picture theatre licenses now in force shall expire on the 30th day of June, 1914. The renewal license fee for the period of July 1st, 1914, to June 30th, 1915, upon all licenses now in force and which shall be renewed on or before July 30th, 1914, shall be as follows:

	Motion Picture Theatres.		Open-air Motion Picture Theatres.	
For licenses issued for terms commencing the month of August, 1913	[$45 83]	*91 66*	[$22 92]	*45 84*
For licenses issued for terms commencing the month of September, 1913	[41 67]	*83 34*	[20 83]	*41 66*
For licenses issued for terms commencing the month of October, 1913	[37 50]	*75 00*	[18 75]	*37 50*
For licenses issued for terms commencing the month of November, 1913	[33 34]	*66 68*	[16 66]	*33 32*
For licenses issued for terms commencing the month of December, 1913	[29 17]	*58 34*	[14 58]	*29 16*
For licenses issued for terms commencing the month of January, 1914	[25 00]	*50 00*	[12 50]	*25 00*
For licenses issued for terms commencing the month of February, 1914	[20 83]	*41 66*	[10 41]	*20 82*
For licenses issued for terms commencing the month of March, 1914	[16 67]	*33 24*	[8 33]	*16 66*
For licenses issued for terms commencing the month of April, 1914	[12 50]	*25 00*	[6 25]	*12 50*
For licenses issued for terms commencing the month of May, 1914	[8 33]	*16 66*	[4 17]	*8 34*
For licenses issued for terms commencing the month of June, 1914	[4 17]	*8 34*	[2 08]	*4 16*

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Note.—New matter in *italics;* old matter in brackets [], to be omitted.

ORIGINAL.

AN ORDINANCE amending section 309 of article 2 of chapter 7 of Part I of the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York.

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

Section 1. Section 309 of article 2 of chapter 7 of Part I of the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 309. Any license, before its expiration or within thirty days thereafter, may be renewed for another term upon payment of [one-half] the license fee above designated therefor.

All licenses in force when this ordinance takes effect for any business enumerated above may be renewed under the foregoing provisions regulating renewals of licenses hereunder issued.

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Note—Matter in brackets is old law to be omitted.

WM. BRUSH, HYMAN POUKER, OSCAR IGSTAEDTER, ARNON L. SQUIERS, JOSEPH W. SPENCER, W. H. PENDRY, LAUREN CARROLL, Committee on General Welfare.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bartscherer, Bedell, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Carroll, Chorosh, Colne, Curran, Delaney, Diemer, Donnelly, Dostal, Dotzler, Duggan, Dujat, Eichhorn, Ferguson, Ferrand, Eagan, Hogan, Jacobson, Kenney, Kochendorfer, Lein, Levy, McCann, McCourt, McNally, Moore (Chas. J.), Moore (Jesse D.), Moran, Mullen (Jas. F.), O'Rourke, Pendry, Post, Quinn, Rosenblum, Spencer, Squiers, Stapleton, Stevenson, Taylor, Trau, Valentine, Weil, President Mathewson, by John G. Borgstede, Commissioner of Public Works; President Pounds, by Edmund W. Voorhies, Commissioner of Public Works; President Marks, by E. V. Frothingham, Commissioner of Public Works, and the President—50.

No. 677—(G. O. No. 363).

The Committee on General Welfare to which was referred on May 26, 1914, (Minutes, page 456), the annexed ordinance in favor of amending Public Hack Ordinance, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed changes to be necessary in order to allow a more rigid enforcement of the law. It has made a few slight changes to eliminate any reference to coaches used for funerals or weddings, and recommends that the accompanying substitute ordinance be adopted.

"SUBSTITUTE"

AN ORDINANCE to amend the "Public Hack Ordinance."

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

Section 1. Section 2 of article 1 of the "Public Hack Ordinance," adopted May 27, 1913, and approved June 2, 1913, is hereby amended to read as follows:

2. Definitions—[A public hack is a vehicle plying for hire and which solicits public patronage upon the streets and highway of this City.] *A public hack is a vehicle which uses the streets, highways and public places of the City for the transportation of passengers, with or without baggage, for hire, pay or compensation of any kind for less than a day, whether such a hack is hired on the public streets or in a garage or livery stable or over the telephone, or otherwise.*

A cab is a public hack so designed and constructed as to comfortably seat, in the opinion of the Chief of the Bureau of Licenses, not more than two persons as passengers inside thereof.

A coach is a public hack so designed and constructed as to comfortably seat, in the opinion of the Chief of the Bureau of Licenses, four or more persons as passengers inside thereof.

Note—New matter in *italics;* old matter, in brackets [ ], to be omitted.

"ORIGINAL"

AN ORDINANCE to amend the "Public Hack Ordinance."

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

Section 1. Section 2 of article 1 of the "Public Hack Ordinance," adopted May 27, 1913, and approved June 2, 1913, is hereby amended to read as follows:

2. Definitions—[A public hack is a vehicle plying for hire and which solicits public patronage upon the streets and highways of this City.] *A public hack is a vehicle which uses the streets, highways and public places of the City for the transportation of passengers, with or without baggage, for hire, pay or compensation of any kind. It makes no difference whether such a hack is hired on the public streets or in a garage or livery stable or over the telephone.*

A cab is a public hack so designed and constructed as to comfortable seat, in the opinion of the Chief of the Bureau of Licenses, not more than two persons as passengers inside thereof.

A coach is a public hack so designed and constructed as to comfortably seat, in the opinion of the Chief of the Bureau of Licenses, four or more persons as passengers inside thereof.

A sightseeing car is a motor-driven vehicle designed to carry seven or more persons from a fixed locality to points of interest about the City.

A taximeter is a mechanical instrument or device by which the charge for hire of a public hack is mechanically calculated, either for distance traveled or for waiting time, or for both, and upon which such charge shall be indicated by means of figures.

A cab driven by mechanical power on which a taximeter is affixed shall be known as "a little taxicab."

A taxicab is a coach driven by mechanical power on which a taximeter is affixed.

This ordinance shall not apply to or govern any vehicle hired or obtained from a livery stable or garage and which does not solicit patronage upon the streets; nor to any omnibus running by authority of any ordinance, law, charter or permit upon a fixed route through the city.

Nothing herein contained is designed to prevent a person from making an agreement with the owner of a public hack to furnish him with transportation at a rate to be agreed upon between them, for the day, week or month. But the person with whom the owner of the public hack makes such an agreement is not at liberty to hire the public hack out to some other person.

Sec. 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Note—New matter in *italics;* old matter, in brackets [ ], to be omitted.

WILLIAM D. BRUSH, HYMAN POUKER, OSCAR IGSTAEDTER, ARNON L. SQUIERS, JOSEPH W. SPENCER, WILLIAM H. PENDRY, LAUREN CARROLL, Committee on General Welfare.

Which was laid over.

No. 746—(G. O. No. 364).

The Committee on General Welfare to which was referred on June 9, 1914 (Minutes, page 600), the annexed ordinance in favor of amending Ordinance in relation to stands within the stoop lines, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed changes to be unnecessary.

It, therefore, recommends that the said ordinance be ordered on file.

AN ORDINANCE to amend section 364 of article 4 of chapter 7 of part 1 of the Code of Ordinances, relating to "stands within the stoop lines."

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

Section 1. Section 364 of article 4 of chapter 7 of part 1 of the Code of Ordinances relating to "stands within the stoop lines," is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

"Section 364. Every such stand must be strictly within the stoop line, and shall not to be an obstruction to the free use of the sidewalk by the public, and shall not exceed the space of 10 feet long by 4 feet wide, *and shall not be less than 2 feet from the ground,* except that in the case of bookblack stands, a space not more than 3 feet wide and 4 feet long may be occupied by each chair of such stand. The construction and erection of all stands permitted by this ordinance shall be at the expense of the applicant and under the direction of the President of the Borough in which said stand is located. No person shall be permitted to sleep in any portion of the structure or hold more than one license. The Mayor, or Chief of the Bureau of Licenses, shall have the power to transfer a permit or license to another location for the period of its unexpired term; provided, however, that the application for such transfer shall be accompanied by the consent of the owner of the premises to which the proposed transfer is to be made and by the consent of the Alderman of the district in which such premises are located."

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Note—New matter in *italics.*

WILLIAM D. BRUSH, HYMAN POUKER, OSCAR IGSTAEDTER, ARNON L. SQUIERS, JOSEPH W. SPENCER, WILLIAM H. PENDRY, LAUREN CARROLL, Committee on General Welfare.

Which was laid over.

No. 749—(G. O. No. 365).

The Committee on General Welfare to which was recommitted on June 23, 1914 (Minutes, page 794), the annexed ordinance relating to public places wherein pocket-billiard tables or billiard tables are kept and maintained, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having again examined the subject, it reiterates its former report, and recommends that the said substitute ordinance be adopted.

"SUBSTITUTE."

AN ORDINANCE relating to public places wherein pocket billiard tables or billiard tables are kept and maintained.

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

Section 1. Section 355 of subdivision XIV, Title II, of Chapter 7, Part I of the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York is hereby amended as follows:

"Section 355. Any pocket-billiard table or billiard table in a place open to the public shall be deemed to be included within the terms of this ordinance, and every keeper of a public place where there are pocket-billiard or billiard tables shall maintain good order and allow no person under 16 years of age to use any such pocket-billiard table in any such place."

Section 2. Subdivision XIV of Title II of Chapter 7 of Part I of the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York is hereby amended by adding thereto three new sections to be numbered 355a, 355b and 355c respectively, to read as follows:

Section 355a. Every room, place or enclosure open to the public, containing a pocket-billiard or billiard table shall be provided with such accommodations and facilities for its lighting, heating and ventilation as shall be prescribed by the Superintendent of Buildings of the Borough in which the premises are located. Any such room and the toilet and all hallways and stairways connected therewith shall be kept in a clean and sanitary condition. No license to install or maintain a pocket-billiard or billiard table in any public room, place or enclosure shall be granted or issued except upon a certificate in writing from the appropriate Superintendent of Buildings that such room, place or enclosure is equipped with adequate toilet accommodations and proper facilities for its lighting, heating and ventilating.

355b. No pocket-billiard or billiard table shall be used, placed or maintained in any room unless the door or entrance to such room has a section of such door fitted with clear glass through which a clear, unobstructed view of the pocket-billiard and billiard tables and room where pocket-billiard or billiard games are played can be seen either from the street, roadway or alley, or from the room or place adjoining the room in which such pocket-billiard or billiard table shall be used, placed or maintained.

355c. Any violation of any of these provisions by the proprietor, manager or person in charge of any public place wherein is maintained a pocket-billiard or billiard table shall be deemed sufficient cause for the immediate revocation of the license and any such person who shall violate or neglect or refuse to comply with any of the provisions of this ordinance shall upon conviction be punished by a fine of not more than $100 or by imprisonment not exceeding three days, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

Sec. 3. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

"ORIGINAL."

AN ORDINANCE relating to public places wherein pocket-billiard tables or billiard tables are kept and maintained.

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

Section 1. Section 355 of subdivision XIV, Title II, of Chapter 7, Part I of the Code of Ordinances of the City of New York is hereby amended as follows:

"Section 355. Any pocket-billiard table or billiard table in a place open to the public and not otherwise licensed shall be deemed to be included within the terms of this Ordinance, and every keeper of a public place where there are pocket-billiard or billiard tables shall maintain good order and allow no person under 18 years of age to use any such pocket-billiard table or billiard table in any such place."

Section 2. Subdivision XIV of Title II of Chapter 7 of Part I of the Code of Ordinances of the City of New York is hereby amended by adding thereto three new sections to be numbered 355a, 355b and 355c, respectively, to read as follows:

Section 355a. Every room, place or enclosure open to the public containing a pocket-billiard or billiard table shall be provided with such accommodations and facilities for its lighting, heating and ventilation as shall be prescribed by the Superintendent of Buildings of the Borough in which the premises are located. Any such room and the toilet and all hallways and stairways connected therewith shall be kept in a clean and sanitary condition. No license to install or maintain a pocket-billiard or billiard table in any public room, place or enclosure shall be granted, issued or reissued except upon a certificate in writing from the appropriate Superintendent of Buildings that such room, place or enclosure is equipped with adequate toilet accommodations and proper facilities for its lighting, heating and ventilating.

355b. No pocket-billiard or billiard table shall be maintained in any room more than four feet below the level of the street on which the building fronts. No pocket-billiard or billiard table shall be used, placed or maintained in any room unless the door or entrance to such room has a section of such door fitted with clear glass through which a clear, unobstructed view of the pocket-billiard and billiard tables and room where pocket-billiard or billiard games are played can be seen either from the street, roadway or alley, or from the room or place adjoining the room in which such pocket-billiard or billiard table shall be used, placed or maintained.

355c. Any violation of any of these provisions by the proprietor, manager or person in charge of any public place wherein is maintained a pocket-billiard or billiard table shall be deemed sufficient cause for the immediate revocation of the license, and any such person who shall violate or neglect or refuse to comply with any of the provisions of this Ordinance shall upon conviction be punished by a fine of not more than $100, or by imprisonment exceeding three days, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

Sec. 3. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

WILLIAM D. BRUSH, HYMAN POUKER, OSCAR IGSTAEDTER, ARNON L. SQUIERS, LAUREN CARROLL, JOSEPH W. SPENCER, Committee on General Welfare.

Which was laid over.

No. 777—(G. O. No. 366).

The Committee on General Welfare to which was referred on June 16, 1914, (Minutes, page 700), the annexed ordinance relative to Mortuary chapels, respectfully

REPORTS:

That it does not believe that it is within the power of the Board of Aldermen to enact legislation of this character.

It therefore recommends that the said ordinance be ordered on file.

AN ORDINANCE in relation to the erection of Mortuary Chapels.

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

That chapter 14 of the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York—the Sanitary Code—be amended by inserting therein a new section to be known as section 166a, to take effect immediately and to read as follows:

No. 166a. No mortuary chapel or similar building for holding service over the dead shall hereafter be erected unless consent thereto in writing shall first be given by the owners of not less than two-thirds of the property on both sides of the street or avenue between the intersecting streets or avenues upon which it is proposed to locate such chapel.

WILLIAM D. BRUSH, HYMAN POUKER, OSCAR IGSTAEDTER, ARNON L. SQUIERS, JOSEPH W. SPENCER, W. H. PENDRY, LAUREN CARROLL, Committee on General Welfare.

Which was laid over.

No. 780—(G. O. No. 367).

The Committee on General Welfare, to which was referred on June 16, 1914, (Minutes, page 701), the annexed ordinance to provide for mirrors for drivers of vehicles so that they may see behind them, respectfully

REPORTS:

That it understands that this proposed ordinance is withdrawn by the introducer.

It recommends that the said ordinance be ordered on file.

AN ORDINANCE to promote greater safety on the streets and highways of The City of New York.

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

Section 1. Every motor-driven vehicle operated on the streets and highways of The City of New York, be it a private vehicle or one used for hire, shall be equipped with a mirror in front or on the side of the car and facing the driver, and so placed that the driver can at all times see what is going on immediately behind him.

Sec. 2. A failure to comply with the provisions of this ordinance, on conviction thereof before a City Magistrate, shall be punishable by a fine not to exceed ten dollars ($10), and in default of payment of any fine so imposed shall be committed to the City Prison for a term not exceeding ten days, each day of such imprisonment to be taken as a liquidation of each dollar of such fine.

Sec. 3. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

WILLIAM D. BRUSH, HYMAN POUKER, OSCAR IGSTAEDTER, ARNON L. SQUIERS, JOSEPH W. SPENCER, W. H. PENDRY, LAUREN CARROLL, Committee on General Welfare.

Which was laid over.

No. 803—(G. O. No. 368).

The Committee on General Welfare, to which was referred on June 23, 1914 (Minutes, page 801), the annexed ordinance in favor of amending the taxicab ordinance approved June 2, 1913, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed change to be necessary, in order that touring cars may not come under the same provisions of law as taxicabs, which are used for a very different purpose.

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

AN ORDINANCE to amend the Taxicab Ordinance approved by the Mayor on June 2d, 1913.

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

Section 1. Section eleven of article three of the Taxicab Ordinance, approved by the Mayor June 2d, 1913, be and the same hereby is amended to read as follows:

11. Every public hack driven by mechanical power, seating four passengers or less, shall have affixed thereto a taximeter of a size and design approved by the Chief of the Bureau of Licenses for use upon public hacks. *Motor driven vehicles, with seven passenger or five passenger open touring car bodies, may be licensed as public coaches and public cabs, respectively.* No license shall be issued to a public hack with a taximeter attached thereto until the same shall have been inspected and found to be accurate, and no person shall use or permit to be used upon any public hack a taximeter which shall be in such condition as to be over five per cent. incorrect to the prejudice of any passenger under a penalty of fifty dollars for each and every offense.

Sec. 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Note—New part in *italics.*

W. D. BRUSH, JOSEPH W. SPENCER, HYMAN POUKER, LAUREN CARROLL, OSCAR IGSTAEDTER, W. H. PENDRY, Committee on General Welfare.

Which was laid over.

No. 804—(G. O. No. 369).

The Committee on General Welfare, to which was referred on June 23, 1914 (Minutes, page 802), the annexed ordinance providing fees for license to operate any moving picture apparatus and its connections in The City of New York, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed licensing of moving picture operators to be a long step toward safeguarding the public from accident through mistakes by irresponsible and inefficient operators, and it, therefore, recommends that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE to provide for license fees for license to operate any moving picture apparatus and its connections in The City of New York.

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

Section 1. Any person applying for a license to operate any moving picture apparatus and its connections in The City of New York shall, at the time of his application, pay to the officer authorized by law to examine the applicant and to issue the license, an examination fee of two dollars and fifty cents ($2.50), and if after such examination a license be granted, the applicant shall pay in addition, upon the issue of such license, a license fee of two dollars and fifty cents ($2.50). The fee of two dollars and fifty cents ($2.50) paid by the applicant before taking the examination shall be retained by the officer authorized by law to conduct examinations of applicants, whether the said applicant passed the examination or not.

Sec. 2. Every licensed operator of any moving picture apparatus and its connections in The City of New York shall pay an annual renewal fee of one dollar ($1) for each annual renewal of his license.

Sec. 3. All fees received by the officer authorized by law to conduct examinations of applicants under this ordinance shall be returned to the Comptroller at the end of each month, and by the said Comptroller paid into the City Treasury to the credit of the general fund for the reduction of taxation.

Sec. 4. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

W. D. BRUSH, JOSEPH W. SPENCER, HYMAN POUKER, LAUREN CARROLL, OSCAR IGSTAEDTER, W. H. PENDRY, Committee on General Welfare.

Which was laid over.

Reports of Committee on Public Letting—

No. 448—(S. O. No. 76).

The Committee on Public Letting, to which was referred on March 31, 1914 (Minutes, page 1038), the annexed resolutions in favor of a modification of contracts for improvement of Manhattan Bridge plazas, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having carefully examined the subject, it believes the proposed modifications to be necessary. This entire matter is explained in the communications hereto appended. The Committee accepts the advice of the Corporation Counsel, and recommends that the said resolutions be adopted.

First Resolution.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Bridges is hereby authorized, with the consent of the contractor and his sureties, to modify paragraph 247 of the specifications accompanying the contract dated January 18, 1913, between The City of New York, by the Commissioner of Bridges, and Mr. William P. Seaver, for the improvement of the Manhattan plaza of the Manhattan Bridge, so that the said paragraph shall read as follows:

The bluestone flagging shall be of sound, first quality Colimer stone, of a light color, satisfactory to the architects and equal to the sample in Engineer's office. The surface shall be sawed, and a sample shall be submitted for approval. Flagging shall not be less than 4 inches thick.

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby approves the action of the former Commissioner of Bridges, Mr. Arthur J. O'Keeffe, in approving on December 15, 1913, on the recommendation of the architects, Messrs. Carrere & Hastings, and the Chief

Engineer of the Department of Bridges, the use of Colimer stone in place of Wyoming Valley bluestone for the flagging specified under paragraph 247 of the specifications accompanying the contract dated January 18, 1913, between The City of New York, by the Commissioner of Bridges, and Mr. William P. Seaver, for the improvement of the Manhattan plaza of the Manhattan Bridge.

Second Resolution.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Bridges is hereby authorized, with the consent of the contractor and his sureties, to modify paragraph 231 of the specifications accompanying the contract dated June 23, 1913, between The City of New York, by the Commissioner of Bridges, and the North-Eastern Construction Company, for the improvement of the Brooklyn plaza of the Manhattan Bridge, so that the said paragraph shall read as follows:

The bluestone flagging shall be of sound, first quality Colimer stone, of a light color, satisfactory to the architects, and equal to the sample in the Engineer's office. The surface shall be sawed and a sample shall be submitted for approval. Flagging shall not be less than 4 inches thick.

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby approves the action of the former Commissioner of Bridges, Mr. Arthur J. O'Keeffe, in approving on September 24, 1913, on the recommendation of the architects, Messrs. Carrere & Hastings, and the Chief Engineer of the Department of Bridges, the use of Colimer stone in place of Wyoming Valley bluestone for the flagging specified under paragraph 231 of the specifications accompanying the contract dated June 23, 1913, between The City of New York, by the Commissioner of Bridges, and the North-Eastern Construction Company, for the improvement of the Brooklyn plaza of the Manhattan Bridge.

JOHN DIEMER, FRANK J. DOTZLER, JOHN KOCHENDORFER, FRANK T. DIXSON, W. F. QUINN, LOUIS JACOBSON, JACOB WEIL, Committee on Public Letting.

Department of Bridges, City of New York, Municipal Building, Manhattan, N. Y., March 25, 1914.

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

Gentlemen—On January 18, 1913, the Commissioner of Bridges executed a contract with Mr. William P. Seaver for the improvement of the Manhattan Plaza of the Manhattan Bridge.

On June 23, 1913, the Commissioner of Bridges executed a contract with the North-Eastern Construction Company for the improvement of the Brooklyn Plaza of the Manhattan Bridge.

Each of these contracts provides for the furnishing and laying of a certain amount of bluestone flagging. The specifications for this flagging as given in paragraph 247 of the specifications of the Manhattan Plaza contract and paragraph 231 of the specifications of the Brooklyn Plaza contract read in each case as follows:

"The bluestone flagging shall be of sound, first quality Wyoming Valley bluestone, of a light color, satisfactory to the architects, and equal to the sample in Engineer's office. The surface shall be sawed, and a sample shall be submitted for approval. Flagging shall not be less than 4 inches thick."

After the execution of the contracts it developed that the conditions at the quarries were such that Wyoming Valley bluestone could not be obtained in sufficient quantities within the time required for the work. Samples of flagging stone other than Wyoming Valley bluestone were submitted by the contractors on both the above mentioned contracts.

Concerning the samples submitted by the North-Eastern Construction Company, the architects retained by the City, Messrs. Carrere & Hastings, sent a communication dated September 5, 1913, to this Department, a part of which reads as follows:

"We are very glad to express our approval of the Colimer stone, which seems to us to be in every way satisfactory for the purpose. Mr. Hastings has examined it personally, and is very glad that it is possible to obtain it. We suggest that if agreeable to you the North-Eastern Construction Company be allowed to substitute this stone for the stone called for under the specifications, as we consider it a satisfactory equivalent."

The Commissioner of Bridges on the recommendation of the architects and the Chief Engineer of this Department notified the North-Eastern Construction Company in a letter dated September 24, 1913, that Colimer stone was approved for use as equal to the Wyoming Valley bluestone.

Of the samples submitted by Mr. William P. Seaver, the Commissioner of Bridges, on the recommendation of the architects and the Chief Engineer of this Department notified Mr. Seaver on December 16, 1913, that the Colimer stone was approved for use.

It was not the intention in the wording of the specifications to limit the kind of flagging to any controlled article, and it was believed that under the provisions of paragraph 19 of the specifications of both contracts the Commissioner might approve the use of some other flagging stone equal to Wyoming Valley bluestone. Paragraph 19 of the specifications of both contracts reads in part as follows:

"Whenever or wherever an article of any class of materials is specified by the name of any particular patentee, manufacturer or dealer, or by reference to the catalogue of any such manufacturer or dealer, it shall be taken as intended to mean and specify the article or materials described, or any other equal thereto in quality, finish and durability, and equally as serviceable for the purpose for which it is (they are) intended."

I am in receipt of an opinion of the Corporation Counsel, dated March 2, 1914, in which he states in part as follows:

"In my view section 19 of the specifications above quoted has no application to the flagging in question and does not permit the substitution for the flagging prescribed therein of flagging of equal or even better quality, and, therefore, I am of opinion that authority was lacking to order the substitution to be made."

I am in receipt of a further opinion of the Corporation Counsel dated March 17, 1914, in which he states in part as follows:

"You should present all the facts in the matter to the Board of Aldermen and apply to the Board for permission, under section 419 of the City Charter, to modify the contracts by the substitution of first quality Colimer stone for "first quality Wyoming Valley bluestone," prescribed by the specifications."

The Colimer stone I believe is equal in quality, finish and durability and equally as serviceable as the Wyoming Valley bluestone for flagging purposes.

In accordance with the above opinion of the Corporation Counsel in order to make valid the acts of my predecessor in approving the use of Colimer stone, I beg to request your Honorable Board to adopt two resolutions authorizing the Commissioner of Bridges to modify the two contracts above mentioned by substituting first quality Colimer stone for the first quality Wyoming Valley bluestone. I beg to enclose herewith proposed forms for the two resolutions. Copies of the two opinions of the Corporation Counsel above mentioned are enclosed for your information.

Yours truly, F. J. H. KRACKE, Commissioner.

City of New York, Law Department, Office of the Corporation Counsel, New York, March 17th, 1914.

Hon. F. J. H. KRACKE, Commissioner of Bridges:

Sir—I have received your letter dated March 6, 1914, which reads as follows:

"I beg to acknowledge receipt of your communication of the 2d inst., replying to mine of the 17th ult., concerning the matter of bluestone flagging to be furnished under contracts for the improvement of the Manhattan plaza of the Manhattan Bridge and the improvement of the Brooklyn plaza of the Manhattan Bridge.

"I judge by the wording of your communication that the decision contained therein is based upon an assumption that the Department of Bridges wishes to substitute for a flagging prescribed in the contracts a flagging different but equal to or even better than that prescribed. By referring to my communication you will, however, find that this is not the situation, that the substitution of one kind of flagging for another, referred to, has already been ordered by the Commissioner of Bridges, viz., on September 24, 1913, and that this substitution was ordered and deemed proper on the recommendation of the architects, Messrs. Carrere & Hastings, and of the Chief Engineer of the Bridge Department.

"I specifically desire advice, not only as to whether there was authority for the order issued by the Commissioner of Bridges, but also as to the procedure necessary now to give such an order validity."

In your letter of February 17, 1914, you made the following request for advice:

"I beg to be advised if the Commissioner of Bridges, under any terms of the contracts above mentioned, or the terms of the Greater New York Charter, or the terms of any general laws or decisions thereon, was justified in acting as he did in this matter."

You were thereupon advised that such action on the part of your predecessor was unauthorized.

You desire additional advice "as to the procedure necessary now to give such an order validity."

You should present all the facts in the matter to the Board of Aldermen and apply to the Board for permission, under section 419 of the City Charter, to modify the contracts by the substitution of first quality Colimer stone for "first quality Wyoming Valley bluestone," prescribed by the specifications. Respectfully yours,

FRANK L. POLK, Corporation Counsel.

City of New York, Law Department, Office of the Corporation Counsel, New York, March 2, 1914.

Hon. F. J. H. KRACKE, Commissioner of Bridges:

Sir—I have received your letter dated February 17, 1914, which reads as follows:

"On January 18, 1913, the Commissioner of Bridges executed a contract with Mr. William P. Seaver for the improvement of the Manhattan Plaza of the Manhattan Bridge.

"On June 23, 1913, the Commissioner of Bridges executed a contract with the North-Eastern Construction Company for the improvement of the Brooklyn Plaza of the Manhattan Bridge.

"Each of these contracts provides for the furnishing and laying of a certain amount of bluestone flagging. The specifications for this flagging as given in paragraph 247 of the specifications of the Manhattan Plaza contract, and in paragraph 231 of the specifications of the Brooklyn Plaza contract, read in each case as follows:

"'The bluestone flagging shall be of sound, first quality Wyoming Valley bluestone, of a light color, satisfactory to the architects, and equal to the sample in Engineer's office. The surface shall be sawed, and a sample shall be submitted for approval. Flagging shall not be less than 4 inches thick.'

"It was not the intention in the wording of this paragraph to limit the kind of flagging to any controlled article. Paragraph 19 of the specifications of both contracts provides in part as follows:

"'Whenever or wherever any article of any class of materials is specified by the name of any particular patentee, manufacturer or dealer, or by reference to the catalogue of any such manufacturer or dealer, it shall be taken as intended to mean and specify the article or materials described, or any other equal thereto in quality, finish and durability, and equally as serviceable for the purpose for which it is (they are) intended.'

"Clause (D) of both contracts provides that the Engineer shall decide every question which may arise relative to the execution of the contracts on the part of the contractors. After the execution of the contracts a communication dated August 26, 1913, was received from the architects retained by the City, Messrs. Carrere & Hastings, which reads in part as follows:

"'Some days ago we had a conference with Mr. Hawley of your office with regard to the Wyoming Valley bluestone flagging called for in connection with the Manhattan and Brooklyn Approaches. At that time, we stated to Mr. Hawley that we believed that the amount of the material required for this work could be obtained in a shorter time than the reports from the general contractors indicated. After careful investigation we conclude, however, that the conditions at the quarries, from which this material is gotten, are such as to make it very difficult to secure this amount of stone, as much of the stock available at the time the selection of this stone was decided upon has been used and a much smaller amount is being quarried than we had expected. We believe, therefore, that the present condition of the quarries furnishing the material specified makes it inadvisable to insist on its use.'

"Samples of bluestone other than Wyoming Valley bluestone were submitted by the contractors on both the above mentioned contracts. Of the samples submitted by the North-Eastern Construction Company, the architects sent a communication dated September 5, 1913, to this Department, a part of which reads as follows:

"'We are very glad to express our approval of the Colimer stone which seems to us to be in every way satisfactory for the purpose. Mr. Hastings has examined it personally, and is very glad that it is possible to obtain it. We suggest that if agreeable to you the North-Eastern Construction Company be allowed to substitute this stone for the stone called for under the specifications, as we consider it a satisfactory equivalent.'

"The Commissioner of Bridges on the recommendation of the architects and the Chief Engineer of this Department notified the North-Eastern Construction Company, in a letter dated September 24, 1913, that Colimer stone was approved for use as equal to the Wyoming Valley bluestone.

"Of the samples submitted by Mr. William P. Seaver, the Commissioner of Bridges on the recommendation of the architects and the Chief Engineer of this Department notified him on December 16, 1913, that the Colimer stone was approved for use.

"A letter dated January 28, 1914 has been received by the Commissioner of Bridges from the Bluestone Dealers' Association of Greater New York, which reads as follows:

"'The undersigned, the Bluestone Dealers' Association of Greater New York, respectfully submit this protest against the installation of Ohio soft stone or any other stone than Wyoming bluestone or North River bluestone for the purpose of flagging the walk on both sides of the approach to the Manhattan Bridge.

"'We are informed and believe that the specifications, upon which the contract for this work was based, provided for the use of Wyoming bluestone or North River bluestone for such walks, and that since the making of the contract a change has been permitted, and that Ohio soft stone, or some stone other than Wyoming bluestone or North River bluestone is now to be used instead of the kind of stone originally contracted for.

"'Our protest is based upon the fact, which we are ready to prove to the proper authority, that no stone can be procured that will render the same service as Wyoming bluestone or North River bluestone on work such as is to be constructed under the contract in this case.'

"In connection with this protest of the Bluestone Dealers' Association of Greater New York, I beg to be advised if the Commissioner of Bridges, under any of the terms of the contracts above mentioned, or the terms of the Greater New York Charter, or the terms of any general laws or decisions thereon, was justified in acting as he did in this matter.

"Copies of the two contracts above mentioned are herewith enclosed for your information."

On September 24, 1913, former Bridge Commissioner Arthur J. O'Keeffe notified the North-Eastern Construction Company and William P. Seaver, the contractors for the improvements of the Manhattan and Brooklyn plazas of the Manhattan Bridge, that Colimer stone was approved for use, and the question submitted is whether he was justified in this action under the contracts.

The specifications in the contracts for bluestone flagging are similar, except so far as the location is concerned, and provide as follows:

"Bluestone Flagging.

"Location.

"227. (243) The sidewalks on each side of plaza from and connecting with the sidewalks on approach spans at the Sands st. abutment to Nassau st., shall be paved with bluestone flagging, laid as shown on plans and herein specified.

"Bluestone.

"231. (247) The bluestone flagging shall be of sound, first quality Wyoming Valley bluestone, of a light color, satisfactory to the architects, and equal to the sample in Engineer's office. The surface shall be sawed, and a sample shall be submitted for approval. Flagging shall not be less than 4 inches thick."

The general specifications of the contracts also contain this clause:

"Patents.

"19. Whenever or wherever an article of any class of materials is specified by the name of any particular patentee, manufacturer or dealer, or by reference to the catalogue of any such manufacturer or dealer, it shall be taken as intended to mean and specify the article or materials described or any other equal thereto in quality, finish and durability, and equally as serviceable for the purpose for which it is (they are) intended. Nothing in these specifications shall be interpreted or taken to violate the provisions of section 1554 of the Greater New York Charter, which provides that 'except for repairs, no patented pavement shall be laid, and no patented articles shall be advertised for, contracted for or purchased, except under such circumstances that there can be a fair and reasonable opportunity for competition, the conditions to secure which shall be prescribed by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.'"

The architects' communication of September 5, 1913, to the Bridge Department approves of Colimer stone, and states that

"We suggest that if agreeable to you the North Eastern Construction Company be allowed to substitute this stone for the stone called for under the specifications, as we consider it a satisfactory equivalent."

In Merrill's book, an authority on "Stones for Building and Decoration," I find at page 162 the following:

"Aside from the Triassic stones the most important sandstones at present quarried in the State are from the Devonian formations. In several towns in Pike, Carbon, Luzerne, Wyoming, Susquehanna and other counties stones belonging to this formation, of a fine, compact texture and dark blue-gray color, are quite extensively quarried. So far as can be judged from the material examined, this is one of the most valuable stones in the State for building as well as for flagging purposes. The Wyoming County stone is known to the trade as 'Wyoming Valley stone,' and is in considerable demand. It agrees very closely in general appearance with much of the New York bluestone already described."

The Colimer stone comes from the State of Ohio. Ohio stone is described as follows:

"The limestones and dolomites of this State are almost altogether of a dull, uninteresting color, and though in many cases durable and strong, are entirely unfit for any sort of fine building and ornamental work. They are therefore used chiefly for the rough work of foundations, street paving and *flagging*, and to a very large extent for making quicklime. In many instances they have been used locally for building purposes, but their qualities are not such as to cause them to be sought from a distance.

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"The stone is of a dull, bluish-gray color and is used for building, flagging and making lime."

It appears from this authority that "Wyoming Valley bluestone," described by the specifications for flagging, is well known and characterized in the trade as "Wyoming Valley stone."

Unless section 19 of the specifications permits of this substitution in my judgment it cannot be justified under the Charter and the contracts.

The language of the Court of Appeals in Becker vs. City of New York, 176 N. Y., 441, 446, is appropriate here.

"The ordinance of the defendants contemplated that the work was to be done under a written contract. The basis of that contract was the proposal or specification issued by the proper head of department, inviting estimates. When they were received and the award made to the lowest bidder, and that award confirmed by the Common Council, all the materials for the written contract were provided. When the contract finally became perfected, signed and executed, no officer of the defendants had any authority to change its provisions unless expressly authorized by the Common Council. No such authority has been shown in this case, or any acquiescence by the defendants in the departure from the terms of the contract made by the plaintiff's assignor with the acquiescence and pursuant to the directions of the City Surveyor. Such departure had, therefore, no legal justification and the plaintiff has, therefore, himself shown a non-performance on his part of what he claims was his contract with the defendants.

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"The direction of the Superintendent of Street Improvements to the contractor to proceed and conform the street to the grades given by the City Surveyor is inconsistent with these provisions of the contract and is a material variation of its terms. The question thus arises as to whether this officer had the power to modify or change the contract in this regard. He was a subordinate officer in the Department of Public Works. His duties required him to watch the work of contractors and see that their work was done in accordance with the requirements of the contract and upon the completion of the work to give a certificate. We think he had no power to change or modify the contract, or to relieve the contractor from the provisions in question. This question was disposed of in this court as early as the case of Bonesteel vs. Mayor, etc., of N. Y. (22 N. Y. 162)."

In my view section 19 of the specifications above quoted has no application to the flagging in question and does not permit the substitution for the flagging prescribed therein of flagging of equal or even better quality, and therefore I am of opinion that authority was lacking to order the substitution to be made.

Respectfully yours, FRANK L. POLK, Corporation Counsel.

Which was laid over.

No. 486—(S. O. No. 77).

The Committee on Public Letting, to which was referred on April 14, 1914 (Minutes, page 10), the annexed request from the Commissioner of Public Charities for authority to purchase fish, etc., in the open market to an amount not to exceed $21,000, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed permission to be advisable. The reasons for same are given in the letter of request, and although this is an entirely new departure the Committee believes it worthy of a trial. It is of the opinion, however, that purchases to the extent of $12,000 will be sufficient, and it therefore recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the Commissioner of Public Charities is hereby authorized and empowered to purchase, in the open market, without public letting, fresh fish, oysters and clams during the year 1914, to an amount not exceeding twelve thousand dollars ($12,000).

JOHN DIEMER, FRANK J. DOTZLER, JOHN KOCHENDORFER, FRANK T. DIXSON, W. F. QUINN, LOUIS JACOBSON, JACOB WEIL, Committee on Public Letting.

Which was laid over.

No. 523—(S. O. No. 78).

The Committee on Public Letting, to which was referred on April 21, 1914 (Minutes, page 111), a request from the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity to purchase three automobiles, without public letting, respectfully

REPORTS:

That this request has been withdrawn by the Department.

It therefore recommends that the said paper be ordered on file.

JOHN DIEMER, FRANK J. DOTZLER, JOHN KOCHENDORFER, FRANK T. DIXSON, W. F. QUINN, LOUIS JACOBSON, JACOB WEIL, Committee on Public Letting.

Which was laid over.

No. 597—(S. O. No. 79).

The Committee on Public Letting, to which was referred on May 12, 1914 (Minutes, page 258), the annexed request from the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity for authority to purchase a water meter tester at a cost not to exceed $2,100, respectfully

REPORTS:

That inasmuch as there is but one make of such a machine, the City saves the cost of preparing specifications and advertising by this method of purchase.

It therefore recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity be and he is hereby authorized and empowered to purchase, in the open market without public letting, a meter tester at a cost not to exceed twenty-one hundred dollars ($2,100).

JOHN DIEMER, FRANK J. DOTZLER, JOHN KOCHENDORFER, FRANK T. DIXSON, WM. F. QUINN, LOUIS JACOBSON, JACOB WEIL, Committee on Public Letting.

Which was laid over.

No. 686—(S. O. No. 80).

The Committee on Public Letting, to which was referred on June 2, 1914 (Minutes, page 460), the annexed request from the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity for authority to contract for better distribution along subway routes, at a cost not to exceed $26,275, without public letting, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed permission to be necessary, and for the best interests of the City. The reasons for same are fully set forth in the letter of request. Similar permission in practically the same cases has been heretofore granted and proven beneficial.

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

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity be and he is hereby authorized and empowered to enter into contracts, without public letting, for the betterment of the distribution system at certain points along the new subway route, to wit: Section 2, routes 4 and 38, West Broadway and Varick st., from Vesey to North Moore st.; Section 3, routes 4 and 38, Seventh ave. and Varick st., from Beach to Morton st.; Section 5, routes 4 and 38, Seventh ave., from 17th to 30th st.; Section 6, routes 4 and 38, Seventh ave., 30th to 43rd sts., in the Borough of Manhattan, and Section 15, route 5, 138th st., Mott ave. to Alexander ave., in the Borough of The Bronx, at a total cost not to exceed twenty-six thousand two hundred and seventy-five dollars ($26,275).

JOHN DIEMER, FRANK J. DOTZLER, JOHN KOCHENDORFER, FRANK T. DIXSON, WM. F. QUINN, LOUIS JACOBSON, JACOB WEIL, Committee on Public Letting.

City of New York, Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, May 26, 1914.

Hon. GEORGE McANENY, President, Board of Aldermen, City Hall:

Sir—In connection with the subway work now being done by the Public Service Commission on the W. Broadway, Varick st., 7th avenue route, and on 138th st. at 3d and Lexington aves, it is found that it will be possible to make arrangements with several of the contractors to do considerable work for the betterment of the distribution system at an appreciable saving to the City. As it will be necessary to do this work in any event within the next two or three years, it is manifest that it will be distinctly to the City's interests to do it at this time, in order that the expense of excavation and repaving of the streets may be obviated and the attendant discomfort to the citizens arising from an additional upturning of the streets may be avoided.

Contracts for work at the following points can be made now to great advantage:

Section 2, Routes 4 and 38, W. Broadway and Varick st., from Vesey to N. Moore st. The Degnon Contracting Company, 30 E. 42d st., will do this work as shown on Plan M. B. 263, File C, with exceptions noted at Reade and Franklin sts., for $4,000.00.

Section 3, Routes 4 and 38, 7th ave. and Varick st., from Beach to Morton st. The Degnon Contracting Company will do the work as shown on Plan M. B. 264, File C, for $6,500.00.

Section 5, Routes 4 and 38, 7th ave., from 17th to 30th sts. The United States Realty & Improvement Company, 111 Broadway, will do the work as shown on Plan M. B. 466, File C, for $6,900.00.

Section 6, Routes 4 and 38, 7th ave., 30th to 43d sts. The Rapid Transit Subway Construction Company, 165 Broadway, will do the work as shown on Plan M. B. 467, File C, for $6,000.00.

Section 15, Route 5, 138th st., Mott ave. to Alexander ave. Messrs. Rodgers & Haggerty, 152d st. and Harlem River, Bronx, will do the work as shown on Plans M. B. 516 and 524, File D, for $2,875.00.

I append a table showing the cost of the above work if done by the various contractors at this time with a comparison of cost if done in the ordinary course of events by this Department by contract and the resultant saving to the City.

Contractor.	Contractor's Price.	Estimated Cost by Department Contract.	Saving.
Degnon Contracting Co.....	$4,000 00	$7,566 25	$3,566 25
Degnon Contracting Co.....	6,500 00	10,413 25	3,913 25
U. S. Realty & Imp. Co.....	6,900 00	10,756 00	3,856 00
Rapid Transit Sub. Con. Co.....	6,000 00	9,281 25	3,281 25
Rodgers & Haggerty.....	2,875 00	4,283 00	1,408 00
	$26,275 00	$42,299 75	$16,024 75

It is requested, therefore, that you allow the Department to expend for the above purpose the sum of $26,275.00 without the formality of public letting, and to this end I ask that you kindly present the matter to your honorable Board at its next meeting.

Yours truly, A. W. BOORAEM, Deputy and Acting Commissioner.

Which was laid over.

No. 726—(S. O. No. 81).

The Committee on Public Letting to which was referred on June 9, 1914, (Minutes, page 541), the annexed request from the President of the Borough of The Bronx for authority to purchase an automobile without public letting, at a cost not to exceed $2,200, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed permission to be advisable. It has been found impossible by departments to draw specifications for automobiles and as in this case a particular make is desired no reason exists for advertising.

The reasons stated by the Borough President have convinced the Committee that this request is a proper one, and it therefore recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That, in pursuance to the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the President of the Borough of The Bronx be and he is hereby authorized and empowered to purchase, in the open market without public letting, one seven-passenger automobile, fully equipped, at a cost not to exceed twenty-two hundred dollars ($2,200).

JOHN DIEMER, FRANK J. DOTZLER, JOHN KOCHENDORFER, FRANK T. DIXSON, WILLIAM F. QUINN, LOUIS JACOBSON, JACOB WEIL, Committee on Public Letting.

Which was laid over.

Report of Committee on Public Thoroughfares—

No. 556—(G. O. No. 370).

The Committee on Public Thoroughfares to which was referred on April 28, 1914, (Minutes, page 177), a communication from the Commissioner of Bridges transmitting copies of plans of elevators from Blackwell's Island to Queensboro Bridge, respectfully

REPORTS:

That this matter requires no further consideration.

It, therefore, recommends that the paper be ordered on file.

DANIEL M. BEDELL, FRANK DOSTAL, Jr., JOHN H. BOSCHEN, FREDERICK H. WILMOT, EDWARD H. TAYLOR, FRANK MULLEN, JESSE D. MOORE, Committee on Public Thoroughfares.

Which was laid over.

Reports of Committee on Salaries and Offices—

No. 733—(G. O. No. 371).

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to which was referred on June 9, 1914, (Minutes, page 547), the annexed resolution in favor of establishing grades of Clerks at $600 and $750 per annum, in the Department of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn, respectfully

REPORTS:

That these grades are established for the purposes of initial appointment and first promotion, the lowest grade of Clerk heretofore existing in said Department being at the rate of $900 per annum.

The Committee recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted the following resolution at a stated meeting held June 5, 1914.

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

Title.	Rate Per Annum.	Number of Incumbents.
Clerk	$750 00	Unlimited
Clerk	600 00	Unlimited

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

OSCAR IGSTAEDTER, JACOB WEIL, DANIEL M. BEDELL, EDWARD B. VALENTINE, FRANK DOSTAL, Jr., ANTHONY J. McNALLY, HYMAN POUKER, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

Which was laid over.

No. 736—(G. O. No. 372).

The Committee on Salaries and Offices to which was referred on June 9, 1914, (Minutes, page 550), the annexed resolution in favor of establishing grade of Stenographer and Typewriter, Department of Finance at $1,200 per annum, respectfully

REPORTS:

That the Comptroller appeared before the Committee and stated that this grade was needed to provide for certain changes contemplated in the force of the Department of Finance, and that the money for same was available.

The Committee recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted the following resolution at a stated meeting held June 5, 1914.

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

Title.	Rate Per Annum.	Number of Incumbents.
Stenographer and Typewriter.....	$1,200 00	4

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

OSCAR IGSTAEDTER, JACOB WEIL, DANIEL M. BEDELL, EDWARD B. VALENTINE, FRANK DOSTAL, Jr., ANTHONY J. McNALLY, HYMAN POUKER, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

Which was laid over.

No. 778—(G. O. No. 373).

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to which was referred on June 16, 1914 (Minutes, page 700), the annexed resolution in favor of appointing Robert C. Kief a City Surveyor, respectfully

REPORTS:

That this applicant, having satisfied the Committee of his fitness for the position, it, therefore, recommends that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That Robert P. Kief, of 1885 Morris ave., in the Borough of The Bronx, be and he is hereby appointed a City Surveyor.

OSCAR IGSTAEDTER, JACOB WEIL, D. M. BEDELL, EDWARD B. VALENTINE, FRANK DOSTAL, JR., ANTHONY J. McNALLY, HYMAN POUKER, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

Which was laid over.

No. 808—(G. O. No. 374).

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to which was referred on June 23, 1914 (Minutes, page 804), the annexed ordinance in favor of amending an ordinance in relation to vacations for employees of The City of New York, respectfully

REPORTS:

That it refers to the attached letter from the Commissioner of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn, as its justification for favoring this proposed amendment, and it recommends that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE to Amend "An Ordinance in Relation to Vacations for Employees of The City of New York."

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

Section 1. The ordinance entitled "An Ordinance in relation to vacations for employees of The City of New York," adopted June 2, 1914, and approved June 6, 1914, is hereby amended to read as follows:

AN ORDINANCE in relation to vacations for employees of The City of New York.

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

Section I. The executive heads of the various departments and bureaus thereof of The City of New York, including the Department of Education, shall grant to every employee of The City of New York, for whom provision is made for continuous or yearly service, a vacation of not less than two calendar weeks in each year; provided, however, that if an employee described in this section has been less than one year in the City service, it shall be within the discretion of the executive head of the department or bureau where he is employed to grant the vacation provided by this section.

Section II. Such vacation, except as provided by Section III hereof, may be extended for such period of time as the duties, length of service, and other qualifications of any employee may warrant.

Section III. A vacation shall be granted during the months of June, July, August and September to each per diem employee who has been in the City service for at least one year prior to each June 1st, and during said year has actually worked for a period of at least 150 days in the aggregate, and who shall waive all claims to any rights or privileges under Chapter 121, Laws of 1913. Said vacation shall consist of one day for each 25 days that said employee has actually worked during the said year. This section shall not apply to per diem employees who are engaged to furnish professional or expert service at a per diem rate.

The provision, however, restricting vacation periods to the months of June, July, August and September shall not apply to the Department of Parks.

Section IV. The heads of the various departments and bureaus may fix the time when said vacations shall be given, except that per diem employees shall only be given vacations during the months of June, July, August and September.

Section V. For all vacations granted under this ordinance the same compensation shall be allowed as if the recipient were actually employed.

Section VI. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Sec. 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Note—New matter in *italics*.

OSCAR IGSTAEDTER, JACOB WEIL, D. M. BEDELL, EDWARD B. VALENTINE, FRANK DOSTAL, JR., ANTHONY J. McNALLY, HYMAN POUKER, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

Department of Parks, Litchfield Mansion, Prospect Park, Borough of Brooklyn, New York City, June 26, 1914.

Committee on Salaries and Offices, Board of Aldermen, City Hall, New York City:

Gentlemen—My attention has been called to a proposed ordinance which was introduced this week and referred to your Committee. I believe the number is 809. It provides that the Park Department shall not be affected by the restriction limiting vacation periods of per diem employees to the months of June, July, August and September.

At the last session of the Legislature I had a bill introduced taking this restriction out of the State law. This had the approval of the other Park Commissioners and of the Mayor. The object is obvious. The busiest season in the Park Department is during the summer months and it is sometimes very inconvenient to give all vacations just at these periods. Playground attendants, for instance, are on the per diem basis. During July and August when school is closed the playgrounds swarm with children all day long. It demoralizes our organization to be obliged to give a great many vacations in these two months. We do not propose, if the act goes through, to do anything very radical. It merely allows our vacation periods to be spread out over a somewhat longer time.

Very truly yours, RAYMOND V. INGERSOLL, Commissioner.

Which was laid over.

No. 809 (G. O. No. 375).

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to which was referred on June 23, 1914 (Minutes, page 805), the annexed resolution in favor of granting leaves of absence to United Spanish-American War Veterans in City employ to attend a National Encampment, respectfully

REPORTS:

That it is informed that it is customary to grant this privilege on such occasions, and it is assured that no abuse of such permission has resulted in the past.

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

Whereas, A number of officials and employees of The City of New York, who gave their service to the nation in the war with Spain and the incident Philippine insurrection, are affiliated with the United Spanish War Veterans, an organization devoted to the encouragement of patriotic principles, national honor and support of government; and

Whereas, The Eleventh National Encampment will be held at Louisville, Kentucky, on August 31st, September 1st, 2d and 3d; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the heads of all departments and bureaus of The City of New York be directed to grant leave of absence with pay from August 30th to September 4th, inclusive, to all members of said organization who desire to attend said Encampment; provided, however, that satisfactory proof of such attendance shall be furnished to the head of department or bureau, as the case may be, and if required; and be it further

Resolved, That his Honor John Purroy Mitchel, Mayor, be and hereby is respectfully requested to approve this resolution.

OSCAR IGSTAEDTER, JACOB WEIL, D. M. BEDELL, EDWARD B. VALENTINE, FRANK DOSTAL, JR., ANTHONY J. McNALLY, HYMAN POUKER, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

Which was laid over.

Report of Committee on Markets—

No. 794—(G. O. No. 376).

The Committee on Markets, to which was referred on June 23, 1914 (Minutes, page 713), the annexed communication from the President of the Borough of The Bronx in relation to the establishment of a "Farmers' Market" in said borough, respectfully

REPORTS:

That it made an inspection of this proposed market site and the surrounding locality, and agrees with the Borough President that this is an excellent location for such a public convenience.

It therefore recommends that the accompanying ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE establishing a "Farmers' Market" in the Borough of The Bronx.

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

Section 1. The plot of ground approximately two hundred feet square, bounded by the Southern Boulevard, Willis ave. and 132nd st., in the Borough of The Bronx, be and the same is hereby set aside and apart for and declared to be a "Farmers' Market," subject to such rules and regulations concerning fees, the hours of doing business and the general management of said market as may be made by the Comptroller of The City of New York.

Sec. 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

HYMAN POUKER, WILLIAM D. BRUSH, FRANK DOSTAL, JR., EDWARD B. VALENTINE, ABRAHAM M. LEVY, FREDERICK TRAU, Committee on Markets.

City of New York, President of the Borough of The Bronx, 3d Ave. and 177th St., Office of the President, June 23, 1914.

Hon. GEORGE McANENY, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—I have given the matter of the establishment of markets in this Borough considerable thought during the five months of my tenure of office and am convinced that it will be wise to establish what I would term a "farmers' market" on a plot of ground approximately 200 feet square, bounded by Southern boulevard, Willis ave. and 132d st., which has not yet been opened. This plot of ground is part of the area acquired for the use of the approach to the Willis Avenue Bridge, part of which was turned over to the Park Department as a playground in December, 1911.

I have taken up this matter with the Park Commissioner, who has stated that, in his opinion, this plot is not satisfactorily situated for a playground, in view of the fact that there are so few children in the neighborhood. No work whatever has been done by the Park Department toward developing this plot as a playground or park.

The question of transferring jurisdiction over the part under the jurisdiction of the Bridge Department under the east approach to the Willis Avenue Bridge has been discussed with them and they have denoted their willingness to have it assigned to this office for the purpose above mentioned.

This location is on the direct line of travel now taken by farmers from Westchester and the surrounding country going to the Harlem Market, as well as convenient for Long Island farmers crossing on either the Clason Point ferry or the 96th Street ferry. It is also most conveniently located for merchants from this Borough on their way to the Harlem Market and to the railroad yards in this vicinity.

I therefore request the honorable Board to pass a resolution designating the plot of ground approximately 200 square feet, bounded by Southern boulevard, Willis ave. and 132d st., as a market site.

Very truly yours, DOUGLAS MATHEWSON, President of the Borough of The Bronx.

Which was laid over.

Report of Committee on Pensions—

Nos. 371, 591 and 715—(G. O. No. 377).

The Committee on Pensions, to which was referred on March 10, May 19 and June 23, 1914 (Minutes, pages 861, 354 and 715), certain papers known as Introductory Nos. 371, 591 and 797, respectfully

REPORTS:

That No. 371 has been withdrawn by the introducer. No. 591, urging a Charter amendment in relation to grants to beneficiaries of policemen and firemen, is not within the province of the powers of the Board. No. 797, in relation to pensions for federal employees, is not a matter on which this Board should take action until the policy of the city towards its employees is settled.

It therefore recommends that the said documents be ordered on file.

JOHN H. BOSCHEN, ABRAHAM M. LEVY, FRANK MULLEN, HENRY OTTES, W. F. QUINN, EDWARD B. VALENTINE, Committee on Pensions.

Which was laid over.

GENERAL ORDERS.

No. 331—Int. No. 757.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on June 16, 1914 (Minutes, page 621), the annexed petition of the widow of the late Judge Bischoff for his salary to expiration of term of office, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes that this power rests only with the State Legislature.

It therefore recommends that the said paper be ordered on file.

HENRY H. CURRAN, FRANK J. DOTZLER, JOHN DIEMER, F. H. STEVENSON, JESSE D. MOORE, F. H. WILMOT, C. AUGUSTUS POST, D. M. BEDELL, JOHN S. GAYNOR, FRANCIS P. KENNEY, Committee on Finance.

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

The petition of Elizabeth Bischoff respectfully shows: Your petitioner is the widow of the late Henry Bischoff, who was a Justice of the Supreme Court for many years past, and whose last term of office would have expired on December 31, 1917, had he lived.

Justice Bischoff died on the 28th day of March, 1913, while in the active discharge of his judicial duties, by being killed in an accidental manner in the elevator in No. 51 Chambers st., Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, where the City of New York had provided for him his judicial chambers. Justice Bischoff on the 28th day of March, 1913, and for some time prior thereto, had been sitting as a Justice in Special Term, Part 2, and had on that day signed an order in a case then pending before him, and proceeded on that day, with the order in his pocket, across to his chambers in No. 51 Chambers st., to have the same entered in his personal docket, and then in the regular way, transmitted by his clerk to the files of the court for entry.

Justice Bischoff at that time was sixty-one years old, in perfectly good health, and had been for some time. He always devoted his entire time to his judicial duties, including the vacation months. He carried no life insurance for the benefit of your petitioner, and your petitioner is informed that there will be nothing left for her owing to litigation and claims, in which your petitioner takes no part, and is not an executrix under his will. Your petitioner has received nothing from his estate.

Your petitioner is informed that the County of New York paid toward the salary of Judge Bischoff the sum of $7,500 yearly, which is the proportion the County is obliged to pay according to law.

Justice Bischoff was paid his salary to March 1, 1913, and that to April 1, 1913, was paid to his executors. Your petitioner has received nothing from the County of New York, and cannot, unless the City is directed by your honorable body to audit and allow your petitioner the amount of the salary which would have been paid to your petitioner's husband as Justice of the Supreme Court from April 1, 1913, to December 31, 1913, had he not been killed as aforesaid.

In view of the long and faithful services which your petitioner's deceased husband has rendered the State and the County, and in view of the facts and circumstances herein set forth, and that Justice Bischoff's term would not have expired until January 1, 1918, had he lived, your petitioner respectfully and earnestly prays that you direct the authorities of The City of New York to audit and allow and pay your petitioner, as such widow, the sum of $5,625, which is the amount of salary her deceased husband would have received had he lived to December 31, 1913.

And your petitioner will ever pray.

Dated, New York, May 15th, 1914.

ELIZABETH BISCHOFF, Petitioner.

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

Elizabeth Bischoff, being duly sworn, says that she is the petitioner named in the foregoing instrument; that she has read the foregoing instrument and knows the contents thereof; that the same is true to her own knowledge, except as to the matters therein stated to be alleged on information and belief and that as to those matters she believes it to be true. ELIZABETH BISCHOFF.

Sworn to before me this 15th day of May, 1914. HENRY J. WEHLE.

Which report was accepted.

No. 332—Int. No. 765.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on June 16, 1914 (Minutes, page 629), the annexed request from the Board of Education for $5,000 special revenue bonds for auto repair shop at vocational boys' school, respectfully

REPORTS:

That inasmuch as no supporting data of any description accompanied this request it recommends that the said paper be ordered on file.

HENRY H. CURRAN, FRANK J. DOTZLER, JOHN DIEMER, F. H. STEVENSON, JESSE D. MOORE, F. H. WILMOT, C. AUGUSTUS POST, D. M. BEDELL, JOHN S. GAYNOR, FRANCIS P. KENNEY, Committee on Finance.

Board of Education, Park Ave. and 59th St., New York, June 11, 1914.

Hon. GEORGE McANENY, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—I have the honor to transmit herewith a certified copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Education at a meeting held on June 10, 1914, requesting the Board of Aldermen to adopt a resolution requesting the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to authorize the issue of special revenue bonds to the amount of $5,000, pursuant to the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Revised Charter, to be applied to defraying the cost of the necessary materials for erecting an automobile repair shop on land to be leased adjacent to the Vocational School for Boys. Respectfully yours,

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

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen be and it is hereby respectfully requested to adopt a resolution requesting the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to authorize the issue of special revenue bonds to the amount of five thousand dollars ($5,000), pursuant to the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Revised Charter, said sum to be applied to defraying the cost of the necessary materials for erecting an automobile repair shop on land to be leased adjacent to the Vocational School for Boys, which work is to be done by the pupils of said school; and that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby respectfully requested to authorize such issue upon the request of the Board of Aldermen.

A true copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Education on June 10, 1914.

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

Which, on motion of Alderman Curran, was recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

No. 333—Int. No. 768.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on June 16, 1914 (Minutes, page 630), the annexed resolution in favor of an issue of $9,907.50 corporate stock for surveys, etc., for Bronx Parkway Commission, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed appropriation to be necessary. This is a mandatory item.

The Committee recommends that the accompanying ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of corporate stock of The City of New York in an amount not exceeding nine thousand nine hundred and seven dollars and fifty cents ($9,907.50), to provide means for surveys, maps and improvements for the Bronx Parkway Commission.

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

Section 1. The Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution, adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment June 12, 1914, and authorizes the Comptroller to issue corporate stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 594 of the Laws of 1907, as amended, hereby approves of the issue of corporate stock of The City of New York in an amount not exceeding nine thousand nine hundred and seven dollars and fifty cents ($9,907.50), to provide means for surveys, maps and improvements for the Bronx Parkway Commission, 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.

HENRY H. CURRAN, FRANK J. DOTZLER, JOHN DIEMER, F. H. STEVENSON, JESSE D. MOORE, F. H. WILMOT, C. AUGUSTUS POST, D. M. BEDELL, JOHN S. GAYNOR, FRANCIS P. KENNEY, Committee on Finance.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to adopt said ordinance.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bartscherer, Bedell, Benninger, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Carroll, Chorosh, Cunningham, Curran, Delaney, Dixson, Donnelly, Dostal, Dotzler, Dowling, Dujat, Eichhorn, Ferguson, Ferrand, Eagan, Gaynor, Hamilton, Hogan, Igstaedter, Jacobson, Kenney, Kochendorfer, Levy, McCourt, McGarry, McNally, Moore (Chas. J.), Moore (Jesse D.), Moran, Mullen (Frank), Mullen (Jas. F.), Nugent, O'Rourke, Pendry, Post, Quinn, Rosenblum, Schweickert, Squiers, Stapleton, Stevenson, Taylor, Trau, Valentine, Weil, Wilmot; President McCormack, by Lewis Nixon, Commissioner of Public Works; President Connolly, by James A. Dayton, Commissioner of Public Works; President Mathewson, by John G. Borgstede, Commissioner of Public Works; President Pounds; President Marks, by E. V. Frothingham, Commissioner of Public Works; the Vice-Chairman, the President—59.

No. 334—Int. No. 769.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on June 16, 1914 (Minutes, page 633), the annexed resolution in favor of an issue of $23,000 corporate stock for 15-inch pipe sewer from Central Park West and 101st st. to sewer at Lenox ave. and Cathedral parkway, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed improvement to be necessary, as it will remedy a condition now existing much to the annoyance of residents of and visitors to this neighborhood.

It therefore recommends that the accompanying ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE providing for an issue of corporate stock of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding twenty-three thousand dollars ($23,000), to provide means for the construction of a fifteen-inch pipe sewer in the vicinity of Central Park West and 101st st., under the jurisdiction of the Commissioner of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond.

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

Section 1. The Board of Aldermen hereby approves of and concurs in the following resolution, adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment June 12, 1914, and authorizes the Comptroller to issue corporate stock of The City of New York to the amount and for the purposes therein specified:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to the provisions of section 47 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, hereby approves of the issue of corporate stock of The City of New York to an amount not exceeding twenty-three thousand dollars ($23,000) to provide means for the construction of a fifteen-inch pipe sewer from the water course in the vicinity of Central Park West and 101st street to the City sewer at Lenox avenue and Cathedral Parkway, under the jurisdiction of the Commissioner of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, and 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.

Provided, however, that no part of the proceeds of the corporate stock herein authorized shall be available until after the Board of Estimate has approved forms of contracts, plans, specifications and estimates of cost pertaining to the same, and that no part of such proceeds shall be used for the payment of fees of any architect, engineer or expert until after a contract with such architect, engineer or expert has been approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and that no part of the proceeds of corporate stock herein authorized shall be used for payment of any salary or wage of departmental employees, except after approval by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and in accordance with the schedules to be adopted by said Board; and be it further

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, is directed to submit to this Board for its approval forms of contract, plans, specifictions and estimates of cost, prior to advertising for bids for work chargeable to the proceeds of the corporate stock herein authorized and said Commissioner is also directed to submit to this Board for its approval all preliminary and final agreements with an architect or architects, engineer or engineers, expert or experts, whenever such agreements or contracts are chargeable against corporate stock herein authorized.

HENRY H. CURRAN, FRANK J. DOTZLER, JOHN DIEMER, F. H. STEVENSON, JESSE D. MOORE, F. H. WILMOT, C. AUGUSTUS POST, D. M. BEDELL, JOHN S. GAYNOR, FRANCIS P. KENNEY, Committee on Finance.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bartscherer, Bedell, Benninger, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Carroll, Chorosh, Cunningham, Curran, Delaney, Dixson, Donnelly, Dostal, Dotzler, Dowling, Dujat, Eichhorn, Ferguson, Ferrand, Eagan, Gaynor, Hamilton, Hogan, Igstaedter, Jacobson, Kenney, Kochendorfer, Levy, McCourt, McGarry, McNally, Moore (Chas. J.), Moore (Jesse D.), Moran, Mullen (Frank), Mullen (Jas. F.), Nugent, O'Rourke, Pendry, Post, Quinn, Rosenblum, Schweickert, Squiers, Stapleton, Stevenson, Taylor, Trau, Valentine, Weil, Wilmot; President McCormack, by Lewis Nixon, Commissioner of Public Works; President Connolly, by James A. Dayton, Commissioner of Public Works; President Mathewson, by John G. Borgstede, Commissioner of Public Works; President Pounds; President Marks, by E. V. Frothingham, Commissioner of Public Works; the Vice-Chairman, the President—59.

No. 335—Int. No. 770.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on June 16, 1914 (Minutes, page 634), the annexed resolution in favor of amending an issue of $270,500 corporate stock for school site and buildings in Brooklyn, respectfully,

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed amendment to be necessary to pay in full for the cost of construction and equipment of School No. 176, Brooklyn.

It recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby approves and concurs in the following amended resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment at a stated meeting held June 12, 1914.

Resolved, That, subject to concurrence herewith by the Board of Aldermen, the following resolution, adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment March 13, 1914, and approved by the Board of Aldermen March 31, 1914:

"Resolved, That, subject to concurrence herewith by the Board of Aldermen, the following resolution, adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment July 17, 1911, and approved by the Board of Aldermen July 25, 1911:

"'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 and ninety thousand five hundred and twenty dollars ($290,520), to provide means for the construction and equipment of a public school building on a site to be acquired to the east and south of 12th avenue, 64th and 65th streets, Borough of Brooklyn, 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 amended to make the amount authorized two hundred seventy thousand five hundred dollars ($270,500)";

—be amended to make the amount authorized two hundred seventy-six thousand seven hundred dollars ($276,700).

HENRY H. CURRAN, FRANK J. DOTZLER, JOHN DIEMER, F. H. STEVENSON, JESSE D. MOORE, F. H. WILMOT, C. AUGUSTUS POST, D. M. BEDELL, JOHN S. GAYNOR, FRANCIS P. KENNY, Committee on Finance.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bartscherer, Bedell, Benninger, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Carroll, Chorosh, Cunningham, Curran, Delaney, Dixson, Donnelly, Dostal, Dotzler, Dowling, Dujat, Eichhorn, Ferguson, Ferrand, Eagan, Gaynor, Hamilton, Hogan, Igstaedter, Jacobson, Kenney, Kochendorfer, Levy, McCourt, McGarry, McNally, Moore (Chas. J.), Moore (Jesse D.), Moran, Mullen (Frank), Mullen (Jas. F.), Nugent, O'Rourke, Pendry, Post, Quinn, Rosenblum, Schweickert, Squiers, Stapleton, Stevenson, Taylor, Trau, Valentine, Weil, Wilmot; President McCormack, by Lewis Nixon, Commissioner of Public Works; President Connolly, by James A. Dayton, Commissioner of Public Works; President Mathewson, by John G. Borgstede, Commissioner of Public Works; President Pounds; President Marks, by E. V. Frothingham, Commissioner of Public Works; the Vice-Chairman, the President—59.

No. 337—Int. Nos. 237 and 443.

The Committee on General Welfare, to which was referred on May 19, 1914 (Minutes, page 369), proposed ordinance known as Introductory Nos. 237 and 243, respectfully

REPORTS:

That this proposed ordinance relating to licensing coin operating machines is to be replaced by another to be hereafter introduced and, consequently, requires no further consideration.

The Committee recommends that the said paper be ordered on file.

WILLIAM D. BRUSH, HYMAN POUKER, ARNON L. SQUIERS, LAUREN CARROLL, W. H. PENDRY, OSCAR IGSTAEDTER, Committee on General Welfare.

Which report was accepted.

No. 338—Int. Nos. 322 and 773.

The Committee on General Welfare, to which was referred on February 24, 1914 (Minutes, page 689), a proposed ordinance relative to the removal of telegraph and other poles, respectfully

REPORTS:

That having received an opinion from the Corporation Counsel as to the power of the Board (see minutes of June 16, page 642), in which he advises the Committee that this ordinance would have no standing, it recommends that the said papers be ordered on file.

WILLIAM D. BRUSH, HYMAN POUKER, ARNON L. SQUIERS, LAUREN CARROLL, W. H. PENDRY, OSCAR IGSTAEDTER, Committee on General Welfare.

Which report was accepted.

No. 339—Int. No. 755.

The Committee on General Welfare, to which was referred on June 9, 1914 (Minutes, page 619), a proposed ordinance known as Introductory No. 755, respectfully

REPORTS:

That this proposed ordinance regulating the use of aisles and passageways in theatres, has been replaced by a new proposition, and requires no further consideration.

It therefore recommends that the said paper be ordered on file.

WILLIAM D. BRUSH, HYMAN POUKER, ARNON L. SQUIERS, LAUREN CARROLL, WM. H. PENDRY, OSCAR IGSTAEDTER, Committee on General Welfare.

Which report was accepted.

No. 340—Int. Nos. 740 and 747.

The Committee on Public Thoroughfares, to which was referred on June 9, 1914 (Minutes, pages 595 and 600), certain documents known as Introductory Nos. 740 and 747, respectfully

REPORTS:

That changes in names of parks and in street numbers must be made between December and May, and it therefore recommends that the said papers be ordered on file.

D. M. BEDELL, EDWARD H. TAYLOR, JESSE D. MOORE, MICHAEL J. HOGAN, FRANK MULLEN, FRANK DOTZLER, Jr., F. H. WILMOT, JOHN H. BOSCHEN, Committee on Public Thoroughfares.

Which report was accepted.

No. 342—Int. No. 645.

The Committee on Public Thoroughfares, to which was referred on May 19, 1914 (Minutes, page 379), the annexed resolution in favor of authorizing the American Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals to erect granite troughs for horses, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed troughs to be valuable additions to the present facilities for the care of horses, and recommends that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to The American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals to erect and place rectangular granite troughs for horses at the following points in the Borough of Manhattan, the said troughs to be paid for by the said American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, and to be of a design and pattern approved by the Art Commission of The City of New York. The said troughs to be erected under the supervision of the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, and the water therefor shall be supplied by the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity:

East River Park, north side of 86th st., 60 feet east of East End ave.

In the open square formed by the junction of West Broadway and Hudson st., Reade and Chambers sts., at a point 10 feet west of the westerly curb line of West Broadway and 48 feet south of the southerly curb line of Reade st.

Centre of Little W. 12th st., just east of 9th ave., opposite the elevated pillar in the centre of the square.

East side of Amsterdam ave., between 116th and 117th sts., 10 feet south of the fire hydrant.

East side of 3d ave., midway of the small park between 129th st. and the bridge.

North side of Frankfort st., east of and 12 feet from the electric light pole on the northeast corner of Frankfort and Rose sts.

D. M. BEDELL, EDWARD H. TAYLOR, JESSIE D. MOORE, MICHAEL J. HOGAN, FRANK MULLEN, FRANK DOSTAL, JR., F. H. WILMOT, JOHN H. BOSCHEN, Committee on Public Thoroughfares.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bartscherer, Bedell, Benninger, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Carroll, Chorosh, Cunningham, Curran, Delaney, Dixson, Donnelly, Dostal, Dotzler, Dowling, Dujat, Eichhorn, Ferguson, Ferrand, Eagan, Gaynor, Hamilton, Hogan, Igstaedter, Jacobson, Kenney, Kochendorfer, Levy, McCourt, McGarry, McNally, Moore (Chas. J.), Moore (Jesse D.), Moran, Mullen (Frank), Mullen (Jas. F.), Nugent, O'Rourke, Pendry, Post, Quinn, Rosenblum, Schweickert, Squiers, Stapleton, Stevenson, Taylor, Trau, Valentine, Weil, Wilmot; President McCormack, by Lewis Nixon, Commissioner of Public Works; President Connolly, by James A. Dayton, Commissioner of Public Works; President Mathewson, by John G. Borgstede, Commissioner of Public Works; President Pounds; President Marks, by E. V. Frothingham, Commissioner of Public Works; the Vice-Chairman, the President—59.

No. 347—Int. Nos. 680, 682 and 756.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to which was referred on May 26 and June 9, 1914 (Minutes, pages 458 and 619), the annexed resolution in favor of appointing certain City Surveyors, respectfully

REPORTS:

That it does not believe these applicants eligible for appointment at this time, and it therefore recommends that the said resolutions be ordered on file.

Resolved, That Walter Rugen, of 222 Covert st., in the Borough of Brooklyn, be and he is hereby appointed a City Surveyor.

Resolved, That Francis Juraschek, of No. 14 Islington place, Jamaica, Queens Borough, New York, be and he hereby is appointed a City Surveyor.

Resolved, That Edward J. Hughes, of 253 Lefferts ave., in the Borough of Brooklyn, be and he is hereby appointed a City Surveyor.

JACOB WEIL, EDWARD EICHHORN, FRANK DOSTAL, JR., ANTHONY J. McNALLY, D. M. BEDELL, EDWARD B. VALENTINE, OSCAR IGSTAEDTER, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

Which was accepted, Aldermen Dowling and Kenney voting in the negative.

No. 348—Int. No. 667.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to which was referred on May 26, 1914 (Minutes, page 400), the annexed resolution in favor of establishing grade of Draftsman at $1,050 in the office of the Register of New York County, respectfully

REPORTS:

That in order to properly copy old maps it is necesssary to obtain Draftsmen. There will, however, not be any addition to the office force, as it is proposed to drop two clerkships at $1,100 to provide for these new employees.

The Committee recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted the following resolution at a stated meeting held May 22, 1914:

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

Title.	Rate Per Annum.	Number of Incumbents.
Draftsman	$1,050 00	2

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

JACOB WEIL, EDWARD EICHHORN, FRANK DOSTAL, JR., ANTHONY J. McNALLY, D. M. BEDELL, EDWARD B. VALENTINE, OSCAR IGSTAEDTER, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bartscherer, Bedell, Benninger, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Carroll, Chorosh, Cunningham, Curran, Delaney, Dixson, Donnelly, Dostal, Dotzler, Dowling, Dujat, Eichhorn, Ferguson, Ferrand, Eagan, Gaynor, Hamilton, Hogan, Igstaedter, Jacobson, Kenney, Kochendorfer, Levy, McCourt, McGarry, McNally, Moore (Chas. J.), Moore (Jesse D.), Moran, Mullen (Frank), Mullen (Jas. F.), Nugent, O'Rourke, Pendry, Post, Quinn, Rosenblum, Schweickert, Squiers, Stapleton, Stevenson, Taylor, Trau, Valentine, Weil, Wilmot; President McCormack, by Lewis Nixon, Commissioner of Public Works; President Connolly, by James A. Dayton, Commissioner of Public Works; President Mathewson, by John G. Borgstede, Commissioner of Public Works; President Pounds; President Marks, by E. V. Frothingham, Commissioner of Public Works; the Vice-Chairman, the President—59.

No. 349—Int. No. 694.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to which was referred on June 2, 1914 (Minutes, page 466), the annexed resolution in favor of establishing grade of Stenographer and Typewriter at $420 per annum, respectfully

REPORTS:

That this is to be but a temporary establishment of a grade in order to pay the salary of an incumbent who has been employed during 1914 only, at this rate, it being understood that the grade is to be subsequently abolished, the Bureau of Standards having determined that the lowest grade for this class of work shall be $600 per annum. The Committee recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted the following resolution at a stated meeting held May 28, 1914:

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

Title.	Rate Per Annum.	Number of Incumbents.
Stenographer and Typewriter	$420 00	1

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

JACOB WEIL, EDWARD EICHHORN, FRANK DOSTAL, JR., ANTHONY J. McNALLY, D. M. BEDELL, EDWARD B. VALENTINE, OSCAR IGSTAEDTER, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bartscherer, Bedell, Benninger, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Carroll, Chorosh, Cunningham, Curran, Delaney, Dixson, Donnelly, Dostal, Dotzler, Dowling, Dujat, Eichhorn, Ferguson, Ferrand, Eagan, Gaynor, Hamilton, Hogan, Igstaedter, Jacobson, Kenney, Kochendorfer, Levy, McCourt, McGarry, McNally, Moore (Chas. J.), Moore (Jesse D.), Moran, Mullen (Frank), Mullen (Jas. F.), Nugent, O'Rourke, Pendry, Post, Quinn, Rosenblum, Schweickert, Squiers, Stapleton, Stevenson, Taylor, Trau, Valentine, Weil, Wilmot; President McCormack, by Lewis Nixon, Commissioner of Public Works; President Connolly, by James A. Dayton, Commissioner of Public Works; President Mathewson, by John G. Borgstede, Commissioner of Public Works; President Pounds; President Marks, by E. V. Frothingham, Commissioner of Public Works; the Vice-Chairman, the President—59.

No. 350—Int. No. 732.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to which was referred on June 9, 1914 (Minutes, page 545), the annexed resolution in favor of establishing certain grades in the Fire Department, respectfully

REPORTS:

That these grades are requested to enable the Fire Commissioner to carry out the provisions of chapter 495, Laws of 1914, which abolished the Municipal Explosives Commission, but allowed the Fire Commissioner to retain in service such members as he deemed advisable. This resolution keeps two of the four members of said Commission and substitutes an Engineer Inspector for the remaining two members.

The Committee recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted the following resolution at a stated meeting held June 5, 1914:

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 following grades of positions, in addition to those heretofore established:

Title and Rate of Compensation.	Number of Incumbents.
Consulting Engineer, $10 per day	1
Consulting Chemist, $10 per day	1
Engineer Inspector, $1,650 per annum	1

JACOB WEIL, EDWARD EICHHORN, FRANK DOSTAL, JR., ANTHONY J. McNALLY, D. M. BEDELL, EDWARD B. VALENTINE, OSCAR IGSTAEDTER, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bartscherer, Bedell, Benninger, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Carroll, Chorosh, Cunningham, Curran, Delaney, Dixson, Donnelly, Dostal, Dotzler, Dowling, Dujat, Eichhorn, Ferguson, Ferrand, Eagan, Gaynor, Hamilton, Hogan, Igstaedter, Jacobson, Kenney, Kochendorfer, Levy, McCourt, McGarry, McNally, Moore (Chas. J.), Moore (Jesse D.), Moran, Mullen (Frank), Mullen (Jas. F.), Nugent, O'Rourke, Pendry, Post, Quinn, Rosenblum, Schweickert, Squiers, Stapleton, Stevenson, Taylor, Trau, Valentine, Weil, Wilmot; President McCormack, by Lewis Nixon, Commissioner of Public Works; President Connolly, by James A. Dayton, Commissioner of Public Works; President Mathewson, by John G. Borgstede, Commissioner of Public Works; President Pounds; President Marks, by E. V. Frothingham, Commissioner of Public Works; the Vice-Chairman, the President—59.

No. 351—Int. No. 735.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to which was referred on June 9, 1914 (Minutes, page 548), the annexed resolution in favor of the establishment of certain grades under the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, respectfully

REPORTS:

That these grades are transferred from the Finance Department coincident with the establishment of a Committee on Education of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and the consequent shifting of duties to such bureau.

The Committee recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted the following resolution at a stated meeting held June 5, 1914:

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

Title.	Rate Per Annum.	Number of Incumbents.
Examiner or Accountant	$2,700 00	1
Examiner	1,800 00	2
Accountant	2,100 00	1
Clerk	1,050 00	1
Tabulating Machine Operator	900 00	1
Tabulating Machine Operator	780 00	2

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

JACOB WEIL, EDWARD EICHHORN, FRANK DOSTAL, JR., ANTHONY J. McNALLY, D. M. BEDELL, EDWARD B. VALENTINE, OSCAR IGSTAEDTER, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bartscherer, Bedell, Benninger, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Carroll, Chorosh, Cunningham, Curran, Delaney, Dixson, Donnelly, Dostal, Dotzler, Dowling, Dujat, Eichhorn, Ferguson, Ferrand, Eagan, Gaynor, Hamilton, Hogan, Igstaedter, Jacobson, Kenney, Kochendorfer, Levy, McCourt, McGarry, McNally, Moore (Chas. J.), Moore (Jesse D.), Moran, Mullen (Frank), Mullen (Jas. F.), Nugent, O'Rourke, Pendry, Post, Quinn, Rosenblum, Schweickert, Squiers, Stapleton, Stevenson, Taylor, Trau, Valentine, Weil, Wilmot; President McCormack, by Lewis Nixon, Commissioner of Public Works; President Connolly, by James A. Dayton, Commissioner of Public Works; President Mathewson, by John G. Borgstede, Commissioner of Public Works; President Pounds; President Marks, by E. V. Frothingham, Commissioner of Public Works; the Vice-Chairman, the President—59.

No. 353—Int. No. 771.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to whom was referred on June 16, 1914 (Minutes, page 635), the annexed resolution in favor of fixing compensation for certain Janitors, Department of Education, respectfully

REPORTS:

That these rates of compensation have been calculated on the usual measurement basis.

It therefore recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted the following resolution at a stated meeting held June 12, 1914:

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

Whereas, The Special Committee on Janitorial Compensation and the Committee on School Inquiry, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, submitted a joint report on March 27, 1913, which contained detailed suggestions and recommendations for the reorganization of the janitorial force of the Board of Eduaction; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to the provisions of section 56 of the Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen, pending action by the Board of Education on the aforesaid report, the compensation of Janitors in the Department of Education be fixed temporarily, and until further modified in accordance with the following list:

Janitor, Public School 83, Manhattan, per annum, less $299	$3,612 00
Janitor, Public School 52, Manhattan, for care of one portable building, per month	10 00
Janitor, new Public School 28, Brooklyn, per month	150 00
Janitor, Public School 30, Brooklyn, per annum, less $221	4,176 00
Janitress, Public School 99, Brooklyn, for care of two portable buildings, per annum	240 00
Janitor, Public School 98D, Manhattan, per annum, less $221	1,036 00
Janitor, Public School 45, The Bronx, per annum	4,344 00

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.

JACOB WEIL, EDWARD EICHHORN, FRANK DOSTAL, Jr., ANTHONY J. McNALLY, D. M. BEDELL, EDWARD B. VALENTINE, OSCAR IGSTAEDTER, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bartscherer, Bedell, Benninger, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Carroll, Chorosh, Cunningham, Curran, Delaney, Dixson, Donnelly, Dostal, Dotzler, Dowling, Dujat, Eichhorn, Ferguson, Ferrand, Eagan, Gaynor, Hamilton, Hogan, Igstaedter, Jacobson, Kenney, Kochendorfer, Levy, McCourt, McGarry, McNally, Moore (Chas. J.), Moore (Jesse D.), Moran, Mullen (Frank), Mullen (Jas. F.), Nugent, O'Rourke, Pendry, Post, Quinn, Rosenblum, Schweickert, Squiers, Stapleton, Stevenson, Taylor, Trau, Valentine, Weil, Wilmot; President McCormack, by Lewis Nixon, Commissioner of Public Works; President Connolly, by James A. Dayton, Commissioner of Public Works; President Mathewson, by John G. Borgstede, Commissioner of Public Works; President Pounds; President Marks, by E. V. Frothingham, Commissioner of Public Works; the Vice-Chairman, the President—59.

No. 354—Int. No. 798.

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

By Vice-Chairman Esterbrook—
Geo. D. Beasley, 187 Van Buren st., Brooklyn, New York.
Endorsed by George D. Gilmore and Marvin Robbins.
Samuel Lyons, 1644 Fulton st., Brooklyn, New York.
Endorsed by Francis F. Giles and Sam Stone.

By Aldermen Bartscherer—
Jacob Jung, Jr., 417 Stanhope st., Brooklyn, New York.
Endorsed by August C. Flanman and George B. Luenberg.

By Alderman Benninger—
Gustav Raphael, 33 N. Chase ave., Rockaway Beach, L. I.
Endorsed by John D. Quinlan and James H. Cross.
Michael J. McDonnell, 70 Clark ave., Far Rockaway, L. I.
Endorsed by A. Bell Malcomson and Charles MacSheson.
Charles Edward Schmidt, 708 Woodward ave., Brooklyn, L. I.
Endorsed by Henry Diemer and Fred Ross.
Maurice J. Fitzharris, 11 Roanoke ave., Far Rockaway, L. I.
Endorsed by John J. Michels and William A. Duncan.
Harry L. Spence, Chanler ave., Far Rockaway, L. I.
Endorsed by John J. Michels and William A. Duncan.
Max Koenig, 114 Foxall st., Long Island City.
Endorsed by John H. Gerold and William A. Moller.

By Alderman Boschen—
Hans P. Freece, 655 W. 177th st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by John J. Vanse and Geo. Aknovroch.
Chas. H. Aitken, 198th st. and Broadway, Manhattan.
Endorsed by David G. McConnell anl John F. Kayler.
John F. Holden, 448 W. 167th st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Steven B. Ayres and Jacob Weil.
Charles J. Schlesinger, 581 W. 161st st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by I. Van Leer and Jacob Isenberg.

By Alderman Bosse—
L. Noel Libby, 1330 52d st., Brookyln, N. Y.
Endorsed by F. F. Stern and Edw. Williamson.
Simon Fritz, 2150 84th st., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Philip Simon and Jos. J. Bernstein.
Joseph E. Burckhardt, 429 Neptune ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by John Straub, Jr., and Herman H. Michaelis.
Frederick Camelia, 189 Bay 11th st., Bath Beach, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Jerome Cerf and James F. Duhamel.
Philip G. Warner, 1234 Avenue U, Sheepshead Bay, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Peter H. Henckel and Gustav Rasmus.
William A. O'Connell, 1459 50th st., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Edward Balz and Joseph J. Timmes.
John R. McDonald, 305 E. 5th st., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Peter Beilman and Leo P. Johnson.

By Alderman Brush—
James J. Murray, 521 W. 122d st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Edward A. Kearney and John J. O'Hara.
Richard H. Harper, 520 W. 123d st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Robert L. Hall and P. B. Vermilyea.

By Alderman Burns—
Benjamin B. Freund, 51 Columbia st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Isidor Cohen and Henry S. Schimmet.

By Alderman Coleman—
Frederick J. Flynn, 3 Spencer place, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by James A. Nolan, Jr., and James F. Donnelly.

By Alderman Cunningham—
Dennis F. King, 46 Tompkins place, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by M. J. Cummings and Michael Ditore.
John P. Johnson, 90 Coffey st., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Frank J. Taylor and George Carmody.
William Gallagher, 428 Henry st., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by William A. Bergan and John P. Mullin.
A. H. Munkenbeck, 391 Clinton st., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Charles C. Wise and C. S. Aaron.

By Alderman Diemer—
Rebecca Ruth Hassin, 733 DeKalb ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Henry Schick and Simon Nosson.
Flora Groden, 268 Hart st., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Abraham Lachmann and Solomon Horowitz.

By Alderman Dixson—
Morris Joseph Reichek, 159 S. 2d st., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Morris I. Lewis and Isidore Rubinstein.

By Alderman Donnelly—
Anthony Sagona, 111 Thompson st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Theodore Palumbo and John Magrino.
Victor A. Fontana, 13 Downing st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by John F. McCourt and P. McCormack.

By Alderman Dostal, Jr.—
Morris Rosenberg, 229 1st ave., Manhattan.
Endorsed by F. L. Marshall and Morris Greenbaum.
Samuel Lipsig, 58 St. Marks place, Manhattan.
Endorsed by F. L. Marshall and Herman L. Schrader.
Marcus Stechler, 92 Avenue A, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Abraham Deutsch and Samuel Hochman.
Anna Steloff, 226 E. 14th st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Marcus L. But and Henry E. Jacobs.
John Christian Hurst, 422 E. 5th st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by George Oberst and Michael Gassmann.

By Alderman Dotzler—
Henry Steckler, 302 2d st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Albert Geisler and Sam Speding.
Sol Remer, 118 Avenue C, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Louis Frant and Abraham Frank.
Matilda Sackler, 2 Avenue A, Manhattan.
Endorsed by David Scheinhorn and Henry I. Sackler.

By Alderman Gaynor—
Jacob Goldberg, 283 S. 4th st., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Lester M. Friedman and Harry Block.
Thomas W. Christy, 308 S. 5th st., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Geo. W. Brown and Floyd J. Adams.

By Alderman Hamilton—
John D. Hallock, 1921 Davidson ave., Bronx, N. Y.
Endorsed by Charles P. Hallock and John Clemons.
Edgar V. R. Ketchum, 1652 University ave. Bronx, N. Y.
Endorsed by Geo. B. Morell and Francis P. Kenney.

By Alderman Igstaedter—
Augustus J. Dick, 301 W. 129th st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Geo. E. Wilsen and Walter E. Hegeman.
John W. Briarly, 261 W. 136th st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Samuel Marx and Harry C. Jaffy.

By Alderman Jacobson—
Joseph Rosenfeld, 151 Forsyth st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Samuel Cohen and K. Nadlor.
Nathan J. Feinberg, 60 Essex st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by William Kronenberg and Eugene Kronenberg.
Solomon Paschell, 145 Ludlow st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Morris Packer and Aaron Singer.
Julius J. Seidman, 135 E. Broadway, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Joseph H. Rabinowitz and Louis Scherer.
Abraham Diamond, 275 Broome st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Samuel Scherhner and Max Becker.

By Alderman Kochendorfer—
Ethel Bloch, 17 Poplar st., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by G. H. Alexander and John McAulay.

By Alderman Lein—
Felix Antonacchio, 157 E. 31st st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Herbert S. Brussel and David L. Feeltz.

By Alderman McNally—
Martin Gollubier, 906 Bryant ave., Bronx, N. Y.
Endorsed by Meyer G. Lerkin and Harry Robitzek.

By Alderman Molen—
Michael Samuels, 541 Court st., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Richard E. Addy and Jas. M. Peake.

By Alderman Charles J. Moore—
Harry A. Mandeville, 55 Jerome st., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Henry Kappes and W. R. Grierson.

By Alderman Jesse D. Moore—
Louis J. Perasso, 103 Conselyea st., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Benjamin Jacobson and Bernard M. Caplan.

By Alderman Frank Mullen—
Jacob Springer, 2492 7th ave., Manhattan.
Endorsed by John A. Renlein and Louis Greenwald.
Harry Harrison, 159 Edgecombe ave., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Emile M. Loverman and C. Kurzmann.
Lewis H. Berg, 111 W. 143d st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Frank E. Mullen and Charles Wolf.

By Alderman James F. Mullen—
Bertha Weiss, 117 E. 101st st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Samuel L. Weyl and Emanuel Euchengreen.
Patrick J. Morrissey, 1507 Lexington ave., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Richard J. Kelly and Theo. A. Blackman.

By Alderman Nugent—
John Edward Duffy, 231 E. 18th st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Geo. A. Coonel and Morgan M. O'Brien.

By Alderman Quinn—
William J. Smith, 219 W. 67th st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Henry W. Foote and Lloyd Paul Stafner.

By Alderman Reardon—
Bernard Braun, 305 E. 79th st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Frank F. Bergenfeld and Abraham Brill.
Edward F. Condon, 1187 Lexington ave., Manhattan.
Endorsed by O. C. Nauman and Robert C. Meyer.

By Alderman Robitzek—
John J. O'Brien, 889 Cauldwell ave., The Bronx, N. Y.
Endorsed by Daniel J. Carr and Robert Vollbracht.
Isador Silver, 3194 3d ave., The Bronx, N. Y.
Endorsed by Saul Joseph and J. Newman.
Joseph B. Lord, 1236 Fulton ave., The Bronx, N. Y.
Endorsed by Thomas J. O'Brien and Edw. J. Atkinson.

By Alderman Spencer—
Meyer Libien, 886 8th ave., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Louis F. G. Wall and Max Zaliels.

By Alderman Squiers—
Charles H. Pulis, 688 E. 22d st., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Laurus E. Sutton and M. S. McNamara.
Chesbrough Sylvester Otis, Jr., 15 Fairview place, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by John W. Walsh and John E. Hicking.
Douglas McKee, 109 Sterling st., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by F. H. Frohwetter and C. S. Wright.
Dennis M. McCarthy, 881 Flatbush ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Frank E. Foster and Ralph Gillette.
James Jules Kegreisz, 799 Eastern parkway, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Chas. H. Schwing and W. C. Brass.

By Alderman Stevenson—
Royal A. Curtis, 46 St. Johns place, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by John Drennen and Leo F. Walsh.
Anna G. Knapp, 843 Carroll st., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by James T. Ackerman and James H. Cross.

By Alderman Taylor—
Henry Jones, 588 McDonough st., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Fred G. Milligan, Jr., and Charles Lockwood.
Ernest Wildbrett, 251 Patchen ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Frank G. Seymour and John W. Hetherington.
Howard C. Conrady, 347 Stuyvesant ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by I. N. Steinright and Otto J. Smith.

By Alderman Valentine—
Hermann A. Intemann, 5509 3d ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by W. J. Studwell and L. Noel Libby.

By Alderman White—
Samuel J. Goldberg, 141 2d ave., Manhattan.
Endorsed by M. Herman Mandel and Max Hoe.

By Alderman Wilmot—
George E. Wilsen, 3061 Baily ave., Bronx, N. Y.
Endorsed by Augustus J. Dick and Arthur E. Smith.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bartscherer, Bedell, Benninger, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Carroll, Chorosh, Cunningham, Curran, Delaney, Dixson, Donnelly, Dostal, Dotzler, Dowling, Dujat, Eichhorn, Ferguson, Ferrand, Eagan, Gaynor, Hamilton, Hogan, Igstaedter, Jacobson, Kenney, Kochendorfer, Levy, McCourt, McGarry, McNally, Moore (Chas. J.), Moore (Jesse D.), Moran, Mullen (Frank), Mullen (Jas. F.), Nugent, O'Rourke, Pendry, Post, Quinn, Rosenblum, Schweickert, Squiers, Stapleton, Stevenson, Taylor, Trau, Valentine, Weil, Wilmot; President McCormack, by Lewis Nixon, Commissioner of Public Works; President Connolly, by James A. Dayton, Commissioner of Public Works; President Mathewson, by John G. Borgstede, Commissioner of Public Works; President Pounds; President Marks, by E. V. Frothingham, Commissioner of Public Works; the Vice-Chairman, the President—59.

No. 355—Int. No. 799.

By Alderman Burns—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the New York Civil Service Society, Inc., to use the Aldermanic Chamber on Saturday, September

5, 1914, from 9 o'clock a. m. to 5 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of holding a convention of Civil Service employees, said Society to be responsible for proper care of the room on said day without disarrangement of desks, papers and other paraphernalia.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bartscherer, Bedell, Benninger, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Carroll, Chorosh, Cunningham, Curran, Delaney, Dixson, Donnelly, Dostal, Dotzler, Dowling, Dujat, Eichhorn, Ferguson, Ferrand, Eagan, Gaynor, Hamilton, Hogan, Igstaedter, Jacobson, Kenney, Kochendorfer, Levy, McCourt, McGarry, McNally, Moore (Chas. J.), Moore (Jesse D.), Moran, Mullen (Frank), Mullen (Jas. F.), Nugent, O'Rourke, Pendry, Post, Quinn, Rosenblum, Schweickert, Squiers, Stapleton, Stevenson, Taylor, Trau, Valentine, Weil, Wilmot; President McCormack, by Lewis Nixon, Commissioner of Public Works; President Connolly, by James A. Dayton, Commissioner of Public Works; President Mathewson, by John G. Borgstede, Commissioner of Public Works; President Pounds; President Marks, by E. V. Frothingham, Commissioner of Public Works; the Vice-Chairman, the President—59.

No. 329—Int. No. 207.

The Committee on Buildings, to which was referred on May 12, 1914 (Minutes, page 304), the annexed ordinance providing for the regulation of partition fences and retaining walls in The City of New York, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, after a re-examination of this subject, it has prepared a substitute ordinance which it feels thoroughly covers the point at issue, and settles satisfactorily this question of the decision of disputes as to responsibility of owners.

It, therefore, recommends that the accompanying second substitute ordinance be adopted.

SECOND SUBSTITUTE.

AN ORDINANCE, Providing for the Regulation of Partition Fences and Retaining Walls in The City of New York.

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

Section 1. All partition fences in The City of New York, unless erected under some specal agreement, shall be so built that the dividing line between the properties shall run through the centre of such fence in each case, and shall be built and maintained at the joint expense of the owners of the land on each side.

Section 2. When the regulation of a lot, in conformity with the street or streets on which it is situated, shall require the ground of such lot to be raised and kept up higher than the ground of the adjoining lot or lots, provided the ground of such adjoining lot or lots is not maintained at a grade lower than in conformity with the street on which they are situated, and a retaining wall for supporting the same shall be necessary, such retaining wall shall be made and maintained jointly by the owners of the land on each side and shall stand one-half upon the land of each owner, provided, however, that if the owner of the lot having the lower grade shall bear and discharge the entire cost and expense of the making, such retaining wall shall be built entirely upon the lot having the higher grade and shall thereafter be maintained jointly by the owners of the land on both sides thereof.

Section 3. Where an excavation has been made on any lot, but not below the legal grade in conformity with the street on which that lot fronts, and the land adjoining it has no building or permanent structure thereon, other than frame sheds or structures of like character, and where a retaining wall shall be necessary to support the adjoining earth, such retaining wall shall stand one-half upon the lot of each owner and shall be made and maintained jointly by the owners of the land on each side, provided, however, that if the owner of the lot having the lower grade shall bear and discharge the entire cost and expense of the making, such retaining wall shall be built entirely upon the lot having the higher grade and shall thereafter be maintained jointly by the owners of the land on both sides thereof.

Section 4. Where any owner or owners shall insist on maintaining his, her or their ground either higher or lower than the legal regulation as hereinafter provided, the surplus retaining wall which may be necessary to support such height or provide for such excavation shall be made and maintained at the sole expense of such owner or owners.

Section 5. All retaining walls required under this ordinance shall be constructed in accordance with the provisions of the Building Code.

Section 6. Any retaining wall erected or provided under the requirements of this ordinance so as to stand partly on the land of each owner may be removed by either owner when the necessity for such retaining wall no longer exists.

Section 7. The regulation of lots in conformity with the street or streets on which they are situated shall be calculated at an ascent of two inches in every ten feet, measured from the curb in a direction at right angles or normal thereto; provided that in the case of a lot having more than one street frontage when so situated that the street frontages intersect the curb along the longest street frontage shall be used, and when so situated that the street frontages do not intersect the curb along each frontage shall be used to one-half the depth of the lot between street frontages.

A lot as defined in this section shall be deemed and construed to mean a parcel of land not over twenty-five feet by one hundred feet in one ownership whether adjacent land be in the same ownership or not.

Section 8. If any person or persons whose duty it may be to jointly make or repair any partition fence or retaining wall, or any part thereof, in pursuance of the provisions of this ordinance, shall neglect so to do, or to join in so doing, for six days after being requested, in writing, by the owner or owners of the adjoining ground, it shall be lawful for such owner or owners of such adjoining ground to make or repair such partition fence or retaining wall, or cause the same to be done, and to recover from such person or persons such share of the expense of making or repairing so much thereof as is necessarily made or repaired by him, her or them, together with costs of suit, in any court having cognizance thereof.

Section 9. In case of any dispute between the parties as to what part or portion of the expense shall be borne and discharged by each party for building or maintaining any partition fence or wall, and in all cases of dispute concerning the sufficiency of any fence or wall in The City of New York, the matter shall be determined by the superintendent of buildings of the borough in which such partition fence or wall may be situated.

Section 10. All ordinances or parts of ordinances of the former municipal or public corporations consolidated into The City of New York inconsistent or conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed, to wit, sections 43 to 55, inclusive, of Part 2; sections 30 to 42, inclusive, of Part 3; and sections 28 to 39, inclusive, of Part 4, of the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York.

Section 11. The superintendent of buildings in each borough may in order to secure the purposes of this ordinance notify in writing any owner or owners of anything required to be done under the provisions thereof. Any failure to proceed within ten days in accordance with such notice and to comply within a reasonable time thereafter shall subject the responsible parties to a penalty of not less than ten dollars nor more than fifty dollars, and in addition one dollar for each and every day that such failure to comply shall continue after due notice to such owner or owners.

Section 12. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

SUBSTITUTE.

AN ORDINANCE providing for the regulation of partition fences and retaining walls in the City of New York.

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

Section 1. All partition fences in the City of New York shall be made and maintained by the owners of the land on each side.

Sec. 2. When the regulation of a lot, in conformity with the street on which it is situated, shall require the ground of such lot to be raised and kept up higher than the ground of the adjoining lot or lots, and a retaining wall for supporting the same shall be necessary, such retaining wall shall be made and maintained jointly by the owners of the land on each side, and when the same can be equally divided each party shall make and keep in repair one-half part thereof.

Sec. 3. Where an excavation has been made on any lot, and the land adjoining it has no building or permanent structure thereon, other than frame sheds or structures of like character, and where a retaining wall shall be necessary to support the adjoining earth, such retaining wall shall be made and maintained jointly by the owners of the land on each side, and when the same can be equally divided each party shall make and keep in repair one-half part thereof. Such retaining wall shall be built in accordance with the provisions of the Building Code.

Sec. 4. The regulation of lots, in conformity with the street, shall be calculated not to exceed a descent of 2 inches on every 10 feet.

Sec. 5. Where any owner or owners shall insist on maintaining his, her or their ground higher than such regulation, the surplus retaining wall which may be necessary to support such height shall be made and maintained at the individual expense of such owner or owners.

Sec. 6. Where any such owner or owners shall insist on regulating his, her or their grounds with a descent less than 2 inches on every 10 feet, the surplus retaining wall necessary to support the ground on the adjoining lot, regulated in conformity with the preceding section shall, in like manner, be made and maintained at the individual expense of such owner or owners.

Sec. 7. When any partition fence or wall cannot be conveniently divided, the same shall be made and kept in repair at the joint and equal expense of the owners of the land on each side.

Sec. 8. If any person whose duty it may be to make or repair any partition fence or retaining wall, or any part thereof, in pursuance of the provisions of this ordinance, shall neglect so to do for six days after being requested, in writing, by the owner or occupant of the adjoining ground, it shall be lawful for such owner or occupant to make or repair such partition fence or retaining wall, or cause the same to be done, and to recover from such person the expense of making or repairing so much thereof as ought to have been made or repaired by him or her, together with costs of suit, in any court having cognizance thereof.

Sec. 9. In case of any dispute between the parties concerning the division of any such fence or wall, or as to what part or portion of it shall be made or repaired by each party, respectively, and in all cases of dispute concerning the sufficiency of any fence in the City of New York, the matter shall be determined by the President of the Borough in which such partition or other fence or wall may be situated, or by his duly authorized representative.

Sec. 10. All ordinances or parts of ordinances of the former municipal or public corporations consolidated into The City of New York inconsistent or conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed, to wit: Sections 43 to 55, inclusive, of part 2; sections 30 to 42, inclusive, of part 3, and sections 28 to 39, inclusive, of part 4, of the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York.

Sec. 11. Any violation of the provisions of sections 2 and 3 of this ordinance shall make the parties responsible for the same liable to a penalty of not less than $10 nor more than $50 for each offense, and, in addition, $1 for each and every day that such offense shall continue after due notice has been served on the offending party by the Borough President or his duly authorized representative.

Sec. 12. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

ORIGINAL.

AN ORDINANCE providing for the regulation of Partition Fences and Retaining Walls in The City of New York.

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

Section 1. All partition fences and retaining walls in The City of New York shall be made and maintained by the owners of the land on each side, and each party shall make and keep in repair one-half part thereof when it can be conveniently divided.

Sec. 2. In case of any dispute between the parties concerning the division of any such fence or wall, or as to what part or portion of it shall be made or repaired by each party, respectively, and in all cases of dispute concerning the sufficiency of any fence in The City of New York, the matter shall be determined by the Alderman for the time being of the district in which such partition or other fence may be situated.

Sec. 3. When any partition fence or retaining wall cannot be conveniently divided, the same shall be made and kept in repair at the joint and equal expense of the owners of the land on each side.

Sec. 4. When the regulation of a lot, in conformity with the street on which it is situated, shall require the ground of such lot to be raised and kept up higher than the ground of the adjoining lot or lots, and a partition fence or retaining wall for supporting the same shall be necessary, such partition fence or retaining wall shall be made and maintained by the owners, respectively, of the land on each side; and when the same can be equally divided each party shall make and keep in repair one-half part thereof.

Sec. 5. Where an excavation has been made on any lot, and the land adjoining it has no building or permanent structure thereon, other than frame sheds or structures of like character, and where a retaining wall shall be necessary to support the adjoining earth, such retaining wall shall be made and maintained by the owners, respectively, of the land on each side; and when the same can be equally divided each party shall make and keep in repair one-half part thereof. Such retaining wall shall be built in accordance with the provisions of section 22 of the Building Code.

Sec. 6. If any dispute shall arise concerning the division of such partition fence or retaining wall between the parties, or as to what part or portion of it should be made or repaired by each, respectively, or concerning the sufficiency of any such partition fence or retaining wall, the same shall be determined by the Alderman.

Sec. 7. Where any partition fence or retaining wall cannot conveniently be divided, the same shall be made and kept in repair at the joint and equal expense of the owners of the land on each side.

Sec. 8. The regulation of lots, in conformity with the street, shall be calculated not to exceed a descent of 2 inches on every 10 feet.

Sec. 9. Where any owner or owners shall insist on maintaining his, her or their ground higher than such regulation, the surplus partition wall which may be necessary to support such height shall be made and maintained at the individual expense of such owner or owners.

Sec. 10. Where any such owner or owners shall insist on regulating his, her or their grounds with a descent less than 2 inches on every 10 feet, the surplus partition fence or retaining wall necessary to support the ground on the adjoining lot, regulated in conformity with the preceding section shall, in like manner, be made and maintained at the individual expense of such owner or owners.

Sec. 11. If any person whose duty it may be to make or repair any partition fence or retaining wall, or any part thereof, in pursuance of the provisions of this ordinance, shall neglect so to do for six days after being requested, in writing, by the owner or occupant of the adjoining ground, it shall be lawful for such owner or occupant to make or repair such partition fence or retaining wall, or cause the same to be done, and to recover from such person the expense of making or repairing so much thereof as ought to have been made or repaired by him or her, together with cost of suit, in any court having cognizance thereof.

Sec. 12. All outside and boundary fences and all fences erected on the line of any public road, street, line or avenue in The City of New York shall be at least 5 feet high, and shall be built of good and substantial materials, and sufficient in all respects to keep out and prevent the encroachment of cattle, sheep, hogs and other animals, and shall be kept in good repair and of the height above mentioned.

Sec. 13. The owner or owners, lessee or lessees, tenant or tenants of any lot, piece of ground or premises, upon which any fence not of the height, and that shall not be erected in the manner and maintained at the height mentioned in the preceding section, or who, having erected the same, shall not keep the same in good repair, shall not recover for any damage he, they or she may sustain from any cattle, sheep, hog or other animal doing damage upon his, their or her premises; nor shall any cattle, sheep or other animal be placed in pound for doing damage, unless such fence be erected and kept of the height and in the manner mentioned in the last preceding section.

Sec. 14. In case of any dispute between the parties concerning any fence or wall embraced within this article, or the sufficiency thereof, the matter shall be determined by the Alderman for the time being of the district in which such fence may be situated.

Sec. 15. All ordinances or parts of ordinances of the former municipal or public corporations consolidated into The City of New York inconsistent or conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed: to wit, sections 43 to 55, inclusive, of Part 2, sections 30 to 43, inclusive, of Part 3, and sections 28 to 39, inclusive, of Part 4, of the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York.

Sec. 16. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

JAMES HAMILTON, CHARLES P. COLE, JOHN DIEMER, JACOB BARTSCHERER, JOHN S. GAYNOR, JESSE D. MOORE, JOHN H. BOSCHEN, JOHN KOCHENDORFER, Committee on Buildings.

Which, on motion of Alderman Pendry, was recommitted to the Committee on Buildings.

No. 321—Int. No. 337.

The Committee on General Welfare, to which was referred on March 3, 1914 (Minutes, page 805), the annexed ordinance relative to lights on vehicles, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, it believes the proposed additional regulation, which includes trucks and other vehicles formerly exempted, to be demanded by the immense volume of traffic, and it, therefore, recommends that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE to amend Section 458 of Article III of Chapter 12 of Part I of the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York, relating to "Lights upon vehicles using the public streets."

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

Section 1. Section 458 of article 3 of chapter 12 of part 1 of the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York is hereby amended so that the same shall read as follows:

Section 458—Lights—Each and every vehicle using the public streets or highways of this city (except vehicles of licensed truckmen) shall show, between one hour after sunset and one hour before sunrise, a light or lights so placed as to be seen from the front, *rear* and each side; if dash lantern is carried it shall be placed on the left hand side; such light or lights to be of sufficient illuminating power to be visible at a distance of 200 feet; said light or lights shall show white in front, but may be colored on the sides *and rear* [excepting licensed truckmen]. Every automobile *using the public streets or highways of this city* shall exhibit during the same period two lamps showing white lights visible at a distance of 300 feet in the direction toward which the automobile is proceeding, and shall also exhibit a red light visible in the reverse direction. The lamps shall be so placed as to be free from obstruction to light from other parts of said automobile. No operator of any automobile or other motor vehicle while operating the same upon the public streets or highways of this city shall use any acetylene, electric or other headlight unless properly shaded so as not to blind or dazzle other users of the highway or make it difficult or unsafe for them to ride, drive or walk thereon. [In the Borough of The Bronx, excepting south of Tremont avenue and 177th street, east of Jerome avenue and west of the Bronx River, and in the Boroughs of Richmond and Queens, and in the 26th, 30th, 31st and 32d Wards of the Borough of Brooklyn, every car or other vehicle between said hours, while moving on, along, or standing upon the portion of streets in said boroughs or parts of boroughs, shall also carry a light or lights of such illuminating power as to be plainly visible 200 feet, both ahead and behind said car or vehicle.]

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

The matter in *italics* new, and the matter in brackets to be omitted.

WILLIAM BRUSH, JOSEPH W. SPENCER, ARNON L. SQUIERS, HYMAN POUKER, LAUREN CARROLL, W. H. PENDRY, Committee on General Welfare.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bartscherer, Bedell, Benninger, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Carroll, Chorosh, Colne, Curran, Dostal, Dotzler, Eichhorn, Ferrand, Gaynor, Hamilton, Igstaedter, Kochendorfer, McNally, Moore (Chas. J.), Moore (Jesse D.), Mullen (Frank), Ottes, Pendry, Pouker, Quinn, Rosenblum, Spencer, Squiers, Stevenson, Taylor, Weil, Wilmot, President McCormack, by Lewis Nixon, Commissioner of Public Works; President Connolly, by James A. Dayton, Commissioner of Public Works; President Mathewson, by John G. Borgstede, Commissioner of Public Works; President Pounds, President Marks, by E. V. Frothingham, Commissioner of Public Works; the Vice-Chairman; the President—40.

No. 328—Int. No. 99A.

The Committee on Buildings, to which was referred on January 13, 1914 (Minutes, page 98), a proposed building code, respectfully

REPORTS:

That it has gone into the subject carefully, and while not ready with any structural recommendations, it believes that the vital question of fire limits should receive early consideration, and for that reason presents that portion of the code, and recommends that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE establishing fire limits in The City of New York.

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

Section 1. Except as otherwise specifically provided in any other ordinance now enacted or as the same shall be amended from time to time, no frame, wood, or other combustible structure shall be built hereafter in The City of New York within the following limits, hereinafter referred to as the fire limits, and it shall be unlawful to maintain, occupy or use any such structure erected in violation of any of the provisions of this ordinance:

In the Borough of Manhattan, beginning at a point on the North River at the Battery, and running thence northerly along the pierhead line to a point one hundred feet north of the northerly side of Dyckman street; thence running easterly one hundred feet north of and parallel to the northerly side of Dyckman street to a point one hundred feet west of the westerly side of Seaman avenue; thence running northerly one hundred feet west of and parallel to the westerly side of Seaman avenue to a point one hundred feet south of the southerly side of W. 215th st.; thence running easterly one hundred feet south of and parallel to the southerly side of W. 215th st., to a point one hundred feet west of the westerly side of Broadway; thence running northerly one hundred feet west of and parallel to the westerly side of Broadway to the bulkhead line of the Harlem Ship Canal; thence easterly and southerly along the bulkhead line of the Harlem Ship Canal and the Harlem River to the Bronx Kills; thence easterly along the bulkhead line of the Bronx Kills to the East River; thence southerly along the East River to the east of Randalls, Wards and Blackwells Islands and along the pierhead line of the East River to the North River, at the place of beginning.

In the Borough of The Bronx, beginning at a point on the eastern bulkhead line of the Harlem River at the intersection with the centre line of Washington Bridge, thence running easterly along the centre line of Washington Bridge to Aqueduct ave., thence running northerly along the centre line of Aqueduct ave. to Featherbed lane, thence running northeasterly along the centre line of Featherbed lane to Macombs road, thence running southerly along the centre line of Macombs road to Featherbed lane, thence running easterly along the centre line of Featherbed lane to 174th st., thence running easterly along the centre line of 174th st. to a point one hundred feet west of the westerly side of Jerome ave., thence running northerly one hundred feet west of and parallel to the westerly side of Jerome ave. to Woodlawn road, thence running southeasterly along the centre line of Woodlawn road to a point one hundred feet east of the easterly side of Jerome ave., thence running southerly one hundred feet east of and parallel to the easterly side of Jerome ave. to E. 174th st., thence running easterly along the centre line of E. 174th st. to a point one hundred feet west of the westerly side of Webster ave., thence running northerly one hundred feet west of and parallel to the westerly side of Webster ave. to a point one hundred feet north of the northerly side of Gun Hill road, thence running easterly one hundred feet north of and parallel to the northerly side of Gun Hill road to a point one hundred feet west of the westerly side of White Plains road, thence running southerly across Gun Hill road to a point one hundred feet south of the southerly side of Gun Hill road, thence running westerly one hundred feet south of and parallel to the southerly side of Gun Hill road to the westerly line of the right of way of the New York and Harlem Railroad, thence running southerly along the westerly line of the right of way of the New York and Harlem Railroad to a point one hundred feet north of the northerly side of Fordham road, thence running easterly one hundred feet north of and parallel to the northerly side of Fordham road to the westerly boundary of Bronx Park, thence running southerly along the westerly boundary and easterly along the southerly boundary of Bronx Park to the Bronx River, thence running southerly along the centre line of the Bronx River to a point one hundred feet north of the northerly side of Walker ave., thence running easterly one hundred feet north of and parallel to the northerly side of Walker ave. to a point one hundred feet west of the westerly side of Morris Park ave., thence running northeasterly one hundred feet northwest of and parallel to the northwesterly side of Morris Park ave. to a point one hundred feet west of the westerly side of White Plains road, thence running northerly one hundred feet west of and parallel to the westerly side of White Plains road to the northerly boundary line of the City of New York, thence running easterly along said boundary line to a point one hundred feet east of the easterly side of White Plains road, thence running southerly one hundred feet east of and parallel to the easterly side of White Plains road to a point one hundred feet south of the southerly side of Morris Park ave., thence running southwesterly one hundred feet southeast of and parallel to the southeasterly side of Morris Park ave. to a point one hundred feet south of the southerly side of Walker ave., thence running westerly one hundred feet south of and parallel to the southerly side of Walker ave. to the Bronx River, thence running southerly along the centre line of the Bronx River to a point one hundred feet north of the northerly side of Westchester ave., thence running easterly one hundred feet north of and parallel to the northerly side of Westchester ave. to the Eastern boulevard, thence running southerly across Westchester ave. to a point one hundred feet south of the southerly side of Westchester ave., thence running westerly one hundred feet south of and parallel to the southerly side of Westchester ave. to the Bronx River, thence running southerly along the centre line of the Bronx River to the East River, thence running southeasterly along the East River, northwesterly along the Bronx Kills and northerly along the Harlem River to the point of beginning;

Also, beginning at a point on the boundary line between the Boroughs of The Bronx and Manhattan in the bed of the old Spuyten Duyvil Creek one hundred feet west of the westerly side of Broadway, thence running northerly one hundred feet west of and parallel to the westerly side of Broadway to the City line, thence running easterly along the City line to the east side of Broadway, thence running southerly along the easterly side of Broadway to the northerly side of Van Cortlandt Park South, thence running easterly to a point one hundred feet east of the easterly side of Broadway, thence running southerly one hundred feet east of and parallel to the easterly side of Broadway to the boundary line between the Boroughs of The Bronx and Manhattan, thence running westerly along said boundary line to the point of beginning:

In the Borough of Brooklyn, beginning at the junction of Newtown Creek with the East River, thence running along Newtown Creek and the borough line between Brooklyn and Queens to Chauncey st., thence running southwesterly along the centre line of Chauncey st. to Central ave., thence running southeasterly along the centre line of Central ave. to the boundary line of Evergreen Cemetery, thence running southerly along the boundary line of Evergreen Cemetery to Highland boulevard, thence running northeasterly along the centre line of Highland boulevard to Highland Park, thence running southerly along the boundary line of Highland Park to Jamaica ave., thence running easterly along the northerly side of Jamaica ave. to the borough line between Brooklyn and Queens, thence running southerly along said borough line to a point one hundred feet south of the southerly side of Jamaica ave., thence running westerly one hundred feet south of and parallel to the southerly side of Jamaica ave. to a point one hundred feet east of the easterly side of Norwood ave., thence running southerly one hundred feet east of and parallel to the easterly side of Norwood ave. to Atlantic ave., thence running easterly along the centre line of Atlantic ave. to a point one hundred feet east of the easterly side of Milford st., thence running southerly one hundred feet east of and parallel to the easterly side of Milford st. to a point one hundred feet south of the southerly side of New Lots ave., thence running westerly one hundred feet south of and parallel to the southerly side of New Lots ave. to a point one hundred feet south of the southerly side of Riverdale ave., thence running westerly one hundred feet south of and parallel to the southerly side of Riverdale ave. to a point one hundred feet west of the westerly side of E. 98th st., thence running northwesterly one hundred feet west of and parallel to the westerly side of E. 98th st. to a point one hundred feet south of the southerly side of Clarkson ave., thence running westerly one hundred feet south of and parallel to the southerly side of Clarkson ave. across Remsen ave. and continuing one hundred feet south of and parallel to the southerly side of Clarkson ave. to a point one hundred feet east of the easterly side of Flatbush ave., thence running southerly one hundred feet east of and parallel to the easterly side of Flatbush ave. to a point opposite the junction of Kings highway with Flatbush ave., thence running westerly across Flatbush ave. to a point one hundred feet west of the westerly side of Flatbush ave., thence running northerly one hundred feet west of and parallel to the westerly side of Flatbush ave. to a point one hundred feet south of the southerly side of Church ave., thence running westerly one hundred feet south of and parallel to the southerly side of Church ave. to a point one hundred feet southeast of the southeasterly side of 14th ave., thence running southwesterly one hundred feet southeast of and parallel to the southeasterly side of 14th ave. to a point one hundred feet southwest of the southwesterly side of 60th st., thence running northwesterly one hundred feet southwest of and parallel to the southwest side of 60th st. to New York Bay, thence running northerly along the pierhead line of New York Bay, Gowanus Bay, Buttermilk Channel and the East River to the point of beginning;

Also, beginning at a point at the intersection of the Atlantic Ocean and W. 5th st., thence running northerly along the centre line of W. 5th st. to a point one hundred feet north of the northerly side of Surf ave., thence running westerly one hundred feet north of and parallel to the northerly side of Surf ave. to W. 8th st., thence running westerly along the southerly side of the right of way of the Norton's Point Railroad to W. 37th st., provided that at no point along said right of way shall these limits be taken at a distance less than one hundred feet north of the northerly side of Surf ave., thence running southerly along the centre line of W. 37th st. to the Atlantic Ocean, thence running easterly along the shore line to the point of beginning;

In the Borough of Queens, beginning at a point in the bulkhead line of the East River at its intersection with the centre line of Winthrop ave., thence running southeasterly along the centre line of Winthrop ave. to a point one hundred feet southeast of the southeasterly side of Steinway ave., thence running southwesterly one hundred feet southeast of and parallel to the southeasterly side of Steinway ave. to a point one hundred feet north of the northerly side of Astoria ave., thence running easterly one hundred feet north of and parallel to the northerly side of Astoria ave. to the Old Bowery Bay road, thence running southerly along the centre line of the Old Bowery Bay road to Woodside ave., thence running southerly along the centre line of Woodside ave. to Middleburg ave., thence running westerly along the centre line of Middleburg ave. to Dickson st., thence running southerly along the centre line of Dickson st. to a point one hundred feet south of the southerly side of Greenpoint ave., thence running westerly one hundred feet south of and parallel to the southerly side of Greenpoint ave. to Borden ave., thence running easterly along the centre line of Borden ave. to a point one hundred feet east of the easterly side of Clifton ave., thence running southerly one hundred feet east of and parallel to the easterly side of Clifton ave. to Newtown Creek, thence along Newtown Creek to the East River, thence running northerly along the bulkhead line of the East River to the place of beginning;

Also beginning at a point on the Borough line between Queens and Brooklyn intersected by a line distant one hundred feet north of and parallel to the northerly side of Metropolitan ave., thence running easterly one hundred feet north of and parallel to the northerly side of Metropolitan ave. to a point one hundred feet east of the easterly side of Fresh Pond road, thence running southerly one hundred feet east of and parallel to the easterly side of Fresh Pond road to Myrtle ave., thence running southerly along the Long Island Railroad to the Borough line between Queens and Brooklyn, thence running northwesterly along said Borough line to the point of beginning;

Also, beginning at a point on the borough line between Queens and Brooklyn one hundred feet north of the northerly side of Jamaica avenue, thence running easterly one hundred feet north of and parallel to the northerly side of Jamaica avenue to Brenton avenue, thence running southerly across Jamaica avenue to a point one hundred feet south of the southerly side thereof, thence running westerly one hundred feet south of and parallel to the southerly side of Jamaica avenue to a point one hundred feet east of the easterly side of Roseville avenue, thence running southerly one hundred feet east of and parallel to the easterly side of Roseville avenue to Mandsley street, thence running westerly across Roseville avenue to a point one hundred feet west of the westerly side thereof, thence running northerly one hundred feet west of and parallel to the westerly side of Roseville avenue to a point one hundred feet south of the southerly side of Jamaica avenue, thence running westerly one hundred feet south of and parallel to the southerly side of Jamaica avenue to the boundary line between the boroughs of Queens and Brooklyn, thence running northerly along said boundary line to the place of beginning;

Also, beginning at a point on the centre line of Madison street, Flushing, one hundred feet west of the westerly side of Main street, thence running northerly one hundred feet west of and parallel to the westerly side of Main street to Jackson avenue, thence running easterly along the centre line of Jackson avenue to a point one hundred feet east of the easterly side of Main street, thence running southerly one hundred feet east of and parallel to the easterly side of Main street to Madison street, thence running westerly along the centre line of Madison street to the point of beginning.

Section 2. Except as otherwise specifically provided in any other ordinance as now enacted or as the same shall be amended from time to time no existing frame,

wood, or other combustible structure shall be altered or enlarged within the fire limits except in conformity with the provisions of such ordinance with respect to new structures.

Section 3. Within the fire limits any existing frame, wood, or other combustible structures which, in the judgment of the superintendent of buildings of the borough, may be damaged from any cause whatsoever to an amount greater than one-half of the value thereof exclusive of the foundations or may be in need of structural repairs to an amount greater than one-half of its value exclusive of the foundations, shall not be repaired or rebuilt, but shall be taken down.

In case the owner or owners of the structure which may be damaged or in need of repairs shall be dissatisfied with the decision of the superintendent of buildings as to the extent of such damage or need of repairs, then the amount or extent of such damage or required repairs shall be determined by competent surveyors, one appointed by the superintendent of buildings having jurisdiction, one by the owner or owners of the structure and, in case these two do not agree, one selected by them jointly. The report of the surveyors shall be reduced to writing and, when signed by any two of them, shall be conclusive. No building the subject of survey shall be in any manner repaired, altered or rebuilt until after the decision of the surveyors shall have been rendered.

Section 4. No frame, wood, or other combustible structure shall be moved from without to within the fire limits, nor from one lot to another within the fire limits.

Section 5. Nothing herein contained shall prevent the erection or completion of a frame structure for which a permit has been lawfully issued at the time this ordinance shall take effect within such portions of the fire limits as were not heretofore included within the fire limits of The City of New York; provided the work thereon shall be diligently prosecuted so that the structure shall be completed within fifteen months after the passage of this ordinance.

In case any such structure shall not be completed within the said period the holder of the permit therefor shall be deemed to have forfeited all rights and privileges thereunder and the uncompleted building or structure shall be taken down and removed within sixty days after the date of the forfeiture of such permit.

Section 6. The superintendents of buildings shall, each in his own borough, enforce the provisions of this ordinance. Any and every violation of this ordinance shall be subject to the same penalties prescribed for violations of the Building Code which shall be prosecuted and collected in the manner provided in the Building Code.

Section 7. All ordinances, rules or regulations, or parts thereof, in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Section 8. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

JAMES HAMILTON, CHARLES P. COLE, JOHN DIEMER, JACOB BARTSCHERER, JESSE D. MOORE, JOHN S. GAYNOR, JOHN H. BOSCHEN, JOHN KOCHENDORFER, Committee on Buildings.

Alderman Hamilton moved that the following words be stricken from the third paragraph thereof: "Featherbed Lane, thence running easterly along the centre line of Featherbed Lane to," the same being a typographical error.

Which motion was adopted.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bartscherer, Bedell, Benninger, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Burden, Carberry, Carroll, Chorosh, Cole, Colne, Curran, Delaney, Diemer, Donnelly, Dostal, Dotzler, Duggan, Dujat, Eichhorn, Ferrand, Gaynor, Hamilton, Hogan, Igstaedter, Jacobson, Kenney, Kochendorfer, Levy, McNally, Molen, Moore (Chas. J.), Moore (Jesse D.), Mullen (Frank), O'Rourke, Ottes, Pendry, Post, Pouker, Rosenblum, Spencer, Squiers, Stevenson, Taylor, Trau, Weil Wilmot, President McCormack, by Lewis Nixon, Commissioner of Public Works; President Connolly, by James A. Dayton, Commissioner of Public Works; President Mathewson, by John G. Borgstede, Commissioner of Public Works; President Pounds, by Edmund W. Voorhies, Commissioner of Public Works; President Marks, by E. V. Frothingham, Commissioner of Public Works; the Vice-Chairman; the President—55.

No. 330 (Int. No. 719).

The Committee on Buildings, to which was referred on June 2, 1914 (Minutes, page 535), the annexed ordinance amending electric sign ordinance, respectfully

REPORTS:

That this ordinance contemplates the licensing of signs which are illuminated by other forces than electricity, thus giving them an equal footing and providing additional revenue for the City. The Committee recommends that the accompanying substitute ordinance be adopted.

SUBSTITUTE.

AN ORDINANCE to amend "An Ordinance regulating the placing of electric signs in The City of New York, and providing that the same shall be licensed."

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

Section 1. "An Ordinance regulating the placing of electric signs in The City of New York, and providing that the same shall be licensed," as amended and adopted July 9, 1912, and approved July 24, 1912, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

Section 1. Any *illuminated* letter, word, model, sign, device or representation used in the nature of an advertisement, announcement or direction [illuminated by electricity,] erected on any building in The City of New York, and extending beyond the building line, shall be deemed to be an [electric] *illuminated* sign.

Sec. 2. [Electric] *Illuminated* signs are permitted in The City of New York, and the City Clerk is empowered to issue licenses therefor under the following terms and conditions, to wit:

A—Upon the payment by the applicant of an annual license fee of 10 cents for each square foot of sign space or part of square foot of such sign space displayed on such [electric] *illuminated* sign, to be computed and collected by the City Clerk of The City of New York. The square feet of sign space on one side of an [electric] *illuminated* sign, however, shall be deemed to be the entire number of square feet of sign space for the purpose of computing the license fee herein referred to and required to be paid.

B—That no [electric] *illuminated* sign shall extend more than 8 feet from the building line in The City of New York.

C—That no [electric] *illuminated* sign shall be less than 10 feet in the clear above the level of the sidewalk beneath such sign.

D—That [electric] *illuminated* signs shall be constructed entirely of metal or other incombustible material, except the insulation thereof [,] *if such sign is to be lighted by electricity,* including the uprights, supports and braces for the same, and shall be properly and firmly attached to the building, and shall be so constructed as not to be or become dangerous.

E—That no [electric] *illuminated* sign shall be so erected as to obstruct or prevent ingress *to* and egress [to] *from* any window or fire escape on any building in The City of New York.

F—That prior to the erection of any [electric] *illuminated* sign in The City of New York, a license therefor must be obtained from the *City* Clerk [of The City of New York], and before the issuance of any license [herein] by said City Clerk for the said [electric] *illuminated* sign, the applicant shall first file with the Superintendent of Buildings of the Borough [wherein] *in which* the said [electric] *illuminated* sign is to be erected, plans and statements of the proposed [electric] *illuminated* sign and method of attachment of same to the building, duly verified and executed in triplicate upon appropriate blanks to be furnished by the said Superintendent of Buildings, and such structural drawings as the said Superintendent of Buildings may require. The applicant shall also set forth the full name, residence and business address of the owner of the building upon which the said [electric] *illuminated* sign is to be erected, the name and address of the party erecting the said [electric] *illuminated* sign, and state his authority so to do.

Upon compliance by the applicant with the above conditions the Superintendent of Buildings is authorized to issue a certificate as approval to the sufficiency of the construction and method of attachment of the proposed [electric] *illuminated* sign to such building. All approvals of applications, plans, drawings and amendments thereto shall expire by limitation six months from the date of same unless a license is procured within said period. In addition, *if such sign is to be lighted by electricity,* a certificate must also be procured from the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity certifying that the electric wiring and electric appliances of the proposed electric sign are in conformity with the rules and regulations of that Department.

G—A license issued hereunder upon the expiration thereof [or within thirty days thereafter] must be renewed, *if so wished, within thirty days thereafter;* and upon the payment by the applicant of the license fee and the surrender of the old license, accompanied by satisfactory proof in the form of an affidavit that the [electric] *illuminated* sign is the same as when originally licensed and that the wiring of the same, *if it be lighted by electricity,* is in good condition, the City Clerk may license the sign for another year.

Sec. 3. The Superintendent of Buildings shall not give any certificate nor shall the City Clerk issue any license for the erection of any [electric] *illuminated* sign or signs on any building in The City of New York when such building adjoins a building used exclusively as a private residence, unless the applicant first obtains the written consent of the owner or owners of said private residence for the erection of the proposed [electric] *illuminated* sign.

Sec. 4. No [electric] *illuminated* sign shall be erected on any building in The City of New York, except as in this ordinance provided, under penalty of one hundred dollars for each offense. No [electric] *illuminated* sign shall be maintained in The City of New York contrary to the provisions of this ordinance under a penalty of ten dollars for each day or part of a day the same shall be so maintained.

Sec. 5. The provisions of the ordinance regulating fences, signs, billboards, roof signs, advertisements and other structures in The City of New York, approved May 29th, 1914, which relate to signs permitted by and erected in compliance with the Electric Sign Ordinance, approved July 24th, 1912, shall apply with equal force and effect to signs permitted by and erected in compliance with this ordinance.

Sec. [5] 6. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent or conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Sec. [6] 7. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Note—New matter in *italics;* old matter in brackets [] to be omitted.

ORIGINAL.

AN ORDINANCE to amend "An Ordinance regulating the placing of electric signs in The City of New York, and providing that the same shall be licensed."

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

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Upon compliance by the applicant with the above conditions the Superintendent of Buildings is authorized to issue a certificate of approval as to the sufficiency of the construction and method of attachment of the proposed [electric] *illuminated* sign to such building. All approvals of applications, plans, drawings and emendments thereto shall expire by limitation six months from the date of same unless a license is procured within said period. In addition, *if such sign is to be lighted by electricity,* a certificate must also be procured from the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity certifying that the electric wiring and electric appliances of the proposed electric sign are in conformity with the rules and regulations of that Department.

G—A license issued hereunder upon the expiration thereof [or within thirty days thereafter] must be renewed, *if so wished, within thirty days thereafter;* and upon the payment by the applicant of the license fee and the surrender of the old license, accompanied by satisfactory proof in the form of an affidavit that the [electric] *illuminated* sign is the same as when originally licensed and that the wiring of the same, *if it be lighted by electricity,* is in good condition, the City Clerk may license the sign for another year.

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Sec. 4. No [electric] *illuminated* sign shall be erected on any building in The City of New York, except as in this ordinance provided, under penalty of one hundred dollars for each offense. No [electric] *illuminated* sign shall be maintained in The City of New York contrary to the provisions of this ordinance under a penalty of ten dollars for each day or part of a day the same shall be so maintained.

Sec. 5. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent or conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Sec. 6. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Note—New matter in *italics;* old matter, in brackets [ ], to be omitted.

JAMES HAMILTON, CHARLES P. COLE, JOHN DIEMER, JACOB BARTSCHERER, JOHN S. GAYNOR, JESSE D. MOORE, JOHN H. BOSCHEN, JOHN KOCHENDORFER, Committee on Buildings.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bartscherer, Bedell, Benninger, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Burden, Carberry, Carroll, Cole, Colne, Curran, Delaney, Diemer, Donnelly, Dostal, Dotzler, Dowling, Duggan, Dujat, Eichhorn, Ferguson, Ferrand, Eagan, Gaynor, Hamilton, Hogan, Igstaedter, Kenney, Kochendorfer, Levy, McCourt, McNally, Moore (Chas. L.), Moore (Jesse D.), Mullen (Frank), Mullen (Jas. F.), O'Rourke, Ottes, Pendry, Post, Pouker, Reardon, Rosenbloom, Schweickert, Stapleton, Stevenson, Taylor, Trau, Weil, Wendel, Wilmot, President Connolly, by James A. Dayton, Commissioner of Public Works; President Mathewson, by John G. Borgstede, Commissioner of Public Works; President Pounds, by Edmund W. Voorhies, Commissioner of Public Works; The Vice-Chairman; The President—57.

No. 336—(Int. No. 675).

The Committee on General Welfare, to which was referred on May 26, 1914 (Minutes, page 456), the annexed ordinance in favor of authorizing the Commissioner of Licenses to take testimony in matters relating to his Department, respectfully

REPORTS:

That this authorization will be an additional means toward the enforcement of the various laws and ordinances regulating licenses, and in the opinion of the Com-

mittee its application will go far towards impressing licensees with the fact that the regulations are established for the purpose of having them obeyed.

It recommends that the said ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE authorizing the Commissioner of Licenses to take testimony in matters relating to the Department of Licenses.

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

Section 1. The Commissioner of Licenses when investigating any matters pertaining to the granting, issuing, transferring, renewing, revoking, suspending or cancelling of any license, is hereby authorized in his discretion to take such testimony as may be necessary on which to base official action. When taking such testimony the Commissioner of Licenses may subpoena witnesses and also direct the production before him of necessary and material books and papers.

Section 2. The Commissioner of Licenses may in his discretion delegate to the Deputy Commissioners of Licenses, to the Chief of the Division of Licensed Vehicles and the Chief of the Brooklyn office, the power and duty of taking testimony, and the said officials when so delegated may subpoena witnesses, books and papers with the same force and effect as if subpoenaed by the Commissioner. The said delegated officials shall have the testimony taken before them reduced to writing and transmit the same to the Commissioner of Licenses for final action.

Section 3. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

WILLIAM D. BRUSH, HYMAN POUKER, ARNON L. SQUIERS, LAUREN CARROLL, W. H. PENDRY, OSCAR IGSTAEDTER, Committee on General Welfare.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bartscherer, Bedell, Boschen, Bosse, Carberry, Carroll, Chorosh, Colne, Curran, Delaney, Dixson, Donnelly, Dostal, Dotzler, Dowling, Duggan, Dujat, Eichhorn, Gaynor, Hamilton, Igstaedter, Jacobson, Kenney, Kockendorfer, Lein, Levy, McCann, McCourt, McNally, Molen, Moore(Chas. L.), Moore (Jesse D.), Moran, Mullen (Frank), Mullen (Jas. F.), Nugent, O'Rourke, Ottes, Pendry, Post, Pouker, Reardon, Rosenbloom, Schweickert, Spencer, Squiers, Stapleton, Stevenson, Taylor, Trau, Valentine, Weil, Wendel, Wilmot, President Connolly, by E. V. Fothingham, Commissioner of Public Works; President Mathewson, by John G. Borgstede, Commissioner of Public Works; President Pounds, by Edmund W. Voorhies, Commissioner of Public Works; President Marks, by James A. Dayton, Commissioner of Public Works; The Vice-Chairman; The President—60.

No. 341—Int. No. 561.

The Committee on Public Thoroughfares, to which was referred on April 28, 1914 (Minutes, page 181), the annexed ordinance relative to cleaning streets and sidewalks, respectfully

REPORTS:

That it held a public hearing and several conferences on this subject. The opposition at the public hearing was solely against holding an owner responsible for acts of tenants. This seemed a reasonable objection, and the Committee asked the Corporation Counsel for his opinion on the validity of the ordinance with this clause stricken out. His opinion is hereto attached.

With the belief that this regulation will be a great aid in the proper cleaning of the streets the Committee recommends that the accompanying substitute ordinance be adopted.

SUBSTITUTE.

AN ORDINANCE to amend Section 404 of Chapter 9 of Part 1 of the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York, relating to "Cleaning streets and sidewalks."

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

Section 1. Section 404 of chapter 9 of Part 1 of the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 404. No person or persons shall throw, cast or lay, or direct, suffer or permit any servant, agent or employee to throw, cast or lay any ashes, offal, vegetables, garbage, dross, cinders, shells, straw, shavings, paper, dirt, filth, broken glassware, crockery, bottles or rubbish of any kind whatsoever in any street in The City of New York, either upon the roadway or sidewalk thereof, except that in the morning before 8 o'clock or before the first sweeping of the roadway by the Department of Street Cleaning, in the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn and The Bronx, dust from the sidewalk may be swept into the gutter, if there piled, but not otherwise, and at no other time; *and the lessee, tenant, or the occupant, or other person in charge of any building shall not place or permit to be placed or to remain in any street, either upon the roadway or sidewalk thereof any such article or thing, except as hereinafter expressly excepted.*

Any person found guilty of the violation of any of the foregoing provisions of this section by a City Magistrate or other tribunal shall be punished by a fine of not less than one dollar and not more than ten dollars, or by imprisonment for a term of not less than one nor more than five days.

Note—New matter in *italics.*

ORIGINAL.

AN ORDINANCE to amend Section 404 of Chapter 9 of Part 1 of the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York, relating to "Cleaning streets and sidewalks."

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

Section 1. Section 404 of Chapter 9 of Part 1 of the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 404. No person or persons shall throw, cast or lay, or direct, suffer or permit any servant, agent or employee to throw, cast or lay any ashes, offal, vegetables, garbage, dross, cinders, shells, straw, shavings, paper, dirt, filth, broken glassware, crockery, bottles or rubbish of any kind whatsoever in any street in The City of New York, either upon the roadway or sidewalk thereof, except that in the morning before 8 o'clock or before the first sweeping of the roadway by the Department of Street Cleaning, in the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn and The Bronx, dust from the sidewalk may be swept into the gutter, if there piled, but not otherwise, and at no other time; *and the abutting owner, his lessee, tenant, or the occupant, or other person in charge of any building shall not place or permit to be placed or to remain in any street, either upon the roadway or sidewalk thereof any such article or thing, except as hereinafter expressly excepted.*

Any person found guilty of the violation of any of the foregoing provisions of this section by a City Magistrate or other tribunal shall be punished by a fine of not less than one dollar and not more than ten dollars, or by imprisonment for a term of not less than one nor more than five days.

D. M. BEDELL, EDWARD H. TAYLOR, JESSE D. MOORE, MICHAEL J. HOGAN, FRANK MULLEN, FRANK DOSTAL, Jr., F. H. WILMOT, JOHN H. BOSCHEN, Committee on Public Thoroughfares.

City of New York, Law Department, Office of the Corporation Counsel, New York, June 12, 1914.

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

Sir—I have received your letter of June 9, 1914, requesting that you be advised concerning the validity of proposed ordinance No. 561, introduced by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, were the same amended by striking from line 11 thereof the words "abutting owner, his." Thus amended, the proposition would read:

"Section 404. No person or persons shall throw, cast or lay, or direct, suffer or permit any servant, agent or employee to throw, cast or lay any ashes, offal, vegetables, garbage, dross, cinders, shells, straw, shavings, paper, dirt, filth, broken glassware, crockery, bottles or rubbish of any kind whatsoever in any street in The City of New York, either upon the roadway or sidewalk thereof, except that in the morning before 8 o'clock or before the first sweeping of the roadway by the Department of Street Cleaning, in the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn and The Bronx, dust from the sidewalk may be swept into the gutter, if there piled, but not otherwise, and at no other time; and the [abutting owner, his] lessee, tenant, or the occupant, or other person in charge of any building shall not place or permit to be placed or to remain in any street, either upon the roadway or sidewalk thereof any such article or thing, except as hereinafter expressly excepted.

"Any person found guilty of the violation of any of the foregoing provisions of this section by a City Magistrate or other tribunal shall be punished by a fine of not less than one dollar and not more than ten dollars, or by imprisonment for a term of not less than one nor more than five days."

In my opinion the proposition, amended as enacted, would be valid and enforceable.

Respectfully yours, LOUIS H. HAHLO, Acting Corporation Counsel.

The Board was addressed by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

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

Which was decided in the negative by the following vote, a majority of all the members failing to vote in favor thereof.

Affirmative—Aldermen Bedell, Boschen, Carroll, Chorosh, Curran, Duggan, Hamilton, Igstaedter, Spencer, Taylor, Trau, Weil, Wilmot—13.

Negative—Aldermen Benninger, Bosse, Burden, Carberry, Cole, Colne, Cunningham, Delaney, Diemer, Dixson, Donnelly, Dostal, Dotzler, Dowling, Dujat, Eichhorn, Ferguson, Ferrand, Hannon, Kenneally, Kenney, Kochendorfer, Lein, Levy, McCourt, Mullen (Jas. F.), Nugent, O'Rourke, Quinn, Reardon, Rosenblum, Schweickert, Squiers, Stapleton, Stevenson, Wendel; President McCormack, by Lewis Nixon, Commissioner of Public Works; President Connolly, by James A. Dayton, Commissioner of Public Works; President Mathewson, by John G. Borgstede, Commissioner of Public Works; President Pounds, by Edmund W. Voorhies, Commissioner of Public Works; President Marks, by E. V. Frothingham, Commissioner of Public Works; the Vice-Chairman—42.

No. 343—Int. No. 671.

The Committee on Public Thoroughfares, to which was referred on June 16, 1914, (Minutes, page 684), the annexed ordinance in favor of signs indicating special stops for surface cars, respectfully

REPORTS:

That the proposed ordinance, with two others practically relating to the same subject, was recommitted for an opinion from the Corporation Counsel as to legal form. This advice has been received (see letter attached) and the Committee recommends that the accompanying substitute ordinance be adopted.

"SUBSTITUTE."

AN ORDINANCE in relation to the erection of signs indicating special stops for street surface railway cars.

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

Section 1. The several Borough Presidents are, within their respective boroughs, hereby authorized to erect on lamp-posts, street sign posts, trolley poles, trolley span wires, or other available supports, or, in the absence of any such existing structure, on such new supports as they may find necessary, signs bearing the words "School Stop" on each side of streets or avenues which intersect or meet the street or avenue on which a public school is located within five hundred (500) feet from such intersecting or meeting street or avenue.

Sec. 2. All ordinances or parts of ordinances contrary to or inconsistent with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Sec. 3. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

ORIGINAL.

AN ORDINANCE in relation to the erection of signs indicating special stops for street surface railway cars.

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

Section 1. The several Borough Presidents are hereby authorized to erect on lamp posts, street sign posts, trolley poles, trolley span wires, or other available supports, or, in the absence of any such existing structure, on such new supports as they may find necessary, signs bearing the words "School Stop" on each side of streets which intersect or meet the street on which a public school is located within five hundred (500) feet from such intersecting or meeting street or avenue.

Sec. 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

D. M. BEDELL, F. H. WILMOT, FRANK MULLEN, JESSE D. MOORE, JOHN H. BOSCHEN, EDWARD H. TAYLOR, FRANK DOSTAL, Jr., Committee on Public Thoroughfares.

City of New York, Law Department, Office of the Corporation Counsel, New York, May 27th, 1914.

Hon. GEORGE McANENY, President of the Board of Aldermen, City Hall:

Sir—I acknowledge receipt of a communication signed by Mr. Louis Graves, Examiner for the President of the Board of Aldermen, and dated May 21, 1914, which reads as follows:

"At the direction of President McAneny I hereby enclose (1) a draft of the proposed Near-side Stop Ordinance, (2) a draft of an ordinance authorizing the Fire Commissioner to erect 'fire stop' signs, and (3) a draft of an ordinance authorizing the Borough Presidents to erect 'school stop' signs.

"The draft of the Near-side Stop Ordinance is a revision of the draft which I sent to you on April 23d, and which a representative of your office discussed with Mr. Goodrich, Chairman of the Advisory Street Traffic Commission, and myself. The revision was made in order to remove certain errors as to form.

"Mr. McAneny requests that you inform him whether these three enclosed ordinances are now correct as to form."

I am inclosing the drafts of the proposed ordinances that accompanied Mr. Graves' letter, with certain suggested changes and additions indicated thereon.

Respectfully yours, LOUIS H. HAHLO, Acting Corporation Counsel.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote.

Affirmative—Aldermen Bartscherer, Bedell, Benninger, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Burden, Carroll, Chorosh, Colne, Curran, Diemer, Dixson, Dostal, Dotzler, Duggan, Eichhorn, Ferrand, Gaynor, Hamilton, Hogan, Igstaedter Jacobson, Kenney, Kochendorfer, Levy, McNally, Molen, Moore (Chas. L.), Moore (Jesse D.), Mullen (Frank), O'Rourke, Ottes, Pendry, Post, Pouker, Quinn, Rosenblum, Spencer, Squiers, Stapleton, Stevenson, Taylor, Trau, Valentine, Weil, Wilmot; President McCormack, by Lewis Nixon, Commissioner of Public Works; President Connolly, by James A. Dayton, Commissioner of Public Works; President Mathewson, by John G. Borgstede, Commissioner of Public Works; President Pounds, by Edmund W. Voorhies, Commissioner of Public Works; President Marks, by E. V. Frothingham, Commissioner of Public Works; the Vice-Chairman and the President—54.

No. 344—Int. No. 672.

The Committee on Public Thoroughfares, to which was referred on June 16, 1914 (Minutes, page 684), the annexed ordinance in relation to erection of fire stop signs for street cars, respectfully

REPORTS:

That certain formal changes have been made hereto upon the advice of the Corporation Counsel, and the Committee recommends that the accompanying substitute ordinance be adopted.

SUBSTITUTE.

AN ORDINANCE in relation to the erection of signs indicating special stops for street surface railway cars.

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

Section 1. The Fire Commissioner is hereby authorized to erect on lamp posts, street sign posts, trolley poles, trolley span wires, or other available supports, or, in the absence of any such existing structures, on such new supports as he may find necessary signs bearing the words "Fire Stop," as follows, namely: (a) at points not to exceed fifty feet on each side of the doors of a fire station; and (b) on each side of streets and avenues which intersect or meet the street or avenue on which a fire station is located within five hundred (500) feet from such intersecting or meeting street or avenue; and (c) at intersections of streets or avenues where steep grades or other dangerous conditions exist.

Sec. 2. All ordinances or parts of ordinances contrary to or inconsistent with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Sec. 3. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

ORIGINAL.

AN ORDINANCE in relation to the erection of signs indicating special stops for street surface railway cars.

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

Section 1. The Fire Commissioner is hereby authorized to erect on lamp posts, street sign posts, trolley poles, trolley span wires, or other available supports, or, in the absence of any such existing structure, on such new supports as he may find necessary, signs bearing the words "Fire Stop": (a) at points not to exceed fifty feet on each side of the doors of a fire station; and (b) on each side of streets and avenues which intersect or meet the street on which a fire station is located within five hundred (500) feet from such intersecting or meeting street or avenue; and (c) at intersections of streets or avenues where steep grades or other dangerous conditions exist.

Sec. 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

D. M. BEDELL, EDWARD H. TAYLOR, JESSE D. MOORE, MICHAEL J. HOGAN, FRANK MULLEN, FRANK DOSTAL, Jr., F. H. WILMOT, JOHN H. BOSCHEN, Committee on Public Thoroughfares.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote.

Affirmative—Aldermen Bartscherer, Bedell, Benninger, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Burden, Carroll, Chorosh, Colne, Curran, Diemer, Dixson, Dostal, Dotzler, Duggan, Eichhorn, Ferrand, Gaynor, Hamilton, Hogan, Igstaedter, Jacobson, Kenney, Kochendorfer, Levy, McNally, Molen, Moore (Chas. L.), Moore (Jesse D.), Mullen (Frank), O'Rourke, Ottes, Pendry, Post, Pouker, Quinn, Rosenblum, Spencer, Squiers, Stapleton, Stevenson, Taylor, Trau, Valentine, Weil, Wilmot; President McCormack, by Lewis Nixon, Commissioner of Public Works; President Connolly, by James A. Dayton, Commissioner of Public Works; President Mathewson, by John G. Borgstede, Commissioner of Public Works; President Pounds, by Edmund W. Voorhies, Commissioner of Public Works; President Marks, by E. V. Frothingham, Commissioner of Public Works; the Vice-Chairman and the President—54.

No. 345—Int. No. 673.

The Committee on Public Thoroughfares, to which was referred on June 16, 1914 (Minutes, page 685), the annexed ordinance relative to stoppage of street surface railway cars, respectfully

REPORTS:

That this ordinance was recommitted for advice from the Corporation Counsel as to its legal form. Suggestions made by said officer have been incorporated in the accompanying substitute ordinance, which the Committee recommends for adoption.

SUBSTITUTE.

AN ORDINANCE in relation to the stoppage of street surface railway cars in the City of New York.

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

Section 1. Safety Stops for Street Surface Railway Cars—In the interest of public safety, street surface railway cars shall come to a full stop:

(a) At all points where a "Fire Stop" sign is exhibited.

(b) At all points where a "School Stop" sign is exhibited, between the hours of 8 a. m. and 9 a. m., 12 noon and 1 p. m., and 3 p. m. and 5 p. m., except on Saturdays, Sundays and legal holidays and during the period between July 1st and September 1st.

Sec. 2. Street Surface Railway Cars Taking on or Discharging Passengers—To take on or discharge passengers, when signaled so to do, street surface railway cars shall come to a full stop, in such a position as not to obstruct the crosswalk, before crossing any intersecting or connecting street; except that with the written consent of the Police Commissioner, and if "Trolley Stop" signs are installed by the railway company, cars may stop:

(a) At other points on unpaved streets,

(b) In the centers of blocks over four hundred feet long;

(c) On the far side of any street containing an intersecting street railway; and except further, that street surface railway cars may cross an intersecting or connecting street without stopping provided that, in each such case, the Police Commissioner shall give his written consent, and the railway company shall install a "No Stop" sign, and there shall be a regular stopping place with a "Trolley Stop" sign within 200 feet of the "No Stop" sign.

Sec. 3. Punishment for Violations—Any street surface railway company violating any provision of this ordinance, shall upon conviction be punished by a fine of ten (10) dollars for each offense.

Sec. 4. Ordinances Repealed—Section 448 of Article I, Chapter 12, Part 1, of the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York; Section 49, Chapter 5, Part III, of the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York; and all other ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent with or contrary to the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Sec. 5. This ordinance shall take effect September 1, 1914.

ORIGINAL.

AN ORDINANCE in relation to the stoppage of street surface railway cars in The City of New York.

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

Section 1. Safety Stops for Street Surface Railway Cars—In the interest of public safety, street surface railway cars shall come to a full stop:

(a) At all points where a "Fire Stop" sign is exhibited.

(b) At all points where a "School Stop" sign is exhibited, between the hours of 8 a. m. and 9 a. m., 12 noon and 1 p. m., and 3 p. m. and 5 p. m., except on Saturdays, Sundays and legal holidays and between the period of July 1st and September 1st.

Sec. 2. Street Surface Railway Cars Taking on or Discharging Passengers—To take on or discharge passengers, when signaled so to do, street surface railway cars shall come to a full stop, in such a position as not to obstruct the crosswalk, before crossing any intersecting or connecting street; except that with the written consent of the Police Commissioner, and if "Trolley Stop" signs are installed by the railway company, cars may stop:

(a) At other points on unpaved streets,

(b) In the centers of blocks over four hundred feet long;

(c) On the far side of any street containing an intersecting street railway; except, further, that street surface railway cars may cross an intersecting or connecting street without stopping provided that, in each such case, the Police Commissioner shall give his consent, and the railway company shall install a "No Stop" sign, and there shall be regular stopping place with a "Trolley Stop" sign within 200 feet of the "No Stop" sign.

Sec. 3. Punishment for Violations—Any street surface railway company violating any provision of this ordinance, shall upon conviction be punished by a fine of ten (10) dollars for each offense.

Sec. 4. Ordinances Repealed—Section 448 of Article I, Chapter 12, Part 1, of the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York; Section 49, Chapter 5, Part III, of the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York; and all other ordinances inconsistent with or contrary to the provisions of this article are hereby repealed.

Sec. 5. This ordinance shall take effect September 1, 1914.

D. M. BEDELL, EDWARD H. TAYLOR, JESSE D. MOORE, MICHAEL J. HOGAN, FRANK MULLEN, FRANK DOSTAL, Jr., F. H. WILMOT, JOHN H. BOSCHEN, Committee on Public Thoroughfares.

City of New York, Law Department, Office of the Corporation Counsel, New York, May 2, 1914.

Hon. GEORGE McANENY, President of the Board of Aldermen:

Sir—I have received your communication relative to the power of the Board of Aldermen in the matter of enacting traffic regulations, which reads as follows:

"The Committee on Public Thoroughfares of the Board of Aldermen has appointed an Advisory Commission to study the whole question of street traffic in New York City, and to draft ordinances for the consideration of the Board.

"There seems to be some question as to the powers of the Board of Aldermen in traffic matters, since one section of the Charter confers upon the Police Commissioner the power of making regulations for the movement of traffic.

"Our assumption is that the Board of Aldermen has power to enact ordinances of a general nature under which the police may exercise control; for example, ordinances that may empower the police, in certain sections, to designate certain streets as 'one-way streets,' exclude certain kinds of vehicles from certain streets at certain hours, etc.

"Since the question has arisen, however, I hereby request that you give me your opinion as to how far the Board of Aldermen may lawfully go, under the Charter and the Home Rule Bill, in enacting traffic ordinances."

The power of the Police Commissioner with respect to the adoption of traffic regulations by him was conferred by a provision inserted in section 315 of the Charter by chapter 621 of the Laws of 1905. Prior to that amendment the duty of the Police Department and force upon the subject of regulating traffic in streets, as defined by that section, was to

"Regulate, direct, control, restrict and direct the movement of all teams, horses, carts, wagons, automobiles and all other vehicles in streets, bridges, squares, parks and public places, for the facilitation of traffic and the convenience of the public as well as the proper protection of human life and health, etc."

Prior to this amendment it was held that the Police Commissioner could not, by a general rule, prohibit the movement of teams and vehicles generally in parts of the City streets, but his power was confined to the exclusion of teams or vehicles from parts of a street, or from a street, in case of an emergency, like a conflagration or an abnormal congestion of traffic due to some unusual cause, to bringing of order out of chaos of vehicles by prescribing rules relative lines of travel, for alignment, for halting a movement for a time in order to afford relative rights of passage to other teams and vehicles or to pedestrians, and to execute that policy which under his present direction would facilitate and safeguard passage in the streets.

By the amendment above referred to, the following was added to the provision above quoted:

"and to that end the Police Commissioner shall make such rules and regulations for the conduct of vehicular traffic in the use of the public streets, squares and avenues as he may deem necessary;"

By chapter 456 of the Laws of 1914, the section was further amended by adding to the clause last above quoted the following provision:

"the violation of which rules and regulations shall be a misdemeanor punishable by not less than two or more than thirty days in prison, or by a fine of not less than five or more than fifty dollars, or both;"

His power before the adoption of those amendments, however, was fully recognized to the extent of the direction and control of traffic movement under the provision as it then existed.

The first amendment, as above quoted, confined the power to make rules and regulations, and the last amendment, which became a law only recently, gives definite force and effect to such regulations. But the rules and regulations which the Police Commissioner is thus authorized to make appear to be such only as he may enforce in the direction and control of traffic movement in pursuance of the power which had been conferred upon him before the amendment. The amendment of 1905, you will observe, begins with the significant words, "and to that end," which is to say that the Police Commissioner is authorized to make rules and regulations, to the end that the purpose embodied in the preceding clause might be effectually accomplished, and that purpose had prior to the amendment received the limited interpretation to which reference has already been made.

Upon a careful consideration of the provisions of the foregoing section of the Charter, as amended, in connection with the provisions of sections 43 and 50 of the Charter under which the general legislative power to regulate the use of the streets and sidewalks by foot passengers and by vehicles is conferred upon the Board of Aldermen, which power in that Board has been recognized since as well as before the amendment of section 315 which gave the Police Commissioner power to make rules and regulations, I am of opinion that the general authority of the Board of Aldermen over the subject has not been superseded. To justify a contrary construction of the provisions of section 315, the legislative purpose to deprive the Board of Aldermen of the power granted in the earlier sections of the Charter hereinbefore adverted to should be conveyed by unequivocal language, which is not the case here. The power of the Police Commissioner and the power of the Board of Aldermen may be exercised without conflict, and I beg to advise you that in my opinion the Board of Alderman may enact ordinances of a general character under which the police may exercise control.

In view of the foregoing conclusion, it is unnecessary to consider the effect of the Home Rule Bill.

Respectfully yours, LOUIS H. HAHLO. Acting Corporation Counsel.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote.

Affirmative—Aldermen Bartscherer, Bedell, Benninger, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Burden, Carroll, Chorosh, Colne, Curran, Diemer, Dixson, Dostal, Dotzler, Duggan, Eichhorn, Ferrand, Gaynor, Hamilton, Hogan, Igstaedter, Jacobson, Kenney, Kochendorfer, Levy, McNally, Molen, Moore (Chas. L.), Moore (Jesse D.), Mullen (Frank), O'Rourke, Ottes, Pendry, Post, Pouker, Quinn, Rosenblum, Spencer, Squiers, Stapleton, Stevenson, Taylor, Trau, Valentine, Weil, Wilmot; President McCormack, by Lewis Nixon, Commissioner of Public Works; President Connolly, by James A. Dayton, Commissioner of Public Works; President Mathewson, by John G. Borgstede, Commissioner of Public Works; President Pounds, by Edmund W. Voorhies, Commissioner of Public Works; President Marks, by E. V. Frothingham, Commissioner of Public Works; the Vice-Chairman and the President—54.

No. 346—Int. No. 674.

The Committee on Public Thoroughfares, to which was referred on June 9, 1914 (Minutes, page 591), the annexed ordinance relating to peddlers, venders, hawkers and hucksters, respectfully

REPORTS:

That this proposed ordinance was recommitted for the purpose of making a few changes which, in the opinion of the Committee, strengthen it materially. It presents the new form herewith, and recommends that the new substitute ordinance be adopted.

"SUBSTITUTE."

AN ORDINANCE relating to peddlers, venders, hawkers and hucksters.

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

Section 1. Section 551 of Chapter 13, of part 1 of the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 551. No *individual* (peddler, vender, hawker or huckster) who plies a trade or calling of whatsoever nature on the streets and thoroughfares of The City of New York, shall blow upon or use or suffer or permit to be blown upon or used, any horn, *bell or bells* or other instrument *or device,* nor make or suffer or permit to be made any [(improper)] noise tending to disturb the peace and quiet of a neighborhood, for the purpose of directing attention to his wares or trade or calling [under a penalty of not more than five dollars for each offense]. *Any person who shall violate any provision of this section shall, upon conviction thereof, be fined not more than $5, or imprisoned for not exceeding five days.*

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Note—New matter in *italics;* old matter, in brackets[ ], to be omitted.

"ORIGINAL."

AN ORDINANCE, relating to peddlers, venders, hawkers and hucksters.

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

Section 1. Section 551 of Chapter 13, of part 1 of the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 551. No peddler, vender, hawker or huckster, who plies a trade or calling of whatsoever nature on the streets and thoroughfares of The City of New York, shall blow upon or use or suffer or permit to be blown upon or used, any horn or other instrument, nor make or suffer or permit to be made any (improper) noise tending to disturb the peace and quiet of a neighborhood, for the purpose of directing attention to his wares or trade or calling (under a penalty of not more than five dollars for each offense.) *Any person who shall violate any provision of this section shall, upon conviction thereof, be fined not more than $5, or imprisoned for not exceeding five days.*

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

D. M. BEDELL, EDWARD H. TAYLOR, JESSE D. MOORE, MICHAEL J. HOGAN, FRANK MULLEN, FRANK DOSTAL, Jr., F. H. WILMOT, JOHN H. BOSCHEN, Committee on Public Thoroughfares.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bartscherer, Bedell, Boschen, Bosse, Brush, Carroll, Chorosh, Colne, Curran, Dostal, Dotzler, Duggan, Eichhorn, Ferrand, Hamilton, Hogan, Igstaedter, Jacobson, Kochendorfer, Levy, McNally, Moore (Chas. L.), Moore (Jesse D.), Mullen (Frank), Ottes, Pendry, Post, Pouker, Quinn, Rosenblum, Spencer, Squiers, Stevenson, Taylor, Trau, Valentine, Weil, Wilmot, President Mathewson, by John G. Borgstede, Commissioner of Public Works; President Pounds, by Edmund W. Voorhies, Commissioner of Public Works; President Marks, by E. V. Frothingham, Commissioner of Public Works; the Vice-Chairman and the President—43.

Negative—Aldermen Benniger, Burden, Carberry, Cunningham, Donnelly, Dowling, McCourt, Moran, Mullen (Jas. F.), and O'Rourke—10.

No. 352—Int. No. 737.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to which was referred on June 9, 1914 (Minutes, page 551), the annexed resolution in favor of establishing certain grades of Confidential Inspector in the Department of Docks and Ferries, and abolishing certain other grades, respectfully

REPORTS:

That this change is made to meet the wishes of the Commissioner of Docks, who believes that two men enjoying a fair salary can perform this special work in a manner to satisfy him better than one head and two subordinates.

The Committee recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted the following resolution at a stated meeting held June 5, 1914:

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on May 8, 1914, which reads as follows:

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

Title.	Rate Per Annum.	Number of Incumbents.
Confidential Inspector	$2,250 00	2

—"and that the following positions in said Department be abolished:

Title.	Rate Per Annum.	Number of Incumbents.
Chief Confidential Inspector	$2,250 00	1
Assistant Confidential Inspector	1,200 00	2

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

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

Title.	Rate Per Annum.	Number of Incumbents.
Confidential Inspector	$2,250 00	2

—and that the following positions in said Department be abolished:

Title.	Rate Per Annum.	Number of Incumbents.
Chief Confidential Inspector	$2,250 00	1
Assistant Confidential Inspector	1,200 00	2

—the abolishment not to become effective until after the position of Confidential Inspector for two incumbents has been exempted by the Municipal Civil Service Commission.

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

JACOB WEIL, EDWARD EICHHORN, FRANK DOSTAL, Jr., ANTHONY J. McNALLY, D. M. BEDELL, EDWARD B. VALENTINE, OSCAR IGSTAEDTER, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

Which, on motion of Alderman Curran, was laid over until the next meeting.

No. 831—(G. O. No. 378).

By the President—

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

By Vice Chairman Esterbrook—
Michael Aron, 410 Stuyvesant Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Henry Diemer and Fred Rose.

By Alderman Bartscherer.
James A. Enright, 19 Jefferson Street, Brocklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Francis P. Bent and James J. Molen.

By Alderman Benninger—
Louis Stephen Wund, 345 Sheffield Street, Rockaway Beach, L. I.
Endorsed by James H. Cross and P. McCormack.
Leonard W. Davies, 27 Columbus Avenue, Rockaway Park, L. I.
Endorsed by Samuel S. Bernstein and Frederick T. Davies.
Henry John Schwarz, 1676 Gates Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Thomas Kohlweiss and Henry Burky.

By Alderman Boschen—
Abraham Leichter, 510 West 176th Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Michael V. Rosenberg and George P. Heienberger.
Charles T. McManus, 581 West 161st Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by J. H. Cafferty and C. B. Stewart.
John E. Cavanaugh, 435 Convent Avenue, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Emmet J. Murphy and Mathias Wallace.
Vincent T. Coughlin, 519 West 179th Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Emmet J. Murphy and Edward T. Holahan.
George W. S. O'Brien, 417 West 156th Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by James F. Martin and James C. Montgomery.
Thomas Francis Burke, 1250 St. Nicholas Avenue, Manhattan.
Endorsed by W. J. Norton and Michael J. English.
Louis F. Gaffney, 127 Vermilyea Avenue, Manhattan.
Endorsed by John J. Hanify and Edward Chambers.
John P. Burns, 456 West 150th Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Thomas A. Scanlan and Michael Murphy.
Thomas H. Ray, 824 St. Nicholas Avenue, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Isaac Reiss and Rollin M. Morgan.

By Alderman Bosse—
Herbert Cracauer, 601 East 3rd Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Charles A. Conner and Samuel Marion.
Ira Jacobs, 182 Bay 19th Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Robert T. Mitchell and Robert J. Dutchson.
Robert L. Hall, 1913 Benson Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by J. B. Brown and Charles J. Keogh.
Andrew A. Peterson, 1293 Prospect Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Julian F. Phlmann and Alfred Troudy.

By Alderman Brush—
Charles Jerome Thomson, 2176 8th Avenue, Manhattan.
Endorsed by William M. Storet and C. M. McGee.
Charles Liebman, 212 West 114th Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Jacob Dreyfuss and Solomon Hecht.
Ida V. Stockbridge, 417 West 120th Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Archibald E. Heighway and Chas. R. Sickles.
Eugene L. Eisinger, 1090 Amsterdam Avenue, Manhattan.
Endorsed by W. J. Victory and George Rothmann.
Lee S. Defore, 420 W. 129th St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Robert Beyer and Henry Stanley Renaud.

By Alderman Burden—
James D. Moran, 10 Pearson Street, Long Island City.
Endorsed by Bernard M. Pardue and James W. Kelly.
Thomas B. Sheehan, 111 Vernon Avenue, Long Island City.
Endorsed by Maurice Metzger and Thomas J. White.

By Alderman Chorosh—
Frederick N. Glassberg, 16 West 117th Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Bernard Fliashinck and Herman Edelhertz.

By Alderman Colne—
Chas. A. Chase, 479 Franklin Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Henry Feldmann and Rudolph L. Scharf.
William R. Foley, 1126 Bedford Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by W. R. Stafford and John J. Bracklin.
Philip Levy, 263 Greene Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Geo. R. Brennan and Alfred E. Vass.

By Alderman Cunningham—
Florence Stephen McCarthy, 22 Fourth Place, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Thomas H. Culben and Dennis F. King.

By Alderman Curran—
Louis Espresso, 107 West 3rd Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by George C. Williams and Harry G. Andrews.
Martin J. Durkin, 156 West 20th Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Samuel Deane, Jr., and Wm. H. Tomlinson.
James J. Crawford, 46 Perry Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Elyah T. Keehn and H. G. Andrews.
Emile S. Reynolds, 413 Bleecker Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by James J. Crawford and Martin J. Durkin.
George Vincent Reyonlds, 413 Bleecker Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Martin J. Durkin and Wm. H. Tomlinson.
William Henry Tomlinson, 38 8th Avenue, Manhattan.
Endorsed by F. J. Martin and Henry H. Curran.

By Alderman Delaney—
Jacob Stiefel, 163 East 89th Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by David Korncluch and Abraham M. Fisch.
Maurice A. Walsh, 233 East 87th Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Jacob Stiefel and Owen M. Kiernan.
Thomas F. Tyrrell, 141 East 90th Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Jacob Stiefel and Owen M. Kiernan.
Michael F. Kenney, 320 East 98th Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Owen M. Kiernan and Jacob Stiefel.
David Kornblueh, 163 East 89th Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Jacob Stiefel and Samuel Schultz.
Joseph A. Matthews, 118 East 102d Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Owen M. Kiernan and Jacob Stiefel.
Michael Palumbo, 2033 2nd Avenue, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Jacob Stiefel and Owen M. Kiernan.
Edward J. Smyth, 1873 2nd Avenue, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Owen M. Kiernan and Jacob Stiefel.
Charles W. Davies, 1595 Lexington Avenue, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Owen M. Kiernan and Jacob Stiefel.

By Alderman Diemer—
Michael Aron, 410 Stuyvesant Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Henry Diemer and Fred. Ross.

By Alderman Dostal, Jr.—
Agortino Bonomolo, 302 East 12th St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Cominick J. Gunnon and Anthony J. Giclotte.
Francesco Milano, 44 First Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Philip J. Knobloch and Antonias Nocito.

By Alderman Dotzler—
Adolph Finkler, 721 East 5th Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Adolph Stern and L. Freiser.
Samuel S. Isaacs, 117 Columbia Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Jacob E. Diston and Morris Gottesman.

By Alderman Duggan—
Charles Patrick Walpole, 2347 3rd Avenue, Manhattan.
Endorsed by John F. Purcell and Patrick J. Geoghegan.
Anthony Canero, 327 East 115th Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by John J. Carroll and Patrick J. Geoghegan.
Leon J. Goldsmith, 2156 3rd Avenue, Manhattan.
Endorsed by John J. Carroll and John F. Purcell.

By Alderman Ferrand—
Irving Lee Bloch, 455 Prospect Place, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by William J. Gilliland and John Stiuck.
Cecilia MacKenzie, 92 Gates Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Oscar A. Lewis and Edson B. Sammis.
William J. McCarty, 99 Sterling Place, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Joseph P. Meehan and James Brady.
Harry A. Sylvester, 652 Washington Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by William H. Knapp and John Diemer.
Rowland Hill, 101 St. Marks Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by George G. Dallon and J. S. Morton.

By Alderman Ferguson—
Herman Weissenberg, 756 Trinity Avenue, Bronx, N. Y.
Endorsed by David Cohen and Leonard L. Helburn.
Eugene A. Regan, 892 Eagle Avenue, Bronx, N. Y.
Endorsed by John F. F. Leary and William J. Fennell.
John Joseph Hickey, 645 Eagle Avenue, Bronx, N. Y.
Endorsed by P. J. Kane and Ben. Kaplan.
Peter Schulte, 342 East 153rd Street, Bronx, N. Y.
Endorsed by Patrick J. Kane and John J. Hickey.

By Alderman Fink—
Matilda Z. Dowd, Hamilton Avenue, New Brighton, S. I.
Endorsed by Samuel R. Brick and J. E. Seaton.

By Alderman Gaynor—
Jacob B. Lindner, 120 Middleton Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Johanna Veit and Herbert Baonkur.
Louis Straus, 690 Putnam Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by John S. Gaynor and Wm. R. Stafford.

By Alderman Hamilton—
Malcohn Beckwith Ayres, 120 West 183d Street, Bronx, N. Y.
Endorsed by Steven B. Ayres and Robert Jones.
William J. Cahill, 117 Featherbed Lane, Bronx, N. Y.
Endorsed by John B. Corcoran and Thomas A. Maher.

By Alderman Hannon—
J. Frederick Bammann, 262 West 19th Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Albert Lutz and J. G. Conlon.
James J. Muldoon, 96 Jane Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Jos. P. Boyle and Joseph J. Hennessey.
Joseph F. Reilly, 69 Eighth Avenue, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Jos. P. Boyle and Robert P. Conlin.
Joseph P. Boyle, 349 West 4th Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by James J. Muldoon and Robert P. Conlin.
Thomas J. Jolly, 250 West 16th Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Joseph J. Hennessey and Jos. P. Boyle.
Wm. B. Sanger, 579 Hudson Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by James J. Muldoon and Robert P. Conlin.
Stephen F. Roberts, 325 West 11th Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Joseph J. Hennessey and Jos. P. Burke.
Robert Patrick Conlin, 342 West 11th Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Joseph J. Hennessey and James J. Muldoon.
Joseph J. Hennessey, 354 West 16th Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Robert P. Conlin and Jos. P. Burke.

By Alderman Igstaedter—
William J. J. Elger, 118 West 130th Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by P. J. Kane and Arthur D. Murray.

By Alderman Jacobson—
Abraham S. Morris, 64 Bayard Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Maurice I. May and Murray D. Firstmann.
Isidore I. Haber, 211 East Broadway, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Isidore Weckstein and Bernard Bogan.

By Alderman Kenneally—
James A. McKenna, 215 Avenue C., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Myles A. Walsh and Chas. E. Casey.
Gandolfo A. Sellaro, 227 East 18th Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Vincent Ingraham and Joseph N. Lo Medico.

By Alderman Kochendorfer—
Charles C. Henderson, 53 Ackroyd Avenue, Jamaica, L. I.
Endorsed by George L. Hobard and Frank E. Hopkins.
Gertrude E. Wandler, 738 Ocean View Avenue, Woodhaven, L. I.
Endorsed by Mark Nave and Edwin P. Kahoe.
Henry Alfred Bornschener, 402 Vine Street, Richmond Hill, L. I.
Endorsed by Frank C. Khugenbeck and Novel D. Stone.
George J. Wagner, 276 Welling Street, Richmond Hill, L. I.
Endorsed by John W. Meagee and Christopher J. Moore.

By Alderman Lein—
George Boden, 637 Second Avenue, Manhattan.
Endorsed by John S. Shea and Henry Carley.
Adolph Kreisberg, 215 East 34th Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Lewis Nadet and Hyman Schwartz.

By Alderman Levy—
Joseph Levy, 397 South 2nd Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Michael Frayna and Jacob Baldwin.
By Alderman McCourt—
Thos. E. Reynolds, 406 West 43rd Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Joseph S. Furlong and Edw. J. Sullivan.
Earle R. Lightbourne, 326 West 37th Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Peter Kein and Samuel Golich.
George W. Antes, 450 West 36th Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by James J. Devine and William J. Popper.
Robert J. Williamson, 474 West 34th Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by James J. Devine and William J. Popper.
By Alderman McGarry—
Edward A. Dowling, 143 Huron St., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Joseph F. Munn and Francis W. Zeiner.
By Alderman McNally—
Jennie Deloras Williams, 416 East 144th Street, Bronx, N. Y.
Endorsed by August F. Schmarzler and J. A. Dorsey.
Louis S. Breslan, 1019 Faile Street, Bronx, N. Y.
Endorsed by Albert A. Weinstein and Abraham H. Simon.
Clark H. Van Wagner, 346 Willis Avenue, Bronx, N. Y.
Endorsed by W. E. Coonan and Felix Goldsmith.
By Alderman Moran—
William P. J. Bible, 2116 Watson Avenue, Bronx, N. Y.
Endorsed by Frank Gass and John McCord Storer.
Fred L. Hahn, 2107 Matthews Avenue, Bronx, N. Y.
Endorsed by John Ringen and Wm. Landgrebe.
Maurice J. Blatt, 1228 Union Avenue, Bronx, N. Y.
Endorsed by John Blumenthal and Harry Dimin.
By Alderman Jesse D. Moore—
Salvatore H. Gesoalde, 31 Withers Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Francis P. Bent and James J. Molen.
By Alderman Charles J. Moore—
Ethel N. Brager, 452 Vermont Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Samuel D. Miller and Martin Lippman.
Francis L. Skelly, 446 Essex Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Julius F. Ohlmann and Thomas F. Peterson.
By Alderman Frank Mullen—
Charles D. O'Connell, 746 St. Nicholas Avenue, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Julius Brooks and Chas. E. McShane.
Michael J. Wallace, 507 West 144th Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Morris Ullman and S. Mendelson.
Murroy Markowitz, 601 West 144th Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Monroe H. Weil and Morris J. Tonbin.
Joseph Lawrence Brady, 295 West 150th Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by H. W. Boehack and Wm. Fitzpatrick.
Albert Wilson Darby, 11 Hamilton Terrace, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Herman A. Muhlbach and Bartholomew Stoll.
By Alderman Nugent—
John F. Prendergast, 416 East 65th Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Charles H. Dippel and William E. Rooney.
Solomon J. Bacharach, 242 East 53rd Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Charles H. Dippel and William E. Rooney.
Leon Gotthelf, 247 East 58th Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Charles H. Dippel and William E. Rooney.
Edward J. Lonergan, 325 East 66th Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by William E. Rooney and James Duffy.
William E. Rooney, 211 East 69th Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by James Duffy and John V. Coggey.
Harry L. Cummings, 222 East 71st Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by John P. Bonser and Louis Ressler.
Samuel Rosenstein, 308 East 72nd Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by C. Warren Hastings and Henry Pearlman.
Richard G. Giery, 1254 2nd Avenue, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Mark Goldberg and Joseph F. Brady.
Frank J. Burnes, 206 East 70th Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Carl Klein and Francis N. Brady.
George J. Dunn, 1133 3rd Avenue, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Harry J. Mead and James Kelleher.
Joseph J. O. Reilly, 256 East 68th Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by E. H. Baumpre and Howard L. Lasker.
Maurice Frank, 9 Sutton Place, Manhattan.
Endorsed by John F. Prendergast and Michael Bawlor.
By Alderman Ottes—
Frederick J. Stroh, 343 East 87th Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by John J. Flaherty and Raymond J. White.
Thaddeus C. Wasserman, 445 East 87th Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Edward V. Gilmore and John A. Bell.
William H. Sinnott, 222 East 87th Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by T. C. Wasserman and Edward V. Gilmore.
John A. Bell, 311 East 90th Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed By William H. Sinnott and Edward V. Gilmore.
Paul George Wenzel, 217 East 84th Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Edward V. Hevey and Ambrose O. Neal.
Benedict Pietz, 445 East 88th Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by John P. Corrigan and J. F. Sullivan.
Edwin H. Lackman, 547 East 87th Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by William H. Sinnott and John A. Bell.
By Alderman Pendry—
Frederick C. Mertz, 1471 Greene Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Anton Krans and Francis P. Bent.
Peter R. Henaghan, 1331 Greene Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Francis P. Bent and James J. Molen.
Charles B. Van Nostran, 236 Central Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Francis P. Bent and John F. Hylan.
By Alderman Post—
Z. F. Preville, 10 23rd Street, Whitestone, L. I.
Endorsed by T. J. Williams and Otto D. Parker.
By Alderman Pouker—
John J. Reilly, 77 East 121st Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by John F. Purcell and Patrick J. Geoghegan.
Charles Moore, 1883 Madison Avenue, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Herman Ratner and Joseph Careccia.
By Alderman Quinn.
Margaret A. Rush, 309 West 111th Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Jacob Walz and Jacob M. Schwarz.
Lewis S. Goebel, Jr., 338 West 87th Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by George V. Grainger and Adolph Gutzsell.
By Alderman Robitzek—
Randolph N. Sonffront, 1922 Crotona Parkway, Bronx, N. Y.
Endorsed by Robert E. Surze and Alvin M. Higgins.
Joseph Schwartz, 1317 Wickens Avenue, Bronx, N. Y.
Endorsed by Louis Berman and David Knopp.
Donato Piciulo, 826 East 180th Street, Bronx, N. Y.
Endorsed by John E. Linderman and Pasquale J. Lambati.
By Alderman Rosenblum—
Benjamin S. Glassberg, 1923 Bergen Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by T. O. Gluckman and Isaac J. Morris.
By Alderman Spencer—
Anthony Senes, 17 West 32nd Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Jules Heckman and Jas. Maskel.
Garfield W. Steves, 366 Lexington Avenue, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Harry B. Stowell and Frank A. Moffitt.
By Alderman Squiers—
Thomas E. Lawrence, 1350 Bergen Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Charles M. Searles and John Walsh.
Francis P. O'Connor, 851 East 34th Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by George E. Draper and John P. McNamara.
Joseph J. Schwartz, 1199 Eastern Parkway, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Max Stouch and Max N. Koven.
Walter S. MacGregor, 1134 Pacific Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by George Schnbel and Casper Ernstein.
Albert J. Berlitsky, 15 Clifford Place, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Francis P. Bent and James J. Molen.
By Alderman Stevenson—
Arthur J. Dunne, 377 4th Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by James P. Bent and James A. Enright.
William A. Keith, 817 8th Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by John Walsh and Isaacsen, A.
By Alderman Taylor—
Sydney Samuel Braunberg, 657 Quincy Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Henry I. Mansfield and Joseph Jacobowitz.
Edward B. Terry, 547 Hancock Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Warren H. Bristal and John G. Hinman.
Blanche L. Platt, 479 McDonough Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Frank A. Busteed and Nathaniel L. Gladstone.
Alexander V. Taylor, 543 Bainbridge Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Frank H. Burnett and John Morris.
By Alderman Trau—
Diodato Villamena, 215 East 117th Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Michael J. Villamena and H. C. Schloss.
Theresa Mase, 226 East 115th Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Anthony Rogger and John Thomas.
By Alderman Valentine—
John Kaiser, 462 79th Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by John P. Griebel and Henry Martyn.
Morris Bercow, 4908 New Utrecht Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Endorsed by Joseph J. Hynes and James J. Molen.
By Alderman Weil—
David S. Wolfson, 1522 Webster Avenue, Bronx, N. Y.
Endorsed by John Winneur and Irving Grinon.
Frank A. Flandreawx, 1064 Morris Avenue, Bronx, N. Y.
Endorsed by Thos. C. Miller and J. E. Ireeland.
By Alderman Wendel, Jr.—
James L. McMannus, 461 West 49th Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Worthington C. Campbell and John J. Boyhan.
Michael J. Maguire, 415 West 47th Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Edward J. Godby and John J. Boyhan.
Anna C. Deutzman, 344 West 52nd Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Jacob Vierling and Eugene O'Neill.
Thomas J. Morris, 513 West 47th Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Edward J. Godby and John J. Boyhan.
Joseph James Hanricks, 604 Tenth Avenue, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Wm. J. McManus and John J. Boylan.
William P. Malloy, 372 West 46th Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Edward J. Godby and John J. Boyhan.
Daniel F. Norton, 345 West 48th Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Edward J. Godby and John J. Boyhan.
Wm. H. Wenzel, 552 West 51st Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Edward J. Godby and John J. Boyhan.
By Alderman White—
William H. Long, 241 Bowery, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Joseph M. Hannon and Andrew H. Matthews.
John Cardone, 57-67 Kenmare Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Samuel Stark and Denis J. Sullivan.
Ralph Delli Paoli, 387 Broome Street, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Wm. J. Long and Joseph A. Ganto.
Samuel Stark, 244 Bowery, Manhattan.
Endorsed by Denis J. Sullivan and John Cardone.
By Alderman Wilmot—
Edward J. Murphy, 3069 Hull Avenue, Bronx, N. Y.
Endorsed by Steven B. Ayres and John Wegmainn.
Robert W. Maloney, 3409 Giles Place, Bronx, N. Y.
Endorsed by Lamont McLoughlin and Charles Kaufman.
Which was laid over.

No. 832—(G. O. No. 379).

By Alderman Chorosh—

AN ORDINANCE to amend an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance relative to Speed Regulations, proposed by the Special Committee on Speed Regulations," adopted April 15, 1913, and approved April 29, 1913, as amended by an ordinance adopted November 25, 1913, and approved December 3, 1913, and by an ordinance adopted March 10, 1914, and approved March 18, 1914.

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

Section 1. The ordinance entitled "An Ordinance relative to Speed Regulations, proposed by the Special Committee on Speed Regulations," adopted April 15, 1913, and approved April 29, 1913, as amended by an ordinance adopted November 29, 1913, and approved December 3, 1913, and by an ordinance adopted March 10, 1914, and approved March 18, 1914, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

1. Rates of Speed, Limitations, Presumptions—No person shall operate, drive or propel, and no owner thereof riding thereon or therein shall cause or permit to be operated, driven or propelled, on any public highway in The City of New York, any bicycle, tricycle, velocipede, motorcycle, motortricycle, motor delivery wagon, or motorvehicle however propelled, or any vehicle drawn by horses or other animals, recklessly or negligently, or at a speed or in a manner so as to endanger or to be likely to endanger, the life or limb or property of any person. Provided, that a rate of speed exceeding fifteen (15) miles per hour shall constitute prima facie evidence of a rate of speed and manner of driving prohibited as aforesaid and of a violation of the provisions of this section; provided further, that a rate of speed exceeding twenty (20) miles per hour shall constitute a rate of speed and manner of driving prohibited as aforesaid and in violation of the provisions of this section; provided further, however, that a rate of speed exceeding twenty-five (25) miles per hour on public highways where the same pass through country or outlying sections which are substantially undeveloped and sparsely settled, shall constitute a rate of speed and manner of driving prohibited as aforesaid and in violation of the provisions of this section.

2. Turning Corners, Overtaking or Meeting Street Cars—In turning a corner of meeting or intersecting public highways the person operating, driving or propelling any vehicle subject to the provisions of section one (1) of this article shall not proceed, nor shall the owner of any such vehicle riding thereon or therein, cause or permit the same to proceed at a rate of speed greater than four (4) miles per hour; and in overtaking or meeting a street passenger car which has been stopped for the purpose of receiving or discharging a passenger or passengers, no such vehicle aforesaid shall pass or approach within eight (8) feet of said street car so long as the same is so stopped and remain standing for the purpose aforesaid.

3. Approaching Bridges, Passing Public Schools—Upon approaching a bridge, or in passing a public school on school days between the hours of eight (8) o'clock ante-meridian and four (4) o'clock post-meridian, the person operating, driving or propelling any vehicle subject to the provisions of section one (1) of this article, shall not proceed, nor shall the owner of any such vehicle riding thereon or therein cause or permit the same to proceed at a rate of speed greater than ten (10) miles per hour.

3a. Congested Streets—In the thickly populated residential sections of the City, the Police Commissioner is hereby authorized and empowered to cause signs to be erected or maintained in any street thereof, at any time of the day or night when such street shall be congested by traffic or thronged by children, which shall be affixed to stanchions on the curb or other conspicuous places, and shall indicate that the speed limit in such street shall be not more than 8 miles per hour. No person operating, driving or propelling any vehicle, subject to the provisions of section one (1) of this article, shall proceed, nor shall the owner of any such vehicle riding thereon or therein, cause or permit the same to proceed at a greater speed than eight (8) miles per hour upon any portion of any street so restricted during the time when any such sign shall be erected and maintained thereon.

4. Application of sections 1, 2 [and], 3 and 3a—Nothing contained in any of the provisions of section one (1) as to specific rates of speed, or in any of the provisions of [either] section two (2), [or] section three (3) or section (3a) shall apply to vehicles which run only on rails and tracks; or to any of the following vehicles, when the same are responding for emergency work in case of fire, accident, public disaster or impending danger, to wit: wagons, trucks and apparatus of the Fire Department, of the Insurance Patrol, of the Police Department, of the Bureaus of Buildings and of the Military, emergency repair wagons of Public Service Corporations and ambulances.

5. Violations, Punishment for First, Second, Third and Subsequent Offenses—Any person who shall operate, drive or propel and also any owner thereof riding thereon or therein who shall cause or permit any vehicle subject to the provisions of section one (1) of this article, to be operated, driven or propelled in violation of any of the provisions of this article, shall, upon conviction for the first offense, be punished by a fine of not less than twenty-five (25) dollars, or more than one hundred (100) dollars, or by imprisonment for a term of not less than two (2) days nor more than fifteen (15) days, or by both; and shall upon conviction for the second offense, within one (1) year from the commission of the first offense, be punished by a fine of not less than fifty (50) dollars, nor more than one hundred (100) dollars, or by imprisonment for a term of not less than three (3) days, nor more than thirty (30) days, or by both; and shall upon conviction for the third offense, and for each and every offense subsequent thereto, within one (1) year from the commission of the first offense, be punished by a fine of one hundred (100) dollars, or by imprisonment for a term of not less than five (5) days nor more than sixty (60) days, or by both.

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Which was laid over.

No. 833.

By Alderman Gaynor—

AN ORDINANCE to repeal sections 7 and 8 of article 3 of chapter 1 of part 3 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of New York relating to "sidewalks and roadways" of the Borough of Brooklyn.

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

Section 1. Sections 7 and 8 of article 3 of chapter 1 of part 3 of the Code of Ordinances of The City of New York, relating to streets and roadways in the Borough of Brooklyn, are hereby repealed.

§2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Thoroughfares.

No. 834.

By the same—

AN ORDINANCE amending Sections 129 and 130 of Article III of Chapter 5 of Part I of the Code of Ordinances of the City of New York, relating to "flagging, curbing and repairing sidewalks."

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

Section 1. Sections 129 and 130 of Article III of Chapter 5 of Part I of the Code of Ordinances of the City of New York, relating to the flagging, curbing and repairing of sidewalks, are hereby amended so as to read, respectively, as follows:

§129. The owner or owners, lessee or lessees, occupant or occupants, of any house or other building or vacant lot fronting on any street or avenue, shall, at his, her or their charge and expense, well and sufficiently pave, according to the ordinances, and keep and maintain in good repair the sidewalks and curb and gutter of such street or avenue in front of any such house or other building or vacant lot; provided, however, that whenever any sidewalk, curb or gutter, in any of the boroughs of the city, has been at any time flagged or paved at the expense of the property owner, either by assessment or otherwise, said sidewalk, curb or gutter shall thereafter be kept in repair at the public expense under the jurisdiction of the borough president having control and cognizance thereof.

§130. Upon complaint being made to the borough president having jurisdiction thereof, to his satisfaction, that any sidewalk, or curb and gutter, or either, are not paved or repaired according to this ordinance, where such pavement or repairs are to be made at the expense of the property owners, it shall be lawful for the said borough president to cause a notice to be served upon the owner or owners, lessee or lessees, occupant or occupants, of any such house or other building or vacant lot of ground fronting on any street or avenue to repair or relay, as the case may require, the sidewalk and curb and gutter, or either, in front of the same within ten days after the service of such notice.

Sec. 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Thoroughfares.

No. 835.

By Alderman Hamilton—

Resolved, That, for the purpose of defraying minor incidental expenses, the Chairman of the Committee on Buildings of the Board of Aldermen may draw upon the Comptroller for a sum not exceeding one hundred dollars ($100), and may in like manner renew the draft as often as may be deemed necessary to the extent of the appropriation set aside and entitled "Contingencies, Code No. 14, Board of Aldermen and City Clerk. 1914;" but no such renewal shall be made until the money paid upon the preceding draft shall be accounted for by the transmittal of a voucher or vouchers, certified by the said Chairman of the Committee on Buildings of the Board of Aldermen covering the expenditures of the money paid thereon.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 836.

By Alderman C. J. Moore—

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

Whereas, There are employed in the Fire Alarm Telegraph Bureau of the Fire Department of the City of New York, two (2) Instrument Makers (classified in many cities as Maintainers), and one Fire Alarm Box Inspector, detailed as Instrument Maker. Their duties are to keep in proper repair and adjustment, all instruments used in the central telegraph offices, the telegraph instruments in the engine and hook and ladder companies, the signal boxes on the streets, and all other telegraph instruments used by the Fire Department in the five boroughs comprising the City of New York. They are also held personally responsible for any failure in the proper operation of the instruments in their charge, and

Whereas, The duties of the Instrument Makers call for continuous duty on Sundays and Holidays, and such other times during the night as their services may be needed in cases of emergency, for which they receive no extra compensation, and

Whereas, No increase has been made in the salaries of the Instrument Makers in thirty-six (36) years, while the cost of living has doubled during the same period. The present salaries paid the Instrument Makers of the Fire Alarm Telegraph Bureau are lower than the prevailing rate of wages, and also lower than the salaries paid by any other cities of importance, a few of which are given below:

Minneapolis, Minn., $2,200.00, Assistant, $1,560.00; Oakland, Cal., $1,800.00, Assistant, $1,600.00, Junior, $1,350.00; Boston, Mass., $1,650.00, Assistant, $1,300.00; Chicago, Ill., $1,650.00; Portland, Ore., $1,500.00; Rochester, N. Y., $1,500.00; East St. Louis, Ill., $1,500.00; Buffalo, N. Y., $1,500.00; Newark, N. J., $1,500.00; Troy, N. Y., $1,500.00; Elmira, N. Y., $1,300.00; Philadelphia, Pa., $1,300.00; San Francisco, Cal., $1,350.00.

Whereas, The duties of the Instrument Makers of the Fire Alarm Telegraph Bureau call for expert knowledge which can only be obtained after years of experience in actual fire alarm work, and it is one of the most responsible and important in the telegraph Bureau. But the salaries paid at the present time are among the very lowest paid to any class of employee in the said Fire Alarm Telegraph Bureau, to wit, one thousand ($1,000.00) to twelve hundred ($1,200.00) dollars per annum. In view of all these circumstances, we pray your Honorable Board that it may be

Resolved, That the salaries of the two (2) Instrument Makers and one (1) Fire Alarm Box Inspector detailed as an Instrument Maker, in the Fire Alarm Telegraph Bureau of the Fire Department of the City of New York, be increased to one thousand five hundred ($1,500.00) dollars per annum.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

No. 837—(G. O. No. 380).

By Alderman J. D. Moore—

Resolved, That permission is hereby granted to the Per Diem Employees, New York State Civil Service Association, to occupy the Aldermanic Chamber for convention purposes in the morning, afternoon and evening of Thursday, November 12, 1914, said Association to be responsible for the proper care of the Chamber without disturbance of books, papers and other paraphernalia.

Which was laid over.

No. 838.

By Alderman Pendry—

AN ORDINANCE relating to coin-operating machines.

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

Section 1. Section 305 of article I, Title II of Chapter 7 of Part I of the Code of Ordinances of the City of New York, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 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, *coin-operating machines,* 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 railroad stations.

Section 2. Article III of Chapter 7 of Part I of the Code of Ordinances of the City of New York is hereby amended by adding thereto a new subdivision, to be numbered XVII and to read as follows:

XVII. Coin-operating Machines.

Sec. 360A. Any machines or mechanical device erected, located or maintained in or upon any street, avenue, arcade, park, subway station, elevated railroad station or public thoroughfare, operating or intended to be operated by the insertion of any coin or coins for the purpose of automatically weighing persons, exhibiting photographs or other pictures, playing music, supplying electricity, making photographs, or for the vending and sale of chewing gum, candy, peanuts, cigars, cigarettes, matches, toilet articles, food, drinks, or other commodities, except vending machines supplying articles certified by the Department of Health as necessary for the protection of the public health, shall be deemed to be included within the terms of this ordinance, and for each and every such machine so erected, located and maintained, there shall be paid an annual license fee of $1.00. The Department of Licenses shall provide a license tag, or plate, for each machine or mechanical devise licensed under the provisions of this ordinance, and such tag or plate shall plainly show the year for which the license was issued, and shall be so constructed that it shall be securely attached to the machine and readily seen and inspected at all times. No coin-operating machine shall be licensed within the terms of this ordinance unless it shall be so constructed that the commodities it purveys, shall be fully exposed to view from the front of the machine, and automatically closed when the machine is empty.

The maintainance and operation of each and every machine included within the terms of this ordinance, and not licensed as provided in this section, shall constitute a separate and distinct violation thereof, and any person violating any of the provisions of this ordinance, may, upon conviction of such violation by a City Magistrate, either upon confession of the party or by competent testimony, be fined for such offense the sum not exceeding $5.00, for each and every such violation and stand committed until the same is paid, or the Commissioner of Licenses, shall, in his discretion, remove each and every machine not having such tag or plate as herein provided.

Section 3. This ordinance shall take effect January 1st, 1915.

Note—New matter in *italics.*

Which was referred to the Committee on General Welfare.

No. 839.

By Alderman Gaynor—

Whereas, The hand of death has taken from us Alderman Daniel R. Coleman, for many years a colleague of ours in this Board, whose personal qualities have so endeared him to all of his associates that his taking away comes as a great sorrow;

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen does hereby express its appreciation of the services and worth of its late colleague, the Hon. Daniel R. Coleman, and directs that a suitable copy of this resolution be sent to his widow and family, with the deep sympathy of every member of the Board.

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

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

Which was unanimously decided in the affirmative by a rising vote.

And the President declared that the Board stood adjourned until Tuesday, July 7, 1914, at 1.30 o'clock P. M.

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 June 29, 1914.

Thursday, July 2, 1914—10 a. m.—Room 305—Case No. 1778—Third Avenue Railway Company—"Application for approval of issue of $6,650,000 bonds"—Commissioner Maltbie. 10 a. m.—Room 305—Case No. 1540—Edison Electric Illuminating Company of Brooklyn—Albert Moritz et al., complainants—"Rate for electricity in Brooklyn"—Commissioner Maltbie. 2.30 p. m.—Room 305—Case No. 1273—Kings County Lighting Company—John G. Mayhew et al., complainants—"Further hearing as to rate for gas in 30th Ward, Brooklyn"—Commissioner Maltbie.

Friday, July 3, 1914—11 a. m.—Room 305—Case No. 1780—Staten Island Railway Company—"Alteration of grade crossings at Amboy Road and Sharott Avenue, Pleasant Plains"—Commissioner Cram. 11 a. m.—Room 305—Case No. 1811—Staten Island Railway Company—"Alterations of grade crossings at Seguine, Bayview and Manee Avenues (Prince's Bay), and Woodvale Avenue (Pleasant Plains)"—Commissioner Cram.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

WARRANTS MADE READY FOR PAYMENT IN DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE WEDNESDAY, JULY 1, 1914.

Below is a statement of warrants made ready for payment on the above date, showing therein the Department of Finance voucher number, the dates of the invoices or the registered number of the contract, the date the voucher was filed in the Department of Finance, the name of the payee and the amount of the warrant.

Where two or more bills are embraced in the warrant, the dates of the earliest and latest are given, excepting that when such payments are made under a contract, the registered number of the contract is shown in the place of the second invoice date.

Where the word "final" is shown after the name of the payee, payment will not be made until thirty days after the completion and acceptance of the work, but all of the other warrants mentioned will be forwarded through the mail unless some reason exists why payment is to be made in person, in which event written notice will be promptly given to the claimant.

In making a written or verbal inquiry at this office for any of the above mentioned warrants, it is requested that reference be made by the Department of Finance voucher number.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

Finance Voucher No.	Invoice Dates or Contract Number.		Received in Department of Finance.	Name of Payee.	Amount.
				Armory Board.	
83909	6- 5-14		6-25-14	Nicholas J. Schery	$85 00
82551	5-28-14		6-23-14	Hammacher Schlemmer & Co.	67 46
83914	6-15-14		6-25-14	Art Metal Construction Co.	102 55
83907	6-10-14		6-25-14	John Simmons Co.	7 42
80691		37011	6-18-14	The New England Casualty Co. as Surety for P. J. McKinnon	3,217 50
				Board of Aldermen.	
83721	5-29-14		6-25-14	Provost, Humbert & Williams	$9 68
83723				Remington Typewriter Co.	13 75
				Bellevue and Allied Hospitals.	
84774	5-22-14		6-29-14	Meinecke & Co.	$359 10
84775	5-19-14		6-29-14	James S. Barron & Co.	24 00
84776	5-16-14		6-29-14	Kniffin & Demarest Co.	26 75
84838	5-22-14		6-26-14	The Bradford, Browne Co.	6 90
84836				New York Soap Works	8 00

Finance Voucher No.	Invoice Dates or Contract Number.	Received in Department of Finance.	Name of Payee.	Amount.
84782	5-11-14	6-26-14	Julius Berbecker & Sons	3 24
84837			Masons Supplies Co	2 00
84841			Pittsburgh Electric Specialties Co	63
83974	5-18-14	6-23-14	Burton & Davis Co	9 31
83976	4-29-14	6-25-14	Meyer, Denker, Sinram Co	6 95
83970	5-30-14	6-25-14	Shults Bread Co.	3 10
83964	5-31-14	6-25-14	Borden's Condensed Milk Co	19 04
83973	5-30-14. 5-31-14	6-25-14	Richard Webber	99 91
83967	6- 5-14. 6- 8-14	6-25-14	J. F. Gylsen	71 42
83969	5-25-14	6-25-14	National Biscuit Co.	5 61
84781	5-14-14	6-26-14	Charles R. Bard	9 60
84780	2-26-14. 4-30-14	6-26-14	The S. S. White Dental Mfg. Co	13 11
84773	5-23-14	6-26-14	L. Barth & Son	9 60
84771	5- 7-14	6-26-14	Northwestern Electric Equipment Co	2 50
83932	6- 1-14 39090	6-25-14	James T. Smith, Inc	427 68
83977	5-14-14	6-25-14	The Universal Specialty Co	2 50
83981	4-30-14	6-25-14	Hull, Grippen & Co	17 07
83971	5- 5-14. 6- 1-14	6-25-14	Sulzberger & Sons Co	152 85
83972			Strauss Bros.	75
83975	4-10-14. 5-14-14	6-25-14	Eimer & Amend	5 77
83980	5-12-14. 5-14-14	6-25-14	Hammacher Schlemmer & Co	22 43
84842	5- 4-14	6-26-14	Wilkinson Bros. & Co	3 00
84845	5-22-14	6-26-14	Nanz Clock Company	7 50
84847	5-20-14	6-26-14	R. Weiden	1 20
84848	4-29-14	6-26-14	Peter Henderson & Co	3 80
84849	3-27-14	6-26-14	The Picturecraft Company	1 75
84850	5-14-14	6-26-14	Scott Paper Company	9 00
84851	5- 4-14	6-26-14	Crandall Packing Co	9 75
84856	5- 5-14	6-26-14	Stumpp & Walter Co	7 50
84865		5-23-14	Robert Ferguson	2 59
84770	5- 2-14	6-26-14	Wm. Kornahrens	1 75
84769	3- 6-14. 5-27-14	6-26-14	J. B. Greenhut Co	59 47
83965	4-14-14	6-25-14	John Bellmann	13 00
83968	4-30-14. 5-30-14	6-25-14	Samuel E. Hunter	123 33
	Brooklyn Disciplinary Training School for Boys.			
83884	5-31-14	6-25-14	Strauss Bros.	$2 21
83925	38651		R. F. Stevens Co.	147 28
83924	5-31-14 38652	6-25-14	Shults Bread Company	84 77
83926	38647		Samuel E. Hunter	100 82
83885			P. W. Murphy	38 81
	Department of Public Charities.			
78960	5-22-14	6-16-14	Enos Johnson	$43 00
79869	5-26-14 36540	6-17-14	Frymier & Hanna Co	7,740 00
82168	6- 2-14 35555	6-23-14	Thomas McKeown, Inc	3,965 00
82166	6- 4-14 33993	6-23-14	Richard Carvel Company	7,020 00
80321	37849		Frank J. Helmle	433 13
	College of The City of New York.			
80235	5- 8-14	6-18-14	McGraw-Hill Book Company, Inc	$4 25
80229	4- 7-14	6-18-14	Standard Scientific Co	80 35
81198	12-15-13	6-19-14	J. H. Arnold's Son	9 00
81200	4- 8-14	6-19-14	Eimer & Amend	49 98
81201	3- 6-14. 4- 1-14	6-19-14	General Electric Company	219 17
	Department of Correction.			
84162	3-31-14. 4-30-14	6-26-14	C. J. Chapman	$23 25
84157	3-23-14	6-26-14	Otis Elevator Company	69 30
84154	4-17-14	6-26-14	Thomas J. McWalters	297 00
84153	3-13-14	6-26-14	The John Kroder & Henry Reubel Co.	47 50
85962		6-30-14	Katharine Bement Davis, Commissioner	192 25
83775	2- 9-14	6-25-14	Keystone Varnish Co	82 50
83770	4-14-14	6-25-14	The Manhattan Supply Company	631 50
83365	4- 2-14	6-24-14	Agent & Warden of Clinton Prison	758 00
83756	4-30-14	6-25-14	John Simmons Co	152 05
82242	3-17-14. 5-12-14	6-23-14	Dept. of Public Charities	90 24
82790	4- 9-14. 5- 4-14	6-24-14	George Murphy, Inc	62 12
82788			The Wm. P. Miller Co	49 42
83784	1-17-14. 1-24-14	6-25-14	H. Brinton Company	15 75
83778	3-12-14	6-25-14	Henry Gade, Corporation	7 40
83776	3- 9-14. 3-28-14	6-25-14	The Knickerbocker Supply Company	230 41
83772	3-18-14	6-25-14	McIlvain & Co., Inc	12 00
83767	4-30-14	6-25-14	C. C. Bohn Electric Co	11 00
83766	3-16-14	6-25-14	Remington Typewriter Company	3 50
83757	3-19-14	6-25-14	Stanley & Patterson, Inc	3 76
83783			The H. B. Claflin Co	132 06
84148			Singer Sewing Machine Company	1 26
84149	4- 9-14	6-26-14	Edward E. Spencer, Jr	19 00
84155	3-31-14	6-26-14	J. & J. Marcus	1 60
84158	3-31-14	6-26-14	M. Reidy	34 85
84168	3-31-14	6-26-14	B. Campbell & Co., Inc	15 00
84169			Central Window Cleaning & House Renovating Co.	14 00
84188	4-29-14	6-26-14	Hull, Grippen & Co	1 15
82228	4-14-14	6-23-14	Mrs. M. R. Rodman	21 00
82230	4-14-14	6-23-14	Mrs. M. R. Rodman	104 00
82229	4-14-14	6-23-14	Benj. Horton	28 74
82234	5- 6-14	6-23-14	The Texas Company	17 28
82233	4-14-14	6-23-14	Benj. Horton	5 75
82244	4-25-14	6-23-14	McIlvain & Company, Inc	7 65
82243	4-29-14	6-23-14	Thos. C. Dunham	8 50
82208	3-16-14	6-23-14	The Safety Fire Extinguisher Co	5 95
82202	5- 8-14	6-23-14	Quaker City Rubber Co	21 75
78104	6-20-13. 6-27-13	6-12-14	American Huhn Metallic Packing Co.	139 50
81092		6-19-14	Judd A. Lockwood, Asst. Engr	6 65
81091		6-19-14	C. M. Ingersoll, Consulting Engineer	108 70
81093		6-19-14	Moses H. Dreyfus	1 30
82257	4-11-14	6-23-14	H. T. Alexander & Co	24 00
82258	4-10-14. 4-21-14	6-23-14	James S. Barron & Co	297 15
82237	4-29-14	6-23-14	Farbwerke Hoechst Co	365 00
82240	4-10-14	6-23-14	D. L. O'Connor	112 86
82183	4-28-14	6-23-14	John Boyle & Co., Inc	92 50
82207			The Robinson Clay Product Co	110 63
82181			James S. Barron & Co	11 53
82182	5- 1-14	6-23-14	Bass & Bass, Inc	1 13
82188	3-17-14	6-23-14	Estey Wire Works Co	6 00
82201	3-18-14	6-23-14	D. B. Pershall & Son	3 15
82192	3- 4-14	6-23-14	E. O. Hausburg	22 80
	County Clerk, New York County.			
84070	6-16-14	6-26-14	Fred Morgenweck	$13 15
84071	6-20-14	6-26-14	Henry Kastens	11 00
	District Attorney, New York County.			
83687		6-25-14	Bartholomew Moynahan	$863 00
83688		6-25-14	Bartholomew Moynahan	203 00
83689		6-25-14	Thomas W. Osborne	14 50
83690		6-25-14	Peter P. McLoughlin	114 50
83691		6-25-14	Peter P. McLoughlin	217 60
83692		6-25-14	James E. Lynch	69 80
83693		6-25-14	Amos G. Russell	176 80
83694		6-25-14	Stewart Liddell	151 00
83695			Stewart Liddell	80 00
83686		6-25-14	Amos G. Russell	29 40
79850			Walter H. Volckening	254 00

Finance Voucher No.	Invoice Dates or Contract Number.	Received in Department of Finance.	Name of Payee.	Amount.
	Department of Education.			
83677	5-29-14	6-25-14	Washington Irving High School, Shakesperian Committee, Helen L. Cohen, Treasurer	$581 93
84289	5-15-14	6-26-14	Hermann W. Merkel	18 30
84288	5-15-14	6-26-14	Mrs. Anzia Levitas	4 00
84287	5-15-14	6-26-14	Magnus C. Ihlseng	6 00
84286	5-15-14	6-26-14	Charles T. Hill	50 00
83564	3-18-14 38456	6-25-14	P. J. Foster	144 84
83186	4- 8-14 38481	6-24-14	Eagle Pencil Co.	22 72
84302	4-18-14	6-26-14	Brooklyn Window Shade Co	51 00
84245	4-13-14 38518	6-26-14	Scientific Equipment Co	11 72
82371	4-13-14 38518	6-26-14	Scientific Equipment Co.	18 29
82420	4-10-14 38518	6-26-14	Scientific Equipment Co.	8 46
82408	3-21-14 38518	6-23-14	Scientific Equipment Co.	175 42
82407	4-23-14 38518	6-23-14	Scientific Equipment Co.	4 28
82417	38518		Scientific Equipment Co.	6 62
83656	4-13-14 38518	6-26-14	Scientific Equipment Co.	1 62
82421	3- 4-14 38518	6-26-14	Scietific Equipment Co.	15 56
84256	4-23-14 38518	6-26-14	Scientific Equipment Co.	24
82419	4-13-14 38518	6-26-14	Scientific Equipment Co.	10 49
84208	5-13-14	6-26-14	Funk & Wagnalls Co.	28
84207	5-13-14	6-26-14	Charles Scribner's Sons	2 40
84209	5- 4-14	6-20-14	Bureau of Publications Teachers' College	1 20
82907	2-28-14 38969	6-24-14	McDermott Dairy Co	64 40
82908	3-31-14 38969	6-24-14	McDermott Dairy Co	140 30
82897	1-31-14 38969	6-24-14	McDermott Dairy Co	71 30
82917	4-24-14 38461	6-24-14	Geo. W. Millar & Co	2 51
82913	4-24-14 38461	6-24-14	Geo. W. Millar & Co	5 01
82403	4-24-14 38461	6-23-14	Geo. W. Millar & Co	350 70
82423	4-27-14 647	6-23-14	The Macmillan Co	54 96
82425	1-28-14 38856	6-23-14	The Macmillan Co	2 92
84236	2-16-14 38520	6-26-14	Geo. T. Montgomery	98 98
82906	4- 7-14 38520	6-24-14	Geo. T. Montgomery	17 60
84293	5-15-14	6-26-14	William Rennie	4 00
84292			Ernest A. Reed	6 00
84291	5-15-14	6-26-14	R. Cornelius Raby	6 00
84290	5-15-14	6-26-14	Samuel A. Perrine	8 00
84235	3-17-14 38485	6-26-14	Fred'k Pearce Co	17 60
82387	3-17-14 38485	6-23-14	Fred'k Pearce Co	81
83653	3-17-14 38485	6-25-14	Fred'k Pearce Co	17
84247	4-16-14 38430	6-26-14	Eugene Dietzgen Co	63
84206	4-23-14	6-26-14	Warwick & York, Inc	8 00
83643	5- 5-14 869	6-25-14	O. M. Gottesman	1 09
82401	3-12-14 38522	6-23-14	H. T. Dakin	36 81
84250	4-17-14 38441	6-26-14	Wm. H. Sidway	19 81
84259	4-28-14 38917	6-23-14	Syndicate Trading Co	43 74
83659	4-13-14 38917	6-26-14	Syndicate Trading Co	2 66
82369	39329		Scientific Equipment Co	48
82440	3-13-14 39329	6-26-14	Scientific Equipment Co	8 88
82441	3-12-14 39329	6-26-14	Scientific Equipment Co	80
83648	3-27-14 39344	6-26-14	Ward's Natural Science Establishment	4 03
83647	4-15-14 187	6-26-14	The Bobbs-Merrill Co	4 50
82428	4-24-14 177	6-23-14	Wm. Bev. Harrison	3 04
83640	986		Hardman, Peck & Co	276 00
82404	4-28-14 38455	6-23-14	Harper Paper Co	612 29
83179	38463		New York & Pennsylvania Co., Assignee of Hopper Paper Co	6 43
82388	4-21-14 142	6-23-14	Henry Holt & Co	16 00
83170	3-31-14 38911	6-24-14	Forbes & Co	120 00
82400	3-31-14 38911	6-23-14	Forbes & Co	42 80
82368	1-26-14 152	6-23-14	Ginn & Co	327 60
82373	1-26-14 653	6-23-14	Ginn & Co	367 20
82406	2-27-14 38769	6-23-14	Greenhut-Siegel Cooper Co.	184 03
84264	174		William R. Jenkins Co., Assignee of Dyrsen & Pfeiffer	20 40
84263	4-11-14 38538	6-26-14	Domestic Mills Paper Co	10 80
84246	38519		Alfred Field & Co	2 30
85843		6-29-14	Stephen H. Crogan	3 00
84295	5- 8-14 39456	6-26-14	Columbia Graphaphone Co	2,251 65
84243	4-15-14 38449	6-26-14	Blomingdale Bros.	28 05
84301	5-15-14	6-26-14	Edward Avis	10 00
84316	4-13-14	6-26-14	The Manhattan Supply Co	15 20
84311	4- 7-14	6-26-14	A. Pearson's Sons	17 25
84320	4- 9-14	6-26-14	W. R. Ostrander & Co	4 80
84319	5- 1-14	6-26-14	Singer Sewing Machine Co	3 11
83675	4-30-14	6-25-14	Independent Garage Co	165 35
82834	12-27-13	6-26-14	S. J. McCullough & Co	112 00
84313	4-20-14	6-26-14	Agent & Warden of Auburn Prison	10 00
84315	3-27-14	6-26-14	Agent and Warden of Auburn Prison	13 00
84305	4- 7-14	6-26-14	Agent and Warden of Auburn Prison	72 00
84226	12-29-13	6-26-14	Wright & Ditsch	2 75
84300	5-15-14	6-26-14	William Ackroyd	3 00
84299	5-15-14	6-26-14	Sumner R. Vinton	5 00
84298	5-15-14	6-26-14	George H. Streaker	29 00
84297		6-26-14	Emma R. Steiner	20 00
84296			Isaac F. Smith	10 00
84219	4-14-14	6-25-14	Lennon & Co	47 75
84314	4- 7-14	6-26-14	Agent and Warden of Auburn Prison	36 00
79567	4-11-14	6-17-14	William Ward	160 00
79560	4- 1-14	6-17-14	George Gross & Son	27 85
80514	1-18-14 38544	3-11-14	The Manhattan Supply Company	20
80509	11- 1-13 38618	6-19-14	The Brooklyn Daily Eagle	1 20
82039	4-28-14 38615	6-22-14	C. J. O'Brien	40 50
82910	38615		C. J. O'Brien	12 00
82050	4-27-14 38438	6-22-14	Milton Bradley Co	5 50
82394	2-24-14 38438	6-23-14	Milton Bradley Co	165 40
82389	3- 6-14 38438	6-23-14	Milton Bradley Co	4 00
82916	4-29-14 38619	6-24-14	M. B. Brown Printing & Binding Co	6 19
82912	4-27-14 38619	6-24-14	M. B. Brown Printing & Binding Co	22 74
82043	4-30-14 38619	6-22-14	M. B. Brown Printing & Binding Co	1 49
81576	36181	6-20-14	Grimshaw & Sturges, Inc	2,421 00
80440	4-13-14	6-18-14	H. Hanig	98 50
80436	2-10-14	6-18-14	I. Rader	220 00
80435	4- 6-14	6-18-14	H. Hanig	65 50
80451	4-14-14	6-18-14	H. Gordon	37 00
82029	423		Doubleday Page & Co	3 90
84269	5-12-14	6-26-14	Young Men's Christian Association, Bedford Branch	30 00
82904	4-17-14 38523	6-26-14	John T. Stanley	809 60
85076	1-28-14 38521	6-27-14	Annin & Co	60 00
84267	4-10-14 193	6-26-14	Atkinson Mentzer & Grover	2 40
84244	3-24-14 38659	6-26-14	The Atlasshear Co	26 35
83662	2-18-14 38324	6-25-14	William McKay, assignee of Parex Mfg. Co.	28 75
83674	3-24-14 39324	6-25-14	William McKay, assignee of Parex Mfg. Co.	5 25
83180	2-16-14 39324	6-24-14	William McKay, assignee of Parex Mfg. Co.	11 20
83181	2-13-14 39324	6-24-14	William McKay, assignee of Parex Mfg. Co.	10 20

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83174	2-13-14	39324	6-24-14	William McKay, assignee of Parex Mfg. Co.	1 98
82370	2-26-14	39324	6-23-14	William McKay, assignee of Parex Mfg. Co.	31 05
82362	2-18-14	39324	6-23-14	William McKay, assignee of Parex Mfg. Co.	6 18
82363	2-10-14	39324	6-23-14	William McKay, assignee of Parex Mfg. Co.	90 84
82366	2-18-14	39324	6-23-14	William McKay, assignee of Parex Mfg. Co.	15 11
82367	2-18-14	39324	6-23-14	William McKay, assignee of Parex Mfg. Co.	6 66
82396	1-24-14	39324	6-23-14	William McKay, assignee of Parex Mfg. Co.	97 23
82439	2-13-14	39324	6-23-14	William McKay, assignee of Parex Mfg. Co.	219 59
84266	4-15-14	167	6-26-14	D. Appleton & Co	3 84
84244	3-24-14	38659	6-26-14	The Atlas Shear Co	26 35
82365	2-18-14	39324	6-23-14	William McKay, assignee of Parex Mfg. Co.	10 10
				Department of Docks and Ferries.	
82270	6- 4-14		6-23-14	Mount & Robertson	$241 25
82271	5-26-14		6-23-14	Obrig Camera Company	98 50
82269	5-27-14		6-23-14	The Woodhouse Manufacturing Co	568 20
82174	1-17-14		6-23-14	Henry C. Parsons	159 62
82175	12-22-13		6-23-14	Vierow Towing Line	15 00
				Board of Estimate and Apportionment.	
83115			6-24-14	Willis Van Valkenburgh	$21 00
84486	6- 3-14		6-26-14	Hein Photographic Supply Co	10 77
84487	6- 5-14		6-26-14	International Instrument Company	5 00
84489	6-11-14		6-26-14	John Boyle & Co., Inc	15 00
84488	6- 4-14		6-26-14	Charles Beseler Co	12 00
84490	5-21-14		6-26-14	Arthur H. Thomas Company	1 07
84470	6- 5-14		6-26-14	Burroughs Adding Machine Company	7 50
84491	5-23-14		6-26-14	Hensel, Bruckmann & Lorbacher	6 40
84475	5-23-14		6-26-14	The Chief Publishing Company	2 50
84474	6-15-14		6-26-14	Commercial Despatch Addressing & Delivery Company	2 50
84473	6- 4-14		6-26-14	The Photoprint Co	25
84472	6- 6-14		6-26-14	The Photoprint Co	4 40
84471	6- 8-14		6-26-14	Manhattan Desk Co	4 00
84469	5-19-14		6-26-14	Civil Service Chronicle	2 00
84468	3-30-14.	5- 7-14	6-26-14	The Spectator Company	18 00
84499	6- 2-14		6-26-14	Downing Letter Co	16 25
83085			6-24-14	J. F. Hazrick, Clerk	41 19
83109			6-24-14	The American District Telegraph Co	2 30
				Department of Finance.	
84578	5-31-14		6-26-14	New York Central & Hudson River R. R. Co.	$60 00
85403				Norwegian Lutheran Deaconesses Home and Hospital	858 80
84575				Underwood Typewriter Co., Inc	6 50
81804	6- 5-14		6-22-14	T. E. Quinn	246 00
84577	6-20-14		6-26-14	John Oliver	22 50
84574	6-15-14		6-26-14	Shaw-Walker Company of New York.	22 00
84567	6-20-14		6-26-14	D. Appleton & Co	10 00
84572	6-18-14		6-26-14	Library Bureau	6 75
84568	5-31-14		6-26-14	Kanouse Mountain Water Co	24 60
84570	6- 1-14		6-26-14	Nickel Towel Supply	3 01
84569				The Peerless Towel Supply Co	5 14
84571	6-16-14		6-26-14	Walter Curtis	3 10
84581	6-15-14		6-26-14	Wm. D. Kelland	6 60
84582	6- 8-14.	6-10-14	6-26-14	George C. Randell	17 62
84583	6-12-14		6-26-14	Howard R. Cox	15 00
84584	6- 1-14		6-26-14	Mrs. Sarah Hall	5 00
85406			6-30-14	The Society of the Lying-in Hospital of The City of New York	2,608 63
85405			6-30-14	Seton Hospital, New York City	11,483 50
85404				St. Germain's Home for Juvenile Delinquents, Branch of House of the Good Shepherd	2,003 80
85402				House of Good Shepherd	2,656 99
84579	6- 8-14		6-26-14	Ajax Trucking Co	1 50
85047	6- 8-14		6-27-14	United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company	37 50
85275				Max S. Grifenhagen, Sheriff	4,534 18
85276				Julius Harburger, Former Sheriff	295 67
85277				Thomas F. Foley, Former Sheriff	80 53
85278				John T. Shea	38 20
84526				The Brooklyn Union Gas Co	6 90
80357	5-19-14		6-18-14	The Barton Manufacturing Co	3 64
80354	6- 3-14		6-18-14	The N. Y. Process Letter Company	2 50
81076	3-11-14		6-19-14	National Surety Company	12 50
81077			6-19-14	Thomas I. Conerty	24 04
81075	6- 4-14		6-19-14	National Surety Company	5 00
81078	6- 1-14		6-19-14	National Surety Company	22 50
81079	6- 1-14		6-19-14	Illinois Surety Company	8 98
81073	3-18-14		6-19-14	American Surety Company of New York	20 00
81074	3-30-14		6-19-14	United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company	25 00
81072			6-19-14	Worthington W. Seaton	140 27
83108				William C. Bergen	403 12
83107				J. Clarence Davies	180 00
83089				C. Henry Offerman or Theodore Offerman, Attorneys in Fact for C. Henry Offerman, Lena Maria Rasch, Anna C. Schmidt, John Offerman and Theodore Offerman	356 25
82157			6-23-14	John R. Gute & Elizabeth Gute, His Wife	130 46
82161			6-23-14	Ida R. Hess	123 04
82159			6-23-14	Solomon Kahn	158 10
82160				Solomon Kahn	172 67
82155			6-23-14	Brady Realty Company	230 05
82163			6-23-14	Richard P. O'Brien	144 90
82158			6-23-14	Annie M. Michaels	6 58
82156			6-23-14	Elizabeth Haws Kernan	105 62
82153			6-23-14	Elizabeth Kennelly	425 45
82154			6-23-14	Elizabeth Kennelly	787 57
83017				Nassau National Bank of Brooklyn	28,090 00
83019				Guaranty Trust Company of New York	1,422 50
83018				Guaranty Trust Company of New York	500 00
				Fire Department.	
80915	5-28-14	38378	6-18-14	Wm. Gleichmann & Co	$451 74
80771	6- 5-14		6-17-14	Tiffany & Co	35 00
79456	3-31-14		6-19-14	Monroe M. Golding	170 00
79485	5-16-14		6-17-14	American Pump & Tank Co	8 00
79484	2- 1-14		6-17-14	J. F. Corcoran	84 35

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79472	5-29-14		6-17-14	F. W. Devoe & C. T. Raynolds Co	1 00
80916		39032		Bacon Coal Co	263 03
81620	6-10-14		6-20-14	American Ry. Supply Co	95 46
81624				Herring, Hall, Marvin Safe Co	65 00
				Department of Health.	
84733			6-26-14	S. R. Smith Infirmary	$406 00
84731	4- 1-14		6-26-14	Consolidated Gas Company	2 00
84730	6- 1-14		6-26-14	The Standard Utility Company	48 00
83675	5-29-14		6-25-14	Jordan & Co	14 45
83678	5-28-14		6-25-14	Sheppard & Kellett	24 50
83871	6- 4-14		6-25-14	N. Cowen's Son	93 25
83858	6- 8-14		6-25-14	A. F. Brombacher & Co	50 85
83852	6- 3-14		6-25-14	Syndicate Trading Company	30 46
83851			6-25-14	Bloomingdale Bros.	17 53
83868	6- 8-14		6-25-14	A. F. Brombacher & Co	82 29
83862	5-16-14		6-25-14	Henry J. Fink	3 21
83867	5-29-14		6-25-14	Western Electric Company	16 13
83854	5-28-14		6-25-14	Herman Kornahrens	14 41
81273				Clemens & Grell	41 25
81269				Paul's Machine Shop	2 10
81271	5- 1-14		6-19-14	Underwood Typewriter Co., Inc	50
81272	5-30-14		6-19-14	James Goold	3 80
81274	6- 2-14		6-19-14	Michael Paulini	3 00
				Board of Inebriety.	
84647			6-26-14	The American District Telegraph Co	$0 80
84648	6-12-14		6-26-14	Central Window Cleaning & House Renovating Co.	1 50
84650				The Chief Publishing Company	2 50
84652			6-26-14	Chas. Samson, Executive Secretary	14 32
84651			6-26-14	O. P. Morse	3 50
84649	6- 1-14		6-26-14	P. E. Paddock	10 25
				Commissioner of Jurors, Bronx County.	
84931			6-27-14	Hugh McMenamin	$1 45
84930			6-27-14	Dion W. Burke, Commissioner of Jurors	1 55
84929			6-27-14	William H. Schlottman, Commissioner of Jurors	3 40
				Law Department.	
84350			6-26-14	C. Howard	$22 50
84347			6-26-14	J. F. Campbell	15 00
84346			6-26-14	Arnold J. Wisch	19 00
84344			6-26-14	P. B. Sheridan	16 00
84345			6-26-14	Hugh W. O'Reilly	21 00
84343	6-14-14		6-26-14	Engineering Record	3 00
84341	6-15-14		6-26-14	P. Livingston	5 95
84340	5-23-14		6-26-14	Munson Supply Co	17 64
84339	6-18-14		6-26-14	Library Bureau	6 92
84338	5-31-14		6-26-14	Great Bear Spring Co	4 80
81780	4- 1-14		6-22-14	Lockwood & Almquist	27 00
81778	5-31-14		6-22-14	Frederick Loeser & Co	17 50
				The Mayoralty.	
82812	6-12-14		6-24-14	N. Stafford Company	$70 00
82810	6-13-14		6-24-14	N. Stafford Company	266 00
				Commissioner of Licenses.	
84476				New York Telephone Company	$74 36
				New York Public Library.	
82899				The New York Public Library, Astor-Lenox and Tilden Foundations, United States Trust Company of New York, Asst. Treasurer	$1,231 17
82899				The New York Public Library, Astor-Lenox and Tilden Foundations, United States Trust Company of New York, Asst. Treasurer	17,238 99
				Department of Parks.	
83733		24125		The Norcross Brothers Co	$11,250 00
83311	6-13-14		6-24-14	Frederick W. Bent	80 00
80395			6-18-14	Alfred J. Bassett	9 00
80390			6-18-14	William J. Bloeth	18 50
80392			6-18-14	Brooklyn Union Building Corporation.	9 00
80387			6-18-14	Edward E. Peirson	9 00
80396			6-18-14	William Haedrich	9 00
80389			6-18-14	Harry T. Haviland	9 00
80388			6-18-14	Benjamin T. Purcell	9 00
80393			6-18-14	Samuel Shapiro	9 00
80394			6-18-14	Berl Ganchrov	9 00
78899	5-14-14		6-16-14	Electric Hose & Rubber Company	3 78
78888	5-13-14		6-16-14	New York Stencil Works	1 00
				Police Department.	
84413	5-31-14		6-12-14	M. E. Nixon	$120 00
84414	5-31-14		6-26-14	Thomas J. O'Hanlon, Jr	319 35
84415	6- 1-14		6-26-14	William Pick	90 00
84416	5-31-14		6-26-14	John Ronteltap	200 00
84392	6- 1-14		6-26-14	Harry E. Booth	215 78
84400	5-31-14		6-27-14	W. M. Fleischman	816 77
84399	5-31-14		6-26-14	Wm. H. Finnegan	90 00
84398				Philip C. Finn	217 74
84397	6- 1-14		6-26-14	William Farrier	90 00
84396	6- 1-14		6-26-14	John Farrington	383 87
79923	5-23-14		6-17-14	Carlson and Russ	445 00
84418	6- 1-14		6-26-14	Thos. F. Sweeney	240 00
84420	6- 1-14		6-26-14	Wynn Brothers	141 95
84421	6- 1-14		6-26-14	Hubbard R. Yetman	21 29
84403	5-31-14		6- 6-14	L. Goodheim	108 39
84404	6- 1-14		6-26-14	John L. Halloran	**54 03**
84405	5-29-14		6-27-14	Benjamin G. Hitchings, Inc	161 29
84406	6- 1-14		6-26-14	Furman T. Howard	399 19
84407	6- 1-14		6-26-14	George R. Jones	543 46
84408	6- 1-14		6-26-14	Lena McCardell	400 00
84409	6- 1-14		6-26-14	McNally Brothers	202 26
84412	6- 1-14		6-26-14	Fred L. Neuman	292 74
84417	6- 1-14		6-26-14	David P. Rumph	**175 00**
84410	6- 1-14		6-26-14	J. J. McKinney	311 29
84411	6- 1-14		6-26-14	Rocco Motto and Dominick Forccillo.	78 39
84402	6- 1-14		6-26-14	Wm. Fox	369 02
84419	6- 1-14		6-26-14	Edward Wisely and Son	225 00
84401				Morris Friedlander	159 69
79919	5-25-14		6-17-14	H. W. Johns-Manville Co	27 00
79918	6- 1-14		6-17-14	The Weiss & Klau Co	38 75
79917	5- 2-14		6-17-14	John Wanamaker, New York	4 10
79916				James S. Barron & Co	199 00
79915				New Jersey Mechanical Rubber Co	71 75
79914	3-21-14.	5-28-14	6-17-14	Department of Correction	243 50
79910	4-16-14		6-17-14	H. T. Dakin	35 80
79908	5-28-14		6-17-14	Eugene C. Lewis Company	111 87
79906				American Lead Pencil Co	65 00
79904				Manhattan Supply Co	239 40
				President of the Borough of The Bronx.	
83834	6-19-14		6-25-14	Edward Wright	$37 50
83833	6-16-14		6-25-14	National Lead Company	66 10
83832	6-15-14		6-25-14	Manning, Maxwell & Moore	23 75

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83826	6- 2-14. 6- 4-14	6-25-14	E. Schoonmaker Co.....	169 17
83755	6-10-14	6-25-14	Christian Vorndran's Sons.....	36 42
83835	6-19-14	6-25-14	F. W. Devoe & C. T. Raynolds Co.....	93 10
83825	6-16-14	6-25-14	The Auto Supply Co.....	24 00
83822	6-18-14	6-25-14	Montgomery & Co.....	41 40
83820	6-25-14	6-25-14	A. P. Dienst Co., Inc.....	19 76
83815	6-16-14	6-25-14	Vacuum Oil Company.....	37 73
83836	5-28-14	6-25-14	The Locomobile Company of America.	36
80054			The Dime Savings Bank of Brooklyn..	62 00
		President of the Borough of Manhattan.		
81773	4-21-14. 5-28-14	6-22-14	Harlem Contracting Company.....	$1,028 14
84446	5-17-14	6-26-14	Shaw-Walker Company of New York.	2 20
84448	3-20-14	6-26-14	Tower Manufacturing & Novelty Co..	3 92
84450	6- 4-14	6-26-14	Bauer & Black	4 80
84455	6-15-14	6-26-14	Bruce & Cook	10 00
84456	5-29-14	6-29-14	M. K. Bowman-Edson Company.....	10 62
84460	5-29-14	6-26-14	Eppinger & Russell Co.....	10 89
84442	6- 3-14	6-26-14	Pure Oil Company	8 25
84443	6- 6-14	6-26-14	Taylor Instrument Companies.....	8 00
84440	5-27-14	6-26-14	John Greig	7 88
84437	6- 5-14	6-26-14	A. P. W. Paper Co.....	7 00
84436	5-14-14	6-26-14	A. B. Dick Company.....	21 00
84463	6- 2-14	6-26-14	A. F. Brombacher & Co.....	18 75
82451	6- 1-14 25620	6-23-14	The Sicilian Asphalt Paving Co.....	48 50
84116	6-13-14	6-26-14	R. L. Polk & Co.....	10 00
84461			The Sicilian Asphalt Paving Company..	38 87
84457	6- 6-14. 6-12-14	6-26-14	W. J. Fitzgerald	49 38
84466	6- 5-14	6-26-14	The J. W. Pratt Co.....	540 00
81774		6-22-14	The Aztec Asphalt Company, Inc.....	203 34
84459			United States Wood Preserving Company	106 95
79860	4-30-14. 5-25-14	6-17-14	The Asphalt Construction Company....	513 98
79864	5-27-14	6-17-14	Jos. B. Friedlander Company.....	37 65
81747		6-22-14	Dayton Hedges	11 10
81743	6- 6-14	6-22-14	W. J. Fitzgerald	40 45
81742	5-29-14	6-22-14	The Fruin Bambrick Paving Co.....	8 80
81741	5-29-14	6-22-14	Atlantic Alcatraz Asphalt Co.....	88 59
81744	5-29-14	6-22-14	Harlem Contracting Company.....	27 36
81745	5-23-14	6-22-14	The Sicilian Asphalt Paving Company.	104 38
81748	5-31-14	6-22-14	Uvalde Contracting Co.....	10 64
81750	5-29-14	6-22-14	The Aztec Asphalt Company, Inc.....	3 89
		President of the Borough of Brooklyn.		
84623	6- 5-14. 6-10-14	6-26-14	Cook Electric Co.....	$28 70
84598	6-24-14	6-26-14	John B. Creighton	10 00
84594	6-18-14	6-26-14	H. T. Dakin.....	4 68
84662	6- 1-14	6-26-14	Midwood Garage	14 03
84599	6-11-14	6-26-14	The Schapirograph Co.....	1 50
84602	6-16-14	6-26-14	Abraham & Straus	10 36
84603	4-30-14	6-26-14	Maxwell Motor Sales Corporation....	3 66
84604	5-31-14	6-26-14	Wm. B. Riker & Son Co.....	15 62
84596	6-18-14	6-26-14	Cranford Company	13 50
84658		6-26-14	Fallon Law Book Company.....	15 00
84742	39395		New York Telephone Company.....	1,241 80
84677			Cranford Company	15 00
83327	6- 8-14	6-24-14	Republic Construction Co.....	9 10
83326	6- 8-14	6-24-14	Republic Construction Co.....	25 83
83328	11-29-13	6-28-14	United States Wood Preserving Company	419 70
83325	6- 6-14	6-24-14	Borough Asphalt Company	26 50
79378	6- 1-14	6-16-14	Cook Electric Co.....	57 75
81701	6-17-14 35292	6-20-14	Borough Asphalt Company.....	4,598 50
		President of the Borough of Queens.		
84552	6- 5-14	6-26-14	E. G. Soltmann	24 00
84520	6- 5-14	6-26-14	The Kelly Springfield Road Roller Co.	7 75
84517	6- 5-14	6-26-14	John H. Walsh	3 50
82670	6- 1-14	6-23-14	Morris' Auto Garage	49 25
83846	6-25-14 31952	6-25-14	The Hastings Pavement Company....	39 33
84514	6-12-14	6-26-14	The Madison Avenue Stables.....	20 00
84515	6- 5-14	6-26-14	The Madison Avenue Stables.....	20 00
84516	6- 1-14	6-26-14	Morris' Auto Garage	20 00
84513			Frances Leddy	80 00
84511	5-15-14	6-26-14	Cavanagh Bros. & Co.....	154 21
84510	6-15-14	6-26-14	George Duer	10 00
84505	6- 5-14	6-26-14	The Jamieson & Bond Co.....	4 00
84502	5-29-14	6-26-14	Edward E. Buhler Co.....	24 80
84553	6- 1-14	6-26-14	Department of Correction.....	1 80
84501	6- 5-14	6-26-14	G. R. Lawrence	17 75
84521	4-30-14	6-26-14	The Long Island Hardware Company.	12 13
84506			The Jamieson & Bond Co.....	4 00
82640	5-20-14. 5-26-14	6-26-14	The Good Roads Machinery Company, Inc.	819 00
81974	6-18-14 35916	6-22-14	Cannon Engineering Co.....Final	2,270 43
79624	38641	6-17-14	Uvalde Contracting Co.....	9,766 50

Finance Voucher No.	Invoice Dates or Contract Number.	Received in Department of Finance.	Name of Payee.	Amount.
		Public Service Commission.		
80649			Peter Anderson	$40 00
80652			The Schaefer Company	105 00
80651			Anna R. Morris	90 00
80650			Walter Hammitt	20 00
		Sheriff, Bronx County.		
83807	6- 1-14	6-25-14	Adams-Flanigan Co.	$167 71
		Sheriff, Richmond County.		
82976			Joseph F. O'Grady, Sheriff.....	$19 00
		Department of Street Cleaning.		
82931	5-31-14	6-24-14	Knickerbocker Towel Supply Co.....	$24 83
82926	5-21-14	6-24-14	Lehn & Fink	15 75
82932	5-29-14	6-26-14	A. Metzger	3 34
82933	5-28-14	6-24-14	The C. E. Sheppard Co.....	25 00
82935	6- 1-14	6-26-14	Prospect Taxi Co., Inc.....	47 29
82936	5-27-14. 5-28-14	6-24-14	Standard Oil Co. of New York.....	69 12
82943			The Combination Rubber Manufacturing Co.	72 00
82946	6- 6-14	6-24-14	A. G. Spalding & Bros.....	82 50
82948	6-27-14	6-24-14	Water Craft Company	192 00
82953	6- 2-14	6-24-14	J. D. Johnson Co.....	21 68
82958		6-24-14	Harry S. Houpt, Inc.....	42 04
82961	6- 2-14	6-24-14	William E. Kleine & Co.....	36 00
82963	6- 2-14	6-24-14	The Smith Worthington Co.....	58 20
82957	5-23-14	6-24-14	Harry S. Houpt, Inc.....	46 28
81098		6-19-14	The Relief and Pension Fund of the Department of Street Cleaning, J. T. Fetherston, Commissioner, as treasurer and trustee	2,218 30
		Surrogates' Court, New York County.		
84592		6-26-14	Daniel J. Dowdney	$21 10
		Tenement House Department.		
84944	6-15-14	6-27-14	The Western Union Telegraph Co....	$3 00
84946	6-23-14	6-27-14	James F. Meehan.....	4 00
84947	6-16-14	6-27-14	Wm. Ropes May	5 00
84943	6-24-14	6-27-14	C. S. Rathbun	100 00
		United States Volunteer Life-Saving Corps.		
84749	5- 1-14	6-26-14	Department of Docks and Ferries....	$9 00
		Board of Water Supply.		
83959	6- 8-14	6-25-14	William F. Wies	$78 50
83957	6- 2-14	6-25-14	Westchester Lighting Company.....	1 60
83956	6-10-14	6-25-14	E. H. Walsh	4 80
83950	6-15-14 30271	6-25-14	Pittsburg Contracting Company.....	138,073 05
82130	5- 8-14	6-23-14	Chalmers Motor Co. of New York, Inc.	60 70
83958	6- 5-14	6-25-14	William F. Wies.....	14 24
83962	6-23-14 30240	6-25-14	Holbrook, Cabot & Rollins Corp'n, Geo. B. Fry and Thos. B. Bryson.....	36,327 99
83961	6-15-14 30272	6-25-14	Grant, Smith & Co. & Locher.....	23,153 00
83946	6- 9-14	6-25-14	Goodyear's India Rubber Selling Company	64 14
80904			Ulster County Savings Institution....	600 00
80795	5-19-14	6-18-14	Tower Manufacturing & Novelty Co..	88 52
82127	5-25-14	6-23-14	American Nursery Company.....	91 85
82128	5-19-14	6-23-14	Bosch Magneto Company.....	11 37
82133	5-31-14	6-23-14	C. Deutermann & Son.....	2 00
82134	6- 4-14	6-23-14	The Fairbanks Company.....	6 99
82137	5-15-14	6-23-14	George A. Haws.....	15 89
82138	6- 1-14	6-23-14	Hudmark Rubber Company.....	10 40
82139	5- 7-14	6-23-14	Keystone State Construction Co.....	16 00
82141	5-27-14	6-23-14	George E. McCoy.....	16 96
82143	6- 4-14	6-23-14	Newman Clock Company.....	55 30
82147			Underwood Typewriter Co., Inc.....	16 03
82148	6- 3-14	6-23-14	O. H. Wenderoth.....	4 00
82150	6- 6-14	6-23-14	William F. Wies.....	21 07
		Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.		
78873	4-28-14	6-16-14	W. & C. Sheehan.....	$19 28
81625	6-16-14 37064	6-20-14	The Degnon Contracting Company...	113,420 70
80618			The Blake & Knowles Steam Pumps Works	150 00
82224	3-30-14 39326	6-23-14	Edison Electric Illuminating Co. of Brooklyn	3,684 22
82225	2-28-14 39326	6-23-14	Edison Electric Illuminating Co. of Brooklyn	3,651 28
82226	1-31-14 39326	6-23-14	Edison Electric Illuminating Co. of Brooklyn	3,745 65
82218	4-30-14 39122	6-23-14	The Jamaica Gas Light Co.....	134 55
82216	3-31-14 39122	6-23-14	The Jamaica Gas Light Co.....	30 00
82217	1-31-14 39122	6-23-14	The Jamaica Gas Light Co.....	956 85
82219	39122		The Jamaica Gas Light Co.....	620 93
82220	1-31-14 39121	6-23-14	The Woodhaven Gas Light Co.....	13 50
82221	39121		The Woodhaven Gas Light Company..	2,954 09
82222	4-30-14 39121	6-23-14	The Woodhaven Gas Light Co.....	70 95
82223	1-31-14 39121	3-31-14	The Woodhaven Gas Light Co.....	334 28
83530	39015		Thos. J. Radley.....	2,950 00

VOUCHERS RECEIVED IN DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, WEDNESDAY, JULY 1, 1914.

A statement is herewith submitted of all vouchers filed in the Department of Finance on this date, in which is shown the Department of Finance voucher number, the date of the invoices or the registered number of the contract, the name of the payee and the amount of the claim. Where two or more bills are embraced in one voucher the date of the earliest is given, excepting that when such vouchers are submitted under a contract the registered number of the coutract is shown instead.

If the vouchers are found to be correct and properly payable to the respective claimants it will be my endeavor to have the warrants therefor made ready for payment within the next seven days.

If any claimant within the time stated does not receive his warrant or a written notice in relation thereto then written or verbal inquiry may be made at this office, using the Department of Finance voucher number as a ready means of reference.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

Finance Voucher No.	Invoice Date or Contract Number.	Name of Payee.	Amount.
		Board of Building Examiners.	
86575		Edward V. Barton	$4 00
86576		Timothy J. Lane	2 00
		Armory Board.	
86632	6-30-14	New York Tel. Co.....	$88 13
86633	12-18-13	Hammacher Schlemmer Co..	11 64
86634	1-31-14	Agent and Warden, Dannemora	6 00
86635	6-30-14	Agent and Warden, Dannemora	52 75
86636	2- 6-14	Agent and Warden, Dannemora	36 00
86637	5-20-14	Geo. Stanton	220 00
86638	1-15-14	Cavanagh Bros. & Co.....	2 60
86639	6-12-14	Rene Chemical Co.....	18 00
86640	6- 3-14	Sanitas Disinfectants Co.	75 00
86641	6-11-14	T. E. Quinn	23 75
86642	6-17-14	Henry Berau	66 64
86643	6- 1-14	Ely J. Rieser & Co.....	65 00
86644	1-29-14	Wm. P. Youngs & Bro.....	107 16
86645	6-19-14	Hammacher, Schlemmer Co..	16 45
86646	6- 9-14	Wm. C. Ferrer	23 81
86647	5-20-14	Louis Bossert & Sons.....	15 00
86648	6-19-14	Chas. B. Spies	1 50
86649	2-26-14	Wm. Youngs & Bros.....	16 87
86650	5-14-14	Geo. Rahmann & Co.....	25 90
86651	5-27-14	Cavanagh Bros. & Co.....	14 40
86652	4-15-14	Agent and Warden, Ossining.	3 66
86653	5- 6-14	Agent and Warden, Dannemora	26 75
86654	5-25-14	Cavanagh Bros. & Co.....	86 90
86655	5-12-14	M. A. Markheim	44 00
86656	2- 6-14	Stanley & Patterson	39 76
		Bronx Parkway Commission.	
86444	5-28-14	Patterson Bros.	$13 45
86445	6-28-14	Allan Castle	10 10
86446	6-25-14	William Nilsson	10 00
86448		Westchester & Bronx Title & Mtge. Guarty. Co.	1,145 79
86449	6-16-14	Lawyers' Title & Ins. & Trust Co.	168 64
86450	6-16-14	Lawyers' Title & Ins. & Trust Co.	1,719 43
86435	6-16-14	F. A. Baker & Co.....	29 75
86436	5-25-14	J. B. Mitchie	64 00
86437	4-30-14	W. E. & W. I. Brown.....	105 00
86438	4-24-14	William S. Phillips	219 25
86439	4-30-14	Wm. Greenlees	125 00
86440	6-26-14	George R. Hilty	73 63
86441		John T. Badaracco	15 69
86442	6- 3-14	Advance Sign Co.	121 84
86443		Westchester & Bronx Title & Mort. Guaranty Co.	2,434 84
86426	6- 1-14	Gimbel Bros.	103 53
86427	4-28-14	The Sherwin Williams Co....	140 00
86428	6- 2-14	Theodosius F. Stevens	103 50
86429	5-25-14	Diebold Safe & Lock Co.....	21 00
86430	5-28-14	The Beacon Falls Rubber Shoe Co.	30 62
86431	5-18-14	Barrett Mfg. Co.	4 47
86432	5-26-14	Mittnacht & Co.	60 00
86433	5-26-14	Neostyle Co.	50 75
86434	6-12-14	S. F. Hayward & Co.....	21 00
86417	6-11-14	A. & W., Clinton Prison.....	3 62
86418	6- 4-14	W. E. Fred. Naacke & Son...	4 50
86419	6- 1-14	John Meehan & Co.....	36 00
86420	5- 9-14	A. & W., Auburn Prison.....	141 50
86421	5-19-14	R. C. Speth	39 60

Finance Voucher No.	Invoice or Contract Date Number.	Name of Payee.	Amount.
86422	6- 4-14	The Broun Green Co.....	53 25
86423	5-27-14	Westchester & Bronx Title & Mortgage Guaranty Co.....	99 00
86424	6-19-14	The Lithoprint Co.	2 34
86425	6-17-14	Remington Typewriter Co...	7 00
86407	6-15-14	Neal & Broker Co.....	10 99
86408	5-21-14	MacGowan & Slipper	34 00
86409	6- 1-14	John N. Golding	208 33
86410	6-15-14	John B. Murphy, Inc.....	4 00
86411	6- 1-14	Cornell Bros.	2 53
86412	6- 4-14	J. Matthews, Jr.	46 00
86413	5-29-14	John Y. Lavery	10 00
86414	6- 1-14	Elbert Latham	3 75
86415	5- 5-14	The Elizabeth Nursery Co...	3 75
86416	6- 2-14	D. J. Meyer	7 50
		Department of Public Charities.	
86397	39239	Francis H. Leggett & Co.....	$55 47
86398	38492	Robt. P. Lawless	98
86399	38201	Knickerbocker Ice Co.	11 00
86400	39244	C. H. F. Jurgens	52 90
86401	38356	Samuel E. Hunter	77 81
86402	39022	J. M. Gottesman	12 20
86403	39060	J. M. Gottesman	473 10
86389	38200	Westchester Fish Co.	72 75
86390	38359	Sulzberger & Sons Co.....	372 69
86391	38189	Sulzberger & Sons Co.....	889 81
86392	38195	Strauss Bros.	2,303 48
86393	38199	Jas. T. Smith, Inc.....	232 19
86394	38190	A. Silz, Inc.	690 24
86395	38187	McDermott Dairy Co.	281 84
86396	38936	Rebecka Melicow	56 84
86361	39471	Bacon Coal Co.	132 00
86362	38360	John Bellmann	86 26
86363	38200	Westchester Fish Co.	162 21
86364	39788	Jas. M. Shaw & Co.....	35 40
86365	38189	Sulzberger & Sons Co.....	511 10
86366	38190	A. Silz, Inc.	878 12
86367	38935	The Manhattan Supply Co. ..	172 24
86368	38370	The Manhattan Supply Co...	87 02
86369	39239	Francis H. Leggett & Co....	83 48
86370	39018	R. W. Geldart	372 00
86371	38196	Dulany, Tull & Spitler, Inc...	483 80
86372	39040	The H. B. Claflin & Co.....	2,129 73
86373	39039	Jas. S. Barron & Co.....	228 50
86374	39242	John Bellmann	50 87
86375	38643	John Bellmann	3 13
86376	38360	Armour & Co.	67 93
86377	38188	Armour & Co.	3,344 48
86378	39419	Jas. Shewan & Sons.....	2,895 45
86404	39057	Louis S. Gimbel	2,398 50
86405	39243	Lewis De Groff & Son.....	241 63
86406	38373	Lewis De Groff & Son.....	835 80
86453	3-27-14	The Kny-Scheerer Co.	42 34
86454	11- 5-13	The Kny-Scheerer Co.	22 50
86455	3-27-14	The Mahn Sup. Co.....	172 00
86456	5-20-14	John Wanamaker	428 27
86457	12-31-13	Syndicate Trading Co.	520 45
86458	11-29-13	A. Pearson's Sons	794 38
86459	1- 6-14	Agent and Warden, Sing Sing	3,477 30
86460	12-31-13	Syndicate Trading Co.	395 62
86461	3-26-14	Underwood Typ. Co.	17 50
86462	5-28-14	F. A. Walter	115 00
86463	4-30-14	Municipal Garage	159 63
86464	6- 1-14	John B. Sommers	5 00
86465	5-31-14	Edward Mackey	36 50
86466	6- 1-14	James E. Kelly	12 00
86467	5-31-14	Ed. Mackey	14 00
86497	6- 5-14	Robt. Ferguson	75 60
86498	3-17-14	Hull, Grippen & Co.....	47 99
86499	6-10-14	The Manhattan Supply Co...	3 78
86500	5-12-14	Revere Rubber Co.....	82 00
86501	4-3-14	Municipal Garage	52 81
86502	3- 6-14	Engelbert Tyre Co.....	121 60
86503	5-31-14	Detroit Cadillac Motor Car Co.	6 65
86504	4-30-14	Meyers & Grayson, Inc.....	13 10
86505	5-18-14	Bobbink & Atkins	33 75
86406	3- 6-14	Beseler Oxygen Co.	10 00
86507	6-11-14	Modern Hospital Pub. Co....	3 00
86508	6- 8-14	Tower Mfg. & Nov. Co.....	3 80
86509	6- 8-14	Wm. F. Herterich	1 00
86510		Eugene Dietzgen Co.	4 05
86511	6-10-14	A. B. Dick Co.....	7 35
86512	6- 1-14	The Baker & Taylor Co.....	75
86513		A. F. Grassman	76 83
86514	5-30-14	Conron Bros. Co.	384 57
86515	5-26-14	Jacob Bros.	49 24
86516	10- 1-13	Agent and Warden, Ossining	630 00
86517	12-31-13	Jas. Shewan & Sons	689 00
86486	6- 3-14	Jas. Y. Watkins & Sons, Inc.	14 10
86487	3-28-14	Hull, Grippen & Co.	52 86
86488	5-20-14	Agent & Warden, Dannemora	6 50
86489	6- 6-14	Thos. H. Lowrey	97 50
86490	6- 2-14	Jas. M. Shaw & Co.....	1 40
86491	2-28-14	Agent & Warden, Auburn....	212 55
86492	5-26-14	Paul Schaad	4 80
86493	5-21-14	E. T. Joyce	28 90
86494	6- 4-14	Jones Packing Co.	6 88
86495	6- 8-14	Crandall Packing Co.	10 70
86496	6- 4-14	Hull, Grippen & Co.....	19 50
86478	5-26-14	John Simmons Co.	34 28
86479	3-18-14	Fallon Equipment Co.	282 59
86480	6- 3-14	Bonner & Barnewall	81 30
86481	6- 1-14	Thos. C. Dunham	33 00
86482	5-28-14	Candee, Smith & Howland...	97 70
86483	6- 5-14	E. T. Joyce	69 00
86484	3-30-14	Hull, Grippen & Co.....	23 31
86485	5-26-14	Paul Schaad	4 95
86468	5- 1-14	Chas. Baeszler	30 00
86469	5- 1-14	Ansonia Garage	2 58
86470	5-25-14	Tugboat Defender and owners	15 00
86471	4-30-14	John W. Sullivan Co.....	29 61
86472	6- 2-14	Valentine Goetz	16 00
86473	5- 1-14	M. B. Treadwell Co.....	135 00
86474	6- 1-14	Alois L. Hofaker.....	22 50
86475	4-23-14	Agt. & Warden, Clinton Prison	77 50
86476	5-28-14	Hull, Grippen & Co.....	28 13
86477	5-25-14	E. T. Joyce	22 00
86379	35423	The Hospital Supply Co.....	2,619 45
86380	38200	Westchester Fish Co.	147 11
86381	38075	T. J. Taylor Milk Co.....	607 07
86382	38359	Sulzberger & Sons Co.....	126 00
86383	38199	Jas. T. Smith	103 07
86384	38190	A. Silz, Inc.	441 37
86385	38156	John F. Schmadeke	144 43
86386	39023	The Frank Richard & Gardner Co.	224 29
86387	38204	The Raymond Hadley Corp..	3,851 98
86388	5-25-14	The Manhattan Supply Co...	230 10
		City Court of The City of New York.	
86335	6-25-14	Public Service Cup Co.....	$7 00
		County Court, Bronx County.	
86356		Harry B. Harris	$23 60
86357		Samuel W. Phillips	8 00
86358		Jos. Reisman	1 15
86359	5-31-14	New York Telephone Co....	5 50
86360	5-29-14	Berkshire Springs Co.....	3 30
86350	6-17-14	West Publishing Co.....	9 00
86351	6-22-14	General Fireproofing Co.....	21 50
		Supreme Court, Queens County.	
86451		Long Island Star Pub. Co....	$2 25
86452		A. J. Hawley	2 50
		Commissioner of Jurors, Queens County.	
86518	5-31-14	New York Telephone Co....	$4 28
86519	6-16-14	Diamond Towel Supply Co..	1 00
86520		Joseph W. McKenna	6 50
86521		Thorndyke C. McKenee.....	1 00
		District Attorney, Richmond County.	
86681		F. C. Vitt	$5 00
		Department of Education.	
86336	6- 5-14	R. W. Bingham	$180 50
		Department of Finance.	
86527		Brooklyn Home for Blind, Crippled and Defective Children	$3,378 63
86528		Brooklyn Children's Aid Society	1,814 82
86529		Five Points House of Industry	3,275 64
86530		Good Counsel Training School for Young Girls	1,489 55
86531		Methodist Episcopal Hospital in the City of Brooklyn.....	1,289 90
86532		Mary Immaculate Hospital ..	540 55
86533		Roman Catholic House of Good Shepherd	3,342 06
86534		Society for the Aid of Friendless Women and Children....	101 86
86535		St. Agatha Home for Children	87,342 02
86352		Weil & Mayer	500 00
86353		Frank Baldwin	150 00
86354		Clarenceville Athletic Club...	150 00
86355		Civic Centre Co. & Surety Realty Co.	3,500 00
86347		Heidelbach, Ickelheimer & Co.	975,700 00
86348		Heidelbach, Ickelheimer & Co.	975,700 00
		Department of Health.	
86603	6-10-14	The Emil Greiner Co.....	$10 80
86604	6-12-14	The Kny-Scheerer Co.....	30 70
86605	6- 2-14	Ford Motor Co.....	544 00
86606	5-22-14	A. & W., Clinton Prison.....	27 53
86607	5-13-14	A. & W., Clinton Prison.....	16 50
86608	5-22-14	A. & W., Sing Sing Prison..	773 45
86609	6- 3-14	John H. H. Van Hoven.....	5 50
86610	2-20-14	A. & W., Clinton Prison.....	132 20
86611	5- 8-14	L. R. Wallace	9 50
86612	5-16-14	L. R. Wallace	98 67
86593	6-15-14	A. P. W. Paper Co.....	63 25
86594	5-15-14	Burton & Davis Co.....	60 20
86595	6- 3-14	Library Bureau	16 50
86596	5-31-14	The Tabulating Machine Co..	56 00
86597	5-31-14	Crown Stamp Works	1 95
86598	5-26-14	P. W. Vallely, Inc.....	7 50
86599	6- 1-14	John Wanamaker	23 58
86600	6-11-14	Singer Sewing Machine Co..	32 40
866$1	6- 2-14	Henry J. Fink	2 50
86602	6-10-14	F. A. Hardy & Co., Inc.....	14 70
86613	6- 2-14	A. F. Bromacher & Co.....	29 70
86614	5-21-14	Chapman, Porter & Woelfling Co., Inc.	21 50
86615	6- 9-14	Crown Stamp Works	45
86616	6- 5-14	Cyphers Incubator Co.....	1 50
86617	6- 1-14	Eimer & Amend	49 70
86618	5-28-14	S. F. Hayward & Co.....	272 71
86619	5-14-14	A. F. Brombacher & Co.....	3 95
86620	6- 4-14	N. Cowen's Son	8 00
86621	6- 4-14	Thomas C. Dunham	205 00
86622	5-31-14	Adam Gross	23 65
86623	5-27-14	Miller Construction Co.....	145 00
86624	3- 2-14	Chas. H. Kirk	5 00
86625	6-15-14	S. Dane Hubbard, M. D.....	5 90
86626	6-12-14	H. Emerson, M. D.	2 35
86627	6- 6-14	John H. Barry, M. D.	7 25
86628	6- 8-14	S. Dane Hubbard, M. D.....	34 30
36629	3- 1-14	Western Union Telegraph Co.	45 98
86630	6- 1-14	Standard Utility Co.....	19 00
86631	5-31-14	The Tabulating Machine Co..	48 50
		Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond.	
86287	5- 4-14	S. Cushman's Sons	$66 24
86288	5- 4-14	Samuel E. Hunter	58 18
86289	6- 4-14	Underwood Typewriter Co..	9 00
86290	6-14-14	E. G. Soltmann	6 50
86291	6-15-14	Eugene Dietzgen Co.....	1 20
86292	6-15-14	A. B. Dick Co.....	9 25
86293	4- 1-14	Otto Stegeman	10 03
86294	6-15-14	Pure Oil Co.	177 84
86295	6- 4-14	Keystone Lubricating Co.....	25 50
86314	6-24-14	Jules Fehr	120 00
86315	6-15-14	Wright Wire Co.	66 83
86316	5-27-14	Russell, Burdsall & Ward....	81 49
86317	6-18-14	John A. Gifford & Son.....	1 50
86318	6-15-14	W. H. Kemp Co.....	18 50
86319	5-29-14	J. D. Johnson Co.....	22 00
86320	6-17-14	American Distributing Co....	12 38
86321	6-15-14	D. B. Fleming & Sons.....	32 83
86322	5-23-14	John Simmons Co.....	51 18
86305	5-18-14	Library Bureau	9 58
86306	6-16-14	Manhattan Hardware Co.....	4 20
86307	6-17-14	Fred. J. Stulp	6 00
86308	6-22-14	Leousi, Clonney & Co.....	11 63
86309	6- 3-14	Department of Correction....	17 25
86310	6- 1-14	New York Belting & Packing Co.	111 00
86311	6-19-14	Vulcan Rail & Const. Co....	50 00
86312	6-10-14	Wm. M. Crane Co.....	19 20
86313	6-23-14	Travers Twine & Cordage...	149 25
86296	6-22-14	Jas. A. Miller	8 64
86297	6-16-14	American Mineral Cleanser Co.	17 50
86298	6-16-14	The Cudahy Packing Co.....	8 25
86299	6- 8-14	Wm. Knappmann & Co., Inc.	43 09
86300	5-31-14	Jas. McLaughlin Co.....	241 82
86301	5-12-14	Stumpp & Walter Co.....	4 20
86302	5-27-14	Pure Oil Co.	30 23
86303	6-16-14	Armstrong Cork Co.....	3 50
86304		A. P. W. Paper Co.....	76 00
86332	6- 1-14	McBride & Callan	100 00
86333	6-19-14	Vulcan Rail & Construction Co.	495 00
86323	6- 1-14	Froment & Co.	6 56
86324	6-17-14	Chas. A. Schieren Co.....	38 88
86325	2- 9-14	Toch Bros.	5 00
86326	5-15-14	A. Meyerbachs Van Co.....	40 00
86327	6- 1-14	Mittnacht & Co.	90 00
86328	5-26-14	New York Slate Works.....	34 22
86329	6-11-14	Henry Pele & Co.....	16 25
86330	6- 5-14	Falkenbach Mfg. Co.	150 00
86331	5-15-14	Manhattan H'ware Co.	125 61
		Police Department.	
86561		Police Pension Fund	2 98
		President of the Borough of Brooklyn.	
86660	38588	Thos. W. Woods' Sons	$9,138 22
86661	38028	Louis Granato	3,910 00
86662	39186	B. Picone & Son.....	3,429 43
86674	4- 7-14	Wm. Ruddy	22 00
86675	5-15-14	Samuel Kaplan	21 70
86676	6-16-14	Mittnacht & Co.....	90 00
86677		Theo. Glaus Sons	98 00
86678	6-23-14	The Garlock Packing Co.....	4 32
86679	6-16-14	Seaboard Const. Co.	60 38
86663	6- 3-14	Stevenson & Marsters	17 10
86664	6-19-14	Egan Waste Co.	4 63
86665	5-14-14	Stevenson & Marsters	11 00
86666	6-17-14	Chas. Bartsch	13 00
86667	6-19-14	Remington Typewriter Co. ..	70
86668		West Disinfecting Co.	85 00
86669	6-15-14	Royal Electrical Supply Co...	92 75
86670	6- 3-14	Dept. Correction	165 00
86671	4-23-14	Henry Grashorn	5 25
86672	5- 7-14	Henry Grashorn	20 36
86673	6-23-14	W. R. Adams & Co.....	14 11
		President of the Borough of Richmond.	
86657	37103	Jos. Johnson Sons	$7,252 43
		Commissioner of Records, New York County.	
86349	6-16-14	John F. Gowan	$9 29
		Sheriff, Queens County.	
86337		Jas. T. Kelly	$6 00
		Department of Street Cleaning.	
86658	38153	Edward Wisely & Son.....	$400 99
86659	38153	Edward Wisely & Son.....	330 18
		Board of Water Supply.	
86522	20219	MacArthur Bros.	$143,368 00
		Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.	
86573		Wm. Williams	$500 00
86536	6-25-14	Consolidated Gas Co.	1,624 24

Department of Public Charities.

Report for week ended June 13, 1914.

Appointed—Hospital Helpers: Abrams, Walter, $240; Anderson, Amelia, $240; Anderson, Ella, $216; Andrucher, Annie, $240. Trained Nurse: Arbing, Edna P., $600. Hospital Helpers: Barry, Lillie, $240; Bierbaum, Wm., $180; Bierne, Michael, $240; Black, Jas., $360; Blake, Thos., $180; Blessing, Clara, $240, Licensed Fireman: Bourke, Cor. (temporary for 3 or 4 months), $3 per day. Hospital Helpers: Boyne, James B., $240; Brown, Kate, $300; Budois, Margaret, $240; Burke, Peter J., $300; Burns, Annie, $240; Burns, Mark, $300; Bushinsky, Julia, $240; Bushinsky, Kate, $240; Bushinsky, Rose, $240; Campbell, Wm., $300; Cannon, Jas., $240; Carney, Elizabeth, $240; Cline, Rose, $240; Cohen, Becky, $240; Condon, Nellie, $180; Conroy, Michael, $300; Costa Tony $240; Crawford, James, $240; Cunningham, Dr. Bertram L., $300; Curran, Michael, $240; Curran, Patrick, $240; Dalton, James, $180; Day Charles, $480; De Nault, Marietta, $240; Devine, John, $360; Dilger, Joseph, $180; Dillon, Katie, $180; Dodworth, Olean, $480; Donnelly, Alice, $240; Doran, Mary, $240; Duggan, John F., $240; Dunn, Rose, $240; Eberwein, Frances, $240; Egan, Sarah, $180; Egan, Tessie, $180. Stenographer and Typewriter (temporary emergency): Eiswirth, Lillian F., $750. Hospital Helpers: Enright, Walter, $240; Eiling, William, $180; Fahy, Richard, $240; Feeney, Peter, $240; Fehlhaber, Freda, $240; Finn, Lizzie, $240; Fitzgerald, James, $240; Fitzgerald, Mannett, $240; Fitzgerald, William, $180. Stenographer and Typewriter: Flynn, Gertrude, $600. Hospital Helpers: Forrest, Nathaniel, $180; Fowler, Edward, $240; Francy, Katherine, $180; Francy, Mary, $180. Auto Engineman: Fried, Jacob C., $1,140. Hospital Helpers: Galbraith, Catherine, $240; Gannon, Joseph, $240; Geisendorfer, Elizabeth, $240; Gilfoil, Lilliam R., $240; Gilmartin, William, $240; Gomez, Mary, $360; Gordon, Sarah, $360; Grady, Margaret, $240. Marine Stoker (temporary); Grant, Peter, $3 per day. Hospital Helpers: Gray, Hannah, $240; Green, Esther, $240; Grotheim, Hersley, $480; Hafner, Edward H., $240; Stenographer and Typewriter: Hagan, Mae, $600. Hospital Helpers: Hommer, Elizabeth, $360; Hanley, Elizabeth, $240; Haring, Anna, $480; Hawthorne, Fanny, $180; Heaney, Daniel, $180; Heaney, Peter, $300. Laundryman: Heinman, Leo, $600. Hospital Helpers: Heiner, Mary, $240; Higgins, Lawrence, $300; Hirschland, Fritz, $360; Hogan, Mary, $180; Horgan, Dr. John J., $360. Trained Nurse: Howey, Jane, $600. Hospital Helpers: Hunter, Alexander H., $240; Hynes, Helen M., $240. Trained Nurse: Jacobsen, Ingeborg, $600. Attendant: Jones, Catherine, $360. Hospital Helpers, Jones, Helen, $240; Kannee, Arthur, $480; Kelly, Kate, $240; Kennedy, Catherine, $180; Kennedy, Michael, $180; Kenny, Mary, $240; Kerns, James, $240; Keshishian, Haig, $360; Krupo, Katherine, $240; Lawson, Hannah, $240; Le Claire,

Mary H., $240; Leahy, George A., $360; Lenahan, John, $180; Lott, Ernest, $240; Lowry, Andrew, $240; Loye, Lillie, $240; Lynch, John, $180; MacElderry, Margaret C., $480; Maddocks, Earl L., $360; Maxwell, Julia, $240; Maydl, John, $480; Mayer, George, $480; Mayer, Philip, $300; Miller, Mary, $360; Mills, George, $240; Molaski, Mamie, $240; Mona, Mildred, $240; Morehouse, Cecil G., $300; Morrin, Mary A., $340; Mouth, Henry, $180; Marshall, Dana H., $180; Mogford, Albert E., $240; Moran, Bridget, $240; Moran, Jas., $240; Murphy, Gordon J., $240; Murray, Mary, $180; Murtha, Peter, $240; McCormack, James, $240; McDermott, Katherine, $240; McGurk, Anna, $240; McNulty, Fanny, $240. Laundryman: Neilson, Carl, $600. Hospital Helpers: Nelson, Leonora, $480; O'Brien, Adelaide, $360. Attendant: O'Brien, Rose, $360. Hospital Helpers: O'Connor, Mary, $240; Ogden, Ida, $240; O'Hagen, Hugh, $180; O'Mara, Michael, $180. Trained Nurse: Osterberg, Johanne, $600. Hospital Helpers: Parsons, James, $180; Patterson, Samuel, $240; Perry, Harold, $240; Perry, William B., $240; Phillips, Lizzie, $240; Price, Jas. E., $360; Probst, Henry, $240; Quinn, Wm. B., $240; Rams, Max, $300; Richman, Abraham, $240; Sabbath, Rose, $240; Schneider, Elizabeth, $240 Schnopp, Elsa E., $600; Seaman, George, $240; Shay, John, $240; Simons, Sigmund, $480; Sloane, Walter, $480; Smith, Charles A., $240; Smith, George, $180; Smith, John, $240; Smith, Mathew, $240; Starr, John, $240; Swords, Peter J., $180; Thomas, Dr. Hollis S., $360. Visitor (temporary emergency): Tinney, Mary, $1,000. Hospital Helpers: Torbyn, Mary, $240; Tufts, Charles J., $180; Vanderhoof, John H., $180; Volinsky, Yetta, $240; Wachs, Sarah; $240; Waters, Katie, $240; Watson, William, $300; Weaver, Carile R., $600; White, Alfred, $480. Trained Nurse: White, Helen, $600. Hospital Helper: Wildman, Rufus P., $360. Auditor (temporary emergency for 15 days): Wolff, J., $3,000. Hospital Helpers: Wood, Fred, $240; Wren, John J., $240; Yaeger, John F., $240; Zensen, Anna, $300; Zoeller, Margaret, $240.

Resigned—Hospital Helpers: Baromfartino, Dominick, $240; Blake, Sadie, $180; Bliss, Nellie M., $480; Bradley, Helen J., $360; Budois, Margaret, $240; Carney, Elizabeth, $240; Cline, Rose, $240; Confrey, Elizabeth, $240; Cowan, Loretta, $240; Dickson, Ella, $180; Downs, Herman, $180; Farrell, Agnes, $240; Fitzsimmons, Patrick, $180. Auto Engineman: Fried, Jacob C., $1,140. Hospital Helpers: Gallagher, Kate, $360; Gawalt, John, $240; Gibbons, Henry, $300; Goodwin, Albert, $240; Grotheim, Hersley, $480; Herrick, Harry, $180; Hommer, Elizabeth, $360; Hynes, Helen M., $240; Kannee, Arthur, $480; Kohut, Regina, $600; Leahy, George A., $240; Loye, Lillie, $240; Maddeford, Mary, $480; Maxwell, Julia, $240; Mona, Mildred, $240; Moran, James, $240; Moran, James, $240; Muxoll, Jennie, $240; Murray, Mary, $180; McCreery, Ger., $240; McGurk, Anna, $240. Trained Nurse: Naughton, Bridget, $600. Hospital Helpers: O'Brian, Adelaide, $360; Perry, William B., $240; Quinn, Henry, $180; Schatz, Henry, $240; Schneider, George, $180; Scott, Harry L., $240; Shay, John, $240; Shotter, Mary, $192; Shrope, Philip S., $240; Smith, Frank, $180; Smith, Katherine, $240; Stahll, Annie E., $180; Sullivan, Edward, $240; Tamany, Delia, $240; Tanzy, May, $420; Von Buntkofsky, Wm., $240; Walker, Henry, $180; Waters, Katie, $240; White, Alfred, $480; White, Helen, $480; Wren, John J., $240.

Dropped—Hospital Helpers: Bogart, Minnie, $480; Campbell, John, $180; Campbell, William, $300; Clancy, Michael, $360; Claughran, Thomas, $180; Cullen, Mary, $180; Cunningham, William, $300; Dailey, William, $240; Eagan, John F., $180; Egan, Daniel, $180; Faesenfeldt, Christian, $300; Fisher, Lottie, $240; Fitzpatrick, Thomas, $180; Franey, Norah, $192; Gardener, Kate, $420; Hallahan, John J., $240; Halloran, Edward, $180; Healey, John, $360; Howard, William F., $240; Howe, Ralph E., $240; Kennedy, Mary, $240; Kennedy, Michael, $180; Lee, Rose, $420; Leonard, Frank, $180; Melville, William H., $240; Molaski, Mamie, $240; Munter, William, $180; Murray, James H., $240. Clerk: McCarthy, Michael, $1,950. Hospital Helpers: O'Connor, Thos., $240; Perry, H rold, $240, Seaman, Geo. $240; Schiel, Margaret, $240. Laundryman: Schonthal, Martin, $600. Fireman: Sherman, Ernest, $3 per day. Hospital Helpers: Townseid, May, $420; Wildman, Rufus P., $360. Trained Nurse: Womble, Ola, $600.

Salary Decreased—Reidt, George E., Auto Engineman, from $960 and $240 to $960 and $180.

Salary Increased—Broad, Gordon F., Bookkeeper (to Auditor Expert), from $1,200 to $2,500, temporary emergency; Byner, F. H., Auto Engineman, from $180 and $900 to $240 and $960. Hospital Helpers: Crilley, George I., from $144 to $240; Daly, Frank, from $120 to $240; Devanney, Patrick, from $120 to $240; Duncan, James, from $144 to $240; Dunnigan, James, from $300 to $420; Gallagher, Henry, from $150 to $180; Gundersdorff, Arthur F., Hospital Helper to Clerk (temporary emergency), from $480 to $900. Hospital Helper: Hutton, Thomas, from $120 to $240. Clerk (temporary emergency), Johnson, George E., from $900 to $1,050. Hospital Helpers: Kelly, Michael, from $120 to $180; Legg, Agnes, from $192 to $216. Clerk, to Superintendent (temporary emergency, Molesphini, Chas. P., from $1,050 to $1,200. Hospital Helpers: McCormick, John J., from $240 to $300; McDonald, Margaret, from $192 to $216; McNiff, Catherine, from $180 to $192; O'Connor, Thomas, from $120 to $240; O'Halloran, David, from $120 to $240; O'Rourke, John F., from $240 to $300; Peterson, Hilda, from $240 to $480. Purcell, Flora, from Superintendent at $1,200 to Clerk, at $1,950 (temporary emergency). Hospital Helpers: Rinn, Joseph, from $120 to $180; Robathan, Howell W., from $240 to $300; Sexton, Mary, from $240 to $300; Smith, Joseph, from $120 to $240; Toole, Sarah, from $216 to $240.

Title Changed—Gundersdorf, Arthur F., Hospital Helper (to Clerk, temporary emergency), $900; Molesphini, Charles P., Clerk (to Superintendent, temporary emergency), $1,200; Purcell, Flora, Superintendent (to Clerk, temporary emergency), $1,950.

Appointed — Hospital Helpers: Hommer, Elizabeth, $360; Wildman, Rufus P., $360.

Propositions Accepted — New York Catholic Protectory, Westchester, N. Y.—Furnish music for 5 concerts, to be given on Blackwells Island, $500. Shannon's 23d Regiment Band, 1461 Pacific st., Brooklyn, N. Y., for furnishing 9 concerts for 9 Musicians and self, as leader, $55 each performance.

Board of Water Supply.

Abstract of Expenditures Made and Estimated Liabilities Incurred During the Month of May, 1914.

EXPENDITURES.

Contracts — Registered, $885,253.11; agreements, $1,459.51. Total, $886,712.62.

Open Market Orders—$9,926.18.

Miscellaneous—Acquisition of property, $107,264.30; all other miscellaneous, $7,822.63. Total, $115,086.93.

Pay Roll—Departmental, $119,220.16; special services, $683.33; acquisition of property, $2,073.07. Total, $121,976.56.

Total expenditures, $1,133,702.29.

ESTIMATED LIABILITIES.

Contracts—Registered, $70,186.60.

Open Market Orders—$9,643.99.

Acquisition of Property—$125,356.84.

Miscellaneous—$5,520.58.

Total, $210,708.01.

Department of Bridges.

Abstract of Transactions for the Week Ending June 6, 1914.

Deaths—June 1st, 1914, 1 Inspector of Masonry at $5 per day.

Discharged—June 3rd, 1914, 1 Machinist at $4.50 per day.

Requisitions Drawn on the Comptroller—Contracts, $33,942.67; payrolls, $14,482.93; open market orders, $3,420.98; miscellaneous vouchers, $56.52—$51,903.10.

Moneys Received—Brooklyn Bridge, rent, $2,205.56. Williamsburg Bridge, rent, $141.67. Miscellaneous: Queensboro Bridge, privilege, $100; bridges over Harlem River, Manhattan and The Bronx, rent, $175; interest on Contingency Fund for emergency snow removal, $107.59. Municipal Garage, material, labor and storage, $227.01. Total, $2,956.83.

Contracts Awarded—June 6, 1914, furnishing and delivering creosoted yellow pine lumber to the Department of Bridges, to American Creosoting Company, 17 Battery place, New York City, their bid of $1,799.60 being the lowest formal one received.

F. J. H. KRACKE, Commissioner.

Abstract of transactions of the Department of Bridges for week ending May 30th, 1914:

Reassigned—June 2: 1 Engineman, at $4.50 per day.

Resigned—May 29: 1 Foreman Lineman, at $1,500 per annum.

Deaths—May 20: 1 Bridge Painter, at $4 per day.

Services Ceased—May 28: 1 Bridge Keeper, at $1,200 per annum. May 29: 1 Riveter, at $5 per day.

Requisitions Drawn on the Comptroller—Payrolls, $15,178.69; contracts, $10,832.14; open market orders, $1,603.47—$27,614.30.

Moneys Received—Brooklyn Bridge: Rent, $680.83; tolls elevated railroad companies, $5,526 20—$6,207.03. Williamsburg Bridge: Rent, $500. Municipal Garage: Material, labor and storage, $336.70—$7,043.73.

Contracts Awarded—May 25: The contract for furnishing and delivering lumber to the Department of Bridges, bids for which were opened on the 21st instant, was this day awarded to the Kalt Lumber Company, 312 E. 64th st., Manhattan, their bid of $3,787.35 being the lowest formal one received.

F. J. H. KRACKE, Commissioner.

Borough of Richmond.

Bureau of Buildings.

Report for the Week Ending June 13, 1914:

Plans filed for new buildings (estimated cost, $127,150), 47; plans filed for alterations (estimated cost, $4,210), 8; plans filed for plumbing (estimated cost, $12,755), 23; new buildings estimated, 42; alterations estimated, 16; construction inspections made, 424; plumbing and drainage inspections made, 70; permits granted for the demolition of buildings, 2; modifications of the law allowed as regards concrete footings under foundations, 7.

WM. J. McDERMOTT, Supt.

Changes in Departments, Etc.

TENEMENT HOUSE DEPARTMENT.

Resigned—Joseph S. Sheridan, 338 East 17th street, second grade Clerk, salary $750 per annum, effective June 29, 1914. Michael W. Radice, 145 Sullivan street, first grade Clerk, salary $480 per annum, effective June 30, 1914.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES.

Salary Fixed—Abraham B. Samuelson, 736 Home street, Bronx, Assistant Engineer, $2,100 per annum, to date from July 1, 1914.

Reassigned—James Cotter, 390 Degraw street, Brooklyn, Painter, at $4 per day, June 29, 1914.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY

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

CITY OFFICES.

MAYOR'S OFFICE.
City Hall. Telephone, 8020 Cortlandt.
John Purroy Mitchel, Mayor.
Theodore Rousseau, Secretary.
Bertram de N. Cruger, Executive Secretary.

Bureau of Weights and Measures.
City Hall. Telephone, 4334 Cortlandt.
Joseph Hartigan, Commissioner.

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.
Municipal Building. Telephone, 4315 Worth
Leonard M. Wallstein, Commissioner of Accounts.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.
Clerk's Office, Municipal Building, 2nd floor. 10 a. m. to 4 p. m. Saturday, to 12m. Telephone, 4430 Worth.
P. J. Scully, Clerk.

President of the Board of Aldermen.
City Hall. Telephone, 6725 Cortlandt.
George McAneny, President.

BOARD OF AMBULANCE SERVICE.
300 Mulberry st. Ambulance Calls—3100 Spring. Administration Offices—7586 Spring.

ARMORY BOARD.
Hall of Records. 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturday, to 12 m. Telephone, 3900 Worth.
C. D. Rhinehart, Secretary.

ART COMMISSION.
City Hall. Telephone, 1197 Cortlandt.
John Quincy Adams, Assistant Secretary.

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.
Municipal Building, 8th floor. Telephone, 29 Worth.
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26th st. and 1st ave. Telephone, 4400 Madison square.
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DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES.
Municipal Building, 18th floor. Telephone, 380 Worth.
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BUREAU OF THE CHAMBERLAIN.
Municipal Building, 8th floor. Telephone, 4270 Worth.
Henry Bruere, Chamberlain.

CITY CLERK AND CLERK OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN.
Municipal Building, 2nd floor. 10 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturday, to 12 m. Telephone, 4430 Worth.
P. J. Scully, City Clerk.

BOARD OF CITY RECORD.
Supervisor's office, Municipal Building, 8th door. Distributing Division, 96 Reade st. Telephone, 3490 Worth.
David Ferguson, Supervisor.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.
Municipal Building, 24th floor. Telephone, 1619 Worth.
Katharine B. Davis, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.
Pier "A," N. R. Telephone, 300 Rector.
R. A. C. Smith, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

Board of Education.
Park ave. and 59th st. Telephone, 5580 Plaza
Stated meetings of the Board are held at 4 p. m. on the first Monday in February, the second Wednesday in July, and the second and fourth Wednesdays in every month, except July and August.
Thomas W. Churchill, President.
A. Emerson Palmer, Secretary

BOARD OF ELECTIONS.
General office and office of the Borough of Manhattan, Municipal Building, 18th floor. Telephone, 1307 Worth.
J. Gabriel Britt, President.
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368 E. 148th st. Telephone, 336 Melrose.
Brooklyn.
435-445 Fulton st. Telephone, 693 Main.
Queens.
64 Jackson ave., Long Island City. Telephone, 1375 Hunters Point.
Richmond.
Borough Hall, New Brighton, S. I. Telephone, 1000 Tompkinsville.
All offices open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. Saturday, to 12 m.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.
Municipal Building, 13th floor. Telephone, 4560 Worth.
Joseph Haag, Secretary.

Bureau of Records and Minutes.
Municipal Building, 13th floor. Telephone, 4560 Worth. Joseph Haag, Secretary.

Office of the Chief Engineer.
Municipal Building, 13th floor. Telephone, 4560 Worth. Nelson P. Lewis, Chief Engineer.

Bureau of Public Improvements.
Municipal Building, 13th floor. Telephone, 4560 Worth. Nelson P. Lewis, Chief Engineer.

Bureau of Franchises.
277 Broadway, 8th floor. Telephone, 4563 Worth. Harry P. Nichols, Chief Engineer.

Bureau of Contract Supervision.
Municipal Building, 13th floor. Telephone, 4560 Worth. Tilden Adamson, Director.

Bureau of Standards.
Salaries and Grades Division and Supplies Division, Municipal Building, 13th floor. Telephone, 4560 Worth. Standard Testing Laboratory, 125 Worth st. Telephone, 3088 Franklin. George L. Tirrell, Director.

BOARD OF EXAMINERS.
Municipal Building, 20th floor, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. Saturday, to 12 m. Telephone, 3280 Worth.
Board meets every Tuesday at 2 p. m.
Edward V. Barton, Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.
Municipal Building, 5th floor. Telephone, 1200 Worth.
William A. Prendergast, Comptroller.
Deputy Comptrollers, 7th floor. Alexander Brough, Edmund D. Fisher, Charles S. Hervey, Hubert L. Smith.

Receiver of Taxes.
Manhattan—Municipal Building, 2nd floor. Telephone, 1200 Worth.
Bronx—177th st. and Arthur ave. Telephone, 140 Tremont.
Brooklyn—236 Duffield st. Telephone, 7056 Main.
Queens—5 Court Square, Long Island City. Telephone, 3386 Hunter's Point.
Richmond—Borough Hall, St. George. Telephone, 1000 Tompkinsville.
Frederick H. E. Ebstein, Receiver of Taxes.

Collector of Assessments and Arrears.
Manhattan—Municipal Building, 3d Floor. Telephone, 1200 Worth.
Bronx—177th St. and Arthur Ave. Telephone, 47 Tremont.
Brooklyn—503 Fulton st. Telephone, 3084 Main.
Queens—Municipal Building, Court House Square, Long Island City. Telephone, 1553 Hunter's Point.
Richmond—Borough Hall, St. George. Telephone, 1000 Tompkinsville.
Daniel Moynahan, Collector.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.
Municipal Building, 11th floor. Telephone 4740 Worth.
Brooklyn, 365 Jay st. Telephone, 2653 Main.
Robert Adamson, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.
Centre and Walker sts., Manhattan. Telephone, 6280 Franklin.
Burial Permit and Contagious Disease offices always open.
Bronx, 3731 Third ave., Brooklyn, Flatbush ave., Willoughby and Fleet sts. Queens, 372 Fulton st., Jamaica. Richmond, 514 Bay st., Stapleton.
S. S. Goldwater, Commissioner.
Eugene W. Scheffer, Secretary.

BOARD OF INEBRIETY.
300 Mulberry st. Telephone, 7116 Spring.
Board meets first Wednesday in each month at 3 o'clock.
Charles Samson, Secretary.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Office of Corporation Counsel.
Main office, Hall of Records. Telephone, 4600 Worth.
Brooklyn office, 153 Pierrepont st. Telephone, 2948 Main.
Frank L. Polk, Corporation Counsel.

Bureau of Street Openings.
Main office, Municipal Building, 15th floor. Telephone, 1380 Worth.
Brooklyn office, 166 Montague st. Telephone, 5916 Main.
Queens office, Municipal Building, Long Island City. Telephone, 3886 Hunters Point.

Bureau for the Recovery of Penalties.
Municipal Building, 15th floor. Telephone, 3460 Worth.

Bureau for the Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes.
Municipal Building, 17th floor. Telephone, 4585 Worth.

Tenement House Bureau and Bureau of Buildings.
Municipal Building, 15th floor. Telephone, 1620 Worth.

DEPARTMENT OF LICENSES.
Main Office, 49 Lafayette st. Telephone, 4490 Franklin.
George H. Bell, Commissioner.
Centre St. Office—57-59 Centre st. Telephone, 2030 Worth. Julian Rosenthal, Deputy Commissioner.
Brooklyn—Borough Hall. Telephone, 1497 Main.
Queens—Borough Hall, Long Island City. Telephone, 5400 Hunters Point.
Richmond—Borough Hall, New Brighton. Telephone, 1000 Tompkinsville.
Division of Licensed Vehicles—517-519 W. 57th st. Telephone, 6387 Columbus.
Municipal Employment Bureau—27 Lafayette st. Telephone, 3870 Worth.

METROPOLITAN SEWERAGE COMMISSION.
17 Battery place. Telephone, 1694 Rector.
George A. Soper, President.
James H. Fuertes, Secretary.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.
Municipal Building, 14th floor. Telephone, 1580 Worth.
Henry Moskowitz, President.
Robert W. Belcher, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.
Municipal Building, 10th Floor. Telephone, 4850 Worth.
Cabot Ward, Commissioner, Manhattan and Richmond.

Borough of Brooklyn.
Litchfield Mansion, Prospect Park, Brooklyn. Telephone, 2300 South.
Raymond V. Ingersoll, Commissioner.

Borough of The Bronx.
Zbrowski Mansion, Claremont Park. Telephone, 3640 Tremont.
Thomas W. Whittle, Commissioner.

Borough of Queens.
The Overlook, Forest Park, Richmond Hill, L. I. Telephone, 2300 Richmond Hill.
John E. Weier, Commissioner.

BOARD OF PAROLE OF THE NEW YORK CITY REFORMATORY OF MISDEMEANANTS.
Municipal Building, 24th floor. Telephone, 1610 Worth.
Thomas R. Minnick, Secretary.
EXAMINING BOARD OF PLUMBERS.
Municipal Building, 8th floor. Telephone, 1268 Worth.
J. A. Glendinning, Clerk.
POLICE DEPARTMENT.
240 Centre st. Telephone, 3100 Spring.
Arthur Woods, Commissioner.
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.
Principal office, Municipal Building, 10th floor. Telephone, 4440 Worth.
Brooklyn and Queens, 327 Schermerhorn st., Brooklyn. Telephone, 2977 Main.
Bureau of Dependent Adults, Pier, foot of East 26th st. Telephone, 7400 Madison Square.
The Children's Bureau, 124 East 50th st. Telephone, 7400 Madison Square.
Borough of Richmond, Borough Hall, St. George, S. I. Telephone, 100 Tompkinsville.
John A. Kingsbury, Commissioner.
PUBLIC RECREATION COMMISSION.
Municipal Building, 8th floor. Telephone, 1471 Worth.
Meeting every second Tuesday at 2.30 p. m.
Cyril H. Jones, Acting Secretary.
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION.
154 Nassau st., Manhattan. 8 a. m. to 11 p. m. every day, including holidays and Sundays Telephone, 4150 Beekman.
Edward E. McCall, Chairman.
Travis H. Whitney, Secretary.
BOARD OF REVISION OF ASSESSMENTS.
Municipal Building, 7th floor. Telephone, 1200 Worth.
John Korb, Chief Clerk.
COMMISSIONERS OF SINKING FUND.
Office of Secretary, Municipal Building, 7th floor. Telephone, 1200 Worth.
John Korb, Secretary.
DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.
Municipal Building, 12th floor. Telephone, 4240 Worth.
John T. Fetherston, Commissioner.
DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.
Hall of Records. 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturday, to 12 m. Telephone, 3900 Worth.
Lawson Purdy, President.
C. Rockland Tyng, Secretary.
TENEMENT HOUSE DEPARTMENT.
Manhattan and Richmond office, Municipal Building, 19th floor. Telephone, 1526 Worth.
Brooklyn and Queens office, 503 Fulton st., Brooklyn. Telephone, 3825 Main.
Bronx office, 391 East 149th st. Telephone, 107 Melrose.
John J. Murphy, Commissioner.
BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY.
Municipal Building, 22d floor. Telephone, 3150 Worth.
Charles Strauss, President.
W. Bruce Cobb, Secretary.
DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY.
Municipal Building, 23d, 24th and 25th floors.
Telephones: Manhattan, 4320 Worth; Brooklyn, 3980 Main; Queens, 3441 Hunters Point; Richmond, 840 Tompkinsville; Bronx, 3400 Tremont.
Brooklyn, Municipal Building, Brooklyn. Bronx, Tremont and Arthur aves. Queens, Municipal Building, Long Island City. Richmond, Municipal Building, St. George.
William Williams, Commissioner.

BOROUGH OFFICES.

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.
President's office, 3d ave. and 177th st. Telephone, 2680 Tremont.
Douglas Mathewson, President.
BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.
President's office, Borough Hall. Telephone, 3960 Main.
Lewis H. Pounds, President.
BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.
President's office, 17th floor. Municipal Bldg.
Commissioner of Public Works, 21st floor, Municipal Building.
Assistant Commissioner of Public Works, 20th floor, Municipal Building.
Bureau of Highways, 21st floor, Municipal Building.
Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, 20th floor, Municipal Building.
Bureau of Sewers, 21st floor, Municipal Bldg.
Bureau of Buildings, 20th floor, Municipal Building.
Telephone, 4227 Worth.
Marcus M. Marks, President.
BOROUGH OF QUEENS.
President's office, Borough Hall, Long Island City. 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturday, to 12 m. Telephone, 5400 Hunters Point.
Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, Town Hall, Flushing, L. I. Telephone, 1740 Flushing.
Maurice E. Connolly, President.
BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.
President's office, New Brighton, Staten Island. 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturday, to 12 m. Telephone, 1000 Tompkinsville.
Charles J. McCormack, President.
CORONERS.
Manhattan, 70 Lafayette st. Open at all hours of the day and night. Telephone, 5057 Franklin.
Bronx, Arthur and Tremont aves. Telephone, 1250 Tremont. 8 a. m. to midnight, every day.
Brooklyn, 236 Duffield st. Telephone, 4004 Main. Open at all hours of the day and night.
Queens, Town Hall, Jamaica, L. I. 9 a. m. to 10 p. m.; Sundays and holidays, 9 a. m. to 12 m.
Richmond, 175 Second st., New Brighton. Open at all hours of the day and night.

COUNTY OFFICES.

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

NEW YORK COUNTY.

COUNTY CLERK.
County Court House. Telephone, 5388 Cortlandt.
William F. Schneider, County Clerk.
DISTRICT ATTORNEY.
Criminal Courts Building, 9 a. m. to 5.15 p. m.; Saturday, to 12 m. Telephone, 2304 Franklin.
Charles S. Whitman, District Attorney.
COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.
280 Broadway. Telephone, 241 Worth.
Thomas Allison, Commissioner.
PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.
119 Nassau st. Telephone, 6376 Cortlandt.
William M. Hoes, Public Administrator.
COMMISSIONER OF RECORDS.
Hall of Records. Telephone, 3900 Worth.
John F. Cowan, Commissioner.
REGISTER.
Hall of Records. Telephone, 3900 Worth.
John J. Hopper, Register.
SHERIFF.
299 Broadway. Telephone, 4984 Worth.
New York County Jail, 70 Ludlow st.
Max S. Grifenhagen, Sheriff.
SURROGATES.
Hall of Records. Telephone, 3900 Worth.
John P. Cohalan; Robert Ludlow Fowler, Surrogates.
John F. Curry, Commissioner of Records.

KINGS COUNTY.

COUNTY CLERK.
Hall of Records, Brooklyn. Telephone, 4930 Main.
Charles S. Devoy, County Clerk.
COUNTY COURT.
County Court House, Brooklyn. Court opens at 10 a. m. daily and sits until business is completed. Part I, Room No. 23; Part II, Room No. 10; Part III, Room No. 14; Part IV, Room No. 1, Court House. Clerk's office, Rooms 17, 18, 19 and 22; open daily from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturday, to 12 m. Telephone, 4154 Main.
John T. Rafferty, Chief Clerk.
DISTRICT ATTORNEY.
66 Court st., Brooklyn. 9 a. m. to 5.30 p. m.; Saturday, to 1 p. m. Telephone, 2954 Main.
James C. Cropsey, District Attorney.
COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.
381 Fulton st., Brooklyn. Telephone 1454 Main.
Thomas R. Farrell, Commissioner.
PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.
44 Court st., Brooklyn. Telephone, 2840 Main.
Frank V. Kelly, Public Administrator.
COMMISSIONER OF RECORDS.
Hall of Records, Brooklyn. Telephone, 6988 Main.
Edmund O'Connor, Commissioner.
REGISTER.
Hall of Records, Brooklyn. Telephone, 2830 Main.
Edward T. O'Loughlin, Register.
SHERIFF.
46-50 Court st., Brooklyn. Telephone, 6845 Main.
Lewis M. Swasey, Sheriff.
SURROGATE.
Hall of Records, Brooklyn. Court opens at 10 a. m. Telephone, 3954 Main.
Herbert T. Ketcham, Surrogate.
John H. McCooey, Chief Clerk.

BRONX COUNTY.

COUNTY CLERK.
161st st. and 3d ave. Telephone, 9266 Melrose.
James Vincent Ganly, County Clerk.
COUNTY JUDGE.
161st st. and 3d ave. Telephone, 7907 Melrose
Louis D. Gibbs, County Judge.
DISTRICT ATTORNEY.
161st st. and 3d ave. Telephone, 9200 Melrose
Francis Martin, District Attorney.
COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.
1932 Arthur ave. Telephone, 3700 Tremont.
John A. Mason, Commissioner.
PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.
2808 3d ave. Telephone, 9171 Melrose. 9 a. m. to 5 p. m., Saturday to 12 m.
Ernest E. L. Hammer, Public Administrator.
REGISTER.
1932 Arthur ave. Telephone, 6694 Tremont.
Edward Polak, Register.
SHERIFF.
1932 Arthur ave. Telephone, 6600 Tremont.
James F. O'Brien, Sheriff.
SURROGATE.
161st st. and 3d ave.
George M. S. Schulz, Surrogate.

QUEENS COUNTY.

COUNTY CLERK.
364 Fulton st., Jamaica. Telephone, 151 Jamaica.
Leonard Rouff, County Clerk.
COUNTY COURT.
County Court House, Long Island City. Telephone, 596 Hunters Point.
Court opens at 10 a. m. Trial Terms begin first Monday of each month, except July, August and September, and on Friday of each week.
Clerk's office opens 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturday to 12.30 p. m. Telephone, 551 Jamaica.
Burt Jay Humphrey, County Judge
DISTRICT ATTORNEY.
County Court House, Long Island City, 9 a. m to 5 p. m.; Saturday, to 12 m.
County Judge's office always open at 336 Fulton st., Jamaica. Telephone, 3871 Hunters Point
Matthew J. Smith, District Attorney.
COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.
County Court House, Long Island City. Telephone, 9631 Hunters Point.
Thorndyke C. McKennee, Commissioner.
PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.
364 Fulton st., Jamaica. Telephone, 397 Jamaica.
Randolph White, Public Administrator.
SHERIFF.
County Court House, Long Island City. Telephone 3766 Hunters Point.
George Emener, Sheriff.
SURROGATE.
364 Fulton st., Jamaica. Telephone, 397 Jamaica.
Daniel Noble, Surrogate.

RICHMOND COUNTY.

COUNTY CLERK.
County Office Building, Richmond. Telephone, 28 New Dorp.
C. Livingston Bostwick, County Clerk.
COUNTY JUDGE AND SURROGATE.
Trial Terms, with Grand and Trial Jury, Second Monday of March, First Monday of October.
Trial Terms, with Trial Jury only, First Monday of May, First Monday of December.
Special Terms, without Jury—Wednesday of each week, except the last week of July, the month of August and the first week of September.
Surrogate's Court.
Monday and Tuesday of each week at the Borough Hall, St. George, and on Wednesday at the Surrogate's Court, at Richmond, except during the session of the County Court. There will be no Surrogate's Court during the month of August.
Surrogate's Court and Office, Richmond, S. I.
Surrogate's Chambers, Borough Hall, St. George.
J. Harry Tiernan, County Judge and Surrogate.
DISTRICT ATTORNEY.
Borough Hall, St. George. Telephone, 50 Tompkinsville, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturday, to 12 m.
Albert C. Fach, District Attorney.
COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.
Village Hall, Stapleton. Telephone, 81 Tompkinsville.
Charles J. Kullman, Commissioner.
PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.
Port Richmond. Telephone, 704 West Brighton.
William T. Holt, Public Administrator.
SHERIFF.
County Court House, Richmond. Telephone. 120 New Dorp.
Joseph F. O'Grady, Sheriff.

THE COURTS.

CITY COURT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.
City Hall Park. Special Term Chambers held from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m. Clerk's office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. Telephone, 122 Cortlandt.
Thomas F. Smith, Clerk.
CITY MAGISTRATES' COURT.
First Division.
First District—Criminal Court Building.
Second District—Jefferson Market.
Third District—2d ave. and 1st st.
Fourth District—151 E. 57th st.
Fifth District—121st st. and Sylvan place.
Sixth District—162d st. and Washington ave.
Seventh District—314 W. 54th st.
Eighth District—1014 E. 181st st., The Bronx.
Ninth District (Night Court for Females)—25 6th ave.
Tenth District (Night Court for Males)—151 E. 57th st.
Eleventh District (Domestic Relations)—151 E. 57th st.
Thirteenth District (Domestic Relations)—1014 E. 181st st., The Bronx.
Philip Bloch, Chief Clerk, 300 Mulberry st. Telephone, 6213 Spring.
Second Division.
Borough of Brooklyn.
Office of Chief Magistrate, 44 Court st. Telephone 7411 Main.
First District—318 Adams st.
Second District—Court and Butler sts.
Fifth District—249 Manhattan ave.
Sixth District—495 Gates ave.
Seventh District—31 Snider ave., Flatbush.
Eighth District—W. 8th st., Coney Island.
Ninth District—5th ave. and 29th st.
Tenth District—133 New Jersey ave.
Domestic Relations—Myrtle and Vanderbilt aves.
William F. Delaney, Chief Clerk.
Borough of Queens.
First District—St. Mary's Lyceum, L. I. City.
Second District—Town Hall, Flushing, L. I.
Third District—Central ave., Far Rockaway.
Fourth District—Town Hall, Jamaica, L. I.
Borough of Richmond.
First District—Lafayette ave., New Brighton.
Second District—Village Hall, Stapleton.
All courts open daily from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., except on Saturdays, Sundays and legal holidays, when only morning sessions are held.
COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.
Criminal Court Building. Court opens at 10.30 a. m. Clerk's office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., and on Saturday until 12 m.
Edward R. Carroll, Clerk.
MUNICIPAL COURTS.
The Clerks offices are open from 9 a. m to 4 p. m.; Saturday, to 12 noon.
Borough of Manhattan.
First District—54-60 Lafayette st. Additional Part is held at southwest corner of 6th ave. and 10th st. Telephone, 6030 Franklin.
Second District—264-266 Madison st. Telephone, 4300 Orchard.
Third District—314 W. 54th st. Telephone, 5450 Columbus.
Fourth District—Parts I. and II, 207 E. 32d st. Telephone, 4358 Murray Hill.
Fifth District—Broadway and 96th st. Telephone, 4006 Riverside.
Sixth District—155 E. 88th st.
Seventh District—70 Manhattan st.
Eighth District—121st st. and Sylvan place. Telephone, 3950 Harlem.
Ninth District—Madison ave. and 59th st. Parts I and II. Telephone, 3873 Plaza.
Borough of The Bronx.
First District—Town Hall, 1400 Williamsbridge road, Westchester. Trial of causes, Tuesday and Friday of each week. Telephone, 457 Westchester.
Second District—Washington ave. and 162d st. Telephone, 3043 Melrose.
Borough of Brooklyn.
First District—State and Court sts. Parts I and II. Telephone, 7091 Main.
Second District—495 Gates ave. Telephone, 504 Bedford.
Third District—6 Lee ave. Telephone, 955 Williamsburg.
Fourth District—14 Howard ave.
Fifth District—5220 Third ave. Telephone, 3907 Sunset.
Sixth District—236 Duffield st. Telephone, 6166 Main.
Seventh District—31 Pennsylvania ave. 8.45 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturday, 9 a. m. to 12 m. Telephone, 904 East New York.
Borough of Queens.
First District—115 5th st., Long Island City Telephone, 1420 Hunters Point.
Second District—Broadway and Court st., Elmhurst. Telephone, 87 Newtown.
Third District—1908 Myrtle ave., Glendale Telephone, 2352 Bushwick.
Fourth District—Town Hall, Jamaica. Telephone, 1654 Jamaica.
Borough of Richmond.
First District—Lafayette ave. and 2d st., New Brighton. Clerk's office open from 8.45 a. m to 4 p. m. Telephone, 503 Tompkinsville.
Second District—Former Edgewater Village Hall, Stapleton. Clerk's office open from 8.45 a. m. to 4 p. m. Telephone, 313 Tompkinsville
COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.
Court open at 10 a. m.
Part I, Criminal Court Building, Manhattan Telephone, 3983 Franklin.
Part II, 171 Atlantic ave., Brooklyn. Telephone, Main 4280.
Part III, Town Hall, Jamaica. Held on Tuesday of each week. Telephone, 2620 Jamaica.
Part IV, Borough Hall, St. George. Held on Wednesday of each week. Telephone, 324 Tompkinsville.
Part V, 161st st. and 3d ave., Bronx. Held on Thursday of each week. Telephone, 9088 Melrose.
Frank W. Smith, Chief Clerk.
Children's Court.
New York County—66 3d ave. Telephone, 183 Stuyvesant.
Dennis A. Lambert, Clerk.
Bronx County—355 E. 137th st. Court held on Wednesday and Friday of each week. Telephone, 9092 Melrose.
Michael Murray, Clerk.
Kings County—102 Court st. Telephone, 627 Main.
Joseph W. Duffy, Clerk.
Queens County—19 Flushing ave., Jamaica. Court held on Monday and Thursday of each week. Telephone, 2624 Jamaica.
Sydney Ollendorf, Clerk.
Richmond County—Corn Exchange Bank Building, St. George. Court held on Tuesday of each week. Telephone, 324 Tompkinsville.
William J. Browne, Clerk.
SUPREME COURT—APPELLATE DIVISION.
First Judicial Department.
Madison ave., corner 25th st. 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. Telephone, 3340 Madison Square.
Alfred Wagstaff, Clerk.
Second Judicial Department.
Borough Hall, Brooklyn. Court meets from p. m. to 5 p. m., excepting that on Fridays Court opens at 10 o'clock a. m. Clerk's office opens 9 a. m. Telephone, 1392 Main.
John B. Byrne, Clerk.
SUPREME COURT—APPELLATE TERM.
503 Fulton st., Brooklyn. Court meets 10 a. m. Clerk's office opens 9 a. m. Telephone. 7452 Main.
Joseph H. DeBragga, Clerk.
SUPREME COURT—CRIMINAL DIVISION.
Criminal Court Building. Court opens at 10.30 a. m. Clerk's office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturday, to 12 m. Telephone, 6064 Franklin.
William F. Schneider, Clerk.
SUPREME COURT—FIRST DEPARTMENT.
County Court House. Court open from 10.15 a. m. to 4 p. m. Telephone, 4580 Cortlandt.
SUPREME COURT—SECOND DEPARTMENT.
Kings County.
Joralemon and Fulton sts., Brooklyn. Clerk's office hours, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. Seven jury trial parts. Special Term for trials. Special Term for motions. Special Term (ex-parte business). Court opens at 10 a. m. Naturalization Bureau, Hall of Records, Brooklyn. Telephone, 5460 Main.
James F. McGee, General Clerk.
Queens County.
County Court House, L. I. 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 II, January, February, March, April, May and December. Special Term for trials, January, April, June and November. Naturalization, first Friday in each Term.
Clerk's office open 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturday, to 12.30 p. m. Telephone, 3896 Hunters Point.
Thomas B. Seaman, Special Deputy Clerk in charge.
Richmond County.
Trial Terms held at County Court House, Richmond. Special Terms for trials held at Court room, Borough Hall, St. George. Special Term for motions held at Court House, Borough Hall, St. George.
C. Livingston Bostwick, Clerk.

BOARD MEETINGS.

Board of Aldermen.
The Board of Aldermen meets in the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, every Tuesday, at 1.30 o'clock p. m.
P. J. SCULLY, City Clerk and Clerk to the Board of Aldermen.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment.
The Board of Estimate and Apportionment meets in the Old Council Chamber (Room 16), City Hall, every Friday, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

Commissioners of Sinking Fund.
The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund meet in the Meeting Room (Room 16), City Hall, on Wednesday, 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 Thursday, at 10.30 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.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION.

Proposals.

INVITATION TO CONTRACTORS

FOR THE STATION FINISH WORK FOR PART OF THE BROADWAY-FOURTH AVENUE RAPID TRANSIT RAILROAD

The Public Service Commission for the First District (hereinafter called the "Commission") acting for and in behalf of the City of New York (hereinafter called the "City") invites proposals to construct station finish for the six stations on Sections Nos. 1 and 2 of Route No. 11-B, a part of the Broadway-Fourth Avenue Rapid Transit Railroad.

The location within the City at which the said work is to be performed is on Fourth Avenue in the Borough of Brooklyn, between Fortieth and Ninetieth Streets.

The Railroad for which the station finish is to be provided is now under construction. The Contractor shall begin actual work within thirty (30) days after the delivery of the contract on such stations and other parts of said Railroad as the Chief Engineer of the Commission may direct and shall begin actual work on any of the remaining stations or other parts of the Railroad within ten (10) days after notice and shall complete the entire work covered by the contract within six (6) months from the delivery of the contract, provided that an extension of time will be granted for completing the work at any station or other part of the Railroad upon which the Contractor shall not have been directed, within four (4) months after the delivery of the contract, to begin work, as provided in the contract. The City has also entered into a contract for the installation of tracks in the Railroad and the work of installation will be in progress at the time that the station finish work is in progress. It will also be necessary for the New York Municipal Railway Corporation, its contractors or employees, to do work in the Railroad in connection with the equipment of the Railroad at the time that the station finish work is in progress. The Contractor must conduct his work so as not to impede or interfere with such other work, as provided in the contract.

The Railroad or a portion thereof may also be opened and operated for passenger traffic before the completion of the station finish work. In such event the Contractor must conduct his work so as to avoid interference with the operation of the Railroad and injury to passengers, as provided in the contract; and payment for all additional expense, loss, risk and damage due to such opening and operating for traffic will be made by increasing by the percentage stipulated in Item X in the Schedule contained in the Contractor's Proposal, the prices stipulated in said Schedule for the station finish work performed after the date of such opening and operating for passenger traffic at each station so opened and used for passenger traffic and at each portion of the Railroad between stations so opened and operated for passenger traffic, except as provided in the contract. Each bidder shall state in said Item X in the Schedule contained in the form of Contractor's Proposal the percentage required on such prices in payment for the additional expense, loss, risk and damage in the event of such opening and operating for traffic. For the purpose of comparing the bids only, and not for any other purpose, it will be assumed that the percentage so bid will be required to be paid on one-quarter (¼) of the estimated amount of the station finish work. If any bidder shall not desire any such increase in said prices on account of such opening and operating for traffic, he shall strike out said Item X in said Schedule contained in his Proposal.

Bidders must examine the form of contract and the specifications and the contract drawings and must visit the location of the work and inform themselves of the conditions and make their own estimates of the facilities and difficulties attending the execution of the work.

A fuller description of the work and other requirements, provisions, details and specifications are given in the form of contract and in the contract drawings therein referred to. Copies of the forms of contract, bond and contractor's proposal and of the contract drawings may be inspected and purchased at the office of the Commission, No. 154 Nassau street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City. The forms of contract and the contract drawings and the form of bond and contractor's proposal are to be deemed a part of this Invitation.

Partial payments to the Contractor will be

made as the work proceeds, as provided in the forms of contract.

At the time of the delivery of the contract the Contractor must furnish security to the City by depositing a bond, cash or securities in the sum of fifty thousand dollars ($50,000). As further security ten (10) per centum of the amounts certified from time to time to be due to the Contractor will be deducted.

Sealed bids or proposals will be received at the office of the Commission, No. 154 Nassau street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, until the 23d day of July, 1914, at twelve fifteen (12.15) o'clock p. m., at which time, or at a later date to be fixed by the Commission, the proposals will be publicly opened.

Proposals must be in the form prescribed by the Commission.

A statement based upon the estimate of the Chief Engineer of the Commission of the quantities of the various classes of the work and of the nature and extent as near as practicable of the work is to be found in the schedule in the form of contractor's proposal. The quantities given in such schedule are approximate only, being given as a basis for the uniform comparison of bids, and no claim is to be made against the City on account of any excess or deficiency, absolute or relative, in the same, except as provided in the specifications and form of contract.

Every proposal must when submitted be enclosed in a sealed envelope endorsed "*Proposal for Constructing Station Finish for Part of Rapid Transit Railroad—Route No. 11-B, Section Nos. 1 and 2,*" and must be delivered to the Commission or its Secretary; and in the presence of the person submitting the proposal, it will be deposited in a sealed box in which all proposals will be deposited. No proposal will be received unless accompanied by a separate certified check for ten thousand dollars ($10,000) payable to the order of the Comptroller of the City and drawn upon a national or state bank or trust company satisfactory to the Commission and having its principal office in New York City. Such check must not be enclosed in the envelope containing the proposal.

The Unit Prices must not be improperly balanced, and any bid which the Commission considers detrimental to the City's interests may be rejected.

No proposal, after it shall have been deposited with the Commission, will be allowed to be withdrawn for any reason whatever.

The award of the contract will be made by the Commission as soon as practicable after the opening of the proposals.

Deposits made by bidders whose proposals are not accepted will be returned within three (3) days after the contract is executed and delivered and its provisions in respect of the bond or deposit are complied with, unless all proposals shall be rejected, in which event such deposits will be returned within three (3) days after such rejection. The deposit of the successful bidder will be returned when the contract is executed and its provisions in respect of the bond or deposit are complied with.

The right to reject any and all bids is reserved.

New York, June 27, 1914.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION FOR THE FIRST DISTRICT,
By EDWARD E. McCALL, Chairman.
TRAVIS H. WHITNEY, Secretary. jy2,23

INVITATION TO CONTRACTORS

LAND AND RIVER BORINGS

The Public Service Commission for the First District invites proposals to make borings along the lines of proposed rapid transit railroad routes as they may be needed and ordered:

In the Boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn, Queens and Bronx and in the East River.

The following is a statement, based upon the estimate of the Chief Engineer of the Commission, of the quantities of the various classes of work and of the nature and extent of the work required:

STATEMENT OF APPROXIMATE QUANTITIES

Land Borings

Item 1. (*a*) Sinking 2½-inch casing, Borough of Manhattan, 1,000 linear feet. (*b*) Sinking 2½-inch casing, Boroughs of Brooklyn, Queens and Bronx, 1,000 linear feet. (*c*) Sinking 8-inch casing, Borough of Manhattan, 1,000 linear feet. (*d*) Sinking 8-inch casing, Boroughs of Brooklyn, Queens and Bronx, 1,000 linear feet.

Item 2. (*a*) Drilling for 1-inch cores with diamond drills, 100 linear feet. (*b*) Drilling for 1-inch cores with shot drills, 100 linear feet. (*c*) Drilling for 6-inch cores with diamond drills, 100 linear feet. (*d*) Drilling for 6-inch cores with shot drills, 100 linear feet.

River Borings

Item 3. (*a*) Sinking casing for 1⅜-inch cores, 300 linear feet. (*b*) Sinking casing for 6-inch cores, 300 linear feet.

Item 4. (*a*) Drilling for 1⅜-inch cores with diamond drills, 100 linear feet. (*b*) Drilling for 1⅜-inch cores with shot drills, 100 linear feet. (*c*) Drilling for 6-inch cores with diamond drills, 100 linear feet. (*d*) Drilling for 6-inch cores with shot drills, 100 linear feet.

The quantities specified in the above schedule are given only as a basis for the uniform comparison of bids, and no claim is to be made against the City on account of any excess or deficiency, absolute or relative, in the same. It is expected that the work required under the contract may amount to about twenty-one thousand dollars ($21,000). The Commission reserves the right, however, as stated in the contract, to increase or to diminish or to omit entirely any of the quantities of items given in the above schedule.

A fuller description of the work and other requirements, provisions, details and specifications are given in the Information for Contractors and in the form of contract. Copies of the Information for Contractors and of the forms of contract, bond and contractor's proposal may be had on application at the office of the Commission.

Sealed bids or proposals will be received at the office of the Commission at No. 154 Nassau street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, until the 10th day of July, 1914, at twelve fifteen (12.15) o'clock p. m., at which time, or at a later date to be fixed by the Commission, the proposals will be publicly opened.

New York, June 27, 1914.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION FOR THE FIRST DISTRICT.
By EDWARD E. McCALL, Chairman.
TRAVIS H. WHITNEY, Secretary. jy2,10

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

Proposals.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, CENTRE AND CHAMBERS STS., 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, JULY 9, 1914.

FURNISHING AND DELIVERING SUPPLIES FOR MANUFACTURING PURPOSES.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before December 31, 1914.

The amount of security required is thirty (30) per cent. 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, 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.

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 Correction, the Borough of Manhattan, Municipal Building, New York City.

KATHARINE BEMENT DAVIS, Commissioner.

June 27, 1914. j27,jy9

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DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, CENTRE AND CHAMBERS STS., 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, JULY 9, 1914.

5,000 YARDS PENITENTIARY PRISONERS' UNIFORM CLOTH.

5,000 YARDS WORKHOUSE PRISONERS' UNIFORM CLOTH.

5,000 YARDS CRASH TOWELING.

1,000 YARDS CHAMBRAY.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before December 31, 1914.

The amount of security required is thirty (30) per cent. 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 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.

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KATHARINE BEMENT DAVIS, Commissioner.

June 27, 1914. j27,jy9

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DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

Proposals.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF N. Y.

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, JULY 23, 1914.
Borough of Brooklyn.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FLOWERING BULBS IN PARKS IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed for the completion of this contract will be until December 15, 1914.

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

A deposit of one and one-half (1½%) per cent. of the total amount of the bid must accompany the estimate.

Bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

Bids must be submitted in duplicate.

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Department of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn, Litchfield Mansion, Prospect Park West and Fifth Street, Prospect Park, Brooklyn.

CABOT WARD, President; THOMAS W. WHITTLE, RAYMOND V. INGERSOLL, JOHN E. WEIER, Commissioners of Parks. j26,jy23

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OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, 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, JULY 2, 1914.
Borough of Brooklyn.

FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FORAGE TO PROSPECT PARK, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed for the completion of this contract will be until December 31, 1914.

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

A deposit of one and one-half per cent. of the total amount of the bid must accompany the estimate.

Bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

Bids must be submitted in duplicate.

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the Department of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn, Litchfield Mansion, Prospect Park West and Fifth street, Prospect Park, Brooklyn.

CABOT WARD, President; RAYMOND V. INGERSOLL, THOMAS W. WHITTLE, JOHN E. WEIER, Commissioners of Parks. j20,jy2

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FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Proposals.

HEADQUARTERS OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, ELEVENTH FLOOR, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, 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

MONDAY, JULY 13, 1914.
Borough of Brooklyn.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED ESTABLISHING AND EQUIPPING AN EXTENSION TO THE FIRE ALARM TELEGRAPH SYSTEM.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is Ninety (90) days.

The amount of security required is Fifty per cent. (50%) of the bid or estimate.

Bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

Blanks forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Fire Department, eleventh floor, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

ROBERT ADAMSON, Fire Commissioner. j30,jy13

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HEADQUARTERS OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, ELEVENTH FLOOR, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, 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

MONDAY, JULY 13, 1914.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED TO PAINT AND REPAIR FIREBOATS.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is by or before August 15, 1914.

The amount of security required is Fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of the bid or estimate. Bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for each item.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Fire Department, eleventh floor, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

ROBERT ADAMSON, Fire Commissioner. j30,jy13

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DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

Confirmation of Assessments.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE Greater New York Charter the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessment for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS IN THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

THIRD WARD.

FIFTEENTH STREET—SEWER, from High street to Schleicher Court. Area of assessment: Both sides of Fifteenth street from High street to Schleicher Court, Blocks Nos. 90 and 91.

—that the same was confirmed by the Board of Assessors on June 23, 1914, and entered June 23, 1914, 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 Colletcion of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in 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 August 22, 1914, 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.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, June 23, 1914. jy1,13

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE Greater New York Charter the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessments for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN:

FIFTH WARD, SECTION 1; TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 2; FIFTEENTH WARD, SECTION 9; EIGHTEENTH WARD, SECTION 10; TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 5; TWENTY-SIXTH WARD, SECTION 13; TWENTY-FIFTH WARD, SECTION 6; TWENTY-SEVENTH AND TWENTY-EIGHTH WARDS, SECTION 11; TWENTY-NINTH WARD, SECTION 16, AND THIRTIETH WARD, SECTION 19.

FENCING vacant lots on the south side of PROSPECT STREET between Jay and Bridge Streets; southeast corner of HICKS and NELSON STREETS; north side of SULLIVAN STREET between Conover and Van Brunt Streets; south side of SEELEY STREET and north side of VANDERBILT STREET between Eighteenth and Nineteenth Streets; east side of FOURTEENTH AVENUE between Sixty-ninth and Seventieth Streets; south side of SIXTY-NINTH STREET and north side of SEVENTIETH STREET between Fourteenth and Fifteenth Avenue; south side of DEAN STREET between Rochester and Utica Avenues; east side of ASHFORD STREET between Sutter and Blake Avenues; east side of ASHFORD STREET and west side of CLEVELAND STREET between Atlantic and Liberty Avenues; northwest corner of SHEPPHERD and ATLANTIC AVENUES; south side of McDOUGAL STREET between Stone Avenue and Broadway; south side of HULL STREET between Saratoga and Hopkinson Avenues; east side of LINDEN STREET between KNICKERBOCKER and HAMBURG AVENUES; south side of MONTEITH STREET between Bushwick Avenue and Bremen Street; west side of BOGART STREET between STAGG and Scholes Streets; north side of SCHOLES STREET between Waterbury and Bogart Streets; north side of BAYARD STREET between Graham Avenue and Hubmboldt Street and north side of HART STREET between Tompkins and Marcy Avenue. Area of assessment affects property in front of which the improvement was made.

SEVENTH WARD, SECTION 7; THIRTEENTH AND NINETEENTH WARDS, SECTION 8; TWENTY-SECOND WARD, SECTION 4, AND TWENTY-SIXTH WARD, SECTIONS 12 and 13.

FENCING VACANT LOTS on north side of SEVENTH STREET between Fourth and Fifth avenues; northwest corner of Lafayette avenue and Classon avenue; south side of PENN STREET between Broadway and Harrison avenue; north side of SOUTH FOURTH STREET between Driggs and Bedford avenues; east side of MONTAUK AVENUE and on west side of MILFORD STREET between Sutter and Blake avenues; southeast corner of LIBERTY AVENUE and WATKINS STREET. Area of assessment: Lots 71, 72 and 73 in Block 993; Lot 41 in Block 1937; Lot 17 in Block 2221; Lots 25 and 32 in Block 2431; Lots 13, 14, 32 and 33 in Block 4056; Lot 13 in Block 3503.

EIGHTH WARD, SECTION 3; TWENTY-SIXTH WARD, SECTION 13, AND THIRTIETH WARD, SECTION 17.

FENCING VACANT LOTS on south side of FIFTY-NINTH STREET between Twelfth and Thirteenth avenues; west side of THIRTEENTH AVENUE between Fifty-ninth and Sixtieth streets; north side of SIXTIETH STREET, south side of FIFTY-EIGHTH STREET and north side of FIFTY-NINTH STREET between Twelft and Thirteenth avenues; southwest corner of TENTH and PROSPECT AVENUES; southeast corner of MILLER AVENUE AND FULTON STREET; northeast corner of SUTTER AVENUE and BARBEY STREET; southeast corner of GLENMORE AVENUE AND ESSEX STREET, west side of LOGAN STREET and on the east side of MILFORD STREET between Liberty and Glenmore avenues. Area of assessment affects property in STREET between Tompkins and Mary Avenue. Sixtieth streets; north isde of SIXTIETH Blocks Nos. 5711 and 5704; Block 871; Lot 14 and 34, Block 3946; Lot 36, Block 4029; Lot 12, Block 4004; Lot 31, Block 4189 and Lot 14, Block 4189, being property adjoining said improvements.

EIGHTEENTH WARD, SECTION 10.

BENTON STREET — SEWER, between Kingsland and Morgan avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Benton street between Kingsland and Morgan avenues and affecting property in Blocks Nos. 2876, 2877, 2885 and 2886.

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 5.

MALBONE STREET — REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING between Nostrand and New York avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Malbone street from Nostrand to New York avenues, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

RALPH AVENUE—SEWER, between Eastern Parkway and East New York avenue. Area of assessment affects property in Blocks Nos. 1399, 1405 and 1477.

TWENTY-SIXTH WARD, SECTION 12.

RIVERDALE AVENUE—SEWER, between Ames street and Saratoga avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Riverdale avenue between Ames street and Saratoga avenue.

TWENTY-NINTH WARD, SECTION 15.

EAST THIRTY-FIFTH STREET—CURBING, from Tilden avenue to Beverley road. Area of assessment: Both sides of East Thirty-fifth street from Tilden street to Beverley road.

TWENTY-NINTH WARD, SECTIONS 15 AND 16.

ERASMUS STREET—SEWER, between Rogers and Bedford avenues. Area of assessment affects property in Blocks Nos. 4869, 5090, 5091, 5104, 5105, and 5107.

THIRTIETH WARD, SECTION 17.

SEWER BASINS on TWENTY-FIRST AVENUE at the north and west corners of Sixty-fifth street and north and west corners of Sixty-sixth street. Area of assessments affects property in Blocks Nos. 5549, 5556, and 5563.

THIRTIETH WARD, SECTION 19.

SEVENTY-EIGHTH STREET—SEWER, between Seventeenth and Eighteenth avenues. Area of assessment affects property in Blocks Nos. 6249, 6248, 6260 and 6261.

BAY SEVENTH STREET—SEWER, between Benson and Cropsey avenues. Area of assessment affects property in Blocks Nos. 6391, 6392, 6424, 6425 and 6426.

THIRTEENTH AVENUE—SEWER, between Seventy-sixth and Seventy-seventh streets. Area of assessment: Both sides of Thirteenth avenue between Seventy-sixth and Seventy-seventh streets.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on June 23, 1914, and entered June 23, 1914, 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 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 Offerman Building, No. 503 Fulton Street, 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 August 22, 1914, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when such assessments became liens to the date of payment.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, June 23, 1914. jy1,13

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE Greater New York Charter the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessments for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN:

Pursuant to the provisions of chapter 582, Laws of 1893, for improvements in the former Town of New Utrecht, to wit:

THIRTIETH WARD.

BAY RIDGE AVENUE—GRADING, PAVING AND CURBING, from 3d ave. to New York Bay. Area of assessment: Both sides of Bay Ridge ave., from 3d ave. to New York Bay, and extending back 100 feet from Bay Ridge ave.

BENSON AVENUE—GRADING, PAVING AND GUTTERING, from 18th ave. to 20th ave. Area of assessment: Both sides of Benson ave., from 18th ave. to 20th ave., and extending back 100 feet from Benson ave.

KOUWENHOVEN LANE—GRADING AND PAVING, from 4th ave. to 5th ave. Area of assessment: Both sides of Kouwenhoven lane, from 4th ave. to 5th ave., and extending back 100 feet from Kouwenhoven lane.

CROPSEY AVENUE—GRADING, PAVING AND GUTTERING, from Franklin ave. to 15th ave. Area of assessment: Both sides of Cropsey ave., from Franklin ave. to 15th ave., and extending back 100 feet from Cropsey ave.

CROPSEY AVENUE—GRADING, PAVING, GUTTERING AND CURBING, from 15th ave. to 23d ave. Area of assessment: Both sides of Cropsey ave., from 15th ave. to 23d ave., and extending back 100 feet from Cropsey ave.

EIGHTEENTH AVENUE—GRADING, PAVING AND GUTTERING, from Cropsey ave. to Gravesend ave. Area of assessment: Both sides of 18th ave., from Cropsey ave. to Gravesend ave., and extending back 100 feet from 18th ave.

EIGHTIETH STREET—GRADING, PAVING, GUTTERING AND CURBING, from 18th ave. to 22d ave. Area of assessment: Both sides of 80th st., from 18th ave. to 22d ave., and extending back 100 feet from 80th st.

EIGHTY-SIXTH STREET—GRADING, PAVING AND GUTTERING, from 5th ave. to Shore road. Area of assessment: Both sides of 86th st., from 5th ave. to Shore road, and extending back 100 feet from 86th st.

FOURTH AVENUE—GRADING, PAVING, GUTTERING AND CURBING, from 60th st. to Shore road. Area of assessment: Both sides of 4th ave., from 60th st. to Shore road, and extending back 100 feet from 4th ave.

FIFTH AVENUE—GRADING, PAVING AND GUTTERING, from 86th st. to 4th ave. Area of assessment: Both sides of 5th ave., from 86th st. to 4th ave., and extending back 100 feet from 5th ave.

FRANKLIN AVENUE—GRADING, PAVING AND GUTTERING, from Cropsey ave. to Warehouse ave. Area of assessment: Both sides of Franklin ave., from Cropsey ave. to Warehouse ave., and extending back 100 feet from Franklin ave.

NEW UTRECHT AVENUE—GRADING, PAVING AND CURBING, from old city line to 67th st. Area of assessment: Both sides of New Utrecht ave., from old city line to 67th st., and extending back 100 feet from New Utrecht ave.

NINETY-SECOND STREET — GRADING, PAVING AND GUTTERING, from 7th ave. to Shore road. Area of assessment: Both sides of 92d st., from 7th ave. to Shore road, and extending back 100 feet from 92d st.

NINETY-FIFTH STREET — GRADING, PAVING AND GUTTERING, from 2d ave. to 4th ave. Area of assessment: Both sides of 95th st., from 2d ave. to 4th ave., and extending back 100 feet from 95th st.

SECOND AVENUE—GRADING, PAVING AND GUTTERING, from 65th st. to 92d st. Area of assessment: Both sides of 2d ave., from 65th st. to 92d st., and extending back 100 feet from 2d ave.

SECOND AVENUE—GRADING, PAVING AND GUTTERING, from 92d st. to Shore road. Area of assessment: Both sides of 2d ave., from 92d st. to Shore road, and extending back 100 feet from 2d ave.

SIXTIETH STREET—GRADING, PAVING AND GUTTERING, from 4th ave. to 22d ave. Area of assessment: Both sides of 60th st., from 4th ave. to 22d ave., and extending back 100 feet from 60th st.

SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET—PAVING AND GUTTERING, from 4th ave. to 5th ave. Area of assessment: Both sides of 67th st., from 4th ave. to 5th ave., and extending back 100 feet from 67th st.

SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET—PAVING AND GUTTERING, from New Utrecht ave. to 18th ave. Area of assessment: Both sides of 67th st., from New Utrecht ave. to 18th ave., and extending back 100 feet from 67th st.

SEVENTIETH STREET—PAVING AND GUTTERING, from Fort Hamilton ave. to 10th ave. Area of assessment: Both sides of 70th st., from Fort Hamilton ave. to 10th ave., and extending back 100 feet from 70th st.

SEVENTY-NINTH STREET — GRADING, PAVING AND GUTTERING, from 18th ave. to Fort Hamilton ave. Area of assessment: Both sides of 79th st., from 18th ave. to Fort Hamilton ave., and extending back 100 feet from 79th st.

SEVENTY-NINTH STREET—PAVING AND GUTTERING, from Fort Hamilton ave. to Shore road. Area of assessment: Both sides of 79th st., from Fort Hamilton ave. to Shore road, and extending back 100 feet from 79th st.

TENTH AVENUE—PAVING AND GUTTERING, from Bay Ridge ave. to 75th st. Area of assessment: Both sides of 10th ave., from Bay Ridge ave. to 75th st., and extending back 100 feet from 10th ave.

TWENTY-FIRST AVENUE — GRADING, PAVING AND GUTTERING, from 80th st. to Cropsey ave. Area of assessment: Both sides of 21st ave., from 80th st. to Cropsey ave., and extending back 100 feet from 21st ave.

TWENTY-SECOND AVENUE—GRADING, PAVING AND GUTTERING, from 80th st. to Cropsey ave. Area of assessment: Both sides of 22d ave., from 80th st. to Cropsey ave., and extending back 100 feet from 22d ave.

WAREHOUSE AVENUE—GRADING, PAVING AND GUTTERING, from Franklin ave. to 7th ave. Area of assessment: Both sides of Warehouse ave., from Franklin ave. to 7th ave., and extending back 100 feet from Warehouse ave.

The Board of Assessors has levied and assessed the foregoing assessments in fifty equal annual installments.

The "Eleventh Installment" in each case is now due and payable, and hereafter for thirty-nine years an amount equal to one of the aforesaid annual installments with interest shall be assessed upon the lots or parcels of land benefited by said improvements. These assessments were confirmed by the Board of Revision of Assessments on June 30, 1904, and the "Eleventh Installment" entered on June 23, 1914, 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.

Unless the amount of the eleventh installment in each case shall be paid within sixty days after said date of entry, interest shall be charged, collected and received thereon, as provided in 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 August 22, 1914, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when the above assessments became liens to the date of payment.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, June 23, 1914. j29,jy10

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:

FIFTEENTH WARD, SECTION 2.

EAST TWELFTH STREET—RESTORING ASPHALT PAVEMENT in front of No. 60. Area of assessment: Southeast corner of Broadway and East Twelfth street, known as Lot 17 in Block 557.

The above assessment was 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 June 24, 1914, 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, Municipal Building, north side, third floor, 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 August 23, 1914, 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.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, June 24, 1914. j29,jy10

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessments for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN:

THIRTY-FIRST WARD, SECTION 22.

EAST FOURTEENTH STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING between Avenue U and Avenue V. Area of assessment: Both sides of East Fourteenth street from Avenue U to Avenue V, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

—that the same was confirmed by the Board of Revision of Assessments on June 18, 1914, and entered June 18, 1914, 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 Offerman Building, No. 503 Fulton Street, 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 August 17, 1914, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when such assessments became liens to the date of payment.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, June 18, 1914. j29,jy10

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:

NINETEENTH WARD, SECTION 5.

EAST SIXTY-FOURTH STREET—RESTORING ASPHALT PAVEMENT in front of No. 215. Area of assessment: Both sides of East Sixty-fourth street, about 255 feet east of Third avenue, known as Lot 11, in Block 1419.

The above assessment was 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 June 22, 1914, 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, "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, Municipal Building, north side, third floor, 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 August 21, 1914, 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 become a lien to the date of payment.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, June 22, 1914. j29,jy10

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 RICHMOND:

FIRST WARD.

VINE STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING AND PAVING, between Daniel Low Terrace and the easterly side of Belmont Place. Area of assessment: Both sides of Vine street between Daniel Low Terrace and Belmont place, extending through the adjacent blocks.

—that the same was confirmed by the Board of Revision of Assessments on June 18, 1914, and entered on June 18, 1914, 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 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 ccalculated 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, Borough Hall, St. George, Borough of Richmond, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays, from 9 a. m. to 12 noon, and all payments made thereon on or before August 17, 1914, 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.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, June 18, 1914. j26,jy8

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 THE BRONX:

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 11.

BURNSIDE AVENUE—PAVING AND SETTING CURB, from Aqueduct avenue to the westerly side of Sedgwick avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Burnside avenue from Aqueduct avenue to Sedgwick avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenue.

AQUEDUCT AVENUE—PAVING, from the southerly crosswalk at Burnside avenue to the northerly side of One Hundred and Eighty-first street. Area of assessment: Both sides of Aqueduct avenue from Burnside avenue to One Hundred and Eighty-first street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues.

EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-NINTH STREET—PAVING AND SETTING CURB, from Park avenue to Third avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street from Park avenue to Third avenue and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 15.

SEWERS in ST. RAYMOND AVENUE, between Parker street and Zerega avenue, and between Zerega and St. Peters avenues; in MACLAY AVENUE, between Parker street and Zerega avenue and between Zerega avenue and Seddon, and in ZEREGA AVENUE, between St. Raymond avenue and Lyvere street. Area of assessment affects Blocks Nos. 3972, 3979, 3991 to 3997, inclusive, and 3999.

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 18.

CITY ISLAND AVENUE—PAVING AND CURBING, from the Approach to City Island Bridge to Long Island Sound. Area of assessment: Both sides of City Island avenue from the approach to the City Island Bridge to Long Island Sound, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Revision of Assessments on June 18, 1914, and entered on June 18, 1914, 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 ccalculated 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 Bergen Building, Arthur and Tremont aves., Borough of The Bronx, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before August 17, 1914, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when such assessments became liens to the date of payment.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, June 18, 1914. j26,jy8

NOTICE OF ASSESSMENTS FOR OPENING STREETS AND PARKS.

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

TENTH WARD, SECTIONS 2 AND 3.

CANAL STREET—OPENING, from THE BOWERY to CHRYSTIE STREET. Confirmed May 15th, 1914; entered June 22, 1914. Area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at the intersection of a line distant 200 feet southwesterly from and parallel with the southwesterly line of Canal street, the said distance being measured at right angles to Canal street with a line distant 94 feet northwestwardly from and parallel with the northwesterly line of Elizabeth street, the said distance being measured at right angles to Elizabeth street, and running thence northeastwardly and always parallel with and distant 94 feet from Elizabeth street, the said distance being measured at right angles to Elizabeth street, to the intersecton with a line distant 202 feet northeastwardly from and parallel with the northeasterly line of Hester street, the said distance being measured at right angles to Hester street; thence southeastwardly parallel with Hester street and always distant 202 feet therefrom, the said distance being measured at right angles to Hester street, to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet northwestwardly from and parallel with the northwesterly line of the Bowery, the said distance being measured at right angles to the Bowery; thence northeastwardly and parallel with the Bowery and always distant 100 feet northwestwardly therefrom, the said distance being measured at right angles to the Bowery, to the intersection with a line distant 150 feet northeastwardly from and parallel with the northeasterly line of Grand street, the said distance being measured at right angles to Grand street; thence southeastwardly parallel with Grand street and always distant 150 feet therefrom, the said distance being measured at right angles to Grand street, to the intersection with a line distant 101 feet southeastwardly from and parallel with the southeasterly line of the Bowery, the said distance being measured at right angles to the Bowery; thence southwestwardly, parallel with the Bowery, and always distant 101 feet therefrom the said distance being measured at right angles to the Bowery, to the intersection with a line distant 201 feet southwestwardly from and parallel with the southwesterly line of Grand street, the said distance being measured at right angles to Grand street; thence southeastwardly parallel with Grand street and always distant 201 feet therefrom, the said distance being measured at right angles to Grand street, to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet southeastwardly from and parallel with the southeasterly line of Chrystie street, the said distance being measured at right angles to Chrystie street; thence southwestwardly along a line parallel with Chrystie street and always distant 100 feet southeastwardly therefrom and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line distant 200 feet southwestwardly from the southwesterly line of Canal street, the said distance being measured at right angles to Canal street; thence northwestwardly and parallel with Canal street and always distant 200 feet therefrom, the said distance being measured at right angles to Canal street, to the point or place of beginning.

The above entitled assessment was entered on the date hereinbefore given, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided in section 1006 of the Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides, 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, Municipal Building, north side, third floor, 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 August 21, 1914, 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.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, June 22, 1914. j25,jy7

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE Greater New York Charter the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessment for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS IN THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

THIRD WARD.

SEWERS in PERCY STREET, from Parsons avenue to Beech Street; in BEECH STREET, CYPRESS AVENUE, DELAWARE STREET AND ELM STREET, from Percy street to Central avenue. Area of assessment affects property in Blocks Nos. 117 to 120 and 126 to 129 inclusive.

FOURTH WARD.

LEFFERTS AVENUE—SEWER, from Liberty avenue to Atlantic avenue (Park Place). Area of assessment: Both sides of Lefferts avenue, from Atlantic avenue to Liberty avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues, including property in Blocks Nos. 559 to 562 and 479 to 484 inclusive.

FIFTH WARD.

SEAGIRT AVENUE — PAVING, from Twenty-seventh to Twenty-ninth street. Area of assessment: Both sides of Seagirt avenue, from Twenty-seventh to Twenty-ninth street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on June 16, 1914, and entered June 16, 1914, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assess-

ments 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 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 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 August 15, 1914, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when such assessments became liens to the date of payment.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, June 16, 1914. j23,jy3

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 THE BRONX:

TWENTY-THIRD WARD, SECTION 9.

CROMWELL AVENUE — REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURBSTONES, FLAGGING SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSWALKS, BUILDING APPROACHES AND ERECTING FENCES, from East One Hundred and Fiftieth street to Jerome avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Cromwell avenue, from East One Hundred and Fiftieth street to Jerome avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues.

EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-NINTH STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, BUILDING APPROACHES AND ERECTING GUARD RAIL, from Southern Boulevard to the East River. Area of assessment: Both sides of East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, from Southern Boulevard to the East River, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues.

TWENTY-THIRD WARD, SECTION 11.

CHISHOLM STREET AND INTERVALE AVENUE—RECEIVING BASIN at the southwest corner. Area of assessment affects property in Block No. 2973.

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 11.

MORRIS AVENUE—REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURBSTONES, FLAGGING SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSWALKS, BUILDING APPROACHES and ERECTING FENCES, from Fordham road to East One Hundred and Ninety-first street, and also in EAST ONE HUNDRED AND NINETY-FIRST STREET, from Morris avenue to Creston avenue. Area of assessment affects property fronting on above improvements and including Blocks Nos. 3174, 3175, 3176, 3189 and 3190.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on June 16, 1914, and entered June 16, 1914, 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 Bergen Building, Arthur and Tremont aves., Borough of The Bronx, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before August 15, 1914, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when such assessments became liens to the date of payment.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, June 16, 1914. j23,jy3

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 pesons, owners of property, affected by the following assessments for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN:

TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 8.

SHERMAN AVENUE—RESTORING ASPHALT PAVEMENT in front of No. 10. Area of assessment affects property No. 10 Sherman avenue, known as Lot 92 in Block 2175.

The above assessment was 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 June 18, 1914, 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, "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, Municipal Building, north side, third floor, 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 August 17, 1914, 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.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, June 18, 1914. j23,jy3

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessments for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN:

THIRTIETH WARD, SECTION 18.

SEVENTY-SIXTH STREET—SEWER, between Sixth and Seventh avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of Seventy-sixth street between Sixth and Seventh avenues.

—that the same was conrmed by the Board of Assessors on June 16, 1914, and entered June 16, 1914, 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 Offerman Building, No. 503 Fulton Street, 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 August 15, 1914, 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, June 16, 1914. j23,jy3

Corporation Sales of Buildings.

CORPORATION SALE OF BUILDINGS AND APPURTENANCES THERETO ON CITY REAL ESTATE BY SEALED BIDS.

AT THE REQUEST OF THE PRESIDENT of the Borough of Brooklyn public notice is hereby given that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale by sealed bids certain encroachments standing upon property owned by The City of New York, acquired by it for street opening purposes in the

Borough of Brooklyn.

BEING the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., standing within the lines of Belmont Avenue, from Alabama Avenue to Pennsylvania Avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, which are more particularly described on a certain map on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room 368, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan.

PURSUANT to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopted at a meeting held June 10, 1914, 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

TUESDAY, JULY 7, 1914.

at 11 A. M., in lots and parcels, and in manner and form, and at upset prices as follows:

PARCEL No. 98. Part of two-story frame house on the south side of Belmont Avenue, 75 feet east of Sheffield Avenue. Cut 11.37 feet on west side by 11.29 feet on east side. Upset price, $10.

PARCEL No. 99. Steps of one-story frame house east of and adjoining Parcel No. 98. Upset price, $2.

PARCEL No. 101. Steps of four-story brick building on the southwest corner of Belmont Avenue and Pennsylvania Avenue. Upset price, $2.

Sealed bids (blank forms of which may be obtained upon application) will be received by the Comptroller at the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Room 368, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, until 11 a. m. on the 7th day of July, 1914, 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 July 7, 1914," and must be delivered, or mailed in time for their delivery, prior to 11 a. m. of that date to the "Collector of City Revenue, Room 368, Municipal Building, New York City," from whom any further particulars regarding the buildings to be disposed of may be obtained.

THE BUILDINGS WILL BE SOLD FOR IMMEDIATE REMOVAL ONLY, SUBJECT TO THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS PRINTED ON THE LAST PAGE OF THIS ISSUE OF THE "CITY RECORD."

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, June 10, 1914. j19,jy7

CORPORATION SALE OF BUILDINGS AND APPURTENANCES THERETO ON CITY REAL ESTATE BY SEALED BIDS.

AT THE REQUEST OF THE PRESIDENT of the Borough of Brooklyn public notice is hereby given that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale by sealed bids certain encroachments standing upon property owned by The City of New York, acquired by it for street opening purposes in the

Borough of Brooklyn.

BEING the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., standing within the lines of East 13th Street (Argyle Road), from Foster Avenue to Ditmas Avenue, in the Borough of Brooklyn, which are more particularly described on a certain map on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room 368, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan.

PURSUANT to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopted at a meeting held June 10, 1914, 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, JULY 6, 1914.

at 11 A. M., in lots and parcels, and in manner and form, and at upset prices as follows:

PARCEL No. 407. Part of one-story and attic frame house with one-story extension, No. 1303 Newkirk Avenue. Cut 16.4 feet on front by 5 feet on rear of house. Upset price, $10.

PARCEL No. 412-413. Part of two-story and attic frame house No. 1302 Newkirk Avenue. Cut 19 feet on front by 8 feet on rear. 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 368, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, until 11 a. m. on the 6th day of July, 1914, 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.

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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 July 6, 1914," and must be delivered, or mailed in time for their delivery, prior to 11 a. m. of that date to the "Collector of City Revenue, Room 368, Municipal Building, New York City," from whom any further particulars regarding the buildings to be disposed of may be obtained.

THE BUILDINGS WILL BE SOLD FOR IMMEDIATE REMOVAL ONLY, SUBJECT TO THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS PRINTED ON THE LAST PAGE OF THIS ISSUE OF THE "CITY RECORD."

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, June 10, 1914. j18,jy6

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 Matthews Avenue, from Van Nest Avenue to Bear Swamp Road, in the Borough of The Bronx, which are more particularly described on a certain map on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room 368, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan.

PURSUANT to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopted at a meeting held June 10, 1914, 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, JULY 3, 1914.

at 11 A. M. in lots and parcels, and in manner and form, and at upset prices as follows:

PARCEL No. 253. Fence and part of steps No. 1717 Matthews Avenue. Upset price, $2.

PARCEL No. 254. Fence No. 1719 Matthews Avenue. Upset price, $2.

PARCEL No. 257. Fence and part of steps No. 1723 Matthews Avenue. Upset price, $2.

PARCEL No. 258. Iron fence and part of steps No. 1725 Matthews Avenue. Upset price, $3.

PARCEL No. 260. Fence and part of steps No. 1731 Matthews Avenue. Upset price, $2.

PARCEL No. 261. Fence and part of steps No. 1733 Matthews Avenue. Upset price, $2.

PARCEL No. 271. Part of two and one-half story frame house No. 825 Kinsella Street. Cut 9.5 feet on front by 11.8 feet on rear. Upset price, $100.

PARCEL No. 283-284. Part of one-story frame barn No. 1826 Matthews Avenue. Cut 0.9 feet on south side by 3.5 feet on north side. Also, board fence. Upset price, $5.

PARCEL No. 306. Part of three-story frame house No. 1919 Bronxdale Avenue. Cut 0.6 feet on east side by 32.1 feet on west side from rear of house. Also frame shed and fences in rear of house. Upset price, $50.

Sealed bids (blank forms of which may be obtained upon application) will be received by the Comptroller at the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Room 368, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, until 11.00 a. m. on the 3d day of July, 1914, 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.

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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 July 2, 1914," and must be delivered, or mailed in time for their delivery, prior to 11 a. m. of that date to the "Collector of City Revenue, Room 368, Municipal Building, New York City," from whom any further particulars regarding the buildings to be disposed of may be obtained.

THE BUILDINGS WILL BE SOLD FOR IMMEDIATE REMOVAL ONLY, SUBJECT TO THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS PRINTED ON THE LAST PAGE OF THIS ISSUE OF THE "CITY RECORD."

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, June 11, 1914. j17,jy3

CORPORATION SALE OF BUILDINGS AND APPURTENANCES THERETO ON CITY REAL ESTATE BY SEALED BIDS.

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Borough of The Bronx.

BEING the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., standing within the lines of Taylor Avenue, from Wood Avenue to a point 250 feet north of Wood Avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, which are more particularly described on a certain map on file in the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Department of Finance, Room 368, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan.

PURSUANT to a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopted at a meeting held June 10, 1914, 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, JULY 2, 1914.

at 11 A. M. in lots and parcels, and in manner and form, and at upset prices as follows:

PARCEL No. 167. Part of porch and steps of house on the northwest corner of Taylor Avenue and Wood avenue. Upset price, $2.

PARCEL No. 168. Fence and part of steps north of and adjoining Parcel No. 167. Upset price, $2.

PARCEL No. 169. Fence and part of steps north of and adjoining Parcel No. 168. Upset price, $3.

PARCEL No. 170. Fence north of and adjoining Parcel No. 169. Upset price, $2.

PARCEL No. 171. Fence and part of steps north of and adjoining Parcel No. 170. Upset price, $2.

PARCEL No. 180. Fence and part of steps on the northeast corner of Wood Avenue and Taylor Avenue. Upset price, $2.

PARCEL No. 181. Fence and part of steps north of and adjoining Parcel No. 180. Upset price, $2.

PARCEL No. 185. Fence and part of steps 80 feet north of Parcel No. 181. 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 368, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, until 11.00 a. m. on the 2d day of July, 1914, 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.

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All bids must be inclosed in properly sealed envelopes, marked "Proposals to be opened July 2, 1914," and must be delivered, or mailed in time for their delivery, prior to 11 a. m. of that date to the "Collector of City Revenue, Room 368, Municipal Building, New York City," from whom any further particulars regarding the buildings to be disposed of may be obtained.

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WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, June 11, 1914. j16,jy2

Corporation Sales of Real Estate.

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

THURSDAY, JULY 2, 1914.

at 12 o'clock M., in Room 368, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, the following described real estate belonging to the corporation of The City of New York:

ALL that certain piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the Town of Somers, County of Westchester, State of New York, shown on Sheet No. 56 of Atlas of Lands of Westchester County, used for water supply purposes, on file in the office of the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, New York City, and more particularly described as follows:

BEGINNING at the point formed by the intersection of the easterly boundary line of the property of The City of New York, with the easterly side of road along the easterly side of the Amawalk reservoir, said property line being the easterly boundary of Parcel 17A (shown on above mentioned map) of the Amawalk reservoir takings; running thence south 14 degrees 8 minutes east 380 feet, more or less, along the easterly boundary of lands of The City of New York to the end of a stone wall; thence westerly about 60 feet, more or less, to the easterly line of the above mentioned road; thence northerly along said road about 400 feet, more or less, to the point or place of beginning, containing within said bounds 0.45 acres, more or less.

The minimum or upset price at which said land shall be sold is hereby appraised and fixed at the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars ($150), 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 ten (10) per cent. of the amount of his bid at the time of the sale, the balance to be paid upon the delivery of the deed, which shall be within sixty (60) days from the date of the sale.

The Comptroller may at his option resell the property if the successful bidder shall fail to comply with the terms of the sale, and the person so 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 delivered shall be in the form of a bargain and sale deed without covenants, and shall contain a clause prohibiting the erection upon the demised premises of any building or buildings, nor shall any cesspool be created thereon, nor the seepage of any cesspool allowed to run therethrough, nor shall the premises be used at any time for any purpose detrimental to the City's water supply; the City to have access at all times for the purpose of protecting such water supply.

Maps of said real estate may be seen on application at the Comptroller's office, (Division of Real Estate), Room 733, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan.

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund under resolution adopted at meeting of the Board held June 10, 1914.

ALEX. BROUGH, Deputy and Acting Comptroller, City of New York.

Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, June 13, 1914. j16,jy2

Sales of Tax Liens.

NOTICE OF CONTINUANCE OF BROOKLYN TAX SALE.

THE SALE OF THE LIENS FOR UNPAID taxes, assessments and water rents for the Borough of Brooklyn, as to liens remaining unsold at the termination of the sale of October 15th, November 5th, December 3rd, 1913, and January 7th, February 11th, March 18th, April 22nd, May 27th and June 24th, 1914, has been continued to

WEDNESDAY, JULY 15, 1914.

at 2:30 p. m., pursuant to Section 1028 of the Greater New York Charter, and will be continued at that time in Room 2 in basement of the Borough Hall, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Dated, June 24, 1914.

DANIEL MOYNAHAN, Collector of Assessments and Arrears. j29,jy15

NOTICE OF CONTINUATION OF MANHATTAN TAX SALE.

THE SALE OF THE LIENS FOR UNPAID taxes, assessments and water rents for the Borough of Manhattan, as to liens remaining unsold at the termination of the sale of September 4, October 9, November 13, December 18, 1913, January 15, February 26, April 2, 1914, May 7, 1914, and June 11, 1914, has been continued to

THURSDAY, JULY 16, 1914,

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 Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

Dated June 11, 1914.

DANIEL MOYNAHAN, Collector of Assessments and Arrears. j13,jy16

NOTICE OF CONTINUATION OF THE 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, January 6, January 27, February 17, March 10, March 31, April 21, May 12, June 9, June 23, July 7, July 21, August 18, August 23, September 22, October 20, November 17, December 15, 1913, January 12, February 16, March 12, May 4 and June 8, 1914, has been continued to

MONDAY, JULY 6, 1914.

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 fourth floor of the Bergen Building, corner of Arthur and Tremont aves., Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

DANIEL MOYNAHAN, Collector of Assessments and Arrears.

Dated June 8, 1914. j10,jy6

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 January 1, 1914.

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 January 1, 1914.

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 January 1, 1914.

January 1, 1914.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

Notices of Public Hearings.

FRANCHISE MATTERS.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the public hearing on the form of contract modifying contract dated July 10, 1912, granting a franchise to the Manhattan Bridge Three Cent Line, by substituting a new route on Fulton Street, Ashland Place and Lafayette Avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, for a portion of its existing route on Rockwell Place, Flatbush Avenue, 4th Avenue and Atlantic Avenue, which hearing was by resolution duly adopted on November 20, 1913, fixed for December 24, 1913, and was continued from time to time until June 12, 1914, was continued on the latter date until June 19, 1914, and on that date was continued until July 30, 1914, at 10.30 o'clock A. M., in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, at which time and place all persons interested will be afforded an opportunity to appear and be heard thereon.

JAMES D. McGANN, Assistant Secretary, Room 801, 277 Broadway. Telephone, 4560 Worth.

Dated, New York, June 19, 1914. j24,jy30

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

Proposals.

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

FRIDAY, JULY 10, 1914.

NO. 1. FOR FURNISHING 125,000 GALLONS OF ASPHALT ROAD OIL.

The time allowed for the performance of the contract is as directed during the year 1914, after the endorsement of the certificate of the Comptroller upon the executed contract.

The amount of security required will be 30% of the total amount for which the contract is awarded.

Blank forms can be obtained upon application therefor, the specifications may be seen and other information obtained at said office.

DOUGLAS MATHEWSON, President. j29,jy10

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

BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Board of Water Supply, at its offices, twenty-second floor, Municipal Building, Park Row, Centre and Chambers Streets, New York City, until 11 A. M. on

TUESDAY, JULY 14, 1914.

for

CONTRACT 145.

FOR ROOFING WITH REINFORCED CONCRETE TILES 46 SUPERSTRUCTURES ALONG THE LINE OF THE CATSKILL AQUEDUCT BETWEEN THE ASHOKAN AND HILL VIEW RESERVOIRS, A DISTANCE OF APPROXIMATELY 92 MILES. APPROXIMATELY 28,900 TILES WILL BE REQUIRED UNDER THE CONTRACT. THE BUILDINGS, READY TO RECEIVE THE TILES, ARE BEING CONSTRUCTED UNDER OTHER CONTRACTS.

A statement of the work required and further information are given in the Information for Bidders, forming part of the contract. At the above place and time the bids will be publicly opened and read. The award of the contract, if awarded, will be made by the Board as soon thereafter as practicable. The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Two or more bonds, the aggregate amount of which shall be forty thousand dollars ($40,000), will be required for the faithful performance of the contract.

No bid will be received and deposited unless accompanied by a certified check upon a National or State bank, drawn to the order of the Comptroller of The City of New York to the amount of two thousand dollars ($2,000).

Time allowed for the completion of the work is 36 months from the service of notice by the Board to begin work.

Pamphlets containing information for bidders, forms of proposal, contract, specifications, contract drawings, etc., can be obtained at the above address, at the office of the Secretary, upon application in person or by mail, by depositing the sum of ten dollars ($10) in cash or its equivalent for each pamphlet. This deposit will be refunded upon the return of the pamphlets in acceptable condition within thirty days from the date on which bids are to be opened.

For further particulars apply to the office of the Principal Assistant Engineer, at the above address.

CHARLES STRAUSS, President; CHARLES N. CHADWICK, JOHN F. GALVIN, Commissioners of the Board of Water Supply.

W. BRUCE COBB, Secretary. j18,20,—j25,jy14

Note—See general instructions to bidders on last page, last column of the CITY RECORD, so far as applicable thereto and not otherwise provided for.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

Proposals.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, 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 2032, Municipal Building, until 2 o'clock p. m., on

FRIDAY, JULY 3, 1914.

No. 1. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH GRANITE BLOCK PAVEMENT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF BROADWAY FROM THE NORTH SIDE OF MANHATTAN STREET TO THE SOUTH SIDE OF 135TH STREET, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

Engineer's estimate:

10 cu. yds. Excavation.
10 cu. yds. Filling.
2,970 lin. ft. New 6" Granite Curbstone.
350 lin. ft. New Granite Corner Curbstone.
30 lin. ft. Old Bluestone Curb, redressed.
100 sq. ft. Concrete Sidewalk, Class A.
320 lin. ft. Granite Headers.
3,200 cu. yds. Concrete outside of R. R. Area.
18,190 sq. yds. Granite Block Pavement outside of R. R. Area.
20 sq. yds. Sheet Asphalt Pavement in Approaches.
12 Sewer Manhole Heads and Covers.
2 Covers with Rings for Sewer Manholes.
3 cu. yds. Brick Masonry in Manholes.
13 Receiving Basins Built.
3,330 lin. ft. Old Bluestone Curb purchased by Contractor.

The time allowed for the completion of the above work is Fifty-five (55) working days.

The amount of security required is Twenty thousand Dollars ($20,000) and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five per cent. (5%) of the amount of security.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per foot, yard or other unit of measure or articles, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up.

Blank forms and specifications may be had at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, Bureau of Highways, Room 2124, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan.

MARCUS M. MARKS, President. June 23, 1914. j23,jy3

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

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Manhattan, at the offices of the Commissioner of Public Works, Municipal Building, Room 2032, New York City, until 2 o'clock p. m., on

THURSDAY, JULY 2, 1914.

FOR THE RECONSTRUCTION OF SEWER IN EAST 38TH STREET, BETWEEN EAST RIVER AND 1ST AVENUE.

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:

174 linear feet 5' 0" circular brick sewer, including the enlarging of the opening in the bulkhead wall.
16 spurs for house connections.
2 manholes, complete.
7,000 feet B. M. of timber and planking for bracing and sheeting.
6,500 feet B. M. of timber and planking for foundation.
3,000 linear feet of piles.
45 cubic yards of concrete.

(Note—Concrete shall be used in place of timber and pile foundations if the Engineer so elects.)

The time allowed for constructing and completing the sewer and appurtenances will be sixty (60) CONSECUTIVE WORKING DAYS.

The amount of security required will be Three Thousand Five Hundred Dollars ($3,500), and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five per cent. (5%) of the amount of security.

The bidder will state the price for each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per foot, yard or other unit of measure or article by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up as the bids will be read from the total.

Blank forms may be had and the plans and drawings may be seen at the offices of the Commissioner of Public Works, Municipal Building, Bureau of Sewers, Borough of Manhattan.

MARCUS M. MARKS, President, Borough of Manhattan.

June 22, 1914. j22,jy2

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

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

Filling-in Privilege.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES, PIER "A," FOOT OF BATTERY PLACE, NORTH RIVER, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Docks at Pier "A," foot of Battery Place, North River, in The City of New York, until 12 o'clock noon on

WEDNESDAY, JULY 8, 1914.

FOR THE RIGHT TO DUMP AND FILL IN BEHIND THE BULKHEAD WALL RECENTLY BUILT OR TO BE BUILT ON PART OF THE BLACKWELL SECTION ON THE EAST RIVER, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE:

The work to be done is to fill in with suitable material, as hereinafter described, the area behind the new bulkhead wall extending from the intersection of the southerly side of East Sixty-eighth Street, prolonged outshore, and the bulkhead wall and extending northerly along the bulkhead wall a distance of about 265 feet to the southerly side, prolonged outshore, of East Sixty-ninth Street.

The filling shall be brought to a grade level with the top of the coping of the bulkhead wall and shall extend inshore on a sloping grade to the level of the street adjacent.

It is estimated that the area outlining the above described limits will create a basin to be filled in, under this agreement, whose cubical contents in net void space is equal to 2,900 cubic yards.

Bidders will state in writing a lump sum price which they agree to pay for the privilege of filling in the void space behind the bulkhead wall, built or to be built, at the Blackwell section on the East River, Borough of Manhattan, as above more fully described. The award if made will be made to the bidder whose lump sum price is the highest for the privilege.

In the estimated amount given, the amount in cubic yards is arrived at without placing any allowance for shrinkage, settlement, swelling of the material or penetration into the mud.

The Department is not bound in any way by such estimate, and bidders must satisfy themselves of the actual quantity required to fill in the above described area by examination of the premises or such other means as they may prefer, the intention of the Department being to fill in the whole of the said premises behind the bulkhead wall within the above-described limits, and no allowance will be made to the purchaser from the purchase price on account of any discrepancy which may be found between the above estimated quantity and the actual amount of filling required. The purchaser will be required to place the filling in accordance with the following specifications:

All the filling shall, unless otherwise directed, be placed directly in the rear of the bulkhead wall and carried from the bulkhead wall toward the shore in such a manner as not to cause any damage to the pipes lying in the area to be filled in.

All material must be dumped and filled in only in such manner, at such points and in such order of procedure and at such times and seasons as may, from time to time, be directed, and the work of filling in may be entirely suspended for such periods of time as may be directed by the Engineer. The purchaser shall have no claim for damage or for any allowance from the purchase money on account of such suspension of the work.

All directions shall be given by the Engineer, and wherever the word "Engineer" is used in these specifications it refers to and designates the Chief Engineer of the Department of Docks and Ferries, or such officer or employee as may be designated by him.

Rip-rap stone coming directly on or against the bulkhead wall must be deposited carefully in such manner as will not injure the same.

All the filling, except as otherwise specified herein, shall be of ashes, cellar dirt, broken stone, etc., entirely free from garbage or any organic matter objectionable in the opinion of the Engineer.

At any section of the bulkhead wall the filling shall be brought up level with the under side of the backing log of the bulkhead wall at such section, and no higher unless otherwise directed.

The filling shall be commenced within five days after the date of the receipt of a notification from the Engineer that the work, or any part of it, is ready to be begun, after which not less than 100 cubic yards per day shall be placed, and the whole amount of the filling called for to bring the above described basin up to grade shall be completed within twenty-nine days from the date of the receipt of said notification. At the expiration of this time this agreement shall be considered closed unless a further extension of time shall be given by the Commissioner of Docks. If at any time during the progress of the work it shall be deemed necessary to order the suspension of the whole or any part of the filling, the time for completing said filling shall be extended as much as it may have been delayed by such suspension.

In case the purchaser at any time does not proceed with the work of filling in to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Docks, the said Commissioner will at once terminate the privilege of filling in and proceed to have the remainder of the filling in done by other parties in such way and manner as he deems proper, and any loss which may result therefrom shall be charged against him and forfeit the money paid for the privilege.

The purchaser shall during the work of filling in, and at all times until the completion thereof, take all necessary precautions and place proper guards for the prevention of accidents, and put up and maintain at night sufficient lights, and he shall indemnify and save harmless The City of New York from all damages and costs to which it may 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 guarding the same.

The purchaser shall provide all plank and other appliances and all necessary labor, and shall at all times keep the dump graded to the satisfaction of the Engineer.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by a certified check drawn to the order of the Commissioner of Docks, or money in the full amount of the bid price.

The purchaser agrees that he will comply with the provisions of the Labor Law. He further agrees that no laborer, workman or mechanic in the employ of the contractor, sub-contractor or other person doing or contracting to do the whole or a part of the work contemplated by the contract shall be permitted or required to work more than eight hours in any one calendar day except as in cases of extraordinary emergency caused by fire, flood or danger to life and property.

That the wages to be paid for a legal day's work to all classes of such laborers, workmen or mechanics upon public work or upon any material to be used thereon shall not be less than the prevailing rate for a day's work in the same trade or occupation in the locality where such public work is being constructed. Each such laborer, workman or mechanic shall receive the prevailing rate of wages. This contract shall be void and of no effect unless the person or corporation making or performing the same shall comply with the provisions of Sections 3 and 14 of the Labor Law.

Dated: June 23rd, 1914.

R. A. C. SMITH, Commissioner of Docks. j25,jy8

Proposals.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES, PIER "A," FOOT OF BATTERY PLACE, NORTH RIVER, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Docks at the above office until 12 o'clock Noon, on

THURSDAY, JULY 2, 1914.

Borough of Manhattan.

CONTRACT NO. 1428.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR REPAIRING A PORTION OF THE PIER AND APPROACH AT THE FOOT OF WEST 96TH STREET, NORTH RIVER, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of 120 calendar days.

The amount of security required is $12,000.00.

The bidder shall state, both in writing and in figures, a price for furnishing all of the labor and materials and for doing all of the work as called for. The contract is entire and for a complete job, and, if awarded, will be awarded to the bidder whose bid is lowest for doing all of the work and whose bid is regular in all respects.

In case of discrepancy between the written price and that given in figures the price in writing will be considered as the bid.

Work must be done at the time and in the manner and in such quantities as may be directed.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the said Department.

R. A. C. SMITH, Commissioner of Docks.

Dated June 18th, 1914. j20,jy2

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

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

Proposals.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, CORNER OF PARK AVENUE AND 59TH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Buildings at the above office of the Department of Education until three P. M., on

MONDAY, JULY 13, 1914.

Borough of The Bronx.

NO. 1:—FOR ADDITIONS, ALTERATIONS AND REPAIRS TO THE ELECTRIC EQUIPMENT IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS 2, 10, 27, 38 AND MORRIS HIGH SCHOOL, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

The time allowed to complete the whole work on each school will be forty-five (45) working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows: P. S. 2, $600; P. S. 10, $900; P. S. 27, $500; P. S. 38, $300; M. H. S., $200.

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

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

NO. 2:—FOR ALTERATIONS AND REPAIRS TO HEATING AND VENTILATING APPARATUS IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS 3, 10, 11, 20, 23, 25, 27, 28, 30, 31, 32, 33, 35, 37, 42 (ITEMS 1 AND 2), 43, 44, 46, 47 AND MORRIS HIGH SCHOOL (ITEMS 1, 2 AND 3), BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

The time allowed to complete the whole work on each school will be eighty (80) working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows: P. S. 3, $200; P. S. 10, $100; P. S. 11, $200; P. S. 20, $200; P. S. 23, $100; P. S. 25, $100; P. S. 27, $400; P. S. 28, $300; P. S. 30, $100; P. S. 31, $100; P. S. 32, $500; P. S. 33, $400; P. S. 35, $200; P. S. 37, $200; P. S. 42, $200 (Item 1); P. S. 42, $200 (Item 2); P. S. 43, $100; P. S. 44, $100; P. S. 46, $400; P. S. 47, $400; M. H. S., $400 (Item 1); M. H. S., $400 (Item 2); M. H. S., $100 (Item 3).

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

A separate proposal must be submitted for each school and for each item, P. S. 42 and Morris High School, and award will be made thereon.

NO. 3:—FOR ITEM 1, GENERAL CONSTRUCTION, ALSO ITEM 2, PLUMBING AND DRAINAGE OF ADDITIONS TO AND ALTERATIONS IN PUBLIC SCHOOL 12, ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF FRISBY AVENUE, BETWEEN BENSON AVENUE AND OVERING STREET, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be two hundred (200) working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows: Item 1, $30,000; Item 2, $3,000.

The deposit accompanying bid on each item shall be five per centum of the amount of security.

A separate proposal must be submitted for each item and award will be made thereon.

NO. 4:—FOR FURNITURE, ETC., FOR NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 51, ON TRINITY AND JACKSON AVENUE AND EAST 158TH STREET, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

The time allowed to complete the whole work on each item will be sixty (60) working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows: Item 1, $1,200; Item 2, $800; Item 3, $800; Item 4, $600; Item 5, $600.

The deposit accompanying bid on each item shall be five per centum of the amount of security.

A separate proposal must be submitted for each item and award will be made thereon.

Borough of Manhattan.

NO. 5:—FOR ALTERATIONS, REPAIRS, ETC., AT PUBLIC SCHOOL 12, MADISON AND JACKSON STREETS, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

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

The amount of security required is One Hundred Dollars ($100).

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

NO. 6:—FOR SANITARY ALTERATIONS, REPAIRS, ETC., AT PUBLIC SCHOOL 85, 117TH STREET AND FIRST AVENUE, AND HIGH SCHOOL OF COMMERCE, 65TH AND 66TH STREETS, WEST OF BROADWAY, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work on each school will be fifty (50) working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows: P. S. 85, $200; H. S. of C., $500.

The deposit accompanying bid for each school shall be five per centum of the amount of security.

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

Borough of Queens.

NO. 7:—FOR ALTERATIONS, REPAIRS, ETC., AT PUBLIC SCHOOL 20, SANFORD AVENUE AND UNION STREET, FLUSHING, AND JAMAICA HIGH SCHOOL, JAMAICA, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

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

The amount of security required is as follows: P. S. 20, $600; J. H. S., $600.

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

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

NO. 8:—FOR INSTALLING ELECTRIC EQUIPMENT IN FLUSHING HIGH SCHOOL, ON BROADWAY, WHITESTONE AVENUE AND STATE STREET, FLUSHING, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be one hundred and thirty (130) working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is Twelve Thousand Dollars ($12,000).

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

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

NO. 9:—FOR GYMNASIUM APPARATUS FOR VARIOUS SCHOOLS IN THE BOROUGHS OF MANHATTAN AND THE BRONX.

The time allowed to complete the whole work of each item will be sixty (60) working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows: Item 1, $6,000; Item 2, $300.

The deposit accompanying bid on each item shall be five percentum of the amount of security.

A separate proposal must be submitted for each item and award will be made thereon.

On Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7 and 9, the bidders must state the price of each item, by which the bids will be tested.

On Nos. 5 and 8, the bids will be compared and the contract will be awarded in a lump sum to the lowest bidder on each contract.

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 Avenue and 59th Street, Borough of Manhattan, and also at Branch Office, No. 69 Broadway, Flushing, Borough of Queens, for work for their respective boroughs.

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

Dated June 30, 1914. j30,jy13

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

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, CORNER OF PARK AVENUE AND 59TH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Buildings at the above office of the Department of Education until three o'clock P. M., on

MONDAY, JULY 6, 1914.

Borough of Manhattan.

NO. 3:—FOR ADDITIONS, ALTERATIONS AND REPAIRS TO THE ELECTRIC EQUIPMENT IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS 27, 59, 62, 108, 109, 159, 174, 184 AND HALL OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work on each will be Thirty (30) days for P. S. 27, 62 and Hall of the Board; Forty-five (45) days for P. S. 59, 108, 109, 159, 174 and 184, as provided in the contract:

The amount of security required is as follows: P. S. 27, $600; P. S. 59, $2,000; P. S. 62, $500; P. S. 108, $900; P. S. 109 $1,200; P. S. 159, $2,800; P. S. 174, $1,600; P. S. 184, $1,400; Hall of B. of E., $400.

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

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

NO. 4:—FOR INSTALLING PREVOCATIONAL SHOP EQUIPMENT IN PUBLIC SCHOOL 62, ON THE NORTHERLY SIDE OF HESTER STREET, BETWEEN ESSEX AND NORFOLK STREETS, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

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

The amount of security required is Three Hundred Dollars ($300).

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

NO. 5:—FOR ITEM 3, PRINTING ROOM MATERIALS, ETC., IN VOCATIONAL SCHOOL FOR BOYS (PUBLIC SCHOOL 100), 138TH AND 139TH STREETS, WEST OF 5TH AVENUE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

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

The amount of security required is Five Hundred Dollars ($500).

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

Borough of Queens.

NO. 6:—FOR IMPROVING THE SANITARY CONDITIONS, ETC., AT PUBLIC SCHOOL 36, CENTRAL AVENUE AND EVERETT STREET, ST. ALBANS, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be Fifty-five (55) working days, as provided in the contract.

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

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

On No. 3, the bidders must state the price of each item, by which the bids will be tested.

On Nos. 4, 5 and 6, the bids will be compared and the contract will be awarded in a lump sum to the lowest bidder on each contract.

Blank forms, plans and supecifications may be obtained or seen at the office of the Superintendent, at Estimating Room, 9th floor, Hall of the Board of Education, Park Avenue and 59th Street, Borough of Manhattan, and also at Branch Office, No. 69 Broadway, Flushing, Borough of Queens, for work for their respective boroughs.

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

Dated, June 23, 1914. j23,jy6

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

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, CORNER OF PARK AVENUE AND 59TH STREET, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Buildings at the above office of the Department of Education until three o'clock P. M., on

MONDAY, JULY 6, 1914.

Borough of Brooklyn.

NO. 1:—FOR ALTERATIONS, REPAIRS, ETC., FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL 31, EAGLE AND DUPONT STREETS, AND PUBLIC SCHOOL 33, HEYWARD STREET, NEAR BROADWAY, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

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

The amount of security required is as follows: P. S. 31, $1,500; P. S. 33, $1,600.

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

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

NO. 2:—FOR ALTERATIONS AND REPAIRS TO HEATING AND VENTILATING APPARATUS IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS 51, 92, 103, 150 AND MANUAL TRAINING HIGH SCHOOL, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work on each school will be sixty (60) working days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is as follows: P. S. 51, $2,500; P. S. 92, $400; P. S. 103, $500; P. S. 150, $1,000; M. T. H. S., $4,000.

The deposit accompanying bid on each school shall be 5 per cent of the amount of security.

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

On Nos. 1 and 2, the bidders must state the price of each item, by which the bids will be tested.

Blank forms, plans and supecifications may be obtained or seen at the office of the Superintendent, at Estimating Room, 9th floor, Hall of the Board of Education, Park Avenue and 59th Street, Borough of Manhattan, and also at Branch Office, No. 131 Livingston Street, Borough of Brooklyn..

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

Dated, June 23, 1914. j23,jy6

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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

THURSDAY, JULY 2, 1914.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 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, 1914.

The amount of security required is thirty (30) per cent. of the amount of the contract.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed by which the bids will be tested. Award will be made to the lowest bidder.

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 June 20, 1914. j20,jy2

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

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

Notices of Examinations.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, NEW YORK, June 22nd, 1914.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT applications will be received

BEGINNING MONDAY, JULY 6, 1914.

and the receipt of applications will continue thereafter until further notice for the position of

ELEVATOR CONSTRUCTOR'S HELPER

at the office of the Application Bureau in the Criminal Court Building, corner of White and Centre streets, Borough of Manhattan.

Applicants must present themselves in person when filing applications on Monday, July 6, 1914, as no applications will be received by mail on that day. After July 6th, application blanks will be mailed upon request, provided a self-addressed stamped envelope or proper postage is enclosed with the request, but the Commission will not guarantee the delivery of the same. Applications forwarded by mail upon which full postage is not prepaid will not be accepted.

Applicants must be citizens of the United States and residents of the State of New York. Proof of naturalization must accompany application.

Candidates must be not less than 21 years of age at the time of filing applications, and must furnish evidence of previous experience as an Elevator Constructor's Helper covering a period of not less than three years.

The dates of the physical and oral examinations will be announced later.

The salary is $3.40 a day, and there are two vacancies existing in the office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan.

ROBERT W. BELCHER, Secretary. j22,jy7

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES.

Proposals.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Bridges at the above office until 2 o'clock P. M., on

THURSDAY, JULY 9, 1914.

FOR FURNISHING AND INSTALLING SECURITY CABINETS IN THE VAULT IN THE MUNICIPAL BUILDING.

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 specifications on or before the expiration of three calendar months.

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 Twenty Dollars ($20) 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 One Thousand Dollars ($1,000).

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.

F. J. H. KRACKE, Commissioner.

Dated June 22, 1914. j26,jy9

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

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

Proposals.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS, THIRD FLOOR OF THE BOROUGH HALL, 5TH STREET AND JACKSON AVENUE, LONG ISLAND CITY, BOROUGH OF QUEENS, CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Queens at the above office until 11:00 A. M. on

WEDNESDAY, JULY 8, 1914.

NO. 1: FOR CONSTRUCTING A TEMPORARY DRAIN THROUGH THE PROPERTY OF THE MALBA ESTATES CORPORATION FROM THE END OF THE EXISTING SEWER AT FIFTH AVENUE TO POWELL'S COVE, THIRD WARD, FOR THE PURPOSE OF ABATING A NUISANCE AND TO PREVENT DAMAGE TO PROPERTY.

The engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

2,430 Lin. Ft. of 3' 9" Concrete sewer.

1,500 Lin. Ft. of 24-inch Vitrified salt-glazed pipe sewer.

6 Manholes, Complete.

20,000 Lin. Ft. of piles below caps, furnished, driven and cut off.

40,000 Lbs. of reinforcement steel, furnished and placed.

200 Cu. Yds. of concrete in place, exclusive of concrete as shown on plan.

200 Cu. Yds. of earth fill, furnished and placed.

25,000 Ft. B. M. Timber for foundation, furnished and placed.

The time allowed for completing the above work will be sixty (60) working days.

The amount of security required will be Fourteen Thousand ($14,000.00) Dollars.

The bidder must state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications herein contained or hereinafter annexed, per square yard, per linear foot, or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested.

The extensions must be 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, June 26th, 1914.

MAURICE E. CONNOLLY, President. j26,jy8

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

Proposals.

MAIN OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, NEW MUNICIPAL BUILDING, ROOM 1091, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

TUESDAY, JULY 14, 1914.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING MEAT.

The time for the performance of the contract is during the year 1914.

No bond will be required with the bid, as heretofore, but will be required upon awarding of the contract in an amount equal to thirty (30) per cent. of the contract.

No bid will be considered unless it is accompanied by a deposit, which shall be in the form of money, or a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or corporate stock or certificates of indebtedness of any nature issued by The City of New York and approved by the Comptroller as of equal value to the security required. Such deposit shall be in an amount not less than one and one-half (1½) per cent. of the total amount of the bid.

The bidder will state the price per pound, or other designated unit, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total and awards made to the lowest bidder on each class, 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 Storekeeper of the Department, Room 1008, New Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan.

JOHN A. KINGSBURY, Commissioner.

Dated July 1, 1914. jy2,14

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

MAIN OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, NEW MUNICIPAL BUILDING, ROOM 1091, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

TUESDAY, JULY 7, 1914.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR REMOVING THE PRESENT SANITARY FLOORS AND RENEWING SAME IN THE BATH AND TOILET ROOMS OF THREE (3) PAVILIONS AT THE NEW YORK CITY FARM COLONY, BOROUGH OF RICHMOND, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract is fifteen (15) consecutive working days.

The security required will be Seven Hundred Dollars ($700).

Certified check or cash in the sum of Thirty-five Dollars ($35) must accompany bid.

The bidder will state one aggregate price for the whole work described and specified, as the contract is entire for a complete job.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Chief Engineer of the Department, Room 1035, New Municipal Building, The City of New York, where plans and specifications may be seen.

JOHN A. KINGSBURY, Commissioner.

Dated June 23, 1914. j25,jy7

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MAIN OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, NEW MUNICIPAL BUILDING, ROOM 1091, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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, JULY 6, 1914.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING TEA AND COFFEE.

The time for the performance of the contract is during the year 1914.

No bond will be required with the bid, as heretofore, but will be required upon awarding of the contract in an amount equal to thirty (30) per cent. of the contract.

No bid will be considered unless it is accompanied by a deposit, which shall be in the form of money, or a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or corporate stock or certificates of indebtedness of any nature issued by The City of New York and approved by the Comptroller as of equal value to the security required. Such deposit shall be in an amount not less than one and one-half (1½) per cent. of the total amount of the bid.

The bidder will state the price per pound, or other designated unit, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total and awards made to the lowest bidder on each class, 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 Storekeeper of the Department, Room 1008, New Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan.

JOHN A. KINGSBURY, Commissioner.

Dated June 23, 1914. j24,jy6

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MAIN OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, NEW MUNICIPAL BUILDING, ROOM 1091, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

THURSDAY, JULY 9, 1914.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE INSTALLATION OF AN ADDITIONAL ICE MAKING TANK, ICE STORAGE BOX AND ICE SLIDE, ETC., IN THE KITCHEN AND DINING HALL BUILDING, CITY HOSPITAL DISTRICT, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract is thirty (30) consecutive working days.

The security required will be Two Thousand Dollars ($2,000).

Certified check or cash in the sum of One Hundred Dollars ($100) must accompany bid.

The bidder will state one aggregate price for the whole work described and specified, as the contract is for a complete job.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Chief Engineer of the Department, Room 1035, New Municipal Building, The City of New York, where plans and specifications may be seen.

JOHN A. KINGSBURY, Commissioner.

Dated June 18, 1914. j22,jy2

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MAIN OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, NEW MUNICIPAL BUILDING, ROOM 1091, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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, JULY 3, 1914.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING POTATOES AND EGGS.

The time for the performance of the contract is during the year 1914.

No bond will be required with the bid, as heretofore, but will be required upon awarding of the contract in an amount equal to thirty (30) per cent. of the contract.

No bid will be considered unless it is accompanied by a deposit, which shall be in the form of money, or a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or corporate stock or certificates of indebtedness of any nature issued by The City of New York and approved by the Comptroller as of equal value to the security required. Such deposit shall be in an amount not less than one and one-half (1½) per cent. of the total amount of the bid.

The bidder will state the price per pound, dozen, 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 class, 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 Storekeeper of the Department, Room 1008, New Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan.

JOHN A. KINGSBURY, Commissioner.
Dated June 22, 1914. j22,jy3

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MAIN OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, NEW MUNICIPAL BUILDING, ROOM 1091, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

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, JULY 3, 1914.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING FIVE HUNDRED (500) PORCH CHAIRS.

The time for the performance of the contract is during the year 1914.

No bond will be required with the bid, as heretofore, but will be required upon awarding of the contract in an amount equal to thirty (30) per cent. of the contract.

No bid will be considered unless it is accompanied by a deposit, which shall be in the form of money, or a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or corporate stock or certificates of indebtedness of any nature issued by The City of New York and approved by the Comptroller as of equal value to the security required. Such deposit shall be in an amount not less than one and one-half (1½) per cent. of the total amount of the bid.

The bidder will state the price per piece, 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 Purchasing Agent of the Department, Room 1031, New Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan.

JOHN A. KINGSBURY, Commissioner.
Dated June 20, 1914. j22,jy3

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MAIN OFFICE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, NEW MUNICIPAL BUILDING, ROOM 1091, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

BOROUGHS OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS.

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

THURSDAY, JULY 2, 1914.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE INSTALLATION OF FULL-LENGTH OUTSIDE WINDOW SCREENS FOR THE ENTIRE MAIN BUILDING OF THE CONEY ISLAND HOSPITAL, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract is sixty (60) consecutive working days.

The surety required will be Nine Hundred Dollars ($900).

The bidder will state one aggregate price for the whole work described and specified, as the contract is entire for a complete job.

Certified check or cash in the sum of Forty-five Dollars ($45) must accompany each bid.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Chief Engineer of the Department, Room 1035, New Municipal Building, The City of New York, where plans and specifications may be seen.

JOHN A. KINGSBURY, Commissioner.
Dated June 18, 1914. j20,jy2

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. BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

Proposals.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, ROOM NO. 2, BOROUGH HALL, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of Borough of Brooklyn at the above office until 11 o'clock A. M., on

WEDNESDAY, JULY 8, 1914.

NO. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING SEWER BASINS AT THE NORTH AND EAST CORNERS OF 55TH STREET AND 12TH AVENUE.

The Engineer's preliminary estimate of the quantities is as follows:

Two (2) sewer basins complete, of either standard design, with iron pans or gratings, iron basin hoods and connecting culverts, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per basin, $135.00 ..... $270.00

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract will be Fifteen (15) working days.

The amount of security required will be One Hundred and Thirty-five Dollars ($135.00).

NO. 2. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING A SEWER BASIN AT THE INTERSECTION OF THE NORTHERLY CURB LINE OF MYRTLE AVENUE WITH THE SOUTHERLY CURB LINE OF PALMETTO STREET.

The Engineer's preliminary estimate of the quantities is as follows:

One (1) sewer basin complete, of either standard design, with iron pans or grating, iron basin hood and connecting culvert, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per basin, $150.00 ..... $150.00

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract will be Twelve (12) working days.

The amount of security required will be Seventy-five Dollars ($75.00).

The foregoing Engineer's preliminary estimates of the total cost for the completed work are to be taken as the 100 per cent. basis and test for bidding. Proposals shall each state a single percentage of such 100 per cent. (such as 95 per cent., 100 per cent. or 105 per cent.) for which all materials and work called for in the proposed contract and the notices to bidders are to be furnished to the City. Such percentage as bid for this contract shall apply to all unit items specified in the Engineer's preliminary estimate to an amount necessary to complete the work described in the contract.

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

j25,jy8 L. H. POUNDS, President.

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OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, ROOM NO. 2, BOROUGH HALL, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of Borough of Brooklyn at the above office until 11 o'clock A. M., on

WEDNESDAY, JULY 8, 1914.

1—FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH PERMANENT ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A 6-INCH CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF BERGEN ST. FROM SMITH ST. TO FLATBUSH AVENUE.

The Engineer's estimate is as follows:

300 lin. ft. old curbstone reset in concrete.
1,500 lin. ft. new curbstone set in concrete.
70 lin. ft. granite heading stones set in concrete.
1,120 cu. yds. concrete outside railroad area.
330 cu. yds. concrete within railroad area.
6,720 sq. yds. asphalt pavement outside railroad area (5 years maintenance).
1,980 sq. yds. asphalt pavement within railroad area (no maintenance).
20 sq. yds. adjacent pavement (to be relaid).
6,720 sq. yds. asphalt pavement removed (outside railroad area).
1,980 sq. yds. asphalt pavement removed (within railroad area).
6,610 sq. yds. concrete foundation removed (outside railroad area).
1,960 sq. yds. concrete foundation removed (within railroad area).

Time allowed, 50 working days. Security required, $8,000.

2—FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH PERMANENT ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A 6-INCH CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF CROPSEY AVE. FROM BAY PARKWAY TO 23RD AVE.

The Engineer's estimate is as follows:

50 lin. ft. old curbstone reset in concrete.
100 lin. ft. new curbstone set in concrete.
255 lin. ft. bluestone heading stones set in concrete.
1,340 lin. ft. steel bound cement curb (1 year maintenance).
675 cu. yds. concrete.
4,065 sq. yds. asphalt pavement (5 years maintenance).
10 sq. yds. adjacent pavement (to be relaid).

Time allowed, 30 working days. Security required, $3,500.

3—FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH PERMANENT ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A 6-INCH CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF MIDWOOD ST. FROM BEDFORD AVE. TO ROGERS AVE.

The Engineer's estimate is as follows:

1,480 lin. ft. old curbstone reset in concrete.
260 lin. ft. new curbstone set in concrete.
35 lin. ft. granite heading stones set in concrete.
515 cu. yds. concrete.
3,095 sq. yds. asphalt pavement (5 years maintenance).
10 sq. yds. adjacent pavement (to be relaid).

Time allowed, 30 working days. Security required, $2,300.

4—FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH WOOD BLOCK PAVEMENT ON A 5-INCH CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF ROCKWELL PLACE FROM FULTON ST. TO LAFAYETTE AVE.

The Engineer's estimate is as follows:

20 lin. ft. old curbstone reset in concrete.
50 lin. ft. new curbstone set in concrete.
95 lin. ft. granite heading stones set in concrete.
20 lin. ft. steel bound cement curb (1 year maintenance).
170 cu. yds. concrete.
1,215 sq. yds. wood block pavement with bituminous joint filler (5 years maintenance).
10 sq. yds. adjacent pavement (to be relaid).

Time allowed, 30 working days. Security required, $1,700.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Bureau of Highways, the Borough of Brooklyn, Room 501, No. 50 Court Street, Brooklyn.

L. H. POUNDS, President.
Dated, June 22, 1914. j25,jy8

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Auction Sales.

POLICE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK, June 24th, 1914.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT the One Hundred and Sixty-fourth Public Auction Sale, consisting of Condemned Police Department Property (Bedsteads, Stoves, Lamps, Stanchions, Filing cases, Desks, Carpets, Rugs, Oil barrels, Auto tires, Motorcycle tires, Inner tubes, Rubber hose and mats, Hoppers and traps, Clocks, Gongs, etc.) will be held at the Property Clerk's Store-room, Avenue D and East 2nd Street, Borough of Manhattan, on

FRIDAY, JULY 10, 1914,

at 10:00 A. M.

Terms—Strictly cash. No checks accepted. Property not warranted. Property must be removed at once.

ARTHUR WOODS, Police Commissioner.
jy1,10

Proposals.

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, at 10 o'clock a. m., on

TUESDAY, JULY 7, 1914.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING TO THE POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK ANTHRACITE COAL, FOR USE IN ALL BOROUGHS.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is during the year 1914.

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

No bid will be considered unless it is accompanied by a deposit which shall be in an amount not less than one and one-half (1½) per cent. of the total amount of the bid.

Bidders will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per ton, 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.

The bids will be compared and the contract awarded to the lowest bidder for each item in each Borough.

The coal must be delivered in such quantities and at such time or times and places of delivery as may be directed by the Police Commissioner (unless otherwise stated in 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 Bureau of Repairs and Supplies, Headquarters of the Police Department, 240 Centre st., Borough of Manhattan.

A. WOODS, Police Commissioner.
New York, June 25, 1914. j25,jy7

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Owners Wanted for Unclaimed Property.

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 st., 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.

ARTHUR WOODS, 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. 72 Poplar st., Borough 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.

ARTHUR WOODS, Police Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY.

Proposals.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY, ROOM 2351, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, 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

MONDAY, JULY 13, 1914.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx,

NO. 1. FOR HAULING AND LAYING WATER MAINS AND APPURTENANCES IN GLEBE, MT. VERNON, RYER, ST. RAYMOND'S, AND TREMONT AVENUES; IN BARRETTO, DORSEY AND EAST 178TH STREETS; IN GOUVERNEUR PLACE, McKINLEY SQUARE AND WEIGHER COURT, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

The time allowed for doing and completing the entire work will be one hundred (100) consecutive working days.

The security required will be eight thousand dollars ($8,000).

NO. 2. FOR FURNISHING ALL OF THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR INSTALLING DOCK HYDRANTS.

The time allowed for doing and completing the entire work will be fifty (50) consecutive 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 schedules, by which the bids will be tested. The bids will be compared and award made to the lowest formal bidder on 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 2351, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, where any further information desired may be obtained.

WILLIAM WILLIAMS, Commissioner.
June 27, 1914. jy1,13

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DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY, ROOM 2351, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, 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, JULY 13, 1914.

Borough of Brooklyn.

FOR HAULING AND LAYING WATER MAINS AND APPURTENANCES IN AMBOY, DOUGLASS, GRAFTON, HEMLOCK, JUNIUS, PRESIDENT AND UNION STREETS; IN HOPKINSON, HOWARD, NEWPORT AND WILLIAMS AVENUES, AND IN STERLING PLACE.

The time allowed for doing and completing the entire work will be seventy-five (75) consecutive working days.

The security required will be six thousand dollars ($6,000).

The bidder will state the price per unit of each item of work or supplies contained in the specifications or schedules, by which the bids will be tested. The bids will be compared and award made to the lowest formal bidder in the aggregate for all the work and materials contained in the specifications and schedule of quantities.

Bidders are requested to make 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 2351, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, where any further information desired may be obtained.

WILLIAM WILLIAMS, Commissioner.
Dated June 27, 1914. jy1,13

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DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY, ROOM 2351, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, BOROUGH OF MAHATTAN, 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

WEDNESDAY, JULY 8, 1914.

Borough of Richmond.

FOR FURNISHING, DELIVERING AND ERECTING ELECTRIC TRANSMISSION LINES IN SOUTHFIELD BOULEVARD, BETWEEN EVERGREEN AVENUE AND EMMET AVENUE, BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

The time for doing and completing the entire work will be one hundred (100) working days.

The security will be Seven Thousand Dollars ($7,000).

The bidder will state the price per unit of each item of work or supplies contained in the specifications or schedules, by which the bids will be tested. The bids will be compared and award made to the lowest formal bidder, in aggregate for all items.

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 2351, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, where any further information desired may be obtained.

WILLIAM WILLIAMS, Commissioner.
j26,jy8

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DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY, ROOM 2351, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, 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

WEDNESDAY, JULY 8, 1914.

Borough of Brooklyn.

FOR CLEANING WATER MAINS AND SETTING ADDITIONAL VALVES, AND WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The time allowed for doing and completing the entire work is sixty (60) consecutive working days.

The security required is Six Thousand Five Hundred Dollars ($6,500).

The bidder will state the price, per unit, of each item of work or supplies contained in the specifications or schedules, by which the bids will be tested. The bids will be compared and award made to the lowest formal bidder in the aggregate for all the work and materials contained in the specifications and schedule of quantities.

Bidders are requested to make 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 2351, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, where any further information desired may be obtained.

WILLIAM WILLIAMS, Commissioner.
Dated June 22, 1914. j25,jy8

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DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY, ROOM 2351, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, 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, JULY 3, 1914.

Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

FOR TRANSFERRING TAPS AND REARRANGING CONNECTIONS ON EXISTING WATER MAINS IN VARIOUS STREETS IN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed for doing and completing the entire work will be Fifty (50) Consecutive Working Days.

The security required will be Four Thousand Five Hundred Dollars ($4,500).

The bidder will state the price per unit of each item of work or supplies contained in the specifications or schedules, by which the bids will be tested. The bids will be compared and award made to the lowest formal bidder, in aggregate for all items.

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 2351, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, where any further information desired may be obtained.

WILLIAM WILLIAMS, Commissioner.
June 22, 1914. j23,jy3

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BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.

Proposals.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF RICHMOND, BOROUGH HALL, ST. GEORGE, NEW BRIGHTON, N. Y. 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, JULY 14, 1914.

Borough of Richmond.

NO. 1. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH BITUMINOUS MACADAM, ON THE PRESENT MACADAM FOUNDATION, THE ROADWAYS OF HAMILTON AVENUE FROM THE EAST HOUSE LINE OF WESTERVELT AVENUE TO THE EAST HOUSE LINE OF PHELPS PLACE, ETC.

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:

9,250 square yards of bituminous macadam pavement, with one (1) year maintenance.
1,420 square yards of vitrified brick pavement, including sand bed and laid with cement grout joints, with one (1) year maintenance.
370 cubic yards of concrete foundation.
570 linear feet of new 4″ x 16″ bluestone curbstone, furnished and set.
2,280 linear feet of old curbstone, redressed, rejointed and reset.
1,200 square feet of old sidewalk relaid.
30 linear feet of roof leader outlets, relaid.

The time for the completion of the work, and the full performance of the contract is seventy (70) days.

The amount of security required is sixty-eight hundred ($6,800.00) dollars.

NO. 2. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH BITUMINOUS CONCRETE, ON

PRESENT MACADAM FOUNDATION, THE ROADWAY OF VANDERBILT AVENUE FROM THE EAST HOUSE LINE OF OSGOOD AVENUE TO THE EAST HOUSE LINE OF RICHMOND ROAD.

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:

5,900 square yards of bituminous concrete pavement, with five (5) years maintenance.

5,900 square yards of old foundation, prepared.

4,700 linear feet of granite block header, in place.

10 cubic yards of concrete foundation.

The time for the completion of the work, and the full performance of the contract is twenty-five (25) days.

The amount of security required is three thousand dollars ($3,000).

The contracts must be bid for separtely, 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 Assistant Commissioner. 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 Assistant Commissioner of the Borough of Richmond, Borough Hall, St. George, S. I.

CHARLES J. McCORMACK, President.

The City of New York, June 29, 1914. jy2,14

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OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOROUGH OF RICHMOND, BOROUGH HALL, ST. GEORGE, NEW BRIGHTON, N. Y. 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, JULY 7, 1914.
Borough of Richmond.

NO. 1. FOR CONSTRUCTING A TEMPORARY COMBINED SEWER, WITH THE NECESSARY APPURTENANCES, IN JOHN STREET (PROPOSED KNOX STREET), FROM A POINT ABOUT 100 FEET SOUTH OF RICHMOND TERRACE TO A POINT ABOUT 165 FEET NORTH OF FRANKLIN STREET, ETC., 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:

371 linear feet of salt-glazed vitrified pipe sewer of 18 inches interior diameter, all complete as per section on plan of the work.

6 linear feet of salt-glazed vitrified pipe sewer of 12 inches interior diameter, all complete, as per section on plan of the work.

431 linear feet of salt-glazed vitrified pipe sewer of 8 inches interior diameter, all complete, as per section on plan of the work.

13 linear feet of salt-glazed vitrified pipe sewer of 8 inches interior diameter, all complete, as per section on plan of the work.

6 linear feet of cast-iron pipe sewer, class "B," of 12 inches interior diameter, all complete, as per section on plan of the work.

12 linear feet of 2' 0" x 1' 0" concrete flume, complete, as per section on plan of the work.

35 linear feet of salt-glazed vitrified pipe basin connection of 15 inches interior diameter, complete, as per section on plan of the work.

37 linear feet of salt-glazed vitrified pipe basin connecion of 12 inches interior diameter, complete, as per section on plan of the work.

45 house connection spurs of 6 inches interior diameter, complete, as per section on plan of the work.

5 manholes, complete, as per section on plan of the work.

2 reinforced concrete receiving basins complete as per section on plan of the work.

1,000 B. M. feet of foundation timber, furnished and placed.

1,000 B. M. feet of sheeting, retained.

38 cubic yards of additional concrete, for cradle, etc., furnished and placed.

1 cubic yard of additional brick masonry.

30 cubic yards of additional excavation.

5 cubic yards of additional filling.

16 linear feet of new 5" x 16" curb, set in concrete.

20 linear feet of old curb, reset in concrete.

35 square yards of granite block pavement on concrete foundation, restored.

34 square yards of block pavement on sand foundation, restored.

80 square feet of old sidewalk, relaid.

5 cubic yards of broken stone ballast, furnished and placed.

The time for the completion of the work, and the full performance of the contract is thirty-two (32) days.

The amount of security required is Eight Hundred and Fifty Dollars ($850.00).

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

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the President, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to enclose the bid, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Assistant Commissioner. 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 Assistant Commissioner of the Borough of Richmond, Borough Hall, St. George, S. I.

CHARLES J. McCORMACK, President.

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TUESDAY, JULY 7, 1914.
Borough of Richmond.

NO. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 55,000 GALLONS OF BITUMINOUS ROAD SURFACING MATERIAL (COAL TAR).

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is December 31, 1914.

The amount of security required is 30% of total amount for which contract is awarded.

NO. 2. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 177 TONS OF THREE-QUARTER INCH BROKEN STONE IN STONE DISTRICT NO. 1.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is December 31, 1914.

The amount of security required is 30% of total amount for which contract is awarded.

NO. 3. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 294 TONS OF THREE-QUARTER INCH BROKEN STONE IN STONE DISTRICT NO. 2.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is December 31, 1914.

The amount of security required is 30% of total amount for which contract is awarded.

NO. 4. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 1,829 TONS OF THREE-QUARTER INCH BROKEN STONE IN STONE DISTRICT NO. 3.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is December 31, 1914.

The amount of security required is 30% of total amount for which contract is awarded.

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

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank form prepared by the President, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to enclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the said Assistant Commissioner of Public Works. The plans and drawings may be seen and other information obtained at the office of the Assistant Commissioner of Public Works of the Borough of Richmond, Borough Hall, New Brighton, Borough of Richmond.

CHARLES J. McCORMACK, President.

The City of New York, June 20, 1914.

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SUPREME COURT — FIRST DEPARTMENT.

Applications to Amend Proceedings.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to amending its application heretofore made 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 required for the opening and extending of NEREID AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from White Plains Road to the Bronx River, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, so as to conform to a map adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment December 4, 1913, and approved by the Mayor December 15, 1913, in which a slight change is made in the lines of Bullard Avenue; the proceeding as amended to relate to Nereid Avenue, between White Plains Road and Bullard Avenue as now laid out upon the map of The 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, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at Part I thereof, at the County Court-house, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 15th day of July, 1914, at the opening of the Court on that day or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon for an order amending the proceeding entitled "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 required for the opening and extending of Nereid Avenue (although not yet named by proper authority), from White Plains Road to the Bronx River, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York," so as to conform to a map adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment December 4, 1913, and approved by the Mayor December 15, 1913, in which a slight change is made in the lines of Bullard Avenue; the proceeding as amended to relate to Nereid Avenue, between White Plains Road and Bullard Avenue, as now laid out upon the map of The City of New York.

Land not required for Nereid Avenue, from White Plains Road to Bronx River, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, being the portion lying west of Bullard Avenue, is bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the southern line of Nereid Avenue distant 225.03 feet westerly from the intersection of said line with the western line of Bronx Boulevard. Thence westerly along the southern line of Nereid Avenue for 3.88 feet. Thence westerly still along the southern line of Nereid Avenue for 328.86 feet. Thence northeasterly along the western line of Nereid Avenue for 13.71 feet. Thence easterly still along the western line of Nereid Avenue for 50 feet. Thence northeasterly still along the western line of Nereid Avenue for 44 feet. Thence northeasterly still along the western line of Nereid Avenue for 56.26 feet. Thence easterly along the northern line of Nereid Avenue for 222.64 feet. Thence southerly deflecting 98° 41' 33" to the right for 21.87 feet. Thence southerly for 78.88 feet to the point of beginning.

The portion of Nereid Avenue not required is shown on "Plan or Profile showing the locating and laying out and the grades of Nereid Avenue, from the Bronx River to White Plains Road, Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, prepared by the Board of Public Improvements under authority of Chapter 376 of the Laws of 1897," which map was filed in the office of the President of the Board of Public Improvements, in the office of the Register of the County of New York and in the office of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York on October 28, 1901, and on a map entitled "Map showing the change of lines and grades within the territory bounded by Bronx Boulevard, East 240th Street and its prolongation, Bronx River and East 235th Street," which map was filed in the office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx on March 7, 1914, in the office of the Register of the County of Bronx on March 7, 1914, as Map No. 11, and in the office of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York on or about the same date.

The land not required for Nereid Avenue is located east of the Bronx River.

Dated, Borough of Manhattan, July 2nd, 1914.

FRANK L. POLK, Corporation Counsel, Hall of Records, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. jy2,14

Filing Reports.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises at and near the southeasterly corner of ST. PAUL'S PLACE and PARK AVENUE, and the southwesterly corner of ST. PAUL'S PLACE and WASHINGTON AVENUE in the Twenty-third Ward of the Borough of The Bronx, in the City of New York, duly selected as a site for school purposes, according to law.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISsioners of Estimate and Appraisal in the above-entitled proceeding, do hereby give notice to the owner or owners, lessee or lessees, parties or persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises, title to which is sought to be acquired in this proceeding, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

FIRST—That we have completed our estimate of the loss and damage to the respective owners, lessees, parties or persons respectively entitled to or interested in the lands and premises affected by this proceeding, or having any interest therein, and have filed a true report or transcript of such estimate in the office of the Board of Education of The City of New York, situated at the southwest corner of Fifty-ninth Street and Park Avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, for the inspection of whomsoever it may concern.

SECOND—That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by the said estimate, or who may object to the same, or any part thereof, may, within ten days after the first publication of this notice, July 2nd, 1914, file their objections, in writing, with us, at our office, Room No. 1728, Municipal Building, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York; and we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting, at our said office, on the 15th day of July, 1914, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Dated, New York, July 2nd, 1914.

CYRUS C. MILLER, MARTIN GEISZLER, ALFRED B. HALL, Commissioners.

JOSEPH M. SCHENCK, Clerk. jy2,14

Filing Preliminary Abstracts.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same had not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of BRONXWOOD AVENUE, from Burke Avenue to Gun Hill Road; BARNES AVENUE, from Williamsbridge Road to Tilden Street; and WALLACE AVENUE, from Williamsbridge Road to Gun Hill Road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, as amended by an order of the Court, dated the 2nd day of February, 1914, and entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of The Bronx on the 4th day of February, 1914, so as to conform to changes shown on a map or plan adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on October 31, 1912, and approved by the Mayor November 11, 1912, which changes show a slight modification in the lines of Wallace Avenue at its intersection with North Oak Drive, and minor modifications in some of the block dimensions.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL PERsons interested in the above entitled proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First.—That the undersigned, Commissioners of Estimate, have completed their supplemental and amended estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing duly verified, with them at their office, Room 1557, 15th Floor, Municipal Building, Chambers and Centre Streets, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 14th day of July, 1914, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at their said office on the 16th day of July, 1914, at 3 o'clock P. M.

Second.—That the undersigned, Commissioner of Assessment, has completed his supplemental and amended estimate of benefit and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with him at his office, Room 1557, 15th Floor, Municipal Building, Chambers and Centre Streets, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on or before the 14th day of July, 1914, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 17th day of July, 1914, at 3.30 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 20th day of February, 1913, and that the said area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of The Bronx, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz:

Beginning at the point where the southerly line of Tilden street intersects the prolongation of a line midway between Barnes avenue and Bronxwood avenue, as these streets are laid out between Gun Hill road and East Two Hundred and Eleventh street, and running thence southwardly along the said line midway between Barnes avenue and Bronxwood avenue and the prolongation thereof to a point distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Gun Hill road; thence eastwardly and parallel with Gun Hill road to the intersection with a line at right angles to Gun Hill road, and passing through a point on the southerly line of Gun Hill road midway between Paulding avenue and Hone avenue; thence southwardly along the said line at right angles to Gun Hill road to the intersection with a line parallel with and distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Hone avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Hone avenue; thence southwardly along the said line parallel with Hone avenue to a point distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Burke avenue; thence westwardly and parallel with Burke avenue to the intersection with a line midway between Barnes avenue and Mathews avenue; thence southwardly along the said line midway between Barnes avenue and Mathews avenue to the northerly line of Williamsbridge road; thence westwardly along the northerly line of Williamsbridge road to the intersection with a line midway between Holland avenue and Wallace avenue as these streets are laid out south of South Oak drive; thence northwardly along the said line midway between Holland avenue and Wallace avenue as laid out south of South Oak drive and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Holland avenue and Wallace avenue as these streets are laid out north of Bartholdi street; thence northwardly along the said line midway between Holland avenue and Wallace avenue as the said streets are laid out north of Bartholdi street and along the prolongation thereof to the southerly line of Tilden street; thence northwardly at right angles to Tilden street 150 feet; thence eastwardly and parallel with Tilden street to the intersection with a line at right angles to Tilden street and passing through the point described as the point or place of beginning; thence southwardly along the said line at right angles to Tilden street, 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, Room 1529, 15th Floor, Municipal Building, Chambers and Centre Streets, in the Borough of Manhattan, in said City, there to remain until the 16th day of July, 1914.

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 13th day of October, 1914, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Sixth.—In case, however, objections are filed to the foregoing abstracts of estimate and assessment, or to either of them the motion to confirm the reports as to awards and as to assessments shall stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified in the notice provided in such cases to be given in relation to filing the final reports, pursuant to Sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by Chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated, New York, June 16th, 1914.

FRANCIS J. KUERZI, GEORGE V. MULLAN, Commissioners of Estimate; GEORGE V. MULLAN, Commissioner of Assessment.

JOEL J. SQUIER, Clerk. j24,jy11

Hearings on Qualifications.

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 widening of WHITLOCK AVENUE, from Hoe Avenue to Faile Street, in the 23rd 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 16th day of June, 1914, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of The Bronx on the 18th day of June, 1914, John Ross Delafield, Martin Geiszler and Frank A. Spencer, Jr., Esqs., were appointed Commissioners of Estimate in the above entitled proceeding, and that in and by the said order John Ross Delafield, Esq., was appointed Commissioner of Assessment.

Notice is further given that pursuant to the statute in such cases made and provided the said John Ross Delafield, Martin Geiszler and Frank A. Spencer, Jr., Esqs., will attend at a Special Term, Part II of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 6th day of July, 1914, at the opening of the Court on that day or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard thereon, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York or by any other person having any interest in the proceeding as to their qualifications to act as such Commissioners.

Dated, June 23rd, 1914.

FRANK L. POLK, Corporation Counsel, Hall of Records, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. j23,jy3

Filing Bill of Costs.

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 WEST 138TH AND WEST 139TH STREET, from Edgecombe Avenue to St. Nicholas Avenue, in the 12th Ward, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held at the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 14th day of July, 1914, 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, New York, June 30th, 1914.

JACOB NEWMAN, HARRY N. FRENCH, WM. H. JASPER, Commissioners of Estimate. WM. H. JASPER, Commissioner of Assessment.

JOEL J. SQUIER, Clerk. j30jy11

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 SEVENTY-SEVENTH STREET, OR WYATT STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), from Tremont avenue to Morris Park avenue; and BRONX PARK AVENUE (Berrian street), from Tremont avenue to Morris Park avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE supplemental and additional bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held at the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 14th day of July, 1914, 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, New York, June 29th, 1914.

FRANK A. SPENCER, JR., THOMAS J. FORD, ANDREW J. CARSON, Commissioners of Estimate. FRANK A. SPENCER, JR., Commissioner of Assessment.

JOEL J. SQUIER, Clerk. j29,jy10

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of BRONX BOULEVARD, (although not yet named by proper authority) from Old Boston Post Road to East 242nd Street (De Milt Avenue), in the 24th Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE supplemental and additional bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held at the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 10th day of July, 1914, 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, New York, June 25th, 1914.

FRANK A. SPENCER, JR., HENRY A. FRIEDMAN, EDWARD C. DELAFIELD, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment.

JOEL J. SQUIER, Clerk. j25,jy7

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 233RD STREET, from Baychester Avenue to Boston Road, at Huchinson River, in the 24th Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held at the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 6th day of July, 1914, 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, New York, June 22nd, 1914.

JOHN A. HAWKINS, WARREN C. FIELDING, WALTER WILKENS, Commissioners of Estimate. WALTER WILKENS, Commissioner of Assessment.

JOEL J. SQUIER, Clerk. j22,jy2

SUPREME COURT—SECOND DEPARTMENT.

Filing Reports.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the Matter of acquiring title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises at and near the northeasterly corner of Leonard street and Maujer street, in the Sixteenth Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, duly selected as a site for school purposes according to law.

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

First: We have completed our estimate of loss and damage to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons interested in the lands and premises affected by this proceeding or having any interest therein, and have filed our report or transcript of such estimate in the office of the Board of Education, Park avenue and 59th street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, for the inspection of whomsoever it may concern.

Second: That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by the said estimate and who may object to the same or any part thereof may within ten days after the first publication of this notice, June 26, 1914, file their objections to such estimate, in writing, with us, at our office, Franklin Trust Company building, 164 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in said City, as provided by statute, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting at our office on the 9th day of July, 1914, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Dated, New York, June 25, 1914.

FREDERICK E. GUNNISON, GRANVILLE W. HARMAN, WALTER TRAVERS DANIEL, Commissioners. j26,jy8

Filing of Final Report.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title in fee to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening and extending CHURCH AVENUE from 36th Street to Ocean Parkway, in the 29th Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE amended and supplemental final report 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, Second Depuartment, at a Special Term thereof to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, on the 10th day of July, 1914, at 10:00 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, July 2nd, 1914.

JOHN J. BRENNAN, Commissioner of Assessment.

MELVILLE J. FRANCE, Clerk. jy2,8

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 BOULEVARD (although not yet named by propery authority) from Vernon Avenue and Broadway to Nott Avenue, in the 1st Ward, Borough of Queens, in The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE final report of the Commissioners of Estimate and 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, for the hearing of motions, to be held at the County Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn in The City of New York, on the 9th day of July, 1914, at the opening of the Court on that day; and that the said final report has been deposited in the Office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, there to remain for and during the space of five days, as required by law.

Dated, New York, July 1st, 1914.

JOHN E. VAN NOSTRAND, JOHN ALLEN, FRANK L. BACON, Commissioners.

WALTER C. SHEPPARD, Clerk. jy1,7

Filing Bill of Costs.

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 REMSEN AVENUE, from Calamus Avenue to Gwydir Street, in the 2nd Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof, to be held for the hearing of motions at the County Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 13th day of July, 1914, 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, New York, June 26th, 1914.

LEANDER B. FABER, WM. RASQUIN, JR., J. H. QUINLAN, Commissioners of Estimate. LEANDER B. FABER, Commissioner of Assessment

WALTER C. SHEPPARD, Clerk. j26,jy8

Filing Preliminary Abstracts.

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 NAGY STREET between Metropolitan Avenue and Grand 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 22nd day of July, 1914, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at their said office on the 20th day of August, 1914, at 10 o'clock A. M.

Second.—That the undersigned, Commissioner of Assessment, has completed his estimate of benefit and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with him at his office, 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 22nd day of July, 1914, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 21st day of August, 1914, at 11 o'clock A. M.

Third.—That the Commissioner of Assessment has assessed any or all such lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises as are within the area of assessment fixed and prescribed as the area of assessment for benefit by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 15th day of June, 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 Metropolitan avenue where it is intersected by the prolongation of a line midway between Nagy street and La Forge street, and running thence northwardly along the said line midway between Nagy street and La Forge street and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with the southerly line of Grand street; thence northwardly at right angles to Grand street to a point distant 100 feet northerly from its northerly side; thence northeastwardly and always distant 100 feet northwesterly from and parallel with the northwesterly line of Grand street to the intersection with a line at right angles to Grand street and passing through a point on its northwesterly side, where it is intersected by the prolongation of a line midway between Ward street and Nagy street; thence southeastwardly along the said line at right angles to Grand street to the intersection with its northwesterly side; thence southwardly along the said line midway between Ward street and Nagy street and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with the northerly line of Metropolitan avenue; thence southwardly at right angles to Metropolitan avenue to a point distant 100 feet southerly from its southerly side; thence westwardly and parallel with Metropolitan avenue to the intersection with a line at right angles to Metropolitan avenue and passing through the point of beginning; thence northwardly along the said line at right angles to Metropolitan 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 23rd day of July, 1914.

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 October, 1914, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Sixth.—In case, however, objections are filed to the foregoing abstracts of estimate and assessment or to either of them the motion to confirm the reports as to awards and as to assessments shall stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified in the notice provided in such cases to be given in relation to filing the final reports, pursuant to Sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by Chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated, New York, June 27th, 1914.

WM. RASQUIN, JR., Chairman; MORRIS L. STRAUSS, LUKE OTTEN, Commissioners of Estimate. MORRIS L. STRAUSS, Commissioner of Assessment.

WALTER C. SHEPPARD, Clerk. jy1,18

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 and premises required for the opening and extending of FISK AVENUE, from Woodside Avenue to Grand Street, in the 2nd Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York, as amended by an order of the Supreme Court, Second Department, dated the 28th day of August, 1913, and entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on the 4th day of September, 1913, by eliminating the three blocks of Fisk Avenue, between Queens Boulevard and Woodside Avenue, the proceeding as amended to relate to Fisk Avenue, from Grand Street to Queens Boulevard.

The land not required in this proceeding is more particularly bounded and described in the petition attached to the aforesaid order.

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 21st day of July, 1914, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at their said office on the 23rd day of July, 1914, at 11.30 o'clock A. M.

Second.—That the undersigned, Commissioner of Assessment, has completed his estimate of benefit and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with him at his office, 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 21st day of July, 1914, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 24th day of July, 1914, at 11.30 o'clock A. M.

Third.—That the Commissioner of Assessment has assessed any or all such lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises as are within the area of assessment fixed and prescribed as the area of assessment for benefit by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 20th day of February 1913, 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 prolongation of a line midway between Burrough avenue and Columbia avenue as these streets adjoin Vandergrift street where it is intersected by a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the easterly line of Burrough avenue and the westerly line of Van Tassell street as these streets adjoin Van Dyke street, and running thence northwardly along the said line midway between Burrough avenue and Columbia avenue and along the prolongations of the said line to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly line of Queens boulevard, the said distance being measured at right angles to Queens boulevard; thence eastwardly along the said line parallel with Queens boulevard to the intersection with the prolongation of a line distant 100 feet easterly from and parallel with the easterly line of Ramsey street as this street is laid out between Adams street and Monroe street, the said distance being measured at right angles to Ramsey street; thence southwardly along the said line parallel with Ramsey street and along the prolongations of the said line to the intersection with the northerly line of Calamus avenue; thence southwardly in a straight line to a point on the southerly line of Calamus avenue distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Ramsey street, the said distance being measured at right angles to Ramsey street; thence southwardly and always distant 100 feet easterly from and parallel with the easterly line of Ramsey street to a point distant 100 feet southeasterly from the southeasterly line of Grand street, the said distance being measured at right angles to Grand street; thence southwestwardly and always distant 100 feet southeasterly from and parallel with the southeasterly line of Grand street to the intersection with a line at right angles to Grand street 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 easterly line of Columbia avenue and the westerly line of Mueller street as these streets are laid out between Clinton avenue and Perry avenue; thence northwestwardly along the said line at right angles to Grand street to the intersection with its northwesterly side; thence northwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet northwesterly from and parallel with the northwesterly line of Jay avenue, as this street adjoins Burrough avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Jay avenue; thence southwestwardly along the said line parallel with Jay avenue to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the easterly line of Burrough avenue and the westerly line of Van Tassell street as these streets are laid out adjoining Van Dyke street; thence northwardly along the said bisecting 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 23rd day of July, 1914.

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 25th day of September, 1914, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Sixth.—In case, however, objections are filed to the foregoing abstracts of estimate and assessment or to either of them the motion to confirm the reports as to awards and as to assessments shall stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified in the notice provided in such cases to be given in relation to filing the final reports, pursuant to Sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by Chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated, New York, June 24th, 1914.

CLINTON T. ROE, PATRICK J. MARA, J. H. QUINLAN, Commissioners of Estimate. PATRICK J. MARA, Commissioner of Assessment.

WALTER C. SHEPPARD, Clerk. jy1,18

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 CHICAGO STREET, from Corona Avenue to Queens Boulevard; TOLEDO AVENUE, from South Railroad Avenue to Queens Boulevard; PARCELL STREET, from Gay street to Corona avenue; MEDINA PLACE, from Gerry avenue to Corona Avenue, and the PUBLIC PLACE, bounded by Chicago street, Justice Street and Laconia street, in the 2nd Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL PERsons interested in the above-entitled proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to-wit:

First.—That the undersigned, Commissioners of Estimate, have completed their estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with them at their office, in the Municipal Building, Court House Square, Long Island Cify, in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, on or before the 20th day of July, 1914, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at their said office on the 22nd day of July, 1914, at 10 o'clock A. M.

Second.—That the undersigned, Commissioner of Assessment, has completed his estimate of benefit and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with him at his office, in the Municipal Building, Court House Square, Long Island City, in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, on or before the 20th day of July, 1914, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 23rd day of July, 1914, at 10 o'clock A. M.

Third.—That the Commissioner of Assessment has assessed any or all such lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises as are within the area of assessment fixed and prescribed as the area of assessment for benefit 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 northerly line of Maurice avenue where it is intersected by a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the centre lines of Pike street and Chicago street as these streets are laid out between Corona avenue and Gerry avenue, and running thence northwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with the northwesterly line of Corona avenue; thence northwestwardly at right angles to Corona avenue a distance of 100 feet; thence northeastwardly along a line parallel with Corona avenue as this street is laid out southwesterly from Hampton street, and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with the southerly property line of the North Side Division of the Long Island Railroad; thence eastwardly along the said property line to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Toledo street and Gay street; thence southwardly along the said line midway between Toledo street and Gay street, and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongation of the centre lines of Lurting street and Parcell street, as these streets are laid out between Toledo street and Gay street; thence eastwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with a line midway between Gay street and Hanover avenue; thence southwardly along the said line midway between Gay street and Hanover avenue to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Parcell street and Gerry avenue; thence westwardly along the said line midway between Parcell street and Gerry avenue and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line midway between Toledo street and Gay street; thence southwardly along the said line midway between Toledo street and Gay street, and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line midway between Gerry avenue and Maurice avenue; thence eastwardly along the said line midway between Gerry avenue and Maurice avenue to the intersection with a line midway between Toledo street and Hanover avenue; thence southwardly along the said line midway between Toledo street and Hanover avenue to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the centre lines of Toledo street and Hanover avenue as these streets are laid out between Norfolk street and Orontes street; thence southwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with a line midway between Palmer street and Rodman street; thence westwardly along the said line midway between Palmer street and Rodman street to the intersection with the northeasterly line of Queens boulevard; thence southwestwardly at right angles to Queens boulevard a distance of 300 feet; thence northwestwardly and always distant 100 feet southwesterly from and parallel with the southwesterly line of Queens boulevard to the intersection with a line parallel with Chicago street and passing through the point of beginning; thence northwardly along the said line parallel with Chicago street to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth.—That the abstracts of said estimate of damage and of said assessment for benefit,

together with 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 22nd day of July, 1914.

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 10th day of September, 1914, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Sixth.—In case, however, objections are filed to the foregoing abstracts of estimate and assessment or to either of them the motion to confirm the reports as to awards and as to assessments shall stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified in the notice provided in such cases to be given in relation to filing the final reports, pursuant to Sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by Chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated, New York, June 24th, 1914.

GEO. E. BLACKWELL, Chairman; PATRICK J. MARA, ELLIS PARKER BUTLER, Commissioners of Estimate. PATRICK J. MARA, Commissioner of Assessment.

WALTER C. SHEPPARD, Clerk. j29,jy16

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 HANCOCK STREET from Vernon avenue, near 12th street, northwardly to Vernon avenue, north of Sandford street; and the Public Place bounded by the easterly line of Vernon avenue, the northwesterly line of Hancock street and the northeasterly line of Nott 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 13th day of July, 1914, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at their said office on the 15th day of July, 1914, at 11 o'clock A. M.

Second.—That the undersigned, Commissioner of Assessment, has completed his estimate of benefit and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with him at his office, 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 13th day of July, 1914, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 16th day of July, 1914, at 11 o'clock A. M.

Third.—That the Commissioner of Assessment has assessed any or all such lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises as are within the area of assessment fixed and prescribed as the area of assessment for benefit by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 4th day of December, 1908, 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 a line midway between Eleventh street and Twelfth street where it is intersected by a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the southeasterly line of Hancock street and the westerly line of the boulevard as laid out between Twelfth street and Bodine street, and running thence westwardly along the said line midway between Eleventh street and Twelfth street, and the prolongation thereof, to a point distant 200 feet westerly from the westerly line of Vernon avenue; thence northwardly and always parallel with and distant 200 feet from the westerly line of Vernon avenue to the intersection with a line midway between Nott avenue and Thirteenth street; thence eastwardly along the said line midway between Nott avenue and Thirteenth street to the intersection with a line midway between Hamilton street and Hancock street; thence northeaswardly along the said line midway between Hamilton street and Hancock street to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the centre lines of Hamilton street and Hancock street as laid out between Jane street and Harsell street; thence northeastwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with a line midway between Hamilton street and Hancock street as laid out between Freeman avenue and Harsell street; thence northeastwardly and along a line always midway between Hamilton street and Hancock stret, and along the prolongation thereof to the intersection with the northwesterly line of Vernon avenue; thence northwestwardly at right angles to Vernon avenue a distance of 100 feet; thence northeastwardly and parallel with Vernon avenue to the intersection with a line at right angles to Vernon avenue, and passing through a point on its northwesterly side where it is intersected by the prolongation of a line midway between Hancock street and the boulevard; thence southeastwardly along the said line at right angles to Vernon avenue to its northwesterly side; thence southwesterly along the aforesaid line midway between Hancock street and the boulevard, and the prolongation thereof, to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the southeasterly line of Hancock street and the northwesterly line of the boulevard as these streets are laid out between Harsell street and Freeman avenue; thence southwestwardly along the aforesaid bisecting line to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the southeasterly line of Hancock street and the northwesterly line of the boulevard as these streets are laid out between Harsell street and Jane street; thence southwestwardly along the aforesaid bisecting line to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the southeasterly line of Hancock street and the northwesterly line of the boulevard as these streets are laid out between Harsell street and Freeman avenue; thence southwestwardly along the aforesaid bisecting line to the intersection with a line midway between Hancock street and the boulevard as laid out between Harris avenue and Jane street; thence southwestwardly along the aforesaid bisecting line to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Hancock street and the boulevard as laid out between Bodine street and Harris avenue; thence southwestwardly along the said line midway between Hancock street and the boulevard to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the southeasterly line of Hancock street and the westerly line of the boulevard as laid out between Twelfth street and Bodine street; thence southwestwardly along the said bisecting 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 15th day of July, 1914.

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 9th day of October, 1914, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Sixth.—In case, however, objections are filed to the foregoing abstracts of estimate and assessment or to either of them the motion to confirm the reports as to awards and as to assessments shall stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified in the notice provided in such cases to be given in relation to filing the final reports, pursuant to Sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by Chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated, New York, June 19th, 1914.

LUKE OTTEN, CHAS. A. BRODEK, JOHN C. MYERS, Commissioners of Estimate. LUKE OTTEN, Commissioner of Assessment.

WALTER C. SHEPPARD, Clerk. j23,jy10

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 ROOSEVELT AVENUE, from Woodside avenue to Wateredge avenue; the PUBLIC PLACE bounded by Roosevelt avenue, Elmhurst avenue and Case street; the PUBLIC PLACE at the intersection of Roosevelt avenue with Louona avenue; the triangular area bounded by Roosevelt avenue, the easterly line of Vaux street and Woodside avenue; the triangular area bounded by Roosevelt avenue, the easterly line of Warner avenue and the southerly line of Aske street; SACKETT STREET, from Roosevelt avenue to Forty-second street; and LOUONA AVENUE where it adjoins the Public Place at Roosevelt avenue, in the Second and Third Wards, 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 8th day of July, 1914, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at their said office on the 10th day of July, 1914, 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 8th day of July, 1914, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 13th day of July, 1914, at 3.30 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 13th day of June, 1912, 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 a line midway between Third street and Fourth street, distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Stryker avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Stryker avenue, and running thence eastwardly and parallel with Stryker avenue to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Fillmore avenue and Polk avenue; thence eastwardly along the said line midway between Fillmore avenue and Polk avenue and along the prolonagtion of the said line to a point distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Polk avenue, as this street is laid out easterly from Junction avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Polk avenue; thence eastwardly and always distant 100 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly line of Polk avenue to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Coman street and Polk avenue; thence eastwardly along the said line midway between Coman street and Polk avenue, and along the prolongations of the said line to the intersection with a line distant 1,160 feet northerly from and parallel with the southerly line of Roosevelt avenue, as this street is laid out adjoining Wateredge avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Roosevelt avenue; thence eastwardly along the said line parallel with Roosevelt avenue to the intersection with a line midway between Jane street and Henry street, as these streets are laid out upon a map adopted by the Board of Trustees of the Village of Flushing on October 5, 1875; thence southwardly along the said line midway between Jane street and Henry street, and along the prolonagtion of the said line to the intersection with the northerly right of way line of the Flushing and Northside Division of the Long Island Railroad; thence westwardly along the said right of way line to the intersection with the prolonagtion of a line distant 100 feet easterly from and parallel with the easterly line of Peartree avenue, as this street is laid out where it adjoins Roosevelt avenue; thence northwardly along the prolongation of the said line parallel with Peartree avenue to the intersection with the prolongation of a line distant 100 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of Kingsland avenue, as this street is laid out westerly from Peartree avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Kingsland avenue; thence westwardly along the said line parallel with Kingsland avenue, and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet easterly from and parallel with the easterly line of Forty-second street, the said distance being measured at right angles to Forty-second street; thence northwardly along the said line parallel with Forty-second street to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of Hunt street, the said distance being measured at right angles to Hunt street; thence westwardly along the said line parallel with Hunt street to the intersection with a line midway between Van Dine street and Van Nest street; thence northwardly along the said line midway between Van Dine street and Van Nest street to the intersection with a line always distant 1,100 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of Roosevelt avenue, the said distanec being measured at right angles to Roosevelt avenue; thence westwardly along the said line parallel with Roosevelt avenue to the intersection with the prolongations of a line distant 100 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly line of Grout avenue, as this street is laid out between Third street and Fourth street; thence westwardly along the said line parallel with Grout avenue and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line midway between Third street and Fourth street; thence northwardly along a line always midway between Third street and Fourth street 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 10th day of July, 1914.

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 22nd day of September, 1914, 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 consessment, or to either of them, the motion to confirm the reports as to awards and as to assessments shall stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified in the notice provided in such cases to be given in relation to filing the final reports, pursuant to Sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by Chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated, New York, May 26th, 1914.

HERMAN E. WINNE, Chairman; WILLET C. DURLAND, JOHN H. STILLWAGGON, Commissioners of Estimate. HERMAN E. WINNE, Commissioner of Assessment.

WALTER C. SHEPPARD, Clerk. j17,jy3

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 or the workmen engaged in the actual demolition thereof, shall of itself be a breach of the above conditions of sale.

The sale will be as of the condition of the property on date of delivery thereof to the purchaser. The City of New York will not be responsible for any change or loss which may occur in the condition of the buildings, or their appurtenances between the time of the sale thereof and the time of delivering possession to the purchaser, after being properly vacated of all tenants. The sale and delivery to purchaser will be made as nearly together as the circumstances 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 openings 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 will, 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, beamholes, 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.

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 amount shall be as specified in the proposals or instructions to bidders and shall not be in excess of 5 per cent.

The certified check or money should not be inclosed in the envelope containing the bid or estimate, but should be either inclosed in a separate envelope addressed to the head of the Department, President or Board, or submitted personally upon the presentation of the bid or estimate.

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies, or the nature and extent of the work, reference must be made to the specifications, schedules, plans, etc., on file in the said office of the President, Board or Department.

No bid shall be accepted from or contract awarded to any person who is in arrears to The City of New York upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the City.

The contract must be bid for separately.

The right is reserved in each case to reject all bids or estimates if it is deemed to be for the interest of the City so to do.

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

Bidders are requested to make their bids or estimates upon the blank forms prepared and furnished by the City, a copy of which, with the proper envelope in which to inclose the bid, together with a copy of the contract, including the specifications, in the form approved by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department for which the work is to be done. Plans and drawings of construction work may also be seen there.