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## PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION—FIRST DISTRICT.

No. 154 NASSAU STREET, NEW YORK CITY.

Calendar for the Week Commencing March 6, 1916.

Monday, March 6, 1916—10.30 A. M.—Room 305—Case No. 1854—Yellow Taxicab Company and Mason-Seaman Transportation Company—"Investigation as to Consolidation into Mason-Seaman Transportation Company and as to issue of securities by consolidation company"—Whole Commission. 10.30 A. M.—Room 305—Case No. 2036—New York Steam Company—"Application for approval of issue of \$2,850,000 bonds"—Whole Commission. 10.30 A. M.—Room 305—Case No. 2058—New York Railways Company—"Motive power and service on Madison Street and Avenue C lines"—Whole Commission. 10.30 A. M.—Room 305—Case No. 2064—Interborough Rapid Transit Company—"Through service to and from Harlem River station on Third Avenue elevated line"—Whole Commission. 10.30 A. M.—Room 305—Case No. 2065—Staten Island Rapid Transit Railway Company—"Safety precautions at overhead crossing of Virginia Avenue, Rosebank"—Whole Commission. 10.30 A. M.—Room 305—Case No. 2067—The Long Island Railroad Company—"Service between Flatbush Avenue Station and Rockaway Park, Rockaway Beach Division"—Whole Commission. 10.30 A. M.—Room 305—Case No. 2070—The Long Island Railroad Company—"Facilities at Brooklyn Manor Station and service between Brooklyn Manor Station and the Pennsylvania Terminal"—Whole Commission. 10.30 A. M.—Room 305—Case No. 2071—Jay Street Extension Railroad Corporation—"Application for certificate of convenience and necessity for railroad on John and other streets, Borough of Brooklyn, and for determination of manner of crossing same"—Whole Commission.

Thursday, March 9, 1916—12.15 P. M.—Room 305—Rapid Transit Railroads—"Opening of bids for completion of construction of station finish at Hunter's Point Avenue Station"—Whole Commission. 12.15 P. M.—Room 305—Rapid Transit Railroads—"Opening of bids for construction of station finish on Sections 1 to 4, Route No. 5"—Whole Commission.

Regular meeting of the Commission held Thursday at 11.00 A. M.

Meeting of the Committee of the Whole held Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday at 10.30 A. M.

## MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

Minutes of Meeting of the Municipal Civil Service Commission of New York Held Wednesday, December 22, 1915, at 10.30 o'Clock A. M.

Present—Dr. Henry Moskowitz, President, and Commissioners Darwin R. James, Jr., and Alexander Keogh. The President presided.

A public hearing was had on the proposed amendment of the Municipal Civil Service Classification by striking from the Exempt Class, under the headings "City Magistrates' Court, First Division" and "City Magistrates' Court, Second Division," the following:

Chief Probation Officer.

Hon. William McAdoo, Chief City Magistrate, and George T. Keyes, Esq., Secretary of the Civil Service Reform Association, addressed the Commission in the matter. There were no other appearances and the Chair declared the hearing closed.

A public hearing was had on the proposed amendment of the Classification by including in the Non-Competitive Class, under the heading "Positions in the Department of Public Charities at compensations not exceeding the amounts set forth below," the following:

Assistant Trade Instructor, \$600 per annum (With or Without Maintenance).  
Lyman B. Stowe, Esq., Secretary to the First Deputy Commission of Public Charities, George T. Keyes, Esq., Secretary of the Civil Service Reform Association, and Thomas C. Murray, First Assistant Chief Examiner in the office of the Commission, addressed the Commission in the matter. There were no other appearances and the Chair declared the hearing closed.

The Commission then went into regular session, and the minutes of the meetings held December 8 and December 10 were approved.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the Municipal Civil Service Classification be and the same hereby is amended by striking from the Exempt Class under the headings "City Magistrates' Court, First Division" and "City Magistrates' Court, Second Division," the following:

"Chief Probation Officer."

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the Municipal Civil Service Classification be and the same hereby is amended by including in the Non-Competitive Class, under the heading "Positions in the Department of Public Charities, at compensations not exceeding the amounts set forth below," the following:

Assistant Trade Instructor, \$600 Per Annum (With Maintenance); Assistant Trade Instructor, \$600 Per Annum (Without Maintenance).

The employment of George C. Wilson as Assistant Trade Instructor in the Department of Public Charities was approved, pending final action on the classification of the position, at the request of the Department in a communication dated December 13, and the Secretary was instructed to attach special certificates to his payrolls.

Hon. Maurice Connolly, President of the Borough of Queens, appeared and requested that the Commission rescind its action in ordering an examination for promotion to Ward Foreman in his department. It appearing from the statement of the Borough President that the duties of the position of Ward Foreman were those pertaining to the position of Foreman, on motion, it was

Resolved, That the action of the Commission on November 24, 1915, in ordering an examination for promotion to the position of Ward Foreman in the office of the President of the Borough of Queens be and the same hereby is rescinded.

The Commission then took up the request of the Commissioner of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, considered at the previous meeting of the Commission, that an examination be held for promotion to the position of Park Foreman, Grade 2, in his department instead of Foreman Gardener, Grade 2.

Robert F. Valentine, Esq., Secretary to the Commissioner of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, appeared in favor of the request. Alfred J. Talley, Esq., Counsellor-at-Law, representing twenty-one Foremen in the Park Department, opposed the same. Thomas C. Murray, Esq., First Assistant Chief Examiner in the office of the Commission, addressed the Commission in the matter. In connection with the request of the Park Commissioner, the Commissioner considered a report dated December 21 from the First Assistant Chief Examiner. The Commission rescinded its action of November 27, 1915, ordering an examination for promotion to Foreman Gardener, Grade 2, in the Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, and ordered an examination for promotion to the position of Park Foreman, Grade 2, in that department, to be open to all Foremen, Grade 1, serving not less than six months, and ruled that the Foremen serving in the first grade who had formerly received the salary of the Second Grade (\$1,200 per annum), and who had been in the Second Grade, would be eligible for promotion to the position of Park Foreman, Grade 2, without a promotion examination.

The following resolutions were adopted after a hearing of each of the candidates named therein:

Resolved, That the name of Patrick McCullough, of 1188 Sterling Place, Brooklyn, N. Y., be and the same hereby is removed from the list of persons disqualified for employment in the City Service.

Resolved, That the disqualification appearing against the name of James F. Hogan, New Hampton Farms, Orange County, N. Y., on the eligible list of Instructor of Industry (Plumbing and Steam Fitting), be and the same hereby is removed.

Resolved, That the disqualification appearing against the following-named persons on the eligible list of Process Server be and the same hereby is removed: Franklin S. Keller, 1522 Bryant Avenue, New York City; Max A. Helfat, 510 Quincy Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Resolved, That the name of Samuel Magliansky, of 315 Madison Street, New York City, be and the same hereby is removed from the eligible list of Driver, Department of Street Cleaning, under the provisions of clause 14 of Rule VII, for the reason that his name appears upon the list of persons disqualified for employment in the City Service.

Resolved, That the name of James Albano, of 601 President Street, Brooklyn, N. Y., be and the same hereby is removed from the eligible list of Patrolman under the provisions of clause 14 of Rule VII, and placed upon the list of persons disqualified for employment in the City Service.

Resolved, That the name of Philip N. J. Lutz, of 44 Fourth Place, Brooklyn, N. Y., be and the same hereby is removed from the eligible list of Patrolman under the provisions of clause 14 of Rule VII.

Resolved, That the request of John J. Halley, of 244 East 94th Street, New York City, that his name be removed from the list of persons disqualified for employment in the City Service, be and the same hereby is denied.

Herman J. A. Thoden, of 12 Amsterdam Avenue, New York City, appeared to show cause why certification of his name to the College of the City of New York from the eligible list of Clerk, First Grade, should not be revoked, for the reason that it appeared that he had been under the minimum age at the time of filing his application for that position. The Commission approved the appointment of the candidate.

Joseph L. Bien, of 246 Chester Street, Brooklyn, N. Y., a candidate on the eligible list of Temporary Clerk, failed to appear, as directed, and the Secretary was instructed to summon him to appear at the next regular meeting of the Commission.

Ernest B. Wiese, of 567 75th Street, Brooklyn, N. Y., a candidate for the position of Swimming Instructor, failed to appear, as directed, and the Secretary was instructed to inform him that his name would be marked "Not Qualified" on the eligible list pending his appearance before the Commission.

Upon the recommendation of the Committee on Transfers, the following transfers were approved:

From Disinfecter at \$900 per annum to Laborer at the same salary in the Department of Health, they having consented in writing to such demotion: J. J. Dooley, William Kasmire, Thomas M. Carey, John T. Maguire, William S. Halliday, Herman Fleck, Robert A. Rodgers, George B. Gamsby, John P. O'Shea, Fred C. Henken, Ellen D. Kelly, Probation Officer at \$1,200 per annum, from City Magistrates' Courts to Children's Court. Joseph A. Rooney, Court Stenographer, from City Magistrates' Courts at \$1,800 per annum to Children's Court at \$2,100 per annum. Thomas F. Rooney, Clerk, from Committee on Taxation at \$300 per annum to Department of Taxes and Assessments at \$540 per annum. Alvah B. Whedon, from Axeman at \$900 per annum to Laborer at \$2.50 per day in the Department of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn, he having consented in writing to such demotion. Henry Kratch, from Foreman of Painters at \$4 per day to Painter at \$4 per day in the Department of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn, he having consented in writing to such demotion. Alfred Ekerman, from Saw Filer at \$4 per day to Laborer at \$2.50 per day in Department of Parks, Borough of Brooklyn, he having consented in writing to such demotion. Eugene Weinberger, Interpreter, from Department of Licenses at \$1,260 per annum to Children's Court at \$1,380 per annum. Abraham A. Cantor, from Inspector of Repairs and Supplies, at \$1,800 per annum, to Purchasing Agent at \$1,800 per annum, in the office of President of the Borough of Manhattan (clause 2 of Rule XIV). Sara H. Hamburger, Stenographer and Typewriter, from Board of Water Supply at \$1,200 per annum to Chamberlain's Office at \$900 per annum. Joseph Kelly, from Laborer at \$2.50 per day to Sweeper at \$720 per annum, in office of the President of the Borough of Richmond. Robert B. Jordan, Examiner, at \$3,500 per annum, from the Bureau of Standards, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, to Department of Finance (clause 3 of Rule XIV). Mamie A. Wall, Typewriting Copyist at \$750 per annum, from Tenement House Department to the City Magistrates' Court. Thomas C. Nutting, Machinist,



at \$4.50 per day, from Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity to the Fire Department. Adam Dorr, Clerk, from Bureau of Buildings, Borough of Manhattan, at \$1,200 per annum, to office of the President, Borough of Manhattan, at \$900 per annum. William O'Neill, Laborer, from Department of Docks and Ferries to office of the President, Borough of Manhattan. Denis Whelan, from Messenger at \$1,200 per annum to Laborer at \$2.50 per day in Department of Docks and Ferries, he having consented in writing to such demotion. Peter J. Kearney, from Foreman Carpenter at \$1,800 per annum to Carpenter at \$5 per day in Department of Docks and Ferries, he having consented in writing to such demotion. Lillian Seidenberg, Stenographer and Typewriter at \$1,500 per annum from Bureau of Buildings, Borough of Manhattan, to office of the President, Borough of Manhattan. Gustave Volz, Topographical Draftsman, from the office of the President, Borough of Queens, at \$1,650 per annum, to the office of President, Borough of Manhattan, at \$1,200 per annum. Paul Klepper, Topographical Draftsman, from the office of the President, Borough of Queens, at \$1,500 per annum, to the office of the President, Borough of Manhattan, at \$1,200 per annum. James Ennies and James Doyle, from Watchman at \$2.50 per day in Department of Bridges to Attendant at \$750 per annum in office of the President, Borough of Brooklyn. William A. O'Neill, Clerk, from Bureau of Buildings, Borough of Manhattan, at \$420 per annum to office of the President, Borough of Brooklyn, at \$540 per annum. Rose K. Klausner, Stenographer and Typewriter, at \$900 per annum, from Bureau of Standards, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, to Department of Public Charities. Peter Mulvehill, Laborer, from the office of President, Borough of Manhattan, to Fire Department. James C. Napier, from Rodman at \$1,050 per annum to Laborer at \$3 per day, in Department of Bridges, he having consented in writing to such demotion. Rudolph Edelson, Topographical Draftsman, from the office of the President, Borough of Brooklyn, at \$1,500 per annum, to office of the President, Borough of Manhattan, at \$1,200 per annum.

Thomas J. Carney, Clerk, from the Department of Finance at \$300 per annum to Department of Education at \$420 per annum. Frederick W. J. Wageman, Stenographer and Typewriter at \$1,050 per annum, from Bureau of Buildings, Borough of Manhattan, to office of the President, Borough of Manhattan. James A. Gerns, Clerk, from Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity at \$900 per annum to the Children's Court at \$840 per annum. Michael J. Kuhn, Clerk, from Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, at \$900 per annum, to Children's Court at \$840 per annum. From Storekeeper's Helper to Laborer at \$2.50 per day in Department of Docks and Ferries, they having consented in writing to such demotion: John Butch, William Foley, Stephen J. Sullivan, Edward Sevel, Thomas F. Garvin, Daniel Lynch. Frank M. Farley, from Inspector at \$120 per month in the Board of Water Supply to Inspector of Public Works at \$1,200 per annum in office of the President, Borough of Manhattan. R. E. Morrison, Stationary Engineer at \$4.50 per day, from Bellevue and Allied Hospitals to office of the President, Borough of Manhattan. Mary Kelly, Cleaner, at \$360 per annum, from Department of Health to the office of the President, Borough of Brooklyn. The following named persons in the office of the President, Borough of Brooklyn, they having consented in writing to such demotions: John R. Brophy, from Inspector of Plumbing, 4th Grade, at \$2,400 per annum, to Inspector of Plumbing, 3d Grade, at \$2,100 per annum. Henry H. Smith, from Inspector of Plumbing, 3d Grade, at \$1,800 per annum, to Inspector of Plumbing, 2d Grade, at \$1,500 per annum. John J. Curry, from Inspector of Carpentry and Masonry, 4th Grade, at \$2,400 per annum to Inspector of Carpentry and Masonry, 3d Grade, at \$2,100 per annum. Gilbert J. Murtagh, from Inspector of Carpentry and Masonry, 4th Grade, at \$2,400 per annum, to Inspector of Carpentry and Masonry, 3d Grade, at \$2,100 per annum. Lillian C. Lantry, Typewriting Copyist at \$600 per annum, from the Department of Public Charities to the Fire Department. May A. Toomey, Clerk at \$540 per annum, from the Department of Public Charities to the office of President, Borough of Queens. Daniel O'Connell and Patrick Walsh from Driver to Laborer (Part IV.) in Department of Health. Henry Bennett and Alfred Seitz, from Sweeper to Assistant Foreman, 2d Grade, in Department of Street Cleaning (clause 3 of Rule XIV). Thos. Murphy, from Driver to Assistant Foreman, 2d Grade, in Department of Street Cleaning (clause 3 of Rule XIV). M. O'Donnell, Process Server, from Law Department at \$1.15 per service to Bureau of Buildings, Borough of Brooklyn, at \$840 per annum. Edward J. McEnaney, Clerk at \$300 per annum, from Tenement House Department to Bureau of Standards, Board of Estimate and Apportionment. Richard G. Dinnean, from Aqueduct Patrolman at \$1,050 per annum in Board of Water Supply to Prison Keeper at \$1,200 per annum, Department of Correction. George W. Tuttle, from Principal Assistant Engineer at \$3,600 per annum in office of the President, Borough of Richmond, to Assistant Engineer at \$2,100 per annum in office of the Committee on City Plan, Board of Estimate and Apportionment. Kenneth Allen, from Engineer to Assistant Engineer in Board of Estimate and Apportionment to conform to the Budget for 1916. James Doyle and George Adams, from Axeman at \$900 per annum to Laborer at \$2.50 per day in the Department of Bridges, they having consented in writing to such demotion.

The Commission approved the transfer of Emil A. Nordstrom from Assistant Engineer at \$1,800 per annum to Topographical Draftsman at \$1,600 per annum in the Department of Docks and Ferries, he having consented in writing to such demotion.

Upon the recommendation of the Committee on Transfers, the following transfers were disapproved:

David F. Sheppard, from Laborer at \$2.50 per day to Cleaner at \$660 per annum, in the office of the President, Borough of Manhattan, for the reason that he had not served one year in the department as required by clause 13 of Rule XIX. Cleaners, at \$360 per annum, from Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Borough of Brooklyn, to office of the President, Borough of Manhattan, a Preferred List existing for Cleaner, Borough of Manhattan: Maggie Dunsforth, Mary Glennon, Annie Wardle, Sarah Farrell. Patrick J. McDonald, Gardener, from Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, at \$2.50 per day, to Department of Correction at \$660 per annum, he having been appointed temporarily only. John Fulton, from Mechanical Engineer at \$1,800 per annum to Stationary Engineer at \$4.50 per day in Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, the positions being dissimilar in character.

Upon the recommendation of the Committee on Reinstatements, the following reinstatements were approved: Amander O. Hayes, Patrolman in the Police Department. Solomon Slavinsky, Cleaner, at \$600 per annum, in the office of the President, Borough of Manhattan. Edward O'Callaghan, Laborer, in the Department of Parks, Borough of Queens (Section 1543-b of the Charter).

Upon the recommendation of the Committee on Reinstatements, the reinstatement of Richard P. Flynn as Asphalt Worker at \$2.50 per day in the office of the President, Borough of Manhattan, was disapproved, a Preferred List existing for that position.

On the recommendation of the Committee on Special and Temporary Appointments, the following appointments were approved in accordance with the requests of the several departments on the dates specified:

#### CLAUSE 1, RULE XII.

December 18—Anna Polak, as Social Investigator in the Department of Public Charities, at \$900 per annum, for an additional period of one month.

Dec. 15—Gardeners in Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, at \$2.50 per diem, continued to December 31, 1915: Patrick A. McDonald, Michael J. Kiely, William J. Hyland, Fred. W. Metsch, Patrick O'Brien, William F. Feistel.

Dec. 16—Attendants in office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, continued to December 31, 1915: Louis Brommer, William J. Corbett, Edward F. Shields.

Dec. 17—Walter Toussaint, as Farm Instructor in Department of Correction, at \$900 per annum, continued to December 31, 1915. John N. Bensen and Howard W. Fulton as Prison Keepers in Department of Correction, for the periods from September 11th to October 24th; and September 11 to October 9, 1915, respectively.

#### SPECIAL CERTIFICATE.

Nov. 26—Eleanor Enger, as Tabulating Machine Operator in the Department of Education for a period from Dec. 24 to 31, 1915.

Dec. 14—Following named persons in the Department of Health, pending result of their non-competitive examination to qualify them for employment under Clause 3 of Rule XII: Charles A. Frischbier, Attending Physician; H. B. Wilson, Jessie Stuart and Celia Wirt, as Laboratory Assistants. Period from December 1 to 15, 1915.

#### CLAUSE 3, RULE XII.

Nov. 24—Ralph L. VanName, as Municipal Examiner in Commission on Pensions, at \$1,800 per annum.

Dec. 21—Social Investigators in the Department of Public Charities: Nellie Wise, Elizabeth Boyce, Mathilda White, Pauline Kuhn, Elizabeth Burns.

Nov. 19—Dr. Richard A. Rendich, as Second Assistant Alienist at Kings County Hospital, Department of Public Charities, at \$1,320 per annum.

#### CLAUSES 3 AND 4, RULE XII.

Dec. 22—Dr. Melvin J. Taylor, as Assistant Alienist in Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, at \$1,500 per annum, for thirty days under Clause 4; and pending list of Alienist under Clause 3.

Dec. 17—Dr. Ruric N. Smith, as Pathological Chemist at the Kings County Hospital in Department of Public Charities, at \$1,320 per annum, for two periods of fifteen days each under clause 4; and pending list of Pathologist under clause 3.

Nov. 12—Frederick J. Slater, as Instructor of Industries (Road Building) at New Hampton, Department of Correction, at \$900 per annum, for two periods of fifteen days each from November 1st, under clause 4; and pending list of Instructor of Industry, under clause 3.

#### CLAUSE 4, RULE XII.

Dec. 17—Frederick J. Slater, as Clerk at New Hampton Farms, Department of Correction, at \$900 per annum, for a second period of fifteen days from October 21, 1915.

Dec. 22—Henry Kirchgessner and James Cummings as Watchmen in Board of Elections at \$2.50 per diem, for a second period of fifteen days each.

Dec. 17—Marion Helen Merton, as Laboratory Assistant in the Department of Health, at \$600 per annum, for two periods of fifteen days each from Dec. 2, 1915.

Dec. 18—Thomas Dowd, as Engineer in Department of Correction at \$4.50 per diem, for fifteen days from December 11, 1915.

Dec. 20—Department of Public Charities: Myrtis M. Fish, Marie Mahon and Mary E. Peacock, as Social Investigators at \$1,080 per annum, for two days each from December 15, 1915; Anna Gill as Clerk, at \$600 per annum, for fourteen days from December 18, 1915; Attilio C. Conti as Clerk, at \$540 per annum, for fifteen days from Dec. 15, 1915.

Dec. 16—Thomas F. Finn as Stationary Engineer, Electrical Pumping Station, Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, for fifteen days.

Dec. 7—Nora V. Casey as Clerk in Department of Public Charities, at \$540 per annum, for two periods of fifteen days each from Nov. 29, 1915.

Dec. 20—Fannie Guttman as Clerical Assistant to the Committee on Municipal Survey in the College of City of New York, at \$1.50 per diem, for fifteen days from Dec. 21, 1915.

Dec. 17—Richard G. Dinean as Prison Keeper in Department of Correction, at \$1,200 per annum, for fifteen days from Dec. 6, 1915.

Dec. 20—Edward D. C. Sperry as Monitor in Examining Board of Plumbers at \$5 per diem, Dec. 20, 1915.

Dec. 9—William Tobin as Inspector of Public Works in office of the President of the Borough of Manhattan, at \$1,200 per annum, from Dec. 2 to 9, 1915.

Dec. 6—Roy D. Bailey as Clerk in Department of Public Charities, at \$600 per annum, for fifteen days.

Dec. 21—Foremen at \$4 per diem, and Assistant Foremen at \$3.25 per diem, in office of President of the Borough of Queens, as per payroll, in connection with snow removal for the four days ended Dec. 17, 1915.

#### CLAUSE 11, RULE XIX.

Dec. 21—Laborers at 30 cents per hour in office of the President of the Borough of Queens, as per payroll in connection with snow removal for the four days ended Dec. 17, 1915. Dec. 21—Licensed Firemen in Department of Public Charities, at \$3 per diem: William Petkiness for a third period of five days. Lawrence Bergen for two periods of five days each. Joseph Campbell for two periods of five days each.

Dec. 15—Boilermakers in Department of Docks and Ferries, at \$3.50 per diem, from Dec. 14 to 31, 1915: Patrick Kenneally, Edward McCarthy, Benjamin Manning.

Dec. 17—Payroll for 20,402 Laborers in the Department of Street Cleaning, at 30 cents per hour, in connection with snow removal on Dec. 13 and 14, 1915.

Dec. 20—One hundred and twenty-nine Laborers in the Department of Bridges, at 30 cents per hour, in connection with snow removal, as per list in letter, on Dec. 14, 15, 16, 17 and 18, 1915.

Dec. 16—Cleaners in College of the City of New York, at \$1.50 per evening, for the time stated: Patrick Haley, 6 nights; Edward Endlich, 2 nights; Christopher Dunn, 8 nights.

Dec. 17—Fifty-one Laborers in the Department of Bridges at 30 cents per hour, in connection with snow removal, as per list in letters, on Dec. 14, 15 and 16, 1915.

Dec. 16—Foremen, Laborers, carts and teams, in the office of the President of the Borough of Richmond, as per lists forwarded with communication.

Dec. 18—Sixty-six Laborers in the Department of Bridges, at 30 cents per hour, in connection with snow removal, as per list in letters, on Dec. 16 and 17, 1915.

Dec. 17—Laborers in Department of Street Cleaning, at 25 cents per hour, in connection with snow removal: Dec. 14, Manhattan 500. Dec. 15, The Bronx 905; Brooklyn 1,674. Manhattan 3,493. Dec. 16, The Bronx 956, Brooklyn 1,635, Manhattan 3,970.

Dec. 16—Sixty-three Laborers in the Department of Bridges, at 30 cents per hour, in connection with snow removal, as per list in letters, on Dec. 14 and 15, 1915.

Dec. 14 and 15—Ninety-one Laborers in the Department of Bridges, at 30 cents per hour, in connection with snow removal, as per list in three communications, on Dec. 13th and 14th.

Dec. 16—John Call and Fred Schoeder, as Licensed Firemen in the Department of Education, at \$912.50 per annum each, from Nov. 30 and Dec. 1, 1915, respectively, to Dec. 9, 1915.

The Committee on Special and Temporary Appointments, after consideration of a communication from the Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, dated Dec. 15, 1915, requesting the extension of the employment of Augustus J. Schelp as Pipe Fitter in that department under the provisions of clause 1 of Rule XII, ordered that the appointment be noted on the records as permanent, his name appearing No. 1 on the Preferred List for permanent appointment.

Upon the recommendation of the Committee on Appeals, the appeals of the following named candidates in the examination specified for reratings of certain of their papers were denied:

Inspector, Bureau of Fire Prevention—Daniel J. Spellacy, 228 Windsor Place, Brooklyn; Jeremiah W. Krizek, 120 Pleasure Place, Astoria, L. I.

Civil Service Examiner, Medical—Morris D. Keller, 27 W. 114th St., New York City. Attendance Officer—Terence Sweeney, 1240 Washington Ave., New York City. Inspector of Weights and Measures—John F. Sheridan, 386 Manhattan Ave., New York City.

Upon the recommendation of the Committee on Appeals, the Commission denied the appeal of John T. Moore, of 2011 Morris Ave., New York City, that two sheets of the morning "question" paper in the examination for Deputy Tax Commissioner, which he had neglected to hand in during the morning session, be accepted and rated.

The Commission confirmed the action of the Committee on Provisional Appointments in adopting the recommendations of the Examiner in Charge of the Bureau of Investigation contained in the following reports:

Report, dated Dec. 17, recommending that Dora Aidman and Bridget H. Rooney be marked "Qualified" for employment as Social Investigators in the Department of Public Charities under clause 3 of Rule XII.

Report dated December 17, recommending that Harry B. Wilson of 316 Water Street, New York City, be marked "Qualified" for employment as Laboratory Assistant in the Department of Health, under the provisions of clause 3 of Rule XII.

A report dated December 20 was presented from the Chief Examiner, notifying the Commission of the completion of various promotion examinations in the office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn. On motion, it was

Resolved, that the following promotion eligible lists for the office of the President of the Borough of Brooklyn be and the same hereby are promulgated: Topographical Draughtsman, Grade D; Topographical Draughtsman, Grade C; Transitman, Grade C; Assistant Engineer, Grade D; Assistant Engineer, Grade E.

The following reports were presented from the First Assistant Chief Examiner:

Report dated December 16, recommending that the Commission deny the request of the Fire Commissioner for approval of the promotion, without further examination, of Christopher Peterson, an Electrical Inspector, Grade 3, to the position of Assistant Electrical Engineer, Grade D.

Report dated December 17, recommending that the Commission deny the request of L. Voorzanger, a Topographical Draughtsman, Grade C, in the Department of Parks, Boroughs of Manhattan and Richmond, that he be permitted to enter the examination for promotion to Assistant Landscape Architect, Grade D, for the Park Department, all boroughs, no reasons having been advanced to show why the examination should be opened to Topographical Draughtsmen, Grade C.

Report dated December 17, recommending that all further requests for promotion examinations in the Clerical Service be denied unless made for the purpose of



filing actual vacancies or for other reasons which in the judgment of the Commission appear to be urgent.

The recommendations were adopted.

A report dated December 17 was presented from the First Assistant Chief Examiner relative to the request of the Commissioner of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity that an examination be held for promotion from the position of Laborer at \$2.50 per day to that of Sanitary Inspector at \$960 per annum, to be open to the laborers employed in the watersheds of Westchester and Putnam Counties. The Examiner recommended that the request be denied and that the department be informed that the title of Sanitary Inspector was not fitting for the duties to be performed in the Croton Watershed and that the budget schedule of the department should be modified to show the title either as Laborer or Water Shed Inspector. The matter was referred to the Secretary of the Commission.

Upon the recommendation of the First Assistant Chief Examiner, in a report dated December 17, eligibility in the examination for promotion to the position of Assistant Landscape Architect, Department of Parks, Borough of The Bronx, was extended to Horticultural Draughtsman, Grade D, eligible, and the action of the First Assistant Chief Examiner, in directing the Department to have such applications filed at once, was approved.

The following reports were presented from Leonhard Felix Fuld, Assistant Chief Examiner, to the effect that the efficiency reports of the departments specified had been prepared in accordance with the rules:

Report T-109, dated December 17, Department of Parks, Borough of Manhattan, for the first quarter of 1915.

Report W-37, dated December 13, Bureau of Buildings, Borough of Manhattan, for the third quarter of 1915.

Report W-43, dated December 20, Law Department, for the third quarter of 1915.

Report N-187, dated December 18, City Court, for the second quarter of 1914.

Report P-163, dated December 17, City Court, for the third quarter of 1914.

Report R-143, dated December 17, City Court, for the fourth quarter of 1914.

Report T-110, dated December 18, City Court, for the first quarter of 1915.

Report T-108, dated December 17, Board of City Magistrates, First Division, for the first quarter of 1915.

Report W-42, dated December 20, Sinking Fund Commission, for the third quarter of 1915.

The efficiency reports were approved.

A report (K-1026), dated December 18, was presented from Leonhard Felix Fuld, Assistant Chief Examiner, relative to the assignments of Michael Byrne and Anthony Quinn, Laborers in the Department of Health. The Commission ruled that the assignment of Anthony Quinn was proper and the Secretary was instructed to take up with the department the matter of the assignment of Michael Byrne.

A report (K-1029), dated December 20, was presented from Leonhard Felix Fuld, Assistant Chief Examiner, relative to the assignment of Joseph Honey, an Inspector of Electrical Conductors in the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity. The Secretary was instructed to take up the matter of the assignment with the department.

A report dated December 16 was presented from the Examiner in Charge of the Bureau of Investigation, recommending that the disqualification appearing against the name of Josephine Mary Collins on the eligible list of Nurse be removed. The recommendation was adopted.

Upon the recommendation of the Examiner in Charge of the Bureau of Investigation in a report dated December 16, the five candidates in the examination for Farm Instructor named therein were marked "Qualified," and it was

Resolved, that the eligible list of Farm Instructor be and the same hereby is promulgated.

A report dated December 17 was presented from the Examiner in Charge of the Bureau of Investigation relative to candidates 12 to 26, inclusive, on the eligible list of Investigator, Civil Service. The Secretary was instructed to mark the candidates "Qualified," except in the case of William Terbeck, Maxwell Karpel, Edward M. Kennelly and Walter Walsh.

A report dated December 18 was presented from the Certification Clerk, requesting approval of his action in certifying from the eligible list of Nurse's Assistant four names of persons thereon who had not been investigated. The action of the Certification Clerk was approved.

A report dated December 14 was presented from the Certification Clerk, recommending that the promotion list of Clerk, Third Grade, be certified to the Department of Public Charities as an appropriate list from which to make a promotion to the position of Cashier, Third Grade, there being no promotion list for the latter position. The recommendation was adopted.

A communication, dated December 15, was presented from the Secretary of the Department of Finance requesting that the records of the Commission be amended to show that James P. Loughran, who was recorded as having resigned from the position of Bookkeeper, had been suspended under section 1543 of the Charter. The Secretary was instructed to request the department to forward to the Commission a statement of the reasons for suspending the employee.

The Secretary was instructed to note on the records the following reassignments to duty in accordance with notifications from the departments concerned under the dates specified: December 14, Alexander F. M. Testut, Driver in the Department of Street Cleaning. December 15, Elbert Ellison, Laborer in the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity. December 16, Hyman Vortrefflich, Clerk in the Tenement House Department. December 14, Mrs. Mary Vreeland, Cleaner in the office of the President of the Borough of Queens.

Communications (15) dated December 15, were presented from the Department of Docks and Ferries requesting approval of the changes in salary, as specified, of the following named employees of that department, effective January 1, 1916: Clerks: Thomas E. Reynolds, from \$1,800 to \$1,680 per annum; John A. Greegan, from \$1,800 to \$1,500 per annum; Lucius C. Higgins, from \$3,000 to \$2,100 per annum; Edward G. J. McMenamin, from \$1,800 to \$1,050 per annum; William J. Fay, from \$2,400 to \$2,160 per annum; Walter S. Graham, from \$1,800 to \$1,560 per annum; Arthur Casson, from \$2,100 to \$1,560 per annum; Edward F. Lacey, from \$1,800 to \$1,560 per annum; Bernard P. Gibney, from \$1,800 to \$1,060 per annum; Max Drucker, from \$1,800 to \$1,200 per annum; Lorenzo L. Burke, from \$1,800 to \$1,560 per annum. Stenographer and Typewriter: Thomas V. McGloin, from \$1,500 to \$900 per annum. Messenger: William A. Walls, from \$1,200 to \$1,060 per annum. General Foreman: John Heany, from \$1,800 to \$1,680 per annum; Robert W. Malone, from \$1,800 to \$1,500 per annum. The Secretary was instructed to note the changes in salary on the records, the employees in each instance having consented in writing to the demotion involved.

Communications (2) dated December 16, were presented from the Department of Docks and Ferries requesting approval of the changes in salary, as specified, of the following named employees, effective January 1, 1916: James J. Kennedy, Clerk, from \$1,200 to \$900 per annum; Elias Cahn, Assistant Engineer, from \$2,400 to \$2,100 per annum. The Secretary was instructed to note the changes in salary on the records, the employees having consented in writing to the demotions involved.

The Secretary was instructed to note the following facts on the records in accordance with communications from the departments concerned under the dates specified:

December 17—The change of name of an Inspector of Fire Prevention in the Bureau of Fire Prevention, Fire Department, from Miss Deborah Vera Sabovich to Mrs. Deborah Vera Shimberg.

August 28—The promotion of Ambrose M. Steinert to the position of Financial Clerk, Fifth Grade, at \$3,150 per annum, in the Department of Finance, effective September 1, 1915, from the Certification of August 13, 1915.

December 18—The appointment of Morris Levy as Resident Physician at Sea View Hospital at \$1,200 per annum (Non-Competitive Class) on October 15, 1915, and the appointment of Frank W. Webb, as Automobile Engineman (Morgue Hearse), at \$900 per annum, on October 1, 1915, both in the Department of Public Charities.

A communication dated December 18, was presented from the Secretary of the Department of Public Charities relative to the appointment of Dr. George F. Brewster as First Assistant Alienist. The Secretary was instructed to amend the records to show the appointment of Dr. Brewster at a salary of \$1,740 per annum, effective October 25, 1915, instead of at a salary of \$1,800 per annum, effective October 14, 1915.

A communication dated December 14, was presented from the Commissioner of Public Works and Acting President of the Borough of Queens, requesting that the records of the Commission be amended to show that leave of absence without pay had

been granted James Donnelly, a Laborer, on December 9, instead of on November 29. The Secretary was instructed to amend the records as requested.

A communication dated December 15, was presented from the Chief Clerk of the Court of Special Sessions, requesting that the certificate of transfer in the case of John A. Donohue, a Clerk, be extended to cover his appointment in the Court of Special Sessions, from January 1, 1916. The Secretary was instructed to amend the certificate of transfer to show the same to be effective as of January 1, 1916.

A communication dated December 15, was presented from the Chief Clerk of the Court of Special Sessions relative to the employment of J. Boyd to tend the furnace in the Children's Court, Jamaica, L. I. The employment of Mr. Boyd was authorized until January 1, 1916, under clause 8 of Rule XII.

A communication dated December 15, was presented from the Executive Secretary of the Committee on Taxation requesting authority to employ Mr. Robert Murray Haig to assist in preparing and editing the report and exhibits of the Committee on Taxation. On motion, it was

Resolved, That, under authority of clause 8 of Rule XII, Mr. Robert Murray Haig be and he hereby is excepted from examination, to be employed by the Committee on Taxation to assist in preparing and editing its reports and exhibits.

The Commission approved the action of the Certification Clerk in eliminating from a certification to the President of the Borough of Brooklyn of the promotion list of Clerk, Third Grade, Bureau of Highways, the names of John Donlon and John A. Sullivan, they having been promoted to the position of Clerk, Third Grade, from a previous promotion list.

A communication dated December 10 was presented from the President of the Borough of Manhattan requesting that an examination be ordered for change of title from Asphalt Worker to Oiler. The request was denied, there being a preferred list for the latter position.

A communication dated December 18 was presented from the Commissioner of the Department of Street Cleaning, stating that he had rejected Jacob Schwartz, a candidate on the eligible list of Sweeper for physical disability. The Secretary was instructed to arrange a medical re-examination of the candidate by the Commission's physicians.

The following reports of departmental boards of examiners for positions in the Non-competitive Class were approved upon the recommendation of the Chief Examiner:

Department of Public Charities, December 14.

Department of Health, December 2, December 17.

Bellevue and Allied Hospitals (Fordham Hospital), December 15.

A report dated December 22 was presented from the Certification Clerk, submitting a statement of certifications of names in excess of the number prescribed by the rules. The certifications were approved, the additional names having been certified to anticipate declinations on account of salary, location, etc.

The declinations of appointment of the following-named persons from the eligible lists specified, on account of illness, impracticability of leaving other employment, etc., were approved:

Joseph F. Barry, 253 East 240th Street, New York City, preferred list of Laborer, Borough of The Bronx. H. H. Claxton, 107 Oliver Avenue, Yonkers, N. Y.; Carl W. Haefner, Box 215, New Paltz, N. Y.; John P. Hurley, 50 Halsey Street, Brooklyn, Assistant Engineer, Grade D, preferred. Joseph P. Casey, 38 Beadel Street, Brooklyn, Gardener. William G. Copeland, 279 Avenue A, New York City, Inspector Bureau of Fire Prevention. Edward Krauss, 308 West 126th Street, New York City, Stationary Engineer (certification of name for temporary appointment to be withheld until further notice). Thomas C. Nivison, 630 49th Street, Brooklyn, Stationary Engineer. John Sheedy, 1735 Grove Street, Ridgewood, L. I., Licensed Fireman, Queens. Joseph B. Garity, Fresh Pond Road, Maspeth, L. I., preferred list of Licensed Fireman, Queens.

The requests of the following-named persons for restoration to the eligible lists specified were granted, their failure to reply to notices regarding appointment, declinations of appointment, etc., having been satisfactorily explained to the Commission:

James J. Fitzgerald, 258 Madison Avenue, New York City, Gardener (certification to be withheld until further notice). Morris Rosen, 346 East 17th Street, New York City, Temporary Clerk. George Oberst, 2117 Blackrock Avenue, Bronx, N. Y., Stationary Engineer, for temporary appointment. Joseph B. Clenkin, 605 Franklin Avenue, Brooklyn, Clerk, First Grade. Dorothy A. Soskin, 5 Beech Terrace, New York City. Gladys A. Cauton, 30 West 131st Street, New York City; Playground and Gymnasium Attendant. Johana R. Altman, 454 Mott Avenue, New York City, Temporary Clerk. John McDermott, 321 Willis Avenue, New York City, Bricklayer. Harry L. F. Wallace, 408 Pleasant Avenue, New York City; George A. Rush, 3074 Webster Avenue, New York City; Temporary Clerk, Sylvester Johnston, 125 Cumberland Street, Brooklyn, preferred list Typewriter Accountant, 3rd grade, temporary service, Remington machine. Pearl Osborn, 71 East 31st Street, Brooklyn, School Farm Attendant. Herman Moutner, 543 Flushing Avenue, Brooklyn, Driver, Department of Street Cleaning.

The request of Max Freedman, of 440 Wythe Avenue, Brooklyn, for restoration for appointment at \$300 per annum from the eligible list of Clerk, First Grade, was denied, he having declined appointment at that salary.

#### Matters Not Upon the Calendar Considered by Unanimous Consent.

The following reports were presented from the First Assistant Chief Examiner: Report dated December 20 recommending that eligibility in the examination for promotion to Clerk, Third Grade, for the Division of Reference and Research of the Board of Education, be extended to Stenographers and Typewriters, Second Grade, eligible.

Report dated December 20 recommending that an examination be ordered for promotion to the position of Female Attendant, Department of Bridges, to be open to all Female Cleaners eligible.

Report dated December 20 recommending that an examination be ordered for promotion to the position of Automobile Engineman in the Department of Correction, to be open to all Drivers eligible, under clause 17 of Rule XV, holding the necessary State license as Chauffeur.

The recommendations were adopted.

A report dated December 11 was presented from the First Assistant Chief Examiner, transmitting a report (E-500) dated December 31, from Mr. Leonhard Fuld, Assistant Chief Examiner, relative to the plan of organization of the Tenement House Department for purposes of promotion. The Commission adopted the following amended plan of organization for the department and ruled that promotion lists for the various subdivisions be divided into separate lists for the boroughs of Manhattan, Brooklyn and The Bronx, in accordance with the recommendations of the Assistant Chief Examiners:

Old Building Bureau, New Building Bureau, Bureau of Records, Executive Division, Stenographic Division.

A report dated December 9 was presented from the First Assistant Chief Examiner relative to the matter of the change of title of T. Harry Shanton from Superintendent of Stables in the Police Department to Superintendent of Transportation in that department. The Secretary was instructed to inform the Police Commissioner that if he would submit a formal request for the change of title the Commission would consider granting same.

The following reports were presented from Leonhard Felix Fuld, Assistant Chief Examiner, stating that the efficiency reports of the departments concerned for the periods specified had been prepared in accordance with the rules:

W-44, dated December 20, office of the President of the Borough of The Bronx for the third quarter of 1915.

W-46, dated December 21, College of the City of New York for the third quarter of 1915.

The efficiency reports were approved.

Upon the recommendation of the Advisory Board in a report dated December 21 it was

Resolved, That the Secretary be and he hereby is instructed to proceed with an open competitive examination for the position of Charity Application Investigator, Female, under the provisions of clause 6 of Rule VI, that being a position requiring unusual qualifications and one to which no classified title is applicable.

Upon the recommendation of the Advisory Board in the same report the following form of advertisement for the examination for Charity Application Investigator, Female, was approved:

Applicants must be citizens of the United States and residents of the State of New York.



The subjects and weights of the examination are: Experience, 5; Duties, 5. 70% general average required.  
A physical qualifying examination will be given.  
Candidates failing to pass the physical test will not be summoned for the mental test.

Applications for this examination must be filed on a special blank, Form C.  
**Duties.**—The duties of a Charity Application Investigator are: To receive applications for admission to any of the charitable institutions of the City, and such applications as are referred from one institution to another; to interview applicants for institutional care, treatment and relief; to receive and interview persons seeking the commitment of, or admission of, children to institutions, or material relief for children; to report upon and to record, index and file histories.

**Requirements.**—Candidates must have had not less than one year of experience in institutional work for public or private charitable institutions, or its equivalent. Candidates must be at least 30 years of age on the closing date for the receipt of applications. Salary is \$600 per annum.

The term of the eligibility of the list resulting from this examination is fixed at not less than one year nor more than four years.

Upon the recommendation of the Examiner in Charge of the Bureau of Investigation in a report dated December 20 the four candidates for the position of Resident Physician, Female, Grade 2, named therein were marked "Qualified," and it was Resolved, That the eligible list of Resident Physician, Female, Grade 2, be and the same hereby is promulgated.

The following reports were presented from the Examiner in Charge of the Bureau of Investigation:

Report dated December 20 recommending that Olaf J. Jacobsen be marked "Qualified" on the list of Scowman.

Report dated December 22 recommending that M. Walter Walsh, of 395 7th Street, Brooklyn, whose name had been withheld from certification from the eligible list of Investigator, Civil Service, be marked "Qualified" on that list.

The recommendations were adopted.

A report, dated December 20, was presented from the Certification Clerk, relative to the eligible list of Lineman, promulgated October 1, 1915. It appearing that the list would shortly become exhausted, on motion, it was

Resolved, That the Secretary be and he hereby is instructed to proceed with an examination for the position of Lineman.

A memorandum, dated December 21, was presented from the Application Clerk, stating that Philip Friedman, a candidate for the position of Sweeper, Department of Street Cleaning, and Harry Madnitzky, a candidate for the position of Driver, Department of Street Cleaning, had been rejected in physical re-examinations by the Commission's physicians. The Secretary was instructed to summon the candidates before the Commission to show cause why their names should not be removed from the respective eligible lists on account of physical disability.

A communication, dated June 18, was presented from the General Medical Superintendent of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, requesting that the position of Resident Pathologist at \$600 per annum, with maintenance, be included in the Non-Competitive Class for his department. The Secretary was instructed to advertise a public hearing in the matter and to approve the payrolls of Drs. Lazarus Hadjapoulos, Robert H. Harwood and Willis P. Baker for services as Resident Pathologist pending the classification of the position.

The Secretary was instructed to note on the records the following reassignments to duty in accordance with notifications from the departments concerned under the dates specified:

Department of Docks and Ferries—December 16: Peter Mahoney, Foreman of Riggers. December 20: Thomas Purdy, Dockbuilder. December 21: Patrick Cummings, Storekeeper's Helper.

Department of Parks, Borough of The Bronx—December 21: Richard F. Mason, Jr., Climber and Pruner.

A communication, dated December 23, was presented from the Secretary of the Department of Public Charities, requesting authority to continue the temporary employment of William S. Irving, Robert Morris and Evan L. Gunter, Architectural Draughtsmen. The employment of the said persons was authorized to the dates specified, under the provisions of clause 1 of Rule XII.: William S. Irving, February 3, 1916; Robert Morris, February 24, 1916; Evan L. Gunter, February 29, 1916.

A communication, dated December 15, was presented from the Secretary of the Department of Public Charities requesting approval of the payroll of the following-named Social Investigators in his department for services rendered after the expiration of the thirty days allowed by clause 4 of Rule XII.: Dora Aidman, Elizabeth J. Finch, Julia V. Grandin, Bridget H. Rooney, Frances A. Coles, Mrs. M. R. Fowler, Florence Riesenberger, Mrs. B. L. Schermerhorn, Mary Travers. The Secretary was instructed to approve the payroll under a special certificate.

A communication, dated December 16, was presented from the Deputy Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, requesting a certificate permitting the change of title of Alice Fitzpatrick, Typewriting Copyist in the Division of Supplies, to that of Stenographer and Typewriter, Second Grade. The Secretary was instructed to certify the promotion list for the latter position upon which the employee's name appeared number one.

A communication, dated December 17, was presented from the Department of Health, requesting that the records of the Commission be amended by substituting for the dates of promotion appearing on the Commission's records in the cases of the following-named employees the dates set forth below:

Josephine C. Free, Stenographer and Typewriter, salary \$720 per annum, effective May 1, 1915.

Harriet Harris, Typewriting Copyist, salary \$660 per annum, effective May 1, 1915.

Julia A. Murphy and Mary Hirschhorn, Typewriting Copyists, salary \$660 per annum, effective May 18, 1915.

Margaret Feeley, Typewriting Copyist, salary \$660 per annum, effective May 25, 1915.

Veronica Brady, Typewriting Copyist, salary \$660 per annum, effective May 20, 1915. The Secretary was instructed to amend the records as requested.

A communication, dated December 21, was presented from the Superintendent of Buildings, Borough of Manhattan, requesting certification of the name of Lupescu Bernfeld, an Engineer Inspector, Grade C, from the promotion list of Assistant Engineer, Grade D, upon which his name appeared first, to permit of his promotion to the position of Assistant Engineer at \$1,620 per annum, to conform to the salary schedule of the department for the year 1916. The Secretary was instructed to certify the list as requested.

A communication, dated December 21, was presented from the Department of Finance, relative to supplementary payrolls in favor of Edward F. Evers, an Examiner, for services between May 1 and October 1, 1915. The Secretary was instructed to approve the payrolls and to note the action of the Comptroller in granting the said employee an indefinite leave of absence, effective October 1, 1915.

A communication, dated December 18, was presented from the Board of Water Supply, notifying the Commission of the rescission of its action in placing John Costello, Henry C. Daum and John Vahlbusch, Patrolmen, on the unassigned list and in dispensing with the services of John T. Bowman, Caretaker. The Secretary was instructed to amend the records accordingly.

A communication, dated December 21, was presented from the Board of Estimate and Apportionment requesting authority to employ William A. Wirt as Educational Consultant to the Committee on Education of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment under the provisions of clause 6 of Rule XII., with compensation at the rate of ten thousand dollars per annum. The Secretary was instructed to arrange a hearing in the matter.

The Secretary was instructed to note on the eligible list of School Farm Attendant the appointment of the following-named persons in the Department of Parks, Borough of Queens, under the provisions of clause 1 of Rule XII., effective as of September 26, 1915: Rose Wolfsohn, Eugenie Blank, Engerie McCord, Pearl Osborne.

The request of Frank M. Beniochek, of 2421 St. Raymond Avenue, New York City, under date of December 16, 1915, that his name be restored to the eligible list of Fireman was denied.

The Commission then adjourned, to meet Wednesday, December 29, 1915, at 10.30 o'clock a. m.

ROBT. W. BELCHER, Secretary.

## DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE

### WARRANTS MADE READY FOR PAYMENT IN DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE SATURDAY, MARCH 4, 1916.

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.
<b>Department of Bridges.</b>				
39615	2-4-16	2-21-16	N. Langer & Sons.....	\$322 58
39625	1-25-16	2-21-16	Bishop Gutta Percha Co.....	215 08
39634	2-14-16	2-21-16	Victory Contracting Corporation .....	883 42
<b>Bellevue and Allied Hospitals.</b>				
41467	1-20-16	2-25-16	Auto Maintenance Co. ....	\$29 78
41460		2-25-16	The Roberts Numbering Machine Co..	2 65
41466	1-28-16	2-25-16	The Roberts Numbering Machine Co..	2 75
41465	1-17-16	2-25-16	F. Schmickl & Co.....	4 00
41464	1-8-16	2-25-16	E. Leitz .....	8 50
41462	1-13-16	2-25-16	American Thermos Bottle Co.....	2 70
41459	1-17-16	2-25-16	George Tiemann & Co.....	5 75
41461	1-15-16	2-25-16	Wappler Electric Mfg. Co., Inc.....	4 00
41468	1-20-16	2-25-16	The Republic Rubber Tire & Shoe Co., Inc. ....	10 60
41448	1-13-16	2-25-16	The Manhattan Supply Co.....	11 28
41458	1-13-16	2-25-16	Nanz Clock Company .....	3 50
41457	1-15-16	2-25-16	Pullman & Charles .....	8 72
41449	1-17-16	2-25-16	Charles Crabbe Co. ....	23 79
41447	1-19-16	2-25-16	E. F. Keating Company .....	11 75
41411	1-19-16	2-25-16	Platt & Washburn .....	9 36
41412	1-18-16	2-25-16	J. E. Linde Paper Co.....	49 00
41413	1-7-16	2-25-16	Scott Paper Company .....	27 00
<b>City Magistrates' Courts.</b>				
41714	1-31-16	2-25-16	New York Bottling Company.....	\$1 50
41716	2-1-16	2-25-16	Samuel Frost .....	6 99
41717	2-18-16	2-25-16	The John C. Winston Co.....	3 00
41718	2-15-16	2-25-16	Keuffel & Esser Co.....	10 00
41721	1-28-16	2-25-16	Meyers Plate and Window Glass Co..	1 50
<b>Court of Special Sessions.</b>				
39646		2-21-16	New York Telephone Company.....	\$179 97
39656		2-21-16	New York Telephone Company.....	242 46
<b>County Clerk, Queens County.</b>				
39605			Gange Brothers & Co.....	\$389 30
<b>Board of City Record.</b>				
41280	12-31-15	2-24-16	Collins S. I. and N. Y. Express.....	\$13 50
41687	2-24-16	2-25-16	Tower Mfg. & Novelty Co.....	23 25
41277		2-25-16	Wilson Stamp Co. ....	17 85
41281	2-9-16	2-24-16	Michael Bradley .....	12 00
41282	2-4-16	2-24-16	Underwood Typewriter Co., Inc.....	9 00
<b>Department of Correction.</b>				
39887	2-4-16	2-21-16	Rosenkrans, Walter Co. ....	\$111 20
39670	1-27-16, 1-28-16	2-21-16	Department of Correction .....	126 00
39876	2-5-16	2-21-16	Erie Railroad Company .....	153 00
39673	1-18-16	2-21-16	C. H. F. Jurgens .....	149 32
39682	1-4-16	2-21-16	Wilson & Bradbury .....	562 80
39681	1-31-16	2-4-16	Duparquet, Huot & Moneuse Co.....	120 00
<b>Board of Elections.</b>				
40383	1-31-16, 2-15-16	2-23-16	M. B. Brown Printing & Binding Co..	\$72 00
<b>Department of Education.</b>				
39709		2-21-16	L. R. Merritt & Co.....	\$205 00
39696		2-21-16	Wm. J. Olvany .....	529 00
39695		2-21-16	Joseph F. Egan .....	359 20
39708		2-21-16	L. R. Merritt & Co.....	153 00
39706		2-21-16	L. R. Merritt & Co.....	123 00
39707		2-21-16	L. R. Merritt & Co.....	440 00
39692		2-21-16	Wm. J. Olvany, Assignee of Wm. C. Strange and William Smith, Receivers of Blake & Williams .....	3,420 00
39686		2-21-16	Wm. J. Olvany .....	1,412 00
39705		2-21-16	Mechanics Bank of Brooklyn, Assignee of Otto Metz .....	675 00
39704		2-21-16	Mechanics Bank of Brooklyn, Assignee of Otto Metz .....	396 20
39701		2-21-16	John F. Kuhn .....	463 00
39703		2-21-16	C. L. Dooley, Inc.....	672 50
39687		2-21-16	Atlas Window Shade Co., Inc., assignee of Atlas Window Shade Co.....	269 00
39451			Standard Scientific Co.....	120 00
39691		2-21-16	Daniel J. Rice .....	2,790 00
39688		2-21-16	Daniel J. Rice .....	3,690 00
39698		2-21-16	Daniel J. Rice .....	1,408 50
39699		2-21-16	Patrick Murphy .....	1,125 00
39702		2-21-16	John F. Kuhn .....	810 00
42099	12-2-15	2-26-16	Clarence E. Meleney .....	20 83
42148	12-30-15	2-26-16	James F. McManus, Chief Attendance Officer .....	3 60
43205	1-8-16	2-29-16	Kalamazoo Loose Leaf Binder Co....	7 85
40257	12-10-15	2-23-16	H. Pfund .....	42 00
40259	1-15-16	2-23-16	John Brook .....	30 00
40290	11-29-15	2-23-16	Wm. P. Young & Bros., assignee of Wm. G. Hill .....	36 37
40260	1-26-16	2-23-16	D. L. Delaney, Inc.....	65 00
43207	1-20-16	2-29-16	The Tabulating Machine Co.....	4 00
40256	1-10-16	2-23-16	Thomas Riley .....	54 50
43253	11-1-15	2-29-16	Scott, Foresman & Co.....	13 76
43252	9-21-15	2-29-16	E. P. Dutton & Co.....	6 16
43251	11-17-15	2-29-16	D. Appleton & Co.....	8 96
43249	9-8-15	2-29-16	Harper & Brothers .....	90
43248	11-22-15	2-29-16	G. P. Putnam's Sons.....	13 08
43247	11-26-15	2-29-16	Lothrop, Lee & Shepard Co.....	2 10
43245	12-8-15	2-29-16	Hall & Locke Co.....	14 40
43243	11-17-15	2-29-16	Hinds, Noble & Eldredge .....	2 00
43193	11-26-15	2-29-16	Newson & Co.....	5 60
43237	11-17-15	2-29-16	Longmans, Green & Co.....	6 31
43240	11-26-15	2-29-16	Isaac Pitman & Sons.....	94
43241	11-26-15	2-29-16	Charles E. Merrill Co.....	1 20
43254	11-17-15	2-29-16	Thomas Y. Crowell Co.....	40
42052	1-8-16	2-26-16	B. G. Hughes & Bro., Inc.....	7 20
43087	10-5-15	2-29-16	The General Automobile Supply Co., Inc. ....	5 85



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42086	12-14-15	2-26-16	The Standard Scale & Supply Co.....	7 35	39996	12-31-15	2-21-16	Lithoprint Co., Inc. ....	179 11
43083	11-24-15	2-29-16	Theo. Moss & Co.....	1 50	39992	12-20-15, 12-31-15	2-21-16	Keuffel & Esser Co. ....	247 71
43079	12-31-15	2-29-16	Bedford Branch Y. M. C. A.....	44 00	40059	12-23-15, 12-27-15	2-21-16	The J. W. Pratt Co. ....	236 24
44351		3- 3-16	Wm. A. Prendergast, as Comptroller of The City of New York.....	05	40039	10-27-15, 12-31-15	2-21-16	Cobb-Macey-Dohme, Inc. ....	119 70
44349		3- 3-16	Wm. A. Prendergast, as Comptroller of The City of New York.....	2 19	40013		2-21-16	The Reporter Co. ....	650 00
44350		3- 3-16	Wm. A. Prendergast, as Comptroller of The City of New York.....	41	40037	12-23-15	2-21-16	Carroll Printing Company .....	141 12
44352		3- 3-16	Wm. A. Prendergast, as Comptroller of The City of New York.....	99 46	40028	11-23-15	2-21-16	Art Metal Construction Co., Inc. ....	120 00
44348		3- 3-16	Wm. A. Prendergast, as Comptroller of The City of New York.....	398 82	40027	9- 1-15, 12-15-15	2-21-16	Law Printing Company .....	791 60
44342		3- 3-16	Wm. A. Prendergast, as Comptroller of The City of New York.....	2,024 66	39956	11-30-15	2-21-16	Municipal Garage .....	165 57
44347		3- 3-16	Wm. A. Prendergast, as Comptroller of The City of New York.....	05	39975	12-31-15	2-21-16	Union Towel Supply Company .....	193 04
44341		3- 3-16	Wm. A. Prendergast, as Comptroller of The City of New York.....	8,529 98	39989	12-31-15	2-21-16	Great Bear Spring Co. ....	143 70
44346		3- 3-16	Wm. A. Prendergast, as Comptroller of The City of New York.....	425 34	40068	12-31-15	2-21-16	The Brooklyn Daily Eagle .....	118 45
44340		3- 3-16	Wm. A. Prendergast, as Comptroller of The City of New York.....	31,184 52	39927	12-22-15	2-21-16	B. F. Kane & Bro. ....	98 25
44345		3- 3-16	Wm. A. Prendergast, as Comptroller of The City of New York.....	189 97	40402		34604	The Degnon Contracting Co. ....	1,373 53
44339		3- 3-16	Wm. A. Prendergast, as Comptroller of The City of New York.....	9,941 40	40403		34603	The Degnon Contracting Co. ....	4,073 10
44343		3- 3-16	Wm. A. Prendergast, as Comptroller of The City of New York.....	205 45	40410		43387	National Lock Washer Co., assignee of Robert F. Horsey .....	4 71
44344		3- 3-16	Wm. A. Prendergast, as Comptroller of The City of New York.....	634 57	40409		43387	National Lock Washer Co., assignee of Robert F. Horsey .....	14 15
44338		3- 3-16	William A. Prendergast, as Comptroller of The City of New York.....	25,351 78	40416		43645	The O. & C. Company .....	48 62
44688			<b>Department of Finance.</b> Thomas J. Hogan, Clerk .....	\$16 10	40415		43645	The O. & C. Company .....	145 89
39567	1- 8-16	42992	<b>Fire Department.</b> S. Tuttle's Son & Co.....	\$124 40	40414		43353	The Rail Joint Company .....	381 57
39562	12-29-15	42995	George D. Harris & Co.....	1,367 55	40413		43353	The Rail Joint Company .....	1,144 71
39563	2- 4-16	42968	Thomas W. Woods' Sons, Inc.....	1,613 85	40424		40976	Smith, Hauser & MacIsaac, Inc. ....	6,000 00
39783	1-29-16	43169	<b>Department of Health.</b> H. T. Jarrett .....	\$540 00	40426		38427	Rodgers & Hagerty, Inc. ....	1,987 71
39787		3671	J. A. Maloney & Co.....	233 11	40423		39181	Equitable Trust Company of New York, assignee of Cooper & Evans Co. ....	271 45
39849	2- 8-16		Louis R. Fisher & Co.....	103 10	40408		43354	Bethlehem Steel Products Co. ....	1,950 53
39782	1-10-16	42965	John F. Schmadeke, Inc.....	108 69	40400		41614	Samuel Beskin .....	3,097 38
39789	1-31-16	43931	Mutual Milk & Cream Co.....	93 59	40401		41614	Samuel Beskin .....	1,617 58
39765	1-31-16		Knickerbocker Ice Co.....	202 95	40425		39103	Oscar Daniels Company .....	192 46
41162	10-29-15		The Union Stove Works.....	1 00	40420		37597	Dock Contractor Company .....	23,911 58
41167	1-31-16		A. Silz .....	13 16	40404		42706	Booth & Flinn, Ltd., assignee of Litchfield Construction Co. ....	70,799 74
41179	2- 3-16		The S. S. White Dental Mfg. Co.....	2 45	40418		40383	Rapid Transit Subway Construction Co. ....	32,023 00
39801	1-31-16		<b>Law Department.</b> C. N. Cronyn .....	\$382 19	40399		43455	Holbrook, Cabot & Rollins Corporation .....	60,706 51
42997			<b>Miscellaneous.</b> Title Guarantee and Trust Co.....	\$2 50	40406		43528	Ward & Tully, Inc. ....	5,019 35
44750			William A. Blauvelt .....	85 00	40417		38425	United States Realty and Improvement Company, assignee of Canavan Brothers Company .....	1,833 48
44749			Moses Keschnor .....	100 00	40421		34922	Frederick L. Cranford, Inc., assignee of Frederick L. Cranford .....	8,748 92
44753			Pauline Nichter .....	25 00	40411		43454	Manganese Steel Rail Company .....	1,443 33
44751			Frederic White Shepard .....	744 95	40412		43454	Manganese Steel Rail Company .....	481 11
44755			James O'Connor .....	9 00	40398		34744	Richard Carvel Company, Inc., assignee of Lyttleton Fox, as trustee in bankruptcy of John F. Stevens Construction Co. ....	35,686 68
44754			Antonio Catalano .....	15 00	40405		43865	Murphy Bros. ....	1,800 83
44752			Leon Botman .....	57 50	40422		34476	Arthur McMullen & Hoff Company, Assignee of Arthur McMullen & Olaf Hoff .....	1,440 60
45105			Amanda Renaut, or Herman Gottlieb, Attorney .....	75 45	40419		40885	Rapid Transit Subway Const. Co.....	28,057 88
42479			<b>Public Administrator, New York County.</b> William M. Hoes .....	\$5 00	39527	1-21-16	2-21-16	<b>Department of Public Charities.</b> Agent and Warden, Clinton Prison...	\$129 20
40914	12-31-15		<b>Department of Parks.</b> Cushman's Sons, Inc. ....	\$63 11	39532	1-15-16	2-21-16	Hardman Tire & Rubber Co.....	283 90
41373	2-18-16		J. D. Johnson Co.....	7 50	39491	11-15-15, 11-18-15	2-21-16	Powers, Weightman, Rosengarten Co. ....	207 91
41364	2-19-16		John S. Loomis Company .....	2 50	39812	1-10-16	44110	J. W. Gasteiger & Son.....	288 57
41361	2- 8-16	2- 9-16	Charles Tisch .....	16 60	39808	2- 4-16	43944	Morris & Company .....	3,315 59
41358	2- 5-16		American Flag Company .....	20 25	39810		43935	The Raymond Hadley Corporation...	6,068 88
41371	1-29-16		The Goulds Mfg. Co. ....	3 75	39549	1-17-16	2-21-16	A. C. Laurence .....	108 00
41041	2-10-16		<b>Police Department.</b> John A. McCarthy & Bro.....	\$1 80	39809	1-31-16	43931	Mutual Milk & Cream Co.....	3,799 58
39980			<b>President of the Borough of Brooklyn.</b> J. F. Cogan Co.....	\$10,618 06	39817		43595	Lewis De Groff & Son.....	2,202 71
40613	2- 9-16		Goodyear's India Rubber Selling Co. ....	64 20	39815	1- 4-16	42964	H. H. Lineaweaver & Co., Inc.....	2,170 05
40585	2- 8-16		<b>President of the Borough of Queens.</b> W. A. Duncan .....	\$58 50	39806	1-31-16	43929	Beakes Dairy Co. ....	737 66
40586	2- 7-16		Louis Bossert & Son.....	41 60	39487	12-30-15, 12-31-15	2-21-16	Burton & Davis Co.....	270 83
27255			Anable Const. Co. ....	5,238 03	39496	12-23-15	2-21-16	Greenhut Company .....	122 10
41886	2- 1-16		W. Scarborough .....	5 20	39814		42995	Geo. D. Harris & Company, Inc.....	2,850 89
41887	1-12-16		Underwood Typewriter Co., Inc.....	9 00	39805	1-15-16	42994	William Farrell & Son.....	185 70
41888	2-16-16		Munson Supply Co. ....	3 15	39556	1-19-16	2-21-16	Joseph Johnson's Sons.....	104 88
41889	2- 8-16		Montross & Clarke Co.....	6 00	39502	1-25-16, 1-27-16	2-21-16	John Wanamaker, New York.....	205 90
41890	1-22-16		Walldorf, Hafner & Schultz .....	5 00	41160	1-31-16		<b>Sheriff, New York County.</b> Berkshire Products Co., Inc.....	\$6 00
41891	1-25-15		Montross & Clarke Co. ....	3 60	39594	2-11-16	2-21-16	<b>Department of Street Cleaning.</b> Frederick Starr Contracting Co.....	\$197 97
41894			Jamaica Auto Garage .....	24 39	39592	2- 7-16	2-24-16	Charles E. Burtis, Inc.....	507 86
39802			<b>Public Service Commission.</b> Frederick C. Noble .....	\$868 75	39596	2- 7-16	2-21-16	Joseph Johnson's Sons.....	231 14
39994	12-15-15		Law Printing Company .....	125 90	39595	2-10-16	2-21-16	Ames Transfer Co. ....	440 78
40079	12-15-15		Law Printing Company .....	135 95	39586	1-31-16	2-21-16	Joseph Buonocore .....	430 00
40064	10-23-15, 12-27-15		Baron Printing Company .....	535 20	39587	2-11-16	2-21-16	The Degnon Contracting Co.....	1,243 96
40080	12-31-15		The Lufkin Rule Co. ....	187 50	39593	2- 9-16	2-21-16	Schiller Contracting Co.....	43 02
40031	12-29-15, 12-31-15		Baron Printing Co. ....	105 50	39891	1-27-16	2-21-16	<b>Board of Water Supply.</b> The New York Tribune .....	\$192 00
39988	1- 6-16		General Electric Company .....	104 69	39890	1-27-16	2-21-16	The New York Times .....	240 00
					39895	9-11-15, 10- 8-15	2-21-16	American Manganese Bronze Company .....	1,195 00
					39894	1-24-16	2-21-16	Mechanic's Trust Company of New Jersey, Assignee of J. Edward Ogden Company .....	4,850 00
					39892		40447	American Cement Tile Mfg. Co.....	6,193 50
					39893		43236	Concord Construction Co.....	132 96
					39908	2-11-16	2-21-16	J. Pfister .....	135 00
					42435	1-31-16		<b>Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.</b> C. W. Rennie, Inspector .....	\$266 70

## VOUCHERS RECEIVED IN DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, SATURDAY, MARCH 4, 1916.

A statement is herewith submitted of all vouchers filed in the Department of Finance on this date, in which is shown the Department of Finance voucher number, the date of the invoices or the registered number of the contract, the name of the payee and the amount of the claim. Where two or more bills are embraced in one voucher the date of the earliest is given, excepting that when such vouchers are submitted under a contract the registered number of the contract is shown instead.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

Finance Date Vouch- or Contract No.	Invoice Dates or Contract Number.	Name of Payee.	Amount.
45130		Lous A. Cohen .....	\$21 00
45131		Harry B. Harris .....	9 65
45132		Jos. Reisman .....	1 65
45133		Geo. A. Daly .....	7 20

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45128		<b>City Magistrates' Courts.</b> William F. Delaney .....	\$6 35
45129	41512	N. Y. Tel. Co.....	74 02
45009	2-15-16	The Macmillan Co.....	\$7 50
45010	2-18-16	Henry Bainbridge & Co.....	12 22
45011	1-28-16	Clarence S. Nathan, Inc.....	56 00
45012	2- 3-16	Agent and Warden, Auburn Prison .....	24 00
45013	2-11-16	The Macmillan Co.....	7 68
45014	2- 3-16	Ginn & Co.....	61 20
45015	2-15-16	Benj. H. Sanborn & Co....	9 60
45016	2-15-16	Oxford University Press...	14 40
45018	2- 7-16	World Book Co.....	86
45019	2-16-16	Chas. Scribner's Sons.....	23 16
45020	2- 3-16	D. Appleton & Co.....	119 75
45021	2-15-16	Allyn & Bacon.....	9 60
45023	2- 8-16	G. Schirmer .....	50 00
45024	1-24-16	G. E. Stechert & Co.....	8 26

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45025	1-18-16	Ginn & Co.....	179 44
45026	1-24-16	Houghton, Mifflin Co.....	6 94
45027	1-21-16	D. C. Heath & Co.....	118 35
45028	1-26-16	American Book Co.....	223 39
45029	1-25-16	Charles Scribner's Sons....	62 48
45030	1-21-16	Expression Co. ....	145 80
45031	1-19-16	The Macmillan Co. ....	17 88
45032	1-21-16	Oxford University Press...	5 60
45033	1-21-16	Houghton, Mifflin Co.....	13 50
45034	6-22-15	Henry Holt & Co.....	39 20
45035	1-21-16	Allyn & Bacon.....	421 35
45036	2- 7-16	American Book Co.....	226 38
45037	2- 1-16	American Institute of Child Life .....	17 88
45038	1-29-16	Rand, McNally & Co.....	1 60
45039	1-25-16	Ginn & Co.....	157 08
45040	1-21-16	J. B. Lippincott Co.....	7 68
45041	2- 3-16	J. Wiss & Sons Co.....	11 99
45042	2- 5-16	D. C. Heath & Co.....	167 11



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45043	2- 5-16 The Macmillan Co.....	445 52	44985	1- 8-16 O. W. Nordstrom.....	22 00	45119	The National City Bank of New York .....	23 12
45044	1-29-16 Milton, Bradley Co.....	61 20	44986	12-13-15 Anton Orgelfinger .....	10 75	45106	Bond & Mortgage Guarantee Co. ....	298 24
45045	1-24-16 Charles Scribner's Sons....	109 92	44987	12-14-15 U. W. Osborn & Son.....	7 50	45107	Chas. E. Covert et al.....	618 69
45046	1-22-16 Longmans, Green & Co.....	18 85	44988	12-29-15 Wm. H. Ellis .....	35 45	<b>Public Service Commission.</b>		
45047	2-11-16 Benj. H. Sanborn.....	9 00	44989	12-17-15 S. Zacharkow .....	16 00	45185	3- 2-16 The Globe & Commercial Advertiser .....	\$64 00
45048	1-31-16 Postal Tel. Cable Co.....	1 80	44990	1-20-16 J. Friedman .....	389 00	45186	2- 5-16 The New York Herald.....	66 40
44996	11- 5-15 The A. N. Palmer Co.....	16 00	44991	12- 8-15 M. Kalmus .....	54 00	45187	1-24-16 Evening Telegram .....	53 60
44997	2-12-16 Meyer Camera & Inst. Co., Inc. ....	56 81	44992	1-19-16 S. Zacharkow .....	59 00	45188	The New York Times.....	69 00
44998	12- 3-15 Chas. Scribner's Sons.....	8 25	44993	12-20-15 Walter J. Best, Jr.....	68 00	45132	12-31-15 The Banks Law Pub. Co....	3 00
44999	2-10-16 The Baker & Taylor Co....	10 88	44994	12-29-15 William Kreisberg .....	75 00	45143	12- 2-15 Carroll Ptg. Co. ....	9 70
45000	12-31-15 Lemcke & Beuchner .....	5 25	44965	1- 8-16 Emil F. Bertram .....	6 75	45144	12-31-15 Eugene Dietzgen Co. ....	74 48
45001	12-31-15 N. Y. Tel. Co. ....	48 00	44966	1-12-16 F. A. Sharrotte .....	46 68	45145	2- 7-16 General Electric Co. ....	15 00
45002	1-12-16 J. S. Babcock Co.....	103 00	44967	1-10-16 Eliot Leipuner .....	13 25	45146	1-10-16 Keuffel & Esser Co.....	6 94
45003	2-11-16 C. W. Sells .....	6 20	44968	1-20-16 J. Friedman .....	47 40	45147	12-31-15 Law Ptg. Co. ....	24 10
45004	2- 1-16 West Disinfecting Co.....	8 30	44969	1-19-16 B. B. Edward .....	5 00	45148	12-29-15 The Liquid Carbonic Co....	4 00
45005	1-28-16 Clarence S. Nathan, Inc....	3 75	44970	1- 6-16 Jennings Mfg. Co., Inc....	99 75	45149	1- 1-16 W. G. McKenna .....	2 18
45006	2- 9-16 Eberhard Faber .....	7 00	44971	1-10-16 A. Pearson's Sons .....	20 00	45150	1- 7-16 Tower Bros. Stationery Co..	16 67
45007	2-10-16 McKinley Pub. Co.....	5 37	45064	6-16-15 Wm. Knabe Co. ....	25 00	45151	The Flatbush Gas Co.....	1 52
45008	1-26-16 The Prang Co.....	9 78	45065	1-18-16 Universal Drafting Machine Co. ....	52 60	45159	D. K. Jeffris Lumber Co....	30 00
<b>Department of Correction.</b>			45066	12-11-15 The Gibbons Co.....	197 00	45161	Lawyers' Title & Trust Co..	7 00
45103	2-11-16 Wm. Elliott & Sons.....	\$9 75	45051	11- 2-15 Ernest W. Newman .....	221 00	45162	New York Telephone Co....	640 11
45104	2-16-16 The Geo. Hoesphie Co.....	12 00	45052	12-24-15 Marquard Fay Co., Inc....	469 00	45163	Northern Union Gas Co....	1 12
45067	12-31-15 Benj. Horton .....	32 03	45053	2- 9-16 Crowell Pub. Co. ....	100 00	45164	2- 4-16 August Belmont et al.....	120 00
45068	12-31-15 Geo. C. Johns Co.....	19 80	45054	12-24-15 Hugh D. McGrane .....	120 00	45165	The Broadway Park Place Co. ....	946 66
45069	8-25-16 Crawford Furniture Co....	2 33	45055	8-30-15 Welsbach Gas Lamp Co....	2,093 43	45166	Willard S. Burrows Co....	100 00
45070	12-31-15 Jos. D. Duffy .....	248 00	45056	10-18-16 Fischer Bros. ....	31 50	45167	Mary Childs .....	40 00
45071	12-31-15 N. Y. Metal Ceiling Co....	49 00	45057	12-10-15 Andrew Grey Co. ....	14 50	45168	2- 1-16 Harry Goodstein Realty Co.	30 00
45072	12- 7-15 Geo. A. Swalm & Son Co..	45 63	45058	1- 5-16 John F. Ferguson .....	35 00	45169	2- 1-16 D. K. Jeffris Lumber Co....	10 00
45073	12-18-15 Buck Bros. ....	32 00	45059	12-14-15 B. F. Goodrich Co.....	44 63	45170	2-21-16 Lewine & Kempner .....	30 00
45074	12-31-15 J. K. Krieg Co. ....	27	45060	12-14-15 John F. Koop .....	29 00	45171	2- 1-16 National Railway Pub. Co..	75 00
45075	11- 5-15 Underwood Typewriter Co..	1 25	45061	12- 8-15 A. Feigenbaum .....	239 00	45172	Chas. F. Noyes Co.....	41 67
45076	J. McVeigh, Agt. Wells, Fargo & Co.....	153 96	45062	1-10-16 Philip Mittleman .....	38 50	45173	Realty Trust .....	125 00
45077	1- 3-16 Erie R. R. Co.....	306 00	45063	11-15-15 Samuel Gallucci .....	75 00	45174	Riker & Hegeman Co.....	145 68
45078	12-13-15 John Selleck .....	975 00	<b>Fire Department.</b>			45175	Thomas Scott .....	55 00
45079	11-11-15 New England Cotton Yard Co. ....	847 99	45049	2-26-16 President, Borough of Bronx	\$2,000 00	45176	The Schaefer Co. ....	166 66
<b>Miscellaneous.</b>			45050	Robert Adamson .....	300 00	45177	South Brooklyn Savings and Loan Association .....	50 00
45080	11-16-15 Singer Sewing Machine Co.	287 70	<b>The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund for account of the Sinking Fund for the Re- demption of the City Debt No. 1 .....</b>			45178	2- 1-16 The Tribune Association ...	9,081 76
45081	11-30-15 United Shoe Machinery Co.	8 34	<b>The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund for account of the Sinking Fund for the Re- demption of the City Debt No. 1 .....</b>			45179	2- 9-16 The Brooklyn Daily Eagle..	18 24
45082	10-24-15 Brink & Clark .....	1 30	<b>44961</b>			45180	2- 9-16 Brooklyn Daily Times .....	19 68
45083	12-16-15 Geo. A. Swalm .....	5 40	<b>45021</b>			45181	1-29-16 The Evening Post .....	21 60
45084	Geo. A. Swalm & Son Co....	131 08	<b>45022</b>			45182	New York American .....	30 00
45085	1-31-16 A. Silz .....	9 96	<b>45105</b>			45183	1-29-16 The Sun Printing & Publish- ing Association .....	22 40
45086	1-31-16 Benj. Horton .....	208 69	<b>45120</b>			45184	1-29-16 The World .....	18 20
45087	The Mutual Towel Sup. Co.	5 00	<b>45121</b>			45151	1-26-16 The Brooklyn Citizen .....	17 60
45088	1-31-16 James A. Miller .....	38 25	<b>45122</b>			45152	1-26-16 The Standard Union .....	17 60
45089	2-11-16 Bruce & Cook .....	5 25	<b>45123</b>			45153	Fred'k W. Carpenter .....	64 76
45090	1-31-16 Carter, Rice & Co.....	97 00	<b>45124</b>			45154	Arthur Du Bois .....	22 18
45091	2- 7-16 The H. & D. Folsom Arms Co. ....	3 30	<b>45125</b>			45155	Milton J. Farrell .....	110 45
45092	1-18-16 Hull, Grippen & Co.....	90	<b>45126</b>			45156	Thos. D. Hoxsey .....	130 95
45093	1-20-16 Platt & Washburn Refining Co. ....	45 72	<b>45127</b>			45157	Geo. S. Rice .....	436 42
45094	2-11-16 Singer Sewing Machine Co.	105 60	<b>45116</b>			45158	H. A. D. Hollmann .....	511 53
45095	2- 4-16 Cobb, Macey, Dohme .....	4 00	<b>45117</b>			<b>Board of Water Supply.</b>		
45096	2-10-16 The J. W. Pratt Co.....	4 80	<b>45118</b>			45113	26334 John C. Rodgers, Jas. M. Rogers, John J. Hagerty ....	\$29,650 70
45097	2- 7-16 Wilson Stamp Co.....	9 45	<b>45119</b>			45114	20219 Macarthur Bros. Co. and Winston & Co. ....	14,479 70
45098	1-21-16 Dept. of Correction.....	1 80	<b>45120</b>			45115	39761 Beaver Engineering & Cont. Co. ....	3,369 34
45099	2- 1-16 Singer Sewing Machine Co.	99 00	<b>45121</b>			<b>Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.</b>		
45100	1-24-16 The H. B. Clafin Corp....	65	<b>45122</b>			45108	John E. McGeehan .....	\$3 75
45101	1-12-16 Ayres & Galloway Hard- ware Co. ....	10 00	<b>45123</b>			45109	Wm. T. Wallace .....	2 58
45102	2- 9-16 Dept. of Correction.....	5 25	<b>45124</b>			45110	Chas. E. Keefe .....	36 45
<b>Department of Education.</b>			<b>45125</b>			45111	Mark Wolff .....	17 35
44963	11- 3-15 Schoverling, Daly & Gales..	\$765 00	<b>45126</b>			45112	Jos. H. Foster .....	27,928 56
44972	1-21-16 W. R. Ostrander & Co.....	12 30	<b>45127</b>			45134	N. Y. Towel Supply Co....	56
44973	12- 2-15 Motta Cont. Co.....	45 00	<b>45128</b>			45135	N. Y. Towel Supply Co....	56
44974	11-26-15 Nicholas J. Schery .....	87 00	<b>45129</b>			45136	N. Y. Towel Supply Co....	70
44975	12-31-15 Albert E. Castle .....	125 00	<b>45130</b>			45137	F. F. Fuhrmann .....	72 30
44976	1- 6-16 Anton Orgelfinger .....	14 45	<b>45131</b>			45138	Hull, Grippen & Co.....	14 74
44977	1- 4-16 John Gelsion .....	147 00	<b>45132</b>			45139	12-30-15 Patterson Bros. ....	20 55
44978	1- 6-16 John H. O'Rourke Co....	49 00	<b>45133</b>			45140	2- 5-16 New York Telephone Co....	70 00
44979	1-19-16 M. B. Stonhouse .....	103 00	<b>45134</b>			45141	New Rochelle Water Co....	9 70
44980	1-22-16 John Mulstein Co.....	7 00	<b>45135</b>					
44981	1-22-16 O. W. Nordstrom .....	116 00	<b>45136</b>					
44982	11-29-15 Finman & Lee .....	119 00	<b>45137</b>					
44983	1-21-16 M. J. Johnstone .....	60 00	<b>45138</b>					
44984	1-19-16 Ohlhausen & Veit .....	7 40	<b>45139</b>					

## TENEMENT HOUSE DEPARTMENT.

## REPORT FOR THE QUARTER ENDED DECEMBER 31, 1915.

	The Manhattan.	Bronx.	Brooklyn.	Queens.	Rich- mond.	New York City.							
							Pending Oct. 1, 1915....	71	154	307	62	1	595
							Filed .....	191	412	285	55	..	943
							Dismissed .....	180	442	207	32	..	861
							Cancelled .....	33	18	200	31	..	282
							Pending Dec. 31, 1915....	49	106	185	54	1	395
							Same Quarter of 1914.						
Old Law .....	35,657	4,869	35,168	1,883	383	77,960	Pending Oct. 1, 1914....	65	118	378	88	3	652
New Law .....	5,239	5,255	11,883	3,521	24	25,922	Filed .....	99	262	225	47	..	633
Total .....	40,896	10,124	47,051	5,404	407	103,882	Dismissed .....	108	291	121	21	3	544
							Same Quarter of 1914.						
Old Law .....	35,838	4,856	35,315	1,919	399	78,327	Cancelled .....	11	8	265	43	..	327
New Law .....	5,098	4,932	11,249	3,270	24	24,573	Pending Dec. 31, 1914....	45	81	217	71	..	414
Total .....	40,936	9,788	46,564	5,189	423	102,900	Tenements for Which Ownership Was Registered.						
							Tenements registered....	2,421	694	1,798	219	26	5,158
							Same Quarter of 1914.						
Old Law .....	392,485	32,882	165,373	8,135	1,497	600,372	Tenements Registered..	2,902	490	1,832	390	56	5,670
New Law .....	142,639	94,777	100,236	18,437	155	356,244	Complaints Concerning Tenements.						
Total .....	535,124	127,659	265,609	26,572	1,652	956,616	Pending Oct. 1, 1915....	1,386	113	230	31	25	1,785
							Same Quarter in 1914.						
Old Law .....	393,686	32,893	165,910	8,258	1,544	602,291	Signed .....	2,057	84	494	16	27	2,678
New Law .....	137,917	87,378	90,862	16,364	155	332,676	Anonymous .....	4,006	330	995	37	8	5,376
Total .....	531,603	120,271	256,772	24,622	1,699	934,967	From other departments	307	271	995	50	..	1,623
							Totals.....	6,370	685	2,484	103	35	9,677
							Violations issued—						
Old Law .....	41	5	22	4	..	72	Old building .....	1,562	210	795	48	6	2,621
New Law .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	Alteration .....	44	..	..	..	1	45
Total .....	41	5	22	4	..	72	Previously acted on....	400	25	211	13	4	653
							Same Quarter of 1914.						
Old Law .....	26	1	26	..	..	53	Cause removed .....	2,410	289	336	9	..	3,044
New Law .....	..	..	2	..	..	2	Referred to other de- partments .....	405	20	123	9	10	567
Total .....	26	1	28	..	..	55	No basis .....	1,522	131	349	10	12	2,024
							No action necessary....						
							Total.....	7,122	738	2,389	120	40	10,409



	The Manhattan.	Bronx.	Brooklyn.	Queens.	Rich- mond.	New York City.
Pending Dec. 31, 1915...	634	60	325	14	20	1,053
Pending Oct. 1, 1914....	957	120	321	35	7	1,440
Received .....	6,840	586	2,196	266	32	9,920
Acted on .....	7,039	652	2,313	278	31	10,313
Pending Dec. 31, 1914..	758	54	204	23	8	1,047
<b>Applications Received for Written Searches of Tenement Violations.</b>						
Applications .....	2,490	573	1,822	82	3	4,970
Applications .....	2,081	342	1,592	84	18	4,117
<b>Tenements with Violations.</b>						
Pending 10-1-15 .....	21,426	2,573	26,090	2,013	367	52,469
Filed .....	2,571	1,185	4,237	546	7	8,546
Dismissed .....	5,142	1,162	6,419	633	58	13,414
Pending 12-31-15 .....	18,855	2,596	23,908	1,926	316	47,601
<b>Cases (one for each tenement)—</b>						
Pending 10-1-14.....	20,440	2,349	22,890	1,915	413	48,007
Filed .....	1,246	229	1,690	913	59	4,137
Dismissed .....	5,710	846	6,013	322	81	12,972
Pending 12-31-14.....	15,976	1,732	18,567	2,506	391	39,172
<b>Old Law Tenements With Structural Violations.</b>						
Tenements with structural violations pending 10-1-15.....	2,489	209	8,963	560	172	12,393
New cases .....	20	4	115	13	....	152
Defects remedied .....	254	23	261	33	26	597
Removed from tenement class .....	18	....	18	3	2	41
Pending 12-31-15.....	2,237	190	8,799	537	144	11,907
<b>Tenements with structural violations pending 10-1-14.....</b>						
New cases .....	5,168	270	10,366	711	301	16,816
Defects remedied .....	1,884	29	712	76	65	2,766
Removed from tenement class .....	6	1	60	2	6	75
Pending 12-31-14.....	3,300	261	9,746	641	231	14,179
<b>Violations of Law in Completed and Occupied Tenements.</b>						
Pending 10-1-15.....	88,256	6,438	71,836	3,435	1,114	171,079
Issued .....	11,966	2,594	12,338	1,220	81	28,199
Dismissed or cancelled..	29,981	3,465	22,508	1,211	334	57,499
Pending 12-31-15.....	70,241	5,567	61,666	3,444	861	141,779
<b>Total—</b>						
Pending 10-1-14.....	75,915	4,260	60,474	3,376	1,792	145,817
Issued .....	10,921	948	6,367	1,512	148	19,896
Dismissed or cancelled	27,652	2,086	22,652	940	594	53,924
Pending 12-31-14.....	59,184	3,122	44,189	3,948	1,346	111,789
<b>Rooms Not Legally Lighted and Ventilated, and School Sinks.</b>						
Rooms not legally lighted and ventilated .....	2,252	57	769	685	49	3,812
*School sinks .....	2	....	19	95	4	120
<b>Slips Filed for Repairs.</b>						
Repair slips .....	368	18	95	10	7	498
Tenements .....	370	23	96	11	7	507
Estimated Cost .....	\$11,826	\$1,333	\$6,318	\$835	\$20	\$20,332
<b>Plans Filed for Alterations.</b>						
Alteration Plans .....	342	42	234	12	9	639
Tenements .....	370	50	252	16	10	698
Estimated Cost .....	\$209,415	\$31,560	\$92,102	\$13,040	\$2,090	\$348,207
<b>New Tenement Plans Filed.</b>						
Plans .....	34	77	161	34	....	306
Tenements .....	42	128	319	57	....	546
Apartment .....	1,246	3,103	3,809	481	....	8,639
Rooms .....	6,009	12,061	14,668	2,060	....	34,818
Estimated Cost .....	\$5,770,000	\$6,325,000	\$5,808,500	\$830,000	....	\$18,733,500
<b>Buildings .....</b>						
Buildings .....	55	155	243	90	....	543
Apartment .....	1,670	3,612	3,513	766	....	9,561
Rooms .....	6,340	14,330	14,063	3,390	....	38,123
Estimated Cost .....	\$3,779,000	\$7,053,500	\$6,131,400	\$1,263,500	....	\$18,227,400
<b>Buildings .....</b>						
Buildings .....	44	110	233	95	1	483
Apartment .....	1,387	2,557	3,761	788	15	8,508
Rooms .....	6,451	10,095	15,263	3,545	76	35,430
Estimated Cost .....	\$5,187,000	\$5,197,700	\$6,481,100	\$1,262,500	\$50,000	\$18,178,300
<b>Nature of Work Accomplished.</b>						
Ceilings, walls, shaft and courts, cleaned or repaired .....	24,843	825	6,153	194	74	32,089
Chimneys, drains, leaders and gutters cleaned, repaired or provided .....	3,036	283	1,745	33	13	5,110
Disinfections made .....	11	8	16	4	....	39
Fire Escapes—Buildings provided with .....	28	11	71	9	5	124
Other improvements effected .....	14,118	382	3,106	195	72	17,873
Janitors provided.....	1	....	....	....	....	1
Lighting and ventilating improvements made .....	3,766	193	1,350	189	32	5,530
Paving and grading... ..	2,227	254	503	5	7	2,996
Plumbing fixtures and pipes provided, removed or repaired..	8,285	769	4,560	94	23	13,731

\*Note—There remains no school sink on tenement property in the City of New York, except where the house is vacated, where the school sink structure has been removed but not all the requirements of the law have been met, or where the fixture cannot be removed at present, owing to lack of proper sewer connection.

	The Manhattan.	Bronx.	Brooklyn.	Queens.	Rich- mond.	New York City.
Unlawful use of premises discontinued .....	1,099	73	157	22	6	1,357
Water supply improvements made .....	827	53	418	10	1	1,309
Water closets, privies, school sinks and cesspools provided, removed, cleaned or repaired .....	14,870	920	6,186	167	36	22,179
Other cleaning and repairs .....	21,539	1,575	8,749	272	109	32,244
Total .....	94,650	5,346	33,014	1,194	378	134,582
<b>Total .....</b>						
Total .....	117,958	1,332	28,808	1,093	719	149,910

JOHN J. MURPHY, Commissioner.

**Borough of Brooklyn.**

Report for week ended Feb. 19, 1916.

**Bureau of Incumbrances and Permits.**

Complaint Department—Mail, 18; office, 20; Inspectors, 59; Police Department, 25; 122. Classification and Disposal—Boulders, 45; trees and limbs, 12; posts and poles, 8; miscellaneous, 56 loads of earth; 1 wagon household furniture.

Inspectors' Department—Complaints made, 59; complaints settled, 113; slips settled, 320; permit slips settled, 114.

Permit Department—Permits: Plumbers' permits, 59; building material, 22; vaults, 1; crosswalks, 13; special, 47; vault repairs, 1; cement walks, 2; driveways, 2; electric companies, 84; gas companies, 87; water companies, 18; sewer permits, 4.

Cashier's Department—Moneys Received: Repaving over water connections, \$71; repaving over sewer connections, \$111.93; repaving over gas connections, \$6,318.88; inspection work done by corporations, \$118.39; extra paving, \$32; spe-

cial paving, \$3,728.49; vaults, \$197.77; total, \$10,578.46.

**Bureau of Sewers.**

Moneys Received—For sewer permits, \$520.

Permits Issued—For new sewer connections, 52; for old sewer connections (repairs), 9.

Work Done—Linear feet 6-inch house connections, 221; number of manholes built, 1; number of feet sewer repaired, 46; number of basins repaired, 25; linear feet of pipe sewers cleaned, 92,450; linear feet of large sewers cleaned, 2,340; number of basins cleaned, 52; number of basins relieved, 8; manhole heads and covers set (new), 2; manhole covers put on, 23; number of basin pans reset, 14; number gallons sewage pumped, 26th Ward, 71,331,800; number gallons sewage pumped, 31st Ward, 52,321,270; cubic feet sludge pumped, 26th Ward, 48,344; cubic feet sludge pumped, 31st Ward, 25,607; complaints examined, 1; manholes repaired, 25; interlocking pans set, new, 2; mudsill set, 1.

**Laboring Force Employed.**

	Stokers, Etc.	Inspectors of Construction.	Inspectors of Sewer Connections.	Foremen.	Stationary Engineers.	Inspectors of Sewers and Basins.	Mechanics.	Laborers.	Horses and Carts.
Repairing and Cleaning Sewers .....	....	....	11	9	....	7	2	87	25
Street Improvement Fund.....	....	42	....	....	....	....	....	12	....
26th Ward Disposal Works....	4	....	....	4	....	....	....	13	....
31st Ward Disposal Works....	10	....	....	1	9	....	....	19	....
Cleaning Large B. B. & C. Sewers .....	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	5	4
Gowanus Pumping Station....	....	....	....	2	....	....	....	4	....

**Bureau of Highways.**

Work Done.

Street Maintenance—Plant repairs, repair auto truck, snow and ice.

Dangerous Holes Repaired and Made Safe—24 temporarily.

Miscellaneous—Trucking, repair tools and equipment, care of yards, details, inspections, snow and ice, work not street work.

**Building Bureau.**

Plans Filed—For new buildings: brick,

52; estimated cost, \$442,000; frame, 9; estimated cost, \$34,770; for alterations, 34; estimated cost, \$45,105; cost of book slips, \$21,950; cost of plumbing repair slips, \$846. Total plans filed, 95; estimated cost, \$544,671.

Unsafe cases filed and notices issued, 5; violation cases filed, 138; violation notices issued, 144; violation letter notices issued, 4.

L. H. POUNDS, President.

**Board of Examiners.**

February 25, 1916.

Meeting called to order at 2 p. m.

Present—Messrs. Charles Buek, Lewis Harding, Lansing C. Holden, George A. Just, John Kenlon and William Crawford, Chairman.

On motion, minutes of the previous meeting approved as read.

The Chairman announced a calendar of seven appeals, Appeal 11 laid over pending opinion from the Corporation Counsel, and Appeals 16 to 21, inclusive.

Appeal 11. On motion, laid over.

Appeal 16 of 1916, New Building 44 of 1916, premises east side Prospect Avenue 175 feet north of 177th Street, The Bronx, Michael J. Garvin, appellant.

Appearance: John C. W. Ruhl. On motion, laid over, in view of the fact that this appeal is similar to Appeal 11, on which an opinion has been asked but not yet received from the Corporation Counsel.

Appeal 17 of 1916, New Building 683 of 1912, premises 120 Broadway, Manhattan (Equitable Building), E. R. Graham, appellant.

Appearance: George Simpson. On motion, approved on condition that all doors connecting the different rooms, the corridor and private lobby, be made fireproof, and on the further condition that all wainscoting be manufactured flush on the back and set up without open spaces.

Appeal 18 of 1916, New Building 127 of 1915, premises 278-280 Madison Avenue, Manhattan, F. E. Townsend, appellant.

Appearance: F. E. Townsend. On motion, approved. The Chairman recorded not voting.

Appeal 19 of 1916, New Building 272 of 1915, premises 420 Park Avenue, Manhattan, Warren & Wetmore, appellants.

Appearance: John F. Bacon. On motion, approved on condition that steel door frames shall extend back the full width of the wooden trim to be installed.

Appeal 20 of 1916, New Building 46 of 1916, premises north side Walker Avenue, 36.76 feet west of St. Raymonds Avenue, The Bronx, Matthew W. Del Gaudio, appellant.

Appearance: Matthew W. Del Gaudio. On motion, laid over, in view of the fact that this appeal is similar to Appeals 11 and 16, in connection with which an opinion from the Corporation Counsel has been requested.

Appeal 21 of 1916, Alteration 169 of 1916, premises 1441-1449 Broadway, Manhattan, Wm. H. Hoffman Co., appellant.

Appearances: Wm. H. Hoffman and L. E. Fleischman. On motion, laid over; appellants notified that a committee of the Board will inspect the premises on Wednesday, March 1, at 10 a. m.

Adjourned.

E. V. BARTON, Clerk.

**Borough of Richmond.**

Bureau of Buildings.

Report for the Week Ended Feb. 26, 1916.

Plans filed for new buildings (estimated cost, \$27,175), 12; plans filed for alterations (estimated cost, \$4,039), 14; plans filed for plumbing (estimated cost, \$5,465), 19; new buildings estimated, 16; alterations estimated, 25; construction inspections made, 340; plumbing and drainage inspections made, 181; elevator inspections made, 1; dance hall inspections made, 1; violations of law reported, 4; violation notices served, 3; unsafe buildings reported, 1; modifications of the law allowed as regards concrete footings under foundations, 3.

WM. J. McDERMOTT, Superintendent.



## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

## Vital Statistics.

Summary for Week Ending Saturday, 12 M., February 26, 1916.

Boroughs	Population Estimated U. S. Cen- sus, April 15, 1910.	Population July 1, 1916.	Deaths.				Death-rate.			
			1915.	1916.	*Cor- rected, 1916.	*Cor- rected, Births, Mar- riages, Still- births.	1915.	1916.	*Cor- rected, 1916.	*Cor- rected, 1916.
Manhattan	2,331,542	2,634,223	777	768	737	1,293	429	62	15.65	15.25
The Bronx	430,980	575,877	154	161	167	305	61	9	11.38	14.63
Brooklyn	1,634,351	1,928,432	459	542	573	945	337	43	12.03	14.70
Queens	284,041	366,426	99	105	108	165	46	7	12.38	14.99
Richmond	85,969	97,883	29	52	43	43	9	4	14.74	27.80
City of New York	4,766,883	5,602,841	1,518	1,628	1,628	2,751	882	125	13.65	15.20

\*Corrected by redistributing deaths according to borough of residence.  
†The Federal Bureau of the Census having concluded not to use for estimating the population of New York the figures as returned by the State census of 1915, notified this Department on Feb. 10, 1916, that future estimates of the population of the cities and states within the United States would be based upon the returns of the Federal censuses of 1900 and 1910, this Department has reached the conclusion to adopt the arithmetical method in use by the Bureau of the Census and to estimate the population of the boroughs and city for this and subsequent years in this manner.  
‡The presence of several large institutions, the great majority of whose inmates are non-residents of the city, increases considerably the death rate of this Borough.

Cases of Infectious Diseases Reported for Week Ending February 26, 1916.

Tuberculosis	378	Chickens	208	Syphilis	363
Diphtheria and Croup	300	Typhus Fever	1	Gonorrhea	90
Measles	503	Typhoid Fever	10	Chancroid	1
Scarlet Fever	173	Whooping Cough	143		
Smallpox		Cerebro-Spinal Meningitis	3	Total	2,171

## METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATORY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

Abstracts of Registers from Self-Recording Instruments for the Week Ending February 26th, 1916.

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

## Barometer.

Date.	February.	7 a. m.			2 p. m.			9 p. m.			Mean for the Day.			Maximum.			Minimum.		
		Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.
Sunday	20	29.75	32.29	26.29	29.68	29.67	23.29	26.76	12 p. m.	28.29	29.58	3 p. m.	29.68	29.67	23.29	26.76	12 p. m.	28.29	29.58
Monday	21	30.18	33.30	26.30	30.31	30.31	6.30	38.30	7.30 a. m.	23.29	26.76	0 a. m.	29.68	29.67	23.29	26.76	12 p. m.	28.29	29.58
Tuesday	22	30.20	33.30	26.30	30.31	30.31	6.30	38.30	7.30 a. m.	23.29	26.76	0 a. m.	29.68	29.67	23.29	26.76	12 p. m.	28.29	29.58
Wednesday	23	34.29	42.29	34.29	34.29	29.76	32.29	29.76	12 p. m.	42.29	42.29	12 p. m.	29.76	29.76	32.29	29.76	12 p. m.	42.29	42.29
Thursday	24	29.96	31.29	29.96	32.29	29.84	29.29	29.84	8 a. m.	32.29	32.29	12 p. m.	29.84	29.84	32.29	29.84	12 p. m.	32.29	32.29
Friday	25	37.29	42.29	42.29	42.29	29.08	32.29	29.08	0 a. m.	38.29	38.29	12 p. m.	29.08	29.08	32.29	29.08	12 p. m.	38.29	38.29
Saturday	26	33.29	35.29	33.29	33.29	29.04	31.29	29.04	12 p. m.	34.29	34.29	3.45 a. m.	29.04	29.04	31.29	29.04	12 p. m.	34.29	34.29

Mean for the week..... 29.68 inches  
Maximum for the week at 7.30 p. m. February 21st..... 30.38 inches  
Minimum for the week at 3.45 a. m. February 26th..... 28.87 inches  
Range for the week..... 1.51 inches

## Thermometers.

Date. February.	7 a.m. 2 p.m. 9 p.m. Mean.										Maximum.				Minimum.				Maximum.	
	Dry Bulb.		Wet Bulb.		Dry Bulb.		Wet Bulb.		Dry Bulb.		Wet Bulb.		Dry Bulb.		Wet Bulb.					
	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Time.	Wet Bulb.	Time.	Dry Bulb.	Time.	Wet Bulb.				
Sunday,	20	21	18	32	31	26	24	26	24	32	2 pm	31	2 pm	16	0 am	13	0 am	37		
Monday,	21	6	4	13	10	14	11	11	8	23	0 am	21	0 am	5	8.05 a	3	8.05 a	67		
Tuesday,	22	19	17	40	34	39	34	33	28	42	3.40 pm	36	12 pm	17	0 am	14	0 am	76		
Wednesday,	23	34	33	42	38	34	31	37	34	43	12.15 pm	38	12.15 pm	32	12 pm	29	12 pm	59		
Thursday,	24	29	27	31	29	32	31	29	33	29	6.30 pm	32	6.30 pm	29	7 am	27	7 am	35		
Friday,	25	37	37	42	42	42	40	40	48	48	4.30 pm	48	4.30 pm	32	0 am	32	0 am	48		
Saturday,	26	33	29	35	30	33	28	34	29	38	0 am	37	0 am	31	12 pm	27	12 pm	79		
Dry Bulb.											Wet Bulb.									
Mean for the week.....											30.3 degrees								27.4 degrees	
Maximum for the week at 4.30 p. m. Feb. 25.....											48 degrees								48 degrees	
Minimum for the week at 8.05 a. m. Feb. 21.....											6 degrees								3 degrees	
Range for the week.....											42 degrees								45 degrees	

Mean for the week..... 30.3 degrees  
Maximum for the week at 4.30 p. m. Feb. 25..... 48 degrees  
Minimum for the week at 8.05 a. m. Feb. 21..... 3 degrees  
Range for the week..... 45 degrees

## Wind.

Date.	February.	Direction.			Velocity in Miles.			Force in Pounds per Square Foot.		
		7 a. m.	2 p. m.	9 p. m.	7 a. m.	2 p. m.	9 p. m.	7 a. m.	2 p. m.	9 p. m.
Sunday	20	W	NW	N	108	36	31	152	1/4	1/4
Monday	21	NW	NW	SE	104	73	37	204	2	1
Tuesday	22	W	SW	W	51	68	40	155	3/4	2 1/2
Wednesday	23	S	W	N	27	27	52	115	0	1/2
Thursday	24	NE	NE	NE	87	89	98	296	1 1/4	5 1/4
Friday	25	NE	NE	N	148	96	33	260	1 1/4	1 1/4
Saturday	26	NW	W	W	131	134	102	383	5 1/4	8 1/4

Distance traveled during the week..... 1,565 miles  
Maximum force during the week..... 14 1/2 pounds

## Hygrometer.

Date.	February.	Force of Vapor.			Relative Humidity.			Clear, 0			Overcast, 10		
		7 a. m.	2 p. m.	9 p. m.	7 a. m.	2 p. m.	9 p. m.	7 a. m.	2 p. m.	9 p. m.	7 a. m.	2 p. m.	9 p. m.
Sunday	20	.060	.164	.103	.109	57	89	80	75	10 St.	0 Nb.	10 St.	10 St.
Monday	21	.025	.031	.034	.030	51	34	40	42	1 A.St.	0	0	0
Tuesday	22	.066	.130	.143	.113	74	50	62	62	7 Ci.St.	5 Ci.St.	3 Ci.St.	3 Ci.St.
Wednesday	23	.180	.187	.136	.168	94	68	68	77	10 St.	10 St.	10 St.	10 St.
Thursday	24	.118	.136	.180	.145	80	80	99	86	10 St.	10 St.	10 Nb.	10 Nb.
Friday	25	.219	.266	.266	.250	98	97	96	97	10 St.	10 St.	10 Nb.	10 Nb.
Saturday	26	.113	.108	.093	.105	62	52	55	10 St.	8 St.	8 St.	10 St.	10 St.

## Rain and Snow.

Date.	February.	Time of Beginning.			Time of Ending.			Duration.	Amount of Water.	Depth of Snow.
		7 a. m.	2 p. m.	9 p. m.	7 a. m.	2 p. m.	9 p. m.			
Sunday	20	6.10 a. m.			6.40 a. m.			0 h. 30 m.	.06 in.	1.0 in.
Monday	21	7.20 a. m.			7.14 p. m.			11 h. 54 m.		
Tuesday	22									
Wednesday	23									
Thursday	24	7.15 a. m.			7.25 a. m.			0 h. 10 m.	.27 in.	0
		8.15 a. m.			9.15 a. m.			1 h. 0 m.		
		4.05 p. m.			1.17 p. m.			13 h. 17 m.		
Friday	25	1.25 p. m.						10 h. 35 m.	2.15 in.	0
Saturday	26				6.50 a. m.			6 h. 50 m.	.07 in.	0.1 in.

Total amount of water for the week..... 2.55 inches  
Duration for the week..... 52 hours, 11 minutes

Date.	7 a. m.	2 p. m.
Sunday, February 20th.....	Overcast, cold	Snowing, cool
Monday, February 21st.....	Clear, cold	Clear, cold
Tuesday, February 22d.....	Partly cloudy, raw	Partly cloudy, pleasant
Wednesday, February 23d.....	Overcast, mild	Overcast, mild
Thursday, February 24th.....	Overcast, cold	Overcast, pleasant
Friday, February 25th.....	Overcast, raining	Overcast, sprinkling
Saturday, February 26th.....	Overcast, windy	Cloudy, windy

## Changes in Departments, Etc.

**CITY MAGISTRATES' COURTS.**  
**Died**—Howard Doncourt, Assistant Photographer, \$900, February 12; Bartley Clarke, Court Stenographer, \$2,000, February 29.  
**Reinstated**—Samuel G. Cornell, Interpreter, \$1,500, March 1.  
**Promoted**—Edwin R. Weber, to Assistant Court Clerk at \$1,800, from Court Attendant at \$1,200, March 1.  
**Appointed**—Leon Horn, Interpreter, \$1,200, March 1; Jacob G. Riehl, Asst. Photographer, \$900, March 1.

**COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS, NEW YORK COUNTY.**  
**Services Ceased**—William Tait, 114 East 89th Street, Manhattan, Attendant to Judge of this Court, February 29.

**DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, MANHATTAN AND RICHMOND.**  
**Appointed**—Joseph Pirreca, 1541 Avenue A, Stoker at \$3 a day (for one week), February 26.  
**Services Ceased**—William Galvin, 582 East 191st Street, and George F. O'Neil, 586 Grand Street, Brooklyn, Stationery Engineers, at \$4.50 per day, February 29.  
**Bronx.**  
**Appointed**—James Ryan, 1344 Clinton Avenue, Driver with Wagon and Team, at \$5 per diem, March 4.  
**Reinstated**—Frank Rinear, 412 East 162d Street, Laborer, Feb. 29.

**BOARD OF INEBRIETY.**  
**Transferred**—Charles G. Anderson, Clerk at \$540 per annum from Board of Water Supply, March 1.  
**Appointed**—Raymond C. Ginter, Storekeeper (temporary) at \$660 per annum, March 1.  
**Services Ceased**—Cornelius J. Hogan, Parole Officer (temporary) at \$1,200 per annum, Feb. 29.



## OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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## CITY OFFICES.

**MAYOR'S OFFICE.**  
City Hall, Telephone, 8020 Cortlandt.  
John Purroy Mitchel, Mayor.  
Theodore Rousseau, Secretary.  
Samuel L. Martin, Executive Secretary.  
**Bureau of Weights and Measures.**  
Municipal Building, 3rd floor. Telephone, 1498  
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, Telephone, 4430 Worth.  
P. J. Scully, Clerk.

**BOARD OF AMBULANCE SERVICE.**  
Municipal Building, 10th floor. Ambulance Calls, 3100 Spring. Administration Offices, 748 Worth.

**ARMORY BOARD.**  
Hall of Records, Telephone, 3900 Worth.  
C. D. Rhinehart, Secretary.

**ART COMMISSION.**  
City Hall, Telephone, 1197 Cortlandt.  
John Quincy Adams, Assistant Secretary.

**BOARD OF ASSESSORS.**  
Municipal Building, 8th floor. Telephone, 29 Worth.

**BELLEVUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS.**  
26th st. and 1st ave. Telephone, 4400 Madison Square.  
Dr. John W. Brannan, President.  
J. K. Paulding, Secretary.

**DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES.**  
Municipal Building, 18th floor. Telephone, 380 Worth.

**CENTRAL PURCHASING COMMITTEE.**  
Municipal Building, 12th floor. Telephone, 4315 Worth.  
Frederic R. Leach, Director.

**BUREAU OF THE CHAMBERLAIN.**  
Municipal Building, 8th floor. Telephone, 4270 Worth.  
Henry Bruere, Chamberlain.

**BOARD OF CHILD WELFARE.**  
City Hall, Telephone, 7541 Cortlandt.  
Harry L. Hopkins, Secretary.

**CITY CLERK AND CLERK OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN.**  
Municipal Building, 2nd floor. Telephone, 4430 Worth.  
P. J. Scully, City Clerk.

**BOARD OF CITY RECORD.**  
Supervisor's office, Municipal Building, 8th floor. Distributing Division, 96 Reade st. Telephone, 3490 Worth.  
David Ferguson, Supervisor.

**DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.**  
Municipal Building, 24th floor. Telephone, 1610 Worth.  
Burdette G. Lewis, Commissioner.

**DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.**  
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 August, and the second and fourth Wednesdays in every month, except August.

**BOARD OF ELECTIONS.**  
General office and office of the Borough of Manhattan, Municipal Building, 18th floor. Telephone, 1307 Worth.

Edward F. Boyle, President.  
Moses M. McKee, Secretary.

**Other Borough Offices.**  
The Bronx.  
368 E. 148th st. Telephone, 336 Melrose.

Brooklyn.  
435-445 Fulton st. Telephone, 1932 Main.

Queens.  
64 Jackson ave., Long Island City. Telephone, 3375 Hunters Point.

Richmond.  
Borough Hall, New Brighton, S. I. Telephone 1000 Tompkinsville.

All offices open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. Saturdays, to 12 m.

**BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPOINTMENT.**  
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.



**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, 2640 Tremont.

Thomas W. Whittle, Commissioner.  
**Borough of Queens.**  
The Overlook, Forest Park, Richmond Hill, L. I. Telephone, 2300 Richmond Hill.  
John E. Weier, Commissioner.  
**PARK BOARD.**  
Municipal Building, 10th floor. Telephone, 4850 Worth. Cabot Ward, President; Louis W. Fehr, Secretary.

**PAROLE COMMISSION.**  
Municipal Building, 24th floor. Telephone, 1610 Worth.

Thomas R. Minnick, Secretary.  
**EXAMINING BOARD OF PLUMBERS.**  
Municipal Building, 9th floor. Telephone, 1800 Worth.

Janet A. G. Hahn, 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 Social Investigation, Pearl and Centre sts. Telephone, 4405.

Borough of Richmond, Borough Hall, St. George, S. I. Telephone, 1000 Tompkinsville.  
John A. Kingsbury, Commissioner.  
**PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION.**  
154 Nassau st., Manhattan, 8 a. m. to 11 p. m. every day, including holidays and Sundays. Telephone, 4150 Beekman.

Oscar S. Straus, Chairman.  
Travis H. Whitney, Secretary.  
**BOARD OF REVISION OF ASSESSMENTS.**  
Municipal Building, 7th floor. Telephone, 1200 Worth.

John Korb, Jr., Chief Clerk.  
**COMMISSIONERS OF SINKING FUND.**  
Office of Secretary, Municipal Building, 7th floor. Telephone, 1200 Worth.

John Korb, Jr., Secretary.  
**DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.**  
Municipal Building, 9th floor. Telephone, 1800 Worth.

Lawson Purdy, President.  
C. Rockland Tyng, Secretary.  
**DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.**  
Municipal Building, 12th floor. Telephone, 4240 Worth.

John T. Fetherston, Commissioner.  
**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, 7107 Melrose.

John J. Murphy, Commissioner.  
**BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY.**  
Municipal Building, 22d floor. Telephone, 3150 Worth.

Charles Strauss, President.  
George Featherstone, Secretary.  
**DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY.**  
Municipal Building, 23d, 24th and 25th floors. Telephone: Manhattan, 4320 Worth; Brooklyn, 3980 Main; Queens, 3441 Hunters Point; Richmond, 840 Tompkinsville; Bronx, 3400 Tremont.

Brooklyn, Municipal Building, Brooklyn. Bronx, Tremont and Arthur avcs. 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, 2d floor, Borough Hall. Commissioner of Public Works, 2d floor, Borough Hall.

Assistant Commissioner of Public Works, 2d floor, Borough Hall.  
Bureau of Highways, 5th and 12th floors, 50 Court st.

Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, 10th floor, 50 Court st.  
Bureau of Sewers, 10th floor, 215 Montague st.

Bureau of Buildings, 4th floor, Borough Hall. Topographical Bureau, 209 Montague st.  
Bureau of Substructures, 11th floor, 50 Court st.

Telephone, 3960 Main.  
Lewis H. Pounds, President.  
**BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.**

President's office, 20th floor, Municipal Bldg. Commissioner of Public Works, 21st floor, Municipal Building.

Assistant Commissioner of Public Works, 21st floor, Municipal Building.  
Bureau of Highways, 21st floor, Municipal Building.

Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, 20th floor, Municipal Building.  
Bureau of Sewers, 21st floor, Municipal 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. 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. Telephone, 1000 Tompkinsville.

Calvin D. Van Name, President.  
**CORONERS.**  
Manhattan, Municipal Building—Second Floor. Open at all hours of the day and night. Telephone, 3711.

Bronx—Arthur and Tremont avcs. 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.

9 a. m. to 2 p. m., during July and August. Wm. F. Schneider, County Clerk.  
**DISTRICT ATTORNEY.**

Criminal Courts Building, 9 a. m. to 5 15 p. m.; Saturdays, to 12 m. Telephone, 2304 Franklin.

Edward Swann, District Attorney.  
**COMMISSIONER OF JUDICIAL.**  
280 Broadway. Telephone, 241 Worth.

Frederick O'Byrne, Commissioner.  
**PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.**  
119 Nassau st. Telephone, 6376 Cortlandt.

William M. Hoes, Public Administrator.  
**COMMISSIONER OF RECORDS.**  
Hall of Records. Telephone, 3900 Worth.

Charles K. Lexow, Commissioner.  
**REGISTER.**  
Hall of Records, Telephone, 3900 Worth.

9 a. m. to 2 p. m. during July and August. John J. Hopper, Register.

**SHERIFF.**  
51 Chambers st. Telephone, 4300 Worth.

New York County Jail, 70 Ludlow st. Alfred E. Smith, Sheriff.

**SUBROGATE.**  
Hall of Records. Telephone, 3900 Worth.

John P. Cobain; Robert Ludlow Fowler, Surrogates.  
William Ray De Lano, Chief Clerk.

John F. Curry, Commissioner of Records.  
**KINGS COUNTY.**

**COUNTY CLERK.**  
Hall of Records, Brooklyn. Telephone, 4930 Main.

William E. Kelly, 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, Room 17, 18, 19 and 22; open daily from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturday to 12 m. Telephone, 4154 Main.

John L. Gray, 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. Cropper, District Attorney.  
**COMMISSIONER OF JUDICIAL.**  
381 Fulton st., Brooklyn. Telephone, 330-331 Main.

Jacob Brenner, 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.**  
4560 Court st., Brooklyn. Telephone, 6845 Main.

Edward Riegelmann, Sheriff.  
**SUBROGATE.**  
Hall of Records, Brooklyn. Court opens at 10 a. m. Telephone, 3954 Main.

Herbert T. Ketcham, Surrogate.  
John H. McCoey, 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 JUDICIAL.**  
1932 Arthur ave. Telephone, 3700 Tremont.

John A. Mason, Commissioner.  
**PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.**  
2808 3d ave. Telephone, 9816 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.  
**SUBROGATE.**  
Bergen Building Annex, 1918 Arthur Ave.

George M. S. Schulz, Surrogate.  
**QUEENS COUNTY.**

**COUNTY CLERK.**  
364 Fulton st., Jamaica. Telephone, 151 Jamaica.

Alexander Dujat, County Clerk.  
**COUNTY COURT.**  
County Court House, Long Island City. Telephone, 596 Hunters Point.

Court opens at 10 a. m. Trial Term begins first Monday of each month, except July, August and September, and on Friday of each week.

Clerk's office opens 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturdays to 12 m. Telephone, 531 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.  
Denis O'Leary, District Attorney.

**COMMISSIONER OF JUDICIAL.**  
County Court House, Long Island City. Telephone, 963 Hunters Point.

Thorndyke C. McKenney, Commissioner.  
**PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.**  
302 Fulton st., Jamaica. Telephone, 223 Jamaica.

Randolph White, Public Administrator.  
**SHERIFF.**  
County Court House, Long Island City. Telephone, 3766 Hunters Point.

Paul Stier, Sheriff.  
**SUBROGATE.**  
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, Clerk.  
**COUNTY JUDGE AND SUBROGATE.**  
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 JUDICIAL.**  
Village Hall, Stapleton. Telephone, 81 Tompkinsville.

Edward I. Miller, Commissioner.  
**PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.**  
Port Richmond. Telephone, 704 West Brighton.

William T. Holt, Public Administrator.  
**SHERIFF.**  
County Court House, Richmond. Telephone, 120 New Dorp.

Spire Pitou, Jr., Sheriff.  
**THE COURTS.**

**CITY COURT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.**  
City Hall Park. Special Term Chambers held from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m. Clerk's office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. Telephone, 122 Cortlandt.

Thomas F. Smith, Clerk.  
**CITY MAGISTRATES' COURTS.**  
Boroughs of Manhattan and Bronx.

William McAdoo, Chief City Magistrate, 300 Mulberry st. Telephone, 6213 Spring.

First District—Criminal Courts Building.  
Second District—125 Sixth ave.

Third District—2d ave. and 1st st.  
Fourth District—151 E. 57th st.

Fifth District—121st st. and Sylvan 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)—125 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.

Office of the Chief Probation Officer, 300 Mulberry st. Telephone, 8713 Spring.

**Borough of Brooklyn.**  
Office of Deputy Chief Clerk, Wm. F. Delaney, 44 Court st. Telephone, 7411 Main.

First District—318 Adams st.  
Second District—Court and Butler sts.

Fifth District—261 Bedford ave.  
Sixth District—495 Gates ave.

Seventh District—31 Snider ave., Flatbush.  
Eighth District—W. 8th st., Coney Island.

Ninth District—5th ave. and 29th st.  
Tenth District—133 New Jersey ave.

Domestic Relations—Myrtle and Vanderbilt avcs.  
**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 Buildings. Court opens at 10 30 a. m. Clerk's office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., and on Saturdays 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.

Board of Justices—James J. Devlin, Secretary, 264 Madison st., Manhattan. Telephone, 2596 Orchard.

**Borough of Manhattan.**  
First District—146 Grand Street. Telephone, 9611 Spring.

Additional part is held at the southwest corner of 6th ave. and 10th st. Telephone, 2513 Chelsea.

Second District—164-266 Madison st. Telephone, 4300 Orchard.

Third District—314 West 54th st. Telephone, 5450 Columbus.

Fourth District—207 E. 32d st. Telephone, 4358 Murray Hill.

Fifth District—2565 Broadway. Telephone, 4006 Riverside.

Sixth District—155 East 88th st. Telephone, 4343 Lenox.

Seventh District—70 Manhattan st. Telephone, 6334 Morningside.

Eighth District—121st st. and Sylvan place. Telephone, 3950 Harlem.

Ninth District—Madison ave. and 59th st. Telephone, 3873 Plaza.

**Borough of The Bronx.**  
First District—Town Hall, 1400 Williamsbridge road, Westchester. Telephone, 457 Westchester.

Second District—Washington ave. and 162d st. Telephone, 3042 Melrose.

**Borough of Brooklyn.**  
First District—State and Court sts. Telephone, 7091 Main.

Second District—495 Gates ave. Telephone, 504 Bedford.

Third District—6 Lee ave. Telephone, 556 Williamsburg.

Fourth District—14 Howard ave. Telephone, 4323 Bushwick.

Fifth District—5220 Third ave. Telephone, 3907 Sunset.

Sixth District—236 Duffield st. Telephone, 6166 Main.

Seventh District—31 Pennsylvania ave. Telephone, 904 East New York.

**Borough of Queens.**  
First District—115 Fifth st., Long Island City. Telephone, 1420 Hunters Point.

Second District—Broadway and Court sts., 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. Telephone, 503 Tompkinsville.

Second District—Village Hall, Stapleton. Telephone, 313 Tompkinsville.

**COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.**  
Court opens 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—137 E. 22d st. Telephone, 3611 Gramercy.

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.

William C. McKee, 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, 3840 Madison Square.

Alfred Wagstaff, Clerk.  
Second Judicial Department.

Borough Hall, Brooklyn. Court meets from 2 p. m. to 5 p. m., excepting that on Fridays Court opens at 10 o'clock a. m. Clerk's office open 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. De Bragga, 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 12m. Telephone, 6064 Franklin.

William J. 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, Long Island City. Court opens at 10 a. m. Trial and Special Term for motions and ex-parte business each month, except July, August and the first two weeks in September, in Part I. Trial Term, Part 2, February, April, June, last two weeks in September, and November. Special Term for Trials, January, April, June and October.

Clerk's Office open 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. Saturdays until 12 m. from October to June. July, August and September until 2 p. m. Telephone, 3896 Hunters Point.

Thomas B. Seaman, Special Deputy Clerk in Charge.

**Richmond County.**  
Trial Term held at County Court House, Richmond. Special Term for trials held at Court room, Borough Hall, St. George. Special Term for motions held at Court House, Borough Hall St. George.



EAST CORNER OF SIXTEENTH STREET AND AVENUE A. Area of assessment affects block 973.

RECEIVING BASIN ADJACENT TO THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF TENTH AVENUE AND WEST TWENTY-SEVENTH STREET. Area of assessment affects block 698.

RECEIVING BASIN AND INLET ADJACENT TO THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF WEST THIRTIETH STREET AND TENTH AVENUE. Area of assessment affects block 728.

EAST THIRTY-EIGHTH STREET—RECEIVING BASIN ADJACENT TO THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF FIRST AVENUE. Area of assessment affects block 943.

SECTION 4.

RECEIVING BASIN IN WEST FORTY-EIGHTH STREET ADJACENT TO THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF EIGHTH AVENUE AND THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF BROADWAY. Area of assessment affects block 1019.

SECTION 5.

RECEIVING BASIN ADJACENT TO THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF FIFTY-SECOND STREET AND SIXTH AVENUE. Area of assessment affects block 1267.

SECTION 6.

RECEIVING BASINS ADJACENT TO THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF WEST ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SECOND STREET AND LENOX AVENUE AND THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF WEST ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SECOND STREET AND FIFTH AVENUE. Area of assessment affects block 1730.

SECTION 8.

RECEIVING BASIN ADJACENT TO THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF WEST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTIETH STREET AND ST. NICHOLAS AVENUE AND THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF FORT WASHINGTON AVENUE AND BROADWAY. Area of assessment affects block 2136.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on February 29, 1916, and entered March 1, 1916, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid 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, 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 May 1, 1916, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when such assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.  
City of New York, Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's Office, March 1, 1916. m4,15

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:

SECTION 1.

BROADWAY RESTORING ASPHALT PAVEMENT on the east side, 11 feet east of Cedar Street. Area of assessment affects lot 1 in block 47.

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 was entered on February 29, 1916, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid 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 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 April 29, 1916, 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, February 29, 1916. m4,15

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessments for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS IN THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS:

FIRST WARD.

SOUTH WASHINGTON PLACE—REGULATING, CURBING, LAYING SIDEWALKS AND PAVING THE ROADWAY from Academy Street to Jackson Avenue. Area of assessment affects blocks 96 and 97.

HOPKINS AVENUE—REGULATING, CURBING, LAYING SIDEWALKS AND PAVING from Grand Avenue to Main Street. Area of assessment affects blocks 26, 28, 29, 50, 51, 52 and 53.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors February 29, 1916, and entered March 1, 1916, in the Record of Titles of Assessments

kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid 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 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 May 1, 1916, 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, March 1, 1916. m4,15

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1018 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the following assessments for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS IN THE BOROUGH OF THE BRONX:

SECTION 15.

KRUGER AVENUE—REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURBSTONES, FLAGGING SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSWALKS, BUILDING APPROACHES AND ERECTING FENCES from Baker Avenue to Morris Park Avenue. Area of assessment affects blocks 4033, 4034, 4037 and 4038.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on February 29, 1916, and entered March 1, 1916, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid 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 Bergen Building, fourth floor, southeast corner of Arthur and Tremont aves., Borough of The Bronx, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before May 1, 1916, 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, March 1, 1916. m4,15

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:

SECTIONS 8, 12, 13 and 19.

REPAIRING SIDEWALKS at 1896 to 1904 DOUGLASS STREET, on the west side, between Pitkin and Sutter Avenues; southwest corner of BATH AVENUE and BAY TWENTY-EIGHTH STREET; southwest corner of CLEVELAND STREET and FULTON STREET; 156 GLENMORE AVENUE, south side, between Sackman and Powell Streets; 376 KEAP STREET, east side, between South Second and South Third Streets; 547 LIBERTY AVENUE, north side, between Hendrix Street and Schenck Avenue; 341 LIVONIA AVENUE, northeast corner of Stone Avenue; northeast corner of PITKIN AVENUE and ALABAMA AVENUE; 353 SACKMAN STREET, east side, between Belmont Avenue and Sutter Avenue; 307-309 WALLABOUT STREET, north side, between Harrison and Throop Avenues; and 401 WILLIAMS AVENUE, east side, between Blake and Dumont Avenues. Area of assessment affects blocks 3515, 6445, 3953, 3711, 2424, 3963, 3794, 3718, 3745, 2250 and 3785.

SARATOGA AVENUE—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING from Livonia Avenue to East Ninety-eighth Street. Area of assessment affects blocks 3582, 3583, 3595, 3596, 3607 and 3608.

SACKMAN STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING AND PAVING from Livonia Avenue to Riverdale Avenue. Area of assessment affects blocks 3812 and 3813.

SECTION 16.

ROBINSON AVENUE—PAVING between Bedford Avenue and Rogers Avenue. Area of assessment affects blocks 5049 and 5056.

SECTION 17.

FIFTY-SEVENTH STREET—PAVING from New Utrecht Avenue to Fourteenth Avenue. Area of assessment affects blocks 5691 and 5698.

SECTION 18.

SIXTY-SIXTH STREET—REGULATING AND GRADING from Fourth to Fifth Avenue. Area of assessment affects blocks 5827 and 5843.

SECTIONS 18 and 19.

EIGHTY-THIRD STREET—PAVING AND CURBING from Seventh to Twelfth Avenues. Area of assessment affects blocks 6011, 6012, 6021, 6022, 6301 and 6307.

SECTIONS 20 and 21.

AVENUE U—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING from Coney Island Avenue to Gravesend Avenue. Area of assessment affects blocks 6681, 7105 to 7112, 7124, 7127 to 7136.

SECTION 23.

KENMORE PLACE—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING from Avenue G to a line 520 feet southerly therefrom. Area of assessment affects blocks 7548 and 7549.

—the above entitled assessments were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on February 29th, 1916, and entered March 1st, 1916, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid 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, 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 May 1, 1916, 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, March 1, 1916. m4,15

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 986 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice of the confirmation by the Supreme Court and the entering in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of assessment for OPENING AND ACQUIRING TITLE to the following named avenues and streets in the TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTIONS 12 AND 13.

OPENING AND ACQUIRING TITLE TO WEST TWO HUNDRED AND THIRTY-EIGHTH STREET from Kingsbridge Avenue to Riverdale Avenue; WEST TWO HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SIXTH STREET from Albany Road to Riverdale Avenue, excluding the right of way of the New York and Putnam Railroad; WALDO AVENUE from Greystone Avenue to West Two Hundred and Forty-second Street, and Greystone Avenue from Riverdale Avenue to West Two Hundred and Forty-second Street. Confirmed January 24th, 1916; entered February 28th, 1916. 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 a point on the southeasterly line of Spuyten Duyvil road where it is intersected by a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the southerly line of West Two Hundred and Forty-eighth street and the northeasterly line of West Two Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, as these streets are laid out between Tibbett Avenue and Corlear Avenue, and running thence southeasterly along the said bisecting line to a point distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Broadway, the said distance being measured at right angles to Broadway; thence southerly and always distant 100 feet easterly from and parallel with the easterly line of Broadway to the intersection with a line midway between West Two Hundred and Thirty-sixth street and West Two Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, as these streets are laid out between Broadway and Putnam Avenue West; thence easterly along the said line midway between West Two Hundred and Thirty-sixth street and West Two Hundred and Thirty-seventh street and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with the southeasterly right of way line of the New York and Putnam Railroad; thence northeasterly along the said right of way line to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the northerly line of West Two Hundred and Thirty-sixth street and the southerly line of West Two Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, as these streets are laid out where they adjoin Albany road on the west; thence southeasterly along the said bisecting line to a point distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Albany road, the said distance being measured at right angles to Albany road; thence southerly and always distant 100 feet easterly from and parallel with the easterly line of Albany road to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the centre lines of West Two Hundred and Thirty-fourth street and West Two Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, as these streets are laid out between Broadway and Putnam Avenue West; thence westwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the centre lines of West Two Hundred and Thirty-fourth street and West Two Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, as these streets are laid out between Spuyten Duyvil road and Tibbett Avenue; thence northwesterly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet northwesterly from and parallel with the northwesterly line of Spuyten Duyvil road, the said distance being measured at right angles to Spuyten Duyvil road; thence southwesterly along the said line parallel with Spuyten Duyvil road to the intersection with the prolongation of a line distant 100 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of West Two Hundred and Thirty-fourth street as this street is laid out between Cambridge Avenue and Riverdale Avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to West Two Hundred and Thirty-fourth street; thence westwardly along the said prolongation of a line parallel with West Two Hundred and Thirty-fourth street to a point distant 65 feet westerly from the easterly line of Riverdale Avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Riverdale Avenue; thence northwardly and always distant 65 feet westerly from and parallel with the easterly line of Riverdale Avenue to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between West Two Hundred and Thirty-fourth street and West Two Hundred and Thirty-fifth street as these streets are laid out between Cambridge Avenue and Riverdale Avenue; thence westwardly along the said line midway between West Two Hundred and Thirty-fourth street and West Two Hundred and Thirty-fifth street and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line midway between Cambridge Avenue and Riverdale Avenue, as these streets are laid out between West Two Hundred and Thirty-fourth street and West Two Hundred and Thirty-fifth street; thence northwardly along the said line midway between Cambridge Avenue and Riverdale Avenue and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with the prolongation of a line distant 100 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly line of Riverdale Avenue, as this street is laid out between West Two Hundred and Thirty-sixth street and West

Two Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, the said distance being measured at right angles to Riverdale Avenue; thence northwardly and always distant 100 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly line of Riverdale Avenue and its southerly prolongation as laid out between West Two Hundred and Thirty-sixth street and West Two Hundred and Thirty-seventh street to the intersection with a line at right angles to Riverdale Avenue, and passing through a point on its easterly side where it is intersected by a line distant 350 feet northwardly from and parallel with the northerly line of West Two Hundred and Thirty-eighth street where it adjoins Fieldston road, the said distance being measured at right angles to West Two Hundred and Thirty-eighth street; thence eastwardly along the said line at right angles to Riverdale Avenue to the intersection with its easterly side; thence eastwardly along the said line parallel with West Two Hundred and Thirty-eighth street to the intersection with a line midway between Fieldston road and Greystone Avenue; thence northwardly along the said line midway between Fieldston road and Greystone Avenue and along the prolongation of the said line to a point distant 100 feet northwardly from its intersection with the northerly line of West Two Hundred and Forty-second street; thence eastwardly in a straight line to a point on the prolongation of a line distant 100 feet easterly from and parallel with the easterly line of Spuyten Duyvil road where it adjoins West Two Hundred and Fortieth street on the north, the said distance being measured at right angles to Spuyten Duyvil road, distant 100 feet northwardly from its intersection with the northerly line of West Two Hundred and Forty-second street; thence southwardly along the said line parallel with Spuyten Duyvil road and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line at right angles to Spuyten Duyvil road and passing through a point on its westerly side distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Waldo Avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Waldo Avenue; thence westwardly along the said line at right angles to Spuyten Duyvil road to the intersection with its westerly side; thence southwardly and always distant 100 feet easterly from and parallel with the easterly line of Waldo Avenue to the intersection with a line parallel with West Two Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, as this street is laid out between Waldo Avenue and Spuyten Duyvil road, and passing through the point of beginning; thence eastwardly along the said line parallel with West Two Hundred and Thirty-eighth street to the point of place of beginning.

—the above entitled assessment was entered on the day hereinafore 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 assessments, interest will be collected thereon, as provided by section 987 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 Bergen Building, fourth floor, southeast corner of Arthur and Tremont aves., Borough of The Bronx, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before April 28, 1916, 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, February 28, 1916. m2,13

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 986 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice of the confirmation by the Supreme Court and the entering in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of assessment for OPENING AND ACQUIRING TITLE to the following named avenue in the BOROUGH OF QUEENS:

FIRST WARD.

NEWTOWN AVENUE—OPENING, from Flushing Avenue to Grand Avenue. Confirmed June 22, 1914, and January 27, 1916; entered February 25, 1916. 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,

Beginning at a point midway between Clark and Taylor streets 100 feet northwest of the northwesterly side of Van Alst Avenue, and running thence southeasterly on a line 100 feet southwest of the southwesterly side of Clark street to the intersection with a line midway between Newtown Avenue and Grand street; thence southeasterly on a line midway between Newtown Avenue and Grand street to the middle of the block between Marc place and Debevoise Avenue; thence southwesterly on a line midway between Marc place and Debevoise Avenue and midway between Lockwood street and Debevoise Avenue to a point 100 feet southwest of the southwesterly side of Grand street; thence southeasterly on a line 100 feet southwest of the southwesterly side of Grand street to a point 100 feet southeast of the southeasterly side of Brielle street; thence northwesterly on a line 100 feet southeast of the southeasterly side of Brielle street to a point midway between Grand street and Vandewater Avenue; thence northwesterly on a line midway between Vandewater Avenue and Grand street and midway between Vandewater Avenue and Newtown Avenue to a point midway between Rapelje Avenue and Debevoise Avenue; thence northwesterly on a line midway between Rapelje Avenue and Debevoise Avenue to its intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Newtown Avenue and Flushing Avenue, as laid out between their intersection and Carver street; thence northwesterly along the line midway between Flushing Avenue and Newtown Avenue above referred to and the prolongation of the same to a point 100 feet southeast of the southeasterly side of the Crescent; thence northwesterly on a line 100 feet southeast of the southeasterly side of the Crescent to a point 100 feet northeast of the northwesterly side of Flushing Avenue; thence northwesterly on a line 100 feet northeast of the northwesterly side of Flushing Avenue to a point between the Crescent and Hallett street; thence northwesterly on a line midway between the Crescent and Hallett street to a point in the prolongation of a line 100 feet southwest of the southwesterly side of North Washington place, as laid out between Van Alst Avenue and Hallett street; thence northwesterly along a line 100 feet southwest of the southwesterly side of North Washington



place, between Van Alst avenue and Hallett street, and the prolongations thereof, to a point 100 feet northwest of the northwesterly side of Van Alst avenue; thence southwesterly on a line 100 feet northwest of the northwesterly side of Van Alst avenue to the point or place of beginning.

The above entitled assessment was entered on the day hereinafter given in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon, as provided by section 987 of the Greater New York Charter.

Said section provides, in part, "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment, to charge, collect and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum to be calculated to the date of payment from the date when such assessment became a lien as provided by section 159 of this act."

Section 159 of this act provides: "An assessment shall become a lien upon the real estate affected thereby ten days after its entry in the said record."

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Municipal Building, Court House Square, Long Island City, Borough of Queens, between the hours of 9 a. m. to 12 m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before April 23, 1916, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when such assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.  
City of New York, Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's Office, February 23, 1916. f29,m10

**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 14.**  
**CASTLE HILL AVENUE—PAVING THE**  
**ROADWAY AND SETTING CURB** between Westchester Avenue to Turnbulla Avenue. Area of assessment affects blocks 3684 to 3695 and 3806 to 3823.

That the same was confirmed by the Board of Assessors on February 23, 1916, and entered on February 23, 1916, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid 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 assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, in the Borough of Queens, southeast corner of Arthur and Tremont ayes., Borough of The Bronx, between the hours of 9 a. m. to 12 m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 m., and all payments made thereon on or before April 24, 1916, will be exempt from interest, as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date when such assessment became a lien to the date of payment.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.  
City of New York, Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's Office, February 23, 1916. f26,m8

**Corporation Sales by Sealed Bids of the**  
**Lease of Certain City Real Estate.**

**UPON THE AUTHORIZATION OF THE**  
Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, and pursuant to a resolution adopted by them at a meeting held February 23, 1916, the Comptroller of the City of New York will sell by sealed bids on

**MONDAY, MARCH 20, 1916,**

at 12 o'clock M., in Room 368, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, the lease of Lot 13, in Block 543, Section 2, known as Nos. 120-132 West 3rd Street, Borough of Manhattan, for the buildings and improvements thereon erected, for a period of five years from August 1, 1916, with the privilege of one renewal for an additional term of ten years, at the minimum or upset price of \$2,400 per annum, payable quarterly in advance; the rental for the renewal term of ten years to be determined by two discreet and disinterested appraisers, one of whom shall be named by the lessor, the other by the lessee, and, in the event of a disagreement between said appraisers as to the amount of rental to be paid for said renewal term, the question shall be decided by a third discreet and disinterested appraiser, to be named by the two appraisers first above mentioned; and the said sale will be made upon the following

**TERMS AND CONDITIONS:**

The highest bidder will be required to pay twenty-five per cent. (25%) of the amount of the yearly rental at the time and place of sale; the amount so paid for one quarter's rent shall be forfeited if the successful bidder does not execute the lease when notified it is ready for execution.

He will also be required to give an undertaking in the amount of the annual rental bid, with sufficient surety to be approved by the Comptroller, for the payment of the rent quarterly in advance and for the performance of the covenants and terms of the lease.

No person shall be received as lessee or surety who is a delinquent on any former lease from the Corporation, and no bid shall be accepted from any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter as surety or otherwise upon any obligation to the City, as provided by law.

The lease will be in the usual form of leases of like property and will contain, in addition to other terms, covenants and conditions, as follows: 1st—A clause providing that the lessee shall pay the usual rates for water, per meter measurements, and comply with the rules and regulations of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

2nd—A clause providing that the lessee shall not make any alterations or improvements on the property except with the consent and approval of the Comptroller.

3rd—A clause providing that during the term

of the lease the lessee shall keep the building in proper repair, both inside and outside, and shall comply with all the laws and ordinances of the City of New York.

4th—A clause providing that all repairs, alterations and improvements made on or to the property by the lessee during the period of the lease shall become the property of the City of New York at the expiration of the lease.

5th—A clause providing that the lessee shall have possession of the premises immediately upon the execution of the lease, without the necessity of paying rent until the date of the commencement of the lease, but he shall be liable for any damages which may occur in or to the premises to be demised from the date of possession.

The Comptroller shall have the right to reject any or all bids if deemed to be to the interest of the City of New York.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.  
City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office,  
February 29, 1916. m3,20

**Corporation Sales of Buildings and Appurtenances Thereon on City Real Estate by Sealed Bids**

**AT THE REQUEST OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF DOCKS,** public notice is hereby given that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale by sealed bids certain buildings standing upon property owned by The City of New York, formerly used for dock and street cleaning purposes in the

**Borough of Manhattan.**

BEING 18 small shacks along the East River front, 9 small shacks along the Harlem River front, 25 shacks and 3 small houses along the North River front, and 12 shacks and one house along the Brooklyn water front, in the Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx and Brooklyn, which are more particularly described on a certain map or 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 February 23, 1916, the sale by sealed bids, of the above buildings and appurtenances thereto, will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

**MONDAY, MARCH 20, 1916,**

at 11 a. m., in lots and parcels, and in manner and form as follows:

Parcel No. 1—1 shack foot of Rivington St., E. R.; 1 shack foot of East 5th St., E. R.; 1 shack foot of East 9th St., E. R.; 1 shack foot of East 18th St., E. R.; 1 shack foot of East 21st St., E. R.; 1 shack foot of East 32nd St., E. R.; 1 shack foot of East 36th St., E. R.; 1 shack foot of East 38th St., E. R.; 1 shack foot of East 42nd St., E. R.; 1 shack foot of East 49th St., E. R.; 1 shack foot of East 53rd St., E. R.; 1 shack foot of East 62nd St., E. R.; 1 shack foot of East 65th St., E. R.; 1 shack foot of East 72nd St., E. R.; 1 shack foot of East 78th St., E. R.; 1 shack foot of East 91st St., E. R.; 1 shack foot of East 94th St., E. R.; 1 shack foot of East 96th St., E. R.

Parcel No. 2—1 shack foot of 100th St., H. R.; 1 shack foot of 101st St., H. R.; 1 shack foot of 110th St., H. R.; 1 shack foot of 117th St., H. R.; 1 shack foot of 119th St., H. R.; 1 shack foot of 125th St., H. R.; 1 shack foot of 135th St., H. R.; 1 shack foot of 138th St., H. R.; 1 shack foot of 138th St., Pt. Morris, Bronx.

Parcel No. 3—1 shack at Pier No. 1, N. R.; 1 shack at Pier No. 10, N. R.; 1 shack at Pier No. 16, N. R.; 1 shack at Pier No. 24, N. R.; 1 shack at foot of Canal Street, N. R.; 1 shack at foot of Barrow Street, N. R.; 1 house at Pier No. 52, N. R.; 1 shack at foot of Gansevoort St., N. R.; 1 shack at foot of Bloomfield St., N. R.; 1 shack at foot of West 14th St., N. R.; 1 shack at foot of West 16th St., N. R.; 1 shack at foot of West 22nd St., N. R.; 1 shack at foot of West 23d St., N. R.; 1 shack and 2 houses foot of West 26th St., N. R.; 1 shack foot of West 30th St., N. R.; 1 shack foot of West 35th St., N. R.; 1 shack foot of West 39th St., N. R.; 1 shack foot of West 42nd St., N. R.; 1 shack foot of West 52nd St., N. R.; 1 shack foot of West 55th St., N. R.; 1 shack foot of West 79th St., N. R.; 1 shack foot of West 96th St., N. R.; 1 shack foot of West 133rd St., N. R.; 1 shack foot of West 134th St., N. R.; 1 shack foot of West 156th St., N. R.; 1 shack foot of West 158th St., N. R.

Parcel No. 4—1 shack foot of North Henry St., Whale Creek Greenpoint; 2 shacks foot of Noble Street, E. R.; 1 shack foot of So. Fifth Street, Wallabout Canal, Brooklyn; 2 shacks in yard at Wallabout Canal, Brooklyn; 1 shack foot of Washington St., E. R.; 2 shacks foot of 39th Street, So. Brooklyn; 1 shack foot of 52nd Street, So. Brooklyn; 2 shacks and 1 house, foot of Bay Ridge Avenue, So. Brooklyn. These buildings are to be removed within five days from the date of sale.

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 20th day of March, 1916, 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 March 20, 1916," 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."**

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.  
City of New York, Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's Office, February 24, 1916. m3,20

**AT THE REQUEST OF THE PRESIDENT**  
of the Borough of The Bronx, public notice is hereby given that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale by sealed bids certain encroachments standing upon property owned by The City of New York, acquired by it for street opening purposes in the

**Borough of The Bronx.**

Being the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., standing within the lines of Sacket Avenue, from the westerly line of Colden Avenue to Williamsbridge 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 February 23, 1916, 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, MARCH 17, 1916,**

at 11 a. m., in lots and parcels, and in manner and form, and at upset prices as follows: Parcel 31—Part of one and one-half story frame barn, fences, fruit and shade trees within the line of Sacket Avenue, between Haight Avenue and Williamsbridge Road. Cut barn 34.6 feet on east side by 10.9 feet on westerly projection. Upset price, \$25.

Sealed bids (blank forms of which may be obtained upon application) will be received by the Comptroller at the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Room 368, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, until 11.00 a. m. on the 17th day of March, 1916, 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 March 17th, 1916," 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."**

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.  
City of New York, Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's Office, February 24, 1916. m1,17

**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 Woodbine Street, from Irving Avenue to Knickerbocker 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 February 23, 1916, the sale by sealed bids, at the upset or minimum prices named in the description of the above buildings and appurtenances thereto, will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

**THURSDAY, MARCH 16, 1916,**

at 11 a. m., in lots and parcels, and in manner and form, and at upset prices as follows: Parcel 57—Three two-story brick houses, No. 611, No. 613, No. 615 Knickerbocker Avenue, Borough of Brooklyn. Upset price \$200.

Sealed bids (blank forms of which may be obtained upon application) will be received by the Comptroller at the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Room 368, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, until 11.00 a. m. on the 16th day of March, 1916, 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 March 16th, 1916," 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."**

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.  
City of New York, Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's Office, February 24, 1916. f29,m16

**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 a certain building standing upon property owned by The City of New York, formerly used by it for school purposes in the

**Borough of Manhattan.**

Being the building on the plot on the northwesterly side of Pearl Street, 75 feet east of Beekman Street, known as 293 Pearl Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, which is 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 adopted by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, at a meeting held February 23, 1916, the sale by sealed bids of the above described buildings and appurtenances thereto will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

**WEDNESDAY, MARCH 15, 1916,**

at 11 a. m., in lots and parcels, and in manner and form as follows:

Parcel No. 1—Four-story brick building No. 293 Pearl Street, Borough of Manhattan.

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 15th day of March, 1916, 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 March 15, 1916," 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."**

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.  
City of New York, Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's Office, February 23, 1916. f28,m15

**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 a certain building standing upon property owned by The City of New York, formerly used for Fire Department purposes, in the

**Borough of Queens.**

Being the building on the southerly side of Robinson Avenue, 200 feet westerly from Queens Avenue, Flushing, formerly used by Flushing Hose Company No. 3, in the Borough of Queens, which is 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 adopted by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, at a meeting held February 23, 1916, the sale by sealed bids of the above described buildings and appurtenances thereto will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

**TUESDAY, MARCH 14, 1916,**

at 11 a. m., in lots and parcels and in manner and form as follows:

PARCEL NO. 1: Frame building, formerly used by Flushing Hose Company No. 3, on the southerly side of Robinson Avenue, 200 feet westerly from Queens Avenue, Flushing, Borough of Queens.

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 14th day of March, 1916, 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 March 14, 1916," 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, February 23, 1916. f26,m14

#### Interest on City Bonds and Stock.

THE INTEREST DUE APRIL 1, 1916, ON Registered and Coupon bonds and stock of The City of New York, and of the former corporations now included therein, will be paid on that day by the Comptroller at his office (Room 847, Municipal Building, Chambers and Centre Streets, Borough of Manhattan).

The books for the transfer of bonds and stock on which interest is payable April 1, 1916, will be closed from March 15, 1916, to April 1, 1916.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.  
City of New York, Department of Finance,  
Comptroller's Office, March 1, 1916. m1,a1

#### 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 Pavement.*

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.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

#### Sales of Tax Liens.

Notice of the Continuation of The Bronx Tax Sale.

THE SALE OF THE LIENS FOR UNPAID SPECIAL FRANCHISE TAXES AND REAL ESTATE OF CORPORATION TAXES for the Borough of The Bronx, as to liens remaining unsold at the termination of sale of August 9, Nov. 1, 1915, Feb. 7, 1916, has been continued to

**MONDAY, MARCH 20, 1916,**  
at 2 o'clock P. M., pursuant to Section 1028 of the Greater New York Charter, and will be continued at that time on the 4th floor of the Bergen Building, corner of Arthur and Tremont Avenues, Borough of the Bronx, City of New York.

DANIEL MOYNAHAN, Collector of Assessments and Arrears. f14,m20

#### DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

##### Proposals.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Park Board at the office of the Department of Parks, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, until 3 o'clock p. m., on

**THURSDAY, MARCH 16, 1916,**  
Borough of The Bronx.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING GRITS, BROKEN STONE AND SCREENINGS, REFINED COAL TAR, SAND.

The time allowed for the completion of the contracts is before Nov. 15th, 1916.

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

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

Blank forms and other information may be obtained at the office of the Department of Parks, Zbrowski Mansion, Claremont Park, Borough of The Bronx.

CABOT WARD, President; THOS. W. WHITTLE, RAYMOND V. INGERSOLL, JOHN E. WEIER, Park Commissioners. m4,16

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Park Board, at the office of the Department of Parks, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until three o'clock p. m. on

**THURSDAY, MARCH 9, 1916,**  
Borough of Brooklyn.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ONE (1) THREE AND ONE-HALF TON MOTOR TRUCK, AT THE STOREHOUSE, PROSPECT PARK WEST AND SEVENTH STREET, PROSPECT PARK, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed for the completion of this contract will be fifteen (15) calendar days.

The amount of security required will be 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. f26,m9

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

#### DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

##### Auction Sale of Condemned Property.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN IN ACCORDANCE with the provisions of Section 541 of the Greater New York Charter, that the Department of Street Cleaning will sell at public auction, at Stable "A," 17th Street and Avenue "C," Borough of Manhattan, the following described condemned property of the said Department in the Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx and Brooklyn, at 10 o'clock a. m.,

**WEDNESDAY, MARCH 8, 1916.**  
FIFTY (50) HORSES, MORE OR LESS.

The horses shall be paid for in full at the time of the sale and shall be removed by the purchasers before 3 o'clock, p. m., on the day

of the sale. Purchasers must satisfy themselves as to the condition and value of each horse before paying for the same, as in no case will money be refunded, or the return of the horses accepted, after the sale.

J. T. FETHERSTON, Commissioner.  
Dated February 24, 1916. f28,m8

#### FIRE DEPARTMENT.

##### Auction Sale.

VAN TASSELL & KEARNEY, AUCTIONEERS, on behalf of the Fire Department, will offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder on

**TUESDAY, MARCH 7, 1916,**  
at premises No. 130 East 13th Street, Borough of Manhattan, at 12 m., on said date, the following twelve horses:

HORSES REGISTERED NOS. 293-B, 774-B, 785-N, Y., 375-N, Y., 626-B, 267-B, 864-N, Y., 339-N, Y., 631-N, Y., 684-B, 810-N, Y. AND 860-N, Y.

The above horses may be seen at any time before the date of sale at department stables, Bolivar and St. Edward's Streets, Borough of Brooklyn.

ROBERT ADAMSON, Fire Commissioner. m2,7

#### DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY.

##### Proposals.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received at the office of the Commissioner of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, Room 2351, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, until 2 p. m., on

**WEDNESDAY, MARCH 15, 1916,**  
Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

FOR PAINTING FENCE AROUND THE JEROME PARK RESERVOIR.

The time allowed for doing and completing the entire work is Fifty (50) Consecutive Working days.

The amount in which security is required for the performance of the contract is One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000).

The bidder will state one aggregate price for the whole work described and specified, as the contract is entire and for a complete job.

The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum to the lowest formal bidder.

Blank forms of bid, proposals and contract, including specifications approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained at Room 2351, in the Municipal Building, Manhattan, New York City.

m4,15 WILLIAM WILLIAMS, Commissioner.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity at Room 2351, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 2 o'clock p. m., on

**WEDNESDAY, MARCH 15, 1916,**  
Boroughs of Manhattan and The Bronx.

FOR PAINTING THREE BRIDGES IN THE CROTON WATERSHED.

The time allowed for doing and completing the entire work is ninety (90) consecutive working days.

The amount in which security is required for the performance of the contract is three thousand dollars (\$3,000).

The bidder will state one aggregate price for the whole work described and specified, as the contract is entire and for a complete job.

The bids will be compared and the contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum to the lowest formal bidder.

Blank forms of bid, proposals and contract, including specifications approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained at Room 2351, in the Municipal Building, Manhattan, New York City.

m4,15 WILLIAM WILLIAMS, Commissioner.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity at Room 2351, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 2 o'clock p. m., on

**THURSDAY, MARCH 16, 1916,**  
Borough of Brooklyn.

FOR FURNISHING, DELIVERING, UNLOADING, STACKING AND STORING CAST IRON PIPE, SPECIAL AND VALVE BOX CASTINGS, VALVES AND DOUBLE NOZZLE FIRE HYDRANTS.

The time allowed for the delivery of the materials and supplies and the performance of the contract will be one hundred and fifty (150) calendar days on Section I, seventy-five (75) calendar days on Section II, one hundred and fifty (150) calendar days on Section III and seventy-five (75) calendar days on Section IV.

The security required will be eleven thousand dollars (\$11,000) on Section I, three thousand dollars (\$3,000) on Section II, five thousand dollars (\$5,000) on Section III, and four thousand dollars (\$4,000) on Section IV.

Bids will be received for each Section singly, or for all sections; but in comparing the bids, the bids for each Section will be compared separately and the contract awarded by Sections.

**Brooklyn and Richmond.**

NO. 2. FOR FURNISHING, DELIVERING, UNLOADING, STACKING AND STORING CAST IRON PIPE, SPECIAL AND VALVE BOX CASTINGS, VALVES AND DOUBLE NOZZLE FIRE HYDRANTS.

The time allowed for the delivery of the materials and supplies and the performance of the contract will be forty-five (45) calendar days on each section.

The security required will be five hundred dollars (\$500) on Section I, three hundred dollars (\$300) on Section II, one hundred dollars (\$100) on Section III, and two hundred dollars (\$200) on Section IV.

Bids will be received for each Section singly, or for all Sections; but in comparing the bids, the bids for each Section will be compared separately and the contract awarded by Sections.

Blank forms of bid, proposals and contract, including specifications, approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel, can be obtained at Room 2351, in the Municipal Building, Manhattan, New York City.

March 2, 1916.

m4,16 WILLIAM WILLIAMS, Commissioner.

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

#### BELLEVUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS.

##### Proposals.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Board of Trustees in the Staff Room of Bellevue Hospital (entrance 415 E. 26th st.) until 12 o'clock noon on

**TUESDAY, MARCH 14, 1916,**  
FOR ALL LABOR AND MATERIALS TO CUT NEW OPENINGS AND TO INSTALL NEW TRANSOMS, ETC., IN THE FORDHAM HOSPITAL, SITUATED AT CROTONA

AVENUE AND SOUTHERN BOULEVARD, BOROUGH OF THE BRONX, CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time allowed for the completion of all the work included under this contract is SIXTY (60) CONSECUTIVE CALENDAR DAYS.

The security required will be ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$1,000). (Bonds not required with bids.)

As a condition precedent to the reception or consideration of a bid, a deposit of FIFTY DOLLARS (\$50) must be made with the department, in accordance with section 420 of the Greater New York Charter, as explained in general instructions, last page of City Record.

Bids must be submitted upon blank forms prepared by the department.

No proposal, after it shall have been deposited with the department, will be allowed to be withdrawn for any reason whatever.

The bids will be compared and the contract awarded as soon thereafter as practicable, according to law.

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Chief Clerk and Auditor, entrance No. 400 East 29th Street, Borough of Manhattan.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES, BELLEVUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS, by JOHN W. BRANNAN, M. D., President. m3,14

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

#### ARMORY BOARD.

##### Proposals.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received at the office of the Mayor at 3 o'clock p. m.,

**THURSDAY, MARCH 16, 1916,**  
for the following work:

ITEM 1—INSTALLATION OF NEW LIGHTING SYSTEM, ETC., IN DRILL SHED, 13TH COAST DEFENSE COMMAND ARMORY, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN. SECURITY, \$1,500. DEPOSIT TO ACCOMPANY BID, \$75. TIME ALLOWED TO COMPLETE THE WORK, 60 CONSECUTIVE WORKING DAYS.

ITEM 2—ALTERATIONS TO PROVIDE FOR LOCKER AND STORAGE ROOMS, IN 2D BATTALION NAVAL MILITIA ARMORY, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN. SECURITY, \$2,000. DEPOSIT TO ACCOMPANY BID, \$100. TIME ALLOWED TO COMPLETE THE WORK, 60 CONSECUTIVE WORKING DAYS.

A separate proposal shall be submitted for each item.

Blank forms and other information may be obtained at the office of the Armory Board, Room 6, Basement, Hall of Records, Manhattan.

THE ARMORY BOARD, JOHN PURDY MITCHEL, Mayor; WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller; FRANK L. DOWLING, President of the Board of Aldermen; GEORGE R. DYER, Brig. Gen. 1st Brigade; JOHN G. EDDY, Brig. Gen. 2d Brigade; R. P. FORBES, Commodore, Naval Militia; LAWSON PURDY, President, Dept. of Taxes and Assessments. m3,16

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except for the address of the office for receiving and opening bids.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

##### Proposals.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Correction at Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 11 o'clock a. m., on

**TUESDAY, MARCH 14, 1916,**  
FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 225 TONS ICE (NATURAL).

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before December 31, 1916.

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

The bidder will state the price for 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 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.

BURDETTE G. LEWIS, Commissioner. m3,14

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Correction at Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 11 o'clock a. m., on

**MONDAY, MARCH 6, 1916,**  
FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 1,500 BARRELS PORTLAND CEMENT, IN BAGS. To be delivered to New Hampton Farms, Orange County, New York.

The time for the delivery of the cement, and the performance of the contract is by or before August 31st, 1916.

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

The bidder will state the price for each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per barrel, 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.

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.

BURDETTE G. LEWIS, Commissioner. f24,m6

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

#### DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

##### Proposals.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Docks at his office, Pier "A," foot of Battery Place, North River, Manhattan, until 12 o'clock noon on

**FRIDAY, MARCH 10, 1916,**  
Borough of Manhattan.

CONTRACT NO. 1488, CLASSES 1 AND 2. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR BUILDING A FREIGHT SHED WITH APPURTENANCES ON THE PIER AT THE FOOT OF WEST

FORTY-SIXTH STREET, NORTH RIVER, IN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed for doing and completing the work will be 420 calendar days.

The security required shall be \$200,000.

The bidder shall state, both in writing and in figures, a total price for doing all of the work called for in Class 1; a price per square yard for in Class 2; also, a total price for Classes 1 and 2 combined. Both classes, 1 and 2, combined form one contract, and award, if made, will be made to the bidder whose total price for doing all of the work called for in both classes is the lowest and whose bid is regular in all respects. In case of discrepancy between the written price and that given in figures, the price in writing will be considered as the bid.

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 and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the said Department.

R. A. C. SMITH, Commissioner of Docks. f28,m10

Dated February 26, 1916.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Docks at his office, Pier "A," foot of Battery Place, North River, Manhattan, until 12 o'clock noon on

**WEDNESDAY, MARCH 8, 1916,**  
CONTRACT NO. 1501.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING PROPELLER WHEELS.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of one hundred and twenty (120) calendar days.

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

The security deposit to accompany bid shall be in an amount not less than one and one-half (1½) per cent. of the total amount of the bid.

Item 1 of the contract calls for 6 propeller wheels for the Staten Island ferriesboats. Item 2 calls for 2 propeller wheels for the 39th Street ferriesboats. Awards, if made, will be made in each item to the lowest bidder in the item.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the said Department.

R. A. C. SMITH, Commissioner of Docks. f25,m8

Dated February 23, 1916.

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

#### HUNTER COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

##### Proposals.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Chairman of the Committee on Finance of the Board of Trustees of Hunter College of the City of New York, at the office of the Board of Trustees, at Hunter College, Park Avenue and 68th Street, Borough of Manhattan, until 3 o'clock p. m., on

**THURSDAY, MARCH 16, 1916,**  
FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 225 GROSS TONS OF ANTHRACITE COAL, PEA SIZE, MORE OR LESS.

The time for the delivery of the articles, material and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before the 31st day of January, 1917.

The amount of security required shall be not less than 30 per cent. of the estimated cost of the coal.

Certified check or cash to the amount of 5 per cent. of the security required must be submitted with the bid.

Bids must be submitted in duplicate.

Bids will be compared and the contract awarded as a whole.

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 other information may be obtained at the office of the Secretary of the Board of Trustees of Hunter College, southwest corner of Park Avenue and 59th Street, Borough of Manhattan.

ADRIAN VAN SINDEREN, Chairman, Committee on Finance. m4,16

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

#### DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

##### Proposals.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Buildings at the office of the Department of Education, Park Avenue and 59th Street, Manhattan, until four o'clock P. M., on

**MONDAY, MARCH 13, 1916,**  
Borough of Queens.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING GLASS TO VARIOUS SCHOOLS IN THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

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

The amount of security required is Six Hundred Dollars (\$600).

The bid to be submitted must include the entire work on all schools and award will



Blank forms 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.  
C. B. J. SNYDER, Superintendent of School Buildings.  
Dated, February 23, 1916. m23,m6  
See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

#### Proposals.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by Department of Public Charities, at Room 1230, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, until 12 o'clock noon on

#### THURSDAY, MARCH 16, 1916.

#### FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING UNIFORMS.

The time for the performance of the contract is on or before June 30, 1916.

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

No bid will be considered unless it is accompanied by a deposit. Such deposit shall be in an amount not less than one and one-half (1½) per cent. of the total amount of the bid.

The bidder will state the price per each, pair 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, 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 Room 1230, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan.

#### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

JOHN A. KINGSBURY, Commissioner. m6,16

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

### BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

#### Notice of Public Hearing.

##### FRANCHISE MATTERS.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the consideration of the communication from the Public Service Commission for the First District transmitting, for approval, resolutions as to route and general plan of construction for an additional rapid transit railway in the Borough of Brooklyn, known as "Modification of Gravesend Avenue Route," which consideration was, by resolution adopted February 23, 1916, fixed for this day, was continued until Friday, March 10, 1916, at ten o'clock in the forenoon and Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, when and where all those interested will be afforded an opportunity to appear and be heard.

JAMES D. MCGANN, Assistant Secretary, Room 1307, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan. Telephone, 4560 Worth.  
Dated, New York, March 3, 1916. m6,10

#### Notices of Public Hearings.

##### PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT MATTERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to change the grades of West 134th Street between Broadway and Riverside Drive Viaduct, Borough of Manhattan, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, March 17, 1916, at 10 o'clock A. M., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on February 18, 1916, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of Section 442 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the grades of West 134th Street between Broadway and Riverside Drive Viaduct, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, which proposed change is more particularly shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the President of the Borough and dated January 12, 1916.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 17th day of March, 1916, at 10 o'clock A. M.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions, and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the City Record for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 17th day of March, 1916.

Dated March 4, 1916.  
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building. Telephone, 4560 Worth. m4,15

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to widen West 165th Street from Audubon Avenue to Amsterdam Avenue, and discontinue the public park bounded by Audubon Avenue, Croton Place and West 165th Street, Borough of Manhattan, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, March 17, 1916, at 10 o'clock A. M., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on February 18, 1916, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of Section 442 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York by widening West 165th Street from Audubon Avenue to Amsterdam Avenue, and by discontinuing the public park bounded by Audubon Avenue, Croton Place and West 165th Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, which proposed change is more particularly shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the Secretary of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and dated November 30, 1915.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 17th day of March, 1916, at 10 o'clock A. M.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions, and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the City Record for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 17th day of March, 1916.

Dated March 4, 1916.  
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building. Telephone, 4560 Worth. m4,15

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions, and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the City Record for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 17th day of March, 1916.

Dated March 4, 1916.  
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building. Telephone, 4560 Worth. m4,15

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to change the grade of East 173rd Street between 3rd Avenue and Fulton Avenue, Borough of The Bronx, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, March 17, 1916, at 10 o'clock A. M., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on February 18, 1916, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of Section 442 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the grade of East 173rd Street between 3rd Avenue and Fulton Avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, which proposed change is more particularly shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the President of the Borough and dated October 21, 1915.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 17th day of March, 1916, at 10 o'clock A. M.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions, and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the City Record for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 17th day of March, 1916.

Dated March 4, 1916.  
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building. Telephone, 4560 Worth. m4,15

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to discontinue Edgewood Avenue between Bronxwood Avenue and East 233rd Street, and change the grades of Bronxwood Avenue between Bussing Avenue and East 232nd Street, and of East 233rd Street between Bronxwood Avenue and Paulding Avenue, Borough of The Bronx, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, March 17, 1916, at 10 o'clock A. M., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on February 18, 1916, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of Section 442 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York by discontinuing Edgewood Avenue between Bronxwood Avenue and East 233rd Street, and by changing the grades of Bronxwood Avenue between Bussing Avenue and East 232nd Street, and of East 233rd Street between Bronxwood Avenue and Paulding Avenue, in the Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, which proposed change is more particularly shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the President of the Borough and dated September 20, 1915.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 17th day of March, 1916, at 10 o'clock A. M.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions, and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the City Record for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 17th day of March, 1916.

Dated March 4, 1916.  
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building. Telephone, 4560 Worth. m4,15

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to change the grades of the street system within the territory bounded by Roosevelt Avenue, Gleane Street, Britton Avenue, Ithaca Street, Baxter Avenue and 26th Street, Borough of Queens, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, March 17, 1916, at 10 o'clock A. M., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on February 18, 1916, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of Section 442 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the grades of the street system within the territory bounded by Roosevelt Avenue, Gleane Street, Britton Avenue, Ithaca Street, Baxter Avenue and 26th Street, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, which proposed change is more particularly shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the President of the Borough and dated April 30, 1915.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 17th day of March, 1916, at 10 o'clock A. M.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions, and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the City Record for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 17th day of March, 1916.

Dated March 4, 1916.  
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building. Telephone, 4560 Worth. m4,15

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to establish

lines and grades for 195th Street from 98th Avenue (Sagamore Avenue) to 99th Avenue (Atlantic Avenue), Borough of Queens, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, March 17, 1916, at 10 o'clock A. M., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on February 18, 1916, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of Section 442 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York by establishing lines and grades for 195th Street from 98th Avenue (Sagamore Avenue) to 99th Avenue (Atlantic Avenue), in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, which proposed change is more particularly shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the President of the Borough and dated December 11, 1915.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 17th day of March, 1916, at 10 o'clock A. M.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions, and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the City Record for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 17th day of March, 1916.

Dated March 4, 1916.  
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building. Telephone, 4560 Worth. m4,15

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to change the lines of the street system within the territory bounded by Caldwell Avenue, Juniper Avenue, Helen Place, Lisbet Place, Eliot Avenue and Harriet Avenue, and adjust the dimensions of the angle at the westerly intersection of Brown Place and Caldwell Avenue, Borough of Queens, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, March 17, 1916, at 10 o'clock A. M., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on February 18, 1916, notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of Section 442 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the lines of the street system within the territory bounded by Caldwell Avenue, Juniper Avenue, Helen Place, Lisbet Place, Eliot Avenue and Harriet Avenue, and adjusting the dimensions of the angle at the westerly intersection of Brown Place and Caldwell Avenue in the Borough of Queens, City of New York, which proposed change is more particularly shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the President of the Borough and dated September 29, 1915.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board, to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 17th day of March, 1916, at 10 o'clock A. M.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions, and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the City Record for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 17th day of March, 1916.

Dated March 4, 1916.  
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building. Telephone, 4560 Worth. m4,15

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT THE meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on February 18, 1916, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York is considering the advisability of instituting proceedings to acquire title to the real property required for the opening and extending of Cedar Place from Sullivan Street to Malbone Street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York; and

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment is authorized and required at the time of the adoption of the resolution directing the institution of proceedings to acquire title to the real property required for the foregoing improvement to fix and determine upon an area or areas of assessment for benefit for said proceedings.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in pursuance of the provisions of Section 973 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, hereby gives notice that the proposed area of assessment for benefit in these proceedings is as follows:

Beginning at a point on the northerly line of Malbone Street where it is intersected by a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the easterly line of Franklin Avenue and the westerly line of Cedar Place as these streets are laid out between Sullivan Street and Malbone Street, and running thence northwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with the northerly line of Sullivan Street; thence northwardly at right angles to Sullivan Street a distance of 100 feet; thence eastwardly and parallel with Sullivan Street to the intersection with a line at right angles to Sullivan Street and passing through a point on its southerly side where it is intersected by the prolongation of a line distant 100 feet easterly from and parallel with the easterly line of Cedar Place as this street is laid out between Sullivan Street and Malbone Street, the said distance being measured at right angles to Cedar Place; thence southwardly along the said line at right angles to Sullivan Street to the intersection with its southerly side; thence southwardly along the said line parallel with Cedar Place and along the prolongations of the said line to the intersection with the southerly line of Malbone Street; thence southwardly at right angles to Malbone Street a distance of 100 feet; thence westwardly and parallel with Malbone Street to the intersection with a line at right angles to Malbone Street and passing through the point of beginning; thence northwardly along the said line at right angles to Malbone Street to the point or place of beginning.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed area of assessment at a meeting of the Board to be held in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, in the City Hall, on Friday, March 17, 1916, at 10 o'clock A. M., and that at the same time and place a public hearing thereon will then and there be had.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby to be published in The City Record and in the Corporation Newspapers for ten days, exclusive of Sundays and legal holidays, prior to Friday, March 17, 1916.

Dated March 4, 1916.  
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Municipal Building. Telephone, 4560 Worth. m4,15

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT THE meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on February 18, 1916, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment, under resolutions adopted on January 26, 1911, January 8, 1915, and December 3, 1915, authorized a proceeding for acquiring title to Corona Avenue from Hampton Street to Rodman Street, Borough of Queens; and

Whereas, The Board is considering the advisability of further amending the said proceeding so as to conform to a map or plan adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment January 21, 1916, and approved by the Mayor on January 25, 1916, in which Lurting Street was discontinued in the block between Junction Avenue and Corona Avenue, this incidentally involving the fixing of the northerly line of Corona Avenue across the former intersection with Lurting Street; the amendment now proposed providing for the acquisition of title to Corona Avenue from Hampton Street to Rodman Street, as said Corona Avenue is now laid out upon the map or plan of the City of New York.

Resolved, that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in pursuance of the provisions of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, hereby gives notice that the following is the proposed area of assessment for benefit in this proposed amended proceeding:

Beginning at a point on the southerly property line of the Long Island Railroad where it is intersected by a line at right angles to Corona Avenue, and passing through a point on its northwesterly side, midway between Hampton Street and Neil Place, and running thence eastwardly along the said property line of the Long Island Railroad to the intersection with a line midway between Way Avenue and Alhambra Avenue; thence southwardly along the said line midway between Way Avenue and Alhambra Avenue to the intersection with a line midway between Lurting Street and Merritt Street; thence eastwardly along the said line midway between Lurting Street and Merritt Street to a point distant 600 feet northwesterly from the northerly line of Corona Avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Corona Avenue; thence southwardly and always distant 600 feet northwesterly from and parallel with the northerly line of Corona Avenue and the prolongations thereof to the intersection with the prolongation of the northerly line of Rodman Street; thence southwardly along a line at right angles to Rodman Street to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Tredwell Street and Urquhart Street; thence westwardly along the said line midway between Tredwell Street and Urquhart Street and along the prolongations of the said line to the intersection with a line parallel with Seminole Avenue and passing through a point on the southerly line of Scudder Street, where it is intersected by the prolongation of a line midway between Van Doren Street and Waldron Street; thence northwardly along the said line parallel with Seminole Avenue to the southerly line of Scudder Street; thence northwardly along the said line midway between Van Doren Street and Waldron Street and along the prolongation of the said line to a point distant 600 feet southwesterly from the southwesterly line of Corona Avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Corona Avenue; thence generally northwesterly and always distant 600 feet southwesterly from and parallel with the southwesterly line of Corona Avenue and the prolongations thereof to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Gerry Avenue and Maurice Avenue; thence westwardly along the said line midway between Gerry Avenue and Maurice Avenue and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Etna Place and Medina Place; thence northwardly along the said line midway between Etna Place and Medina Place and along the prolongations of the said line to the intersection with a line at right angles to Corona Avenue, and passing through the point of beginning; thence northwardly along the said line at right angles to Corona Avenue to the point or place of beginning.

Resolved, that this Board consider the proposed area of assessment at a meeting of the Board to be held in the City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, in the City Hall, on Friday, March 17, 1916, at 10 o'clock A. M., and that at the same time and place a public hearing thereon will then and there be had.

Resolved, that the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby to be published in the City Record for ten days, exclusive of Sundays and legal holidays, prior to March 17, 1916.

Dated March 4, 1916.  
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Municipal Building. Telephone, 4560 Worth. m4,15

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT THE meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on February 18, 1916, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment is considering a Tentative Plan showing proposed lines and grades for Riverside Drive West from West 155th Street to Riverside Drive East, about opposite West 177th Street; a proposed change in the lines and grades of West 158th Street between Riverside Drive West and Riverside Drive East; proposed lines for West 171st Street from Riverside Drive West to Riverside Drive East; and a proposed change in the grade of Audubon Place from Riverside Drive East to West 157th Street; and a proposed change in the grade of Riverside Drive East from West 157th Street to a point about 300 feet north of West 158th Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York; the said Tentative Plan bearing the signature of the Secretary of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and dated February 18, 1916.

Resolved, that the Board hold an informal hearing on the said Tentative Plan at a meeting of the Board to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, March 17, 1916, at 10 o'clock A. M.

Dated March 4, 1916.  
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Municipal Building. Telephone, 4560 Worth. m4,15

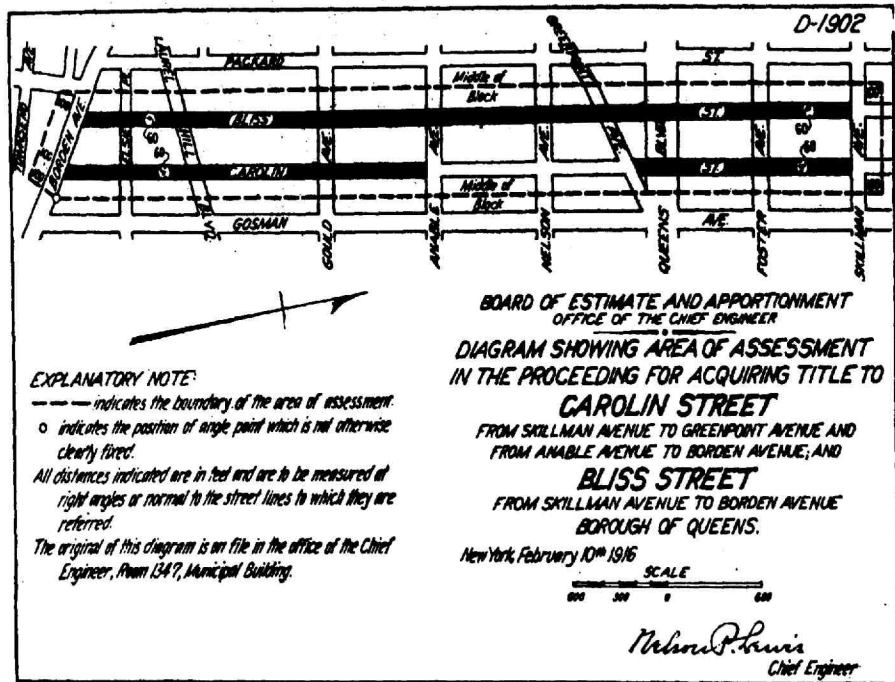
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT THE meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on February 18, 1916, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York is considering the advisability of instituting proceedings to acquire title to the real property required for the opening and extending of Bliss Street from Skillman Avenue to Borden Avenue; Carolin Street from Skillman Avenue to Greenpoint Avenue, and from Anable Avenue to Borden Avenue, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York; and

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment is authorized and required at the time of the adoption of the resolution directing the institution of proceedings to acquire title to the real property required for the foregoing improvement to fix and determine upon an area or areas of assessment for benefit for said proceedings.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in pursuance of Section 973 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, hereby gives notice that the proposed area of assessment for benefit in these proceedings is as shown on the following diagram:





Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed area of assessment at a meeting of the Board to be held in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, in the City Hall, on Friday, March 17, 1916, at 10 o'clock a. m., and that at the same time and place a public hearing thereon will then and there be had.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby to be published in The City Record for ten days, exclusive of Sundays and legal holidays, prior to Friday, March 17, 1916.

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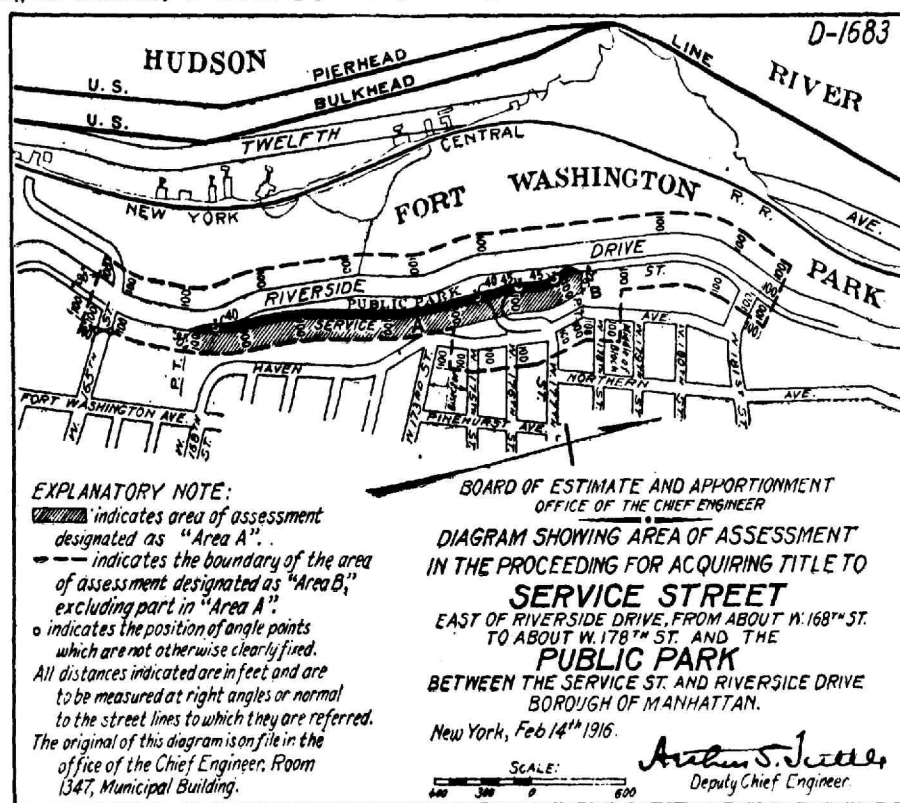
**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT THE** meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on February 25, 1916, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York is considering the advisability of instituting proceedings to

acquire title to the real property required for the opening and extending of The Service Street located on the easterly side of Riverside Drive, extending from a point near West 168th Street to a point near West 178th Street, together with the Public Park intervening between the Service Street and Riverside Drive, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York; and

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment is authorized and required at the time of the adoption of the resolution directing the institution of proceedings to acquire title to the real property required for the foregoing improvement to fix and determine upon an area or areas of assessment for benefit for said proceedings.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in pursuance of the provisions of Section 973 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, hereby gives notice that the proposed area of assessment for benefit in these proceedings is as shown on the following diagram:



Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed area of assessment at a meeting of the Board to be held in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, in the City Hall, on Friday, March 17, 1916, at 10 o'clock a. m., and that at the same time and place a public hearing thereon will then and there be had.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby to be published in The City Record for ten days, exclusive of Sundays and legal holidays, prior to Friday, March 17, 1916.

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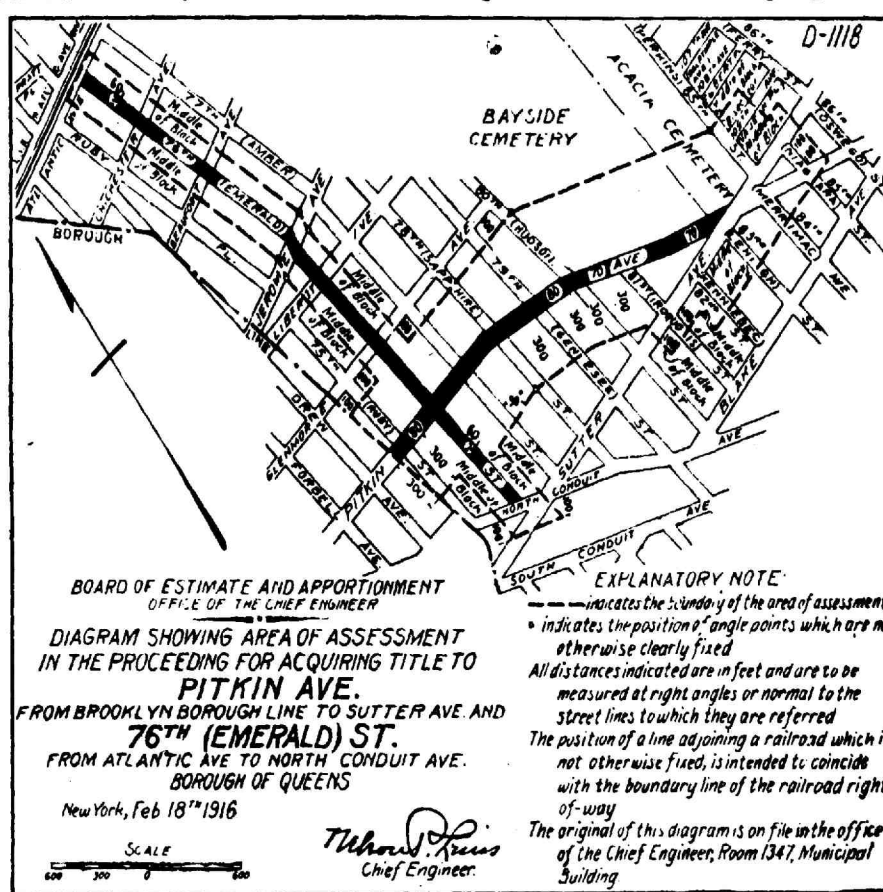
**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT THE** meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on February 25, 1916, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York is considering the advisability of instituting proceedings to

acquire title to the real property required for the opening and extending of Seventy-sixth Street (North Conduit Avenue) from Atlantic Avenue to the Brooklyn Borough Line to Sutter Avenue, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York; and

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment is authorized and required at the time of the adoption of the resolution directing the institution of proceedings to acquire title to the real property required for the foregoing improvement to fix and determine upon an area or areas of assessment for benefit for said proceedings.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in pursuance of the provisions of Section 973 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, hereby gives notice that the proposed area of assessment for benefit in these proceedings is as shown on the following diagram:



Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed area of assessment at a meeting of the Board to be held in The City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, in the City Hall, on Friday, March 17, 1916, at 10 o'clock a. m., and that at the same time and place a public hearing thereon will then and there be had.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board

cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby to be published in The City Record for ten days, exclusive of Sundays and legal holidays, prior to Friday, March 17, 1916.

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## MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

### Proposed Amendments to Rules and Classification.

**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** OF the following proposed amendments to the civil service rules and classification:

Amending the first paragraph of clause 12 of Rule XIX by adding thereto the following:

"When two or more persons selected from the same eligible list are serving as probationers under the same appointing officer, and a reduction of force is necessary, they shall be preferred for retention in the order of their original standing on such list."

Including in the Competitive Class, Part I, Group 3 (Positions of a Special or Miscellaneous Character), the following:

**Chief Attendance Officer.**

**Supervising Attendance Officer.**

Including in the Non-Competitive Class, under the heading "Positions in the Department of Correction, at compensations not exceeding the amounts set forth below," the following:

**Without Maintenance, Prison Artisan, \$600 Per Annum.**

**With Maintenance, Prison Artisan, \$360 per annum.**

**PUBLIC HEARINGS WILL BE ALLOWED,** in accordance with Rule III, at the request of any interested persons, at the Commission's offices in the Municipal Building, Room 1443, on

**WEDNESDAY, MARCH 8, 1916,** beginning at 10:30 A. M.

m6,8 ROBT. W. BELCHER, Secretary.

### Notices of Examinations.

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

**FRIDAY, MARCH 3, 1916, TO FRIDAY, MARCH 17, 1916,**

for the position of **STENOGRAPHER AND TYPEWRITER, MALE, GRADE 2.**

No applications delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 P. M., FRIDAY, MARCH 17, 1916, will be accepted.

Application blanks will be mailed upon request, provided a self-addressed stamped envelope or sufficient postage is enclosed to cover the mailing. The Commission will not guarantee the delivery of the same. Postage on applications forwarded by mail must be fully prepaid.

Applicants must be citizens of the United States and residents of the State of New York.

The subjects and weights of the examination are as follows: Dictation, 5 (of which Rapidity in taking shorthand notes will count 2 and Accuracy in transcription will count 3); Tabulation, 2; Copying Test, 1 (Speed in transcribing from plain copy to machine); Facility in Transcribing, 1 (Speed in transcribing a passage dictated at the rate of 90 words per minute); Spelling, 1. 70% will be required on the Dictation Test and 70% on all.

In the Dictation Test, four readings will be given; one at 100 words per minute, one at 110 words per minute, one at 120 words per minute and one at 130 words per minute, carrying the ratings, respectively of 70%, 80%, 90% and 100% on Rapidity.

In rating Accuracy, exactness, correctness of form, neatness, freedom from interlineations, alterations, etc., will be considered. Time limits will be set in connection with each test. Candidates must furnish their own note books, typewriting machines, pens and ink. The Commission will not at any time or in any way be responsible for machines nor will any allowance be made where machines are missing, late in arriving, defective or out of order on the day of the examination.

A qualifying physical examination will be given. Candidates must be at least 18 years of age on the closing date for the receipt of applications.

Vacancies occur from time to time. Salary ranges from \$600 to, but not including, \$1,200 per annum.

The term of the eligibility of the list resulting from this examination is fixed at not less than one year nor more than four years.

m3,17 R. W. BELCHER, Secretary.

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

**MONDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 1916, TO MONDAY, MARCH 13, 1916,**

for the position of **INSPECTOR DISPOSAL OF TRADE WASTE, FEMALE.**

No applications delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 P. M., MONDAY, MARCH 13, 1916, will be accepted.

Application blanks will be mailed upon request, provided a self-addressed stamped envelope or sufficient postage is enclosed to cover the mailing. The Commission will not guarantee the delivery of the same. Postage on applications forwarded by mail must be fully prepaid. Applicants must be citizens of the United States and residents of the State of New York.

The subjects and weights are: Experience, 4; 70% required. Duties, 3; 70% required. Oral, 3; 70% required.

Candidates failing to qualify in any part of the examination will not be summoned for the ensuing tests.

A physical qualifying examination will be given. Applications for this examination are to be filed on a special blank, Form C, with insert.

**Requirements:** Candidates must have had at least three years' experience as an Inspector, Investigator, Examiner, Business Agent or Representative of a corporation or municipality, or must have been employed in similar occupation which would prepare for work of this character.

**Duties:** The duties of an Inspector of Trade Waste will include the supervision of at least five subordinates engaged in investigating and verifying work records, making statistical studies of street cleaning methods as related to the disposal of waste. The incumbent will be required to make critical and constructive reports on the manner of collection of wastes from business and industrial establishments and must be familiar with the most recent and improved practice. The incumbent will represent the Department of Street Cleaning at civic and public functions or citizens' meetings, and through lectures will seek co-operation in the matter of the disposal of wastes. Familiarity with laws, ordinances and charter provisions relating to the Department is essential.

Candidates must be at least 25 years of age, and not more than 40 years of age, on the closing date for the receipt of applications. There is one vacancy in the Street Cleaning Department at \$1,800 per annum.

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m28,m13 ROBT. W. BELCHER, Secretary.

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The subjects and weights are: Experience, 4; 70% required. Duties, 3; 70% required. Oral, 3; 70% required.

Candidates failing to qualify in any part of the examination will not be summoned for the ensuing tests.

A physical qualifying examination will be given. Applications for this examination are to be filed on a special blank, Form C, with insert.

**Requirements:** Candidates must have had at least three years' experience as an Inspector, Investigator, Examiner, Business Agent or Representative of a corporation or municipality, or must have been employed in similar occupation which would prepare for work of this character.

**Duties:** The duties of an Inspector of Trade Waste will include the supervision of at least five subordinates engaged in investigating and verifying work records, making statistical studies of street cleaning methods as related to the disposal of waste. The incumbent will be required to make critical and constructive reports on the manner of collection of wastes from business and industrial establishments and must be familiar with the most recent and improved practice. The incumbent will represent the Department of Street Cleaning at civic and public functions or citizens' meetings, and through lectures will seek co-operation in the matter of the disposal of wastes. Familiarity with laws, ordinances and charter provisions relating to the Department is essential.

Candidates must be at least 25 years of age, and not more than 40 years of age, on the closing date for the receipt of applications. There is one vacancy in the Street Cleaning Department at \$1,800 per annum.

The term of the eligibility of the list resulting from this examination is fixed at not less than one year nor more than four years.

m28,m13 ROBT. W. BELCHER, Secretary.

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

**MONDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 1916, TO MONDAY, MARCH 13, 1916,**

for the position of **INSPECTOR DISPOSAL OF TRADE WASTE, FEMALE.**

No applications delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 P. M., MONDAY, MARCH 13, 1916, will be accepted.

Application blanks will be mailed upon request, provided a self-addressed stamped envelope or sufficient postage is enclosed to cover the mailing. The Commission will not guarantee the delivery of the same. Postage on applications forwarded by mail must be fully prepaid. Applicants must be citizens of the United States and residents of the State of New York.

The subjects and weights are: Experience, 4; 70% required. Duties, 3; 70% required. Oral, 3; 70% required.

Candidates failing to qualify in any part of the examination will not be summoned for the ensuing tests.

A physical qualifying examination will be given. Applications for this examination are to be filed on a special blank, Form C, with insert.

**Requirements:** Candidates must have had at least three years' experience as an Inspector, Investigator, Examiner, Business Agent or Representative of a corporation or municipality, or must have been employed in similar occupation which would prepare for work of this character.

**Duties:** The duties of an Inspector of Trade Waste will include the supervision of at least five subordinates engaged in investigating and verifying work records, making statistical studies of street cleaning methods as related to the disposal of waste. The incumbent will be required to make critical and constructive reports on the manner of collection of wastes from business and industrial establishments and must be familiar with the most recent and improved practice. The incumbent will represent the Department of Street Cleaning at civic and public functions or citizens' meetings, and through lectures will seek co-operation in the matter of the disposal of wastes. Familiarity with laws, ordinances and charter provisions relating to the Department is essential.

Candidates must be at least 25 years of age, and not more than 40 years of age, on the closing date for the receipt of applications. There is one vacancy in the Street Cleaning Department at \$1,800 per annum.

The term of the eligibility of the list resulting from this examination is fixed at not less than one year nor more than four years.

m28,m13 ROBT. W. BELCHER, Secretary.

## LABORATORY ASSISTANT (PATHOLOGICAL LABORATORY-HISTOLOGY OR BACTERIOLOGY AND SEROLOGY).

No applications delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 P. M., FRIDAY, MARCH 10, 1916, will be accepted.

Application blanks will be mailed upon request, provided a self-addressed stamped envelope or sufficient postage is enclosed to cover the mailing. The Commission will not guarantee the delivery of the same. Postage on applications forwarded by mail must be fully prepaid.

Applicants must be citizens of the United States and residents of the State of New York.

The subjects and weights of the examination are: Experience, 4; 70% required. Practical Test, 6; 70% required.

A qualifying physical examination will be given. Candidates failing to qualify in any part of the examination will not be summoned for the ensuing tests.

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

**Duties:** To assist in the routine work of the Pathological Laboratory in one of the large city hospitals. The work includes the preparation of bacteriological media, of tissues for microscopical examination, and the performance of complement fixation and other serological tests.

**Requirements:** Candidates should have at least six months' experience in a hospital or research laboratory where the work above described is carried on. A practical test will be held in a laboratory. Candidates will be required to demonstrate their practical knowledge of (1) histological technique; or (2) of bacteriological and serological methods. Candidates will be required to indicate in which of these subjects they wish to be examined at the practical test, but they will be allowed to take both of the above practical tests.

Candidates must be at least 18 years of age on the closing date for the receipt of applications. The usual salary is \$720, with maintenance. Vacancies occur from time to time.

The requirement of paragraph 12, Rule VII, that no person who has entered any examination for appointment to a competitive position and failed, or who has withdrawn from an examination, shall be admitted within nine months from the date of such examination to a new examination for the same position, is waived for this examination.

The term of the eligibility of the list resulting from this examination is fixed at not less than one year nor more than four years.

m25,m10 ROBT. W. BELCHER, Secretary.

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

**THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 1916, TO THURSDAY, MARCH 9, 1916,**

for the position of **NURSE, FEMALE.**

No applications delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 P. M., THURSDAY, MARCH 9, 1916, will be accepted.

Application blanks will be mailed upon request, provided a self-addressed stamped envelope or sufficient postage is enclosed to cover the mailing. The Commission will not guarantee the delivery of the same. Postage on applications forwarded by mail must be fully prepaid.

Applicants must be citizens of the United States and residents of the State of New York.

The subjects and weights of the examination are: Experience, 2; Duties, 4; 70% required. Practical Test, 4; 70% required. 70% general average required.

A qualifying physical examination will be given. Candidates failing to qualify in any part of the examination will not be summoned for the ensuing tests.

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

Candidates are required to be registered nurses of the State of New York and must furnish proof of registration when filing application.

Certifications will be made from this list to the Health Department for public school work, milk stations, preventable diseases and other work.

Candidates must be at least 21 years of age and not more than 40 years of age on the closing date for the receipt of applications.

The usual salary is \$900 per year.

The term of the eligibility of the list resulting from this examination is fixed at not less than one year nor more than four years.

m24,m9 ROBT. W. BELCHER, Secretary.

### Amended Notice.

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

**THURSDAY, MARCH 2, 1916, TO THURSDAY, MARCH 16, 1916,**

for the position of **DIETITIAN.**

No applications delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4:00 P. M., THURSDAY, MARCH 16, 1916, will be accepted.

Application blanks will be mailed upon request, provided a self-addressed stamped envelope or sufficient postage is enclosed to cover the mailing. The Commission will not guarantee the delivery of the same. Postage on applications forwarded by mail must be fully prepaid.

Applicants must be citizens of the United States and residents of the State of New York.

The subjects and weights of the examination are: Experience, 4; 70% required. Duties, 4; 70% required. Oral, 2; 70% required. 70% general average required.

A qualifying physical examination will be given. Candidates failing to qualify in any part of the examination will not be summoned for the ensuing tests.

Applications for this examination are to be filed on a special blank, Form C, with insert.

**Requirements:** Training and experience: Candidates must have the completion of the completion of an approved course of study in dietetics of at least one year or the equivalent and must in addition have had not less than one year of practical experience in institutional dietary work in an executive or subordinate capacity.

**Duties:** The Dietitian exercises a general supervision over the dietary department of the hospital to which assignment is made; has charge of the employees and is responsible for the requisitions and preparation of menus, etc., and conducts classes in dietetics in the Training School for Nurses.

There are two vacancies in the Department of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals at a salary of \$720 per annum, with maintenance.

Candidates must be at least 21 years of age on the closing date for the receipt of applications.

The term of the eligibility of the list resulting from this examination is fixed at not less than one year nor more than four years.

m2,16 ROBT. W. BELCHER, Secretary.

**FIRE DEPARTMENT, POLICE DEPARTMENT, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.**

### Proposals.



**THURSDAY, MARCH 16, 1916.**  
**FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING RUGS, PAPER, MATCHES AND MISCELLANEOUS SUPPLIES.**

The time for the performance of the contract is on or before June 30, 1916.

The amount of security required is thirty (30) per cent. of the amount of the bid or estimate. No bid will be considered unless it is accompanied by a deposit. Such deposit shall be in an amount not less than one and one-half (1½) per cent. of the total amount of the bid.

The bidder will state the price per each, doz., pound, case 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 item or class, as stated in the specifications.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at Room 1230, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan.

**FIRE DEPARTMENT, ROBERT ADAMSON, Commissioner.**  
**POLICE DEPARTMENT, A. WOODS, Commissioner.**  
**DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, JOHN A. KINGSBURY, Commissioner.** m6,16

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

**DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES.****Proposals.**

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Bridges at his office, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 2 p. m., on

**THURSDAY, MARCH 16, 1916.**  
**FOR REPAIRS TO ASPHALT PAVEMENTS ON THE BRIDGES OVER THE HARLEM RIVER.**

The repairs shall be made from time to time as required and the contract completed on or before December 30, 1916.

The amount of security to guarantee the faithful performance of the work will be Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000).

The right is reserved by the Commissioner to reject all the bids should he deem it to be in 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 March 2, 1916. m4,16  
See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

**Corporation Sale by Sealed Bids of the Lease of Certain City Real Estate.**

**UPON THE AUTHORIZATION OF THE** Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, and pursuant to a resolution adopted by them at a meeting held February 9, 1916, the Commissioner of Bridges of The City of New York will sell by sealed bids on

**MONDAY, MARCH 6, 1916.**  
at 2 o'clock P. M., in Room 1822, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, a lease of the following described properties belonging to the City of New York, situate, lying and being in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, bounded and described as follows:

All that plot, shown on a map made by the Bridge Department, said map bearing the number 38-207, said plot being bounded easterly by the westerly line of New Forsyth Street 140.09 feet; southerly by the northerly line of East Broadway 125.35 feet; westerly by the easterly line of New Market Street 141.69 feet; and northerly by the southerly line of Division Street 125.82 feet.

Excepting that portion of the above described plot which is covered by the bridge piers or abutments and the clearance lines around said piers, as shown on map made by the Bridge Department.

The lease to be for a term of ten years, with the privilege of a renewal for a further period of ten years, at an increased rental of ten per cent. (10%) per annum over that paid for the first ten-year period.

The Commissioner of Bridges will receive sealed bids for the lease of the said premises for the said period at the minimum or upset price of Nine thousand (\$9,000) Dollars per annum, payable quarterly in advance, and the said sale will be made upon the following

**TERMS AND CONDITIONS:**

Each bidder will be required to deposit with his bid the sum of \$2,000 in cash, or a certified check drawn on a State or National bank of the City of New York. Such cash or certified check shall not be enclosed in the envelope with the proposed bid, but must be handed to the official who receives the bids for examination and approval before accepting said bid.

All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned after the award of the lease. The amount deposited by the successful bidder will be retained and credited on account of rent, except that in case the successful bidder does not execute the lease when so directed then such deposit shall be forfeited.

No bid shall be received from any one who is a delinquent on any former lease from the City and no bid shall be accepted from any person who is in arrears to the City upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter as surety or otherwise upon any obligation to the City, as provided by law.

The lease to be drawn by the Corporation Counsel of the City of New York in the usual form of leases of City property and contain the following terms, covenants and conditions:

1. The lessee will be permitted to erect a two-story fireproof building, equipped with an automatic fire sprinkling system and fire curtain, and provide a clear space of at least six feet between the top of the building and the overhead bridge structure, it being understood that the roof thereof is to be constructed of concrete or tile with overhanging cornice of similar material, and it being further understood that the plans for the erection of the building are to be prepared by the lessee and erected in accordance therewith, subject, however, to the approval of the Commissioner of Bridges.

2. Three months will be allowed from the date of the execution of the lease for the erection of the building and no rental will be charged for this period.

3. In case the premises should be required for City purposes, the decision of which shall be made by the Commissioner of Bridges, subject to the approval of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, at any time after five years from the date of the lease, the same may be cancelled, and the City will pay to the lessee a percentage of the cost of the building erected thereon upon the following basis:

At the end of 5 years.....	75%
At the end of 6 years.....	70%
At the end of 7 years.....	65%
At the end of 8 years.....	60%
At the end of 9 years.....	55%
At the end of 10 years.....	50%
At the end of 11 years.....	45%
At the end of 12 years.....	40%
At the end of 13 years.....	35%
At the end of 14 years.....	30%

At the end of 15 years.....	25%
At the end of 16 years.....	20%
At the end of 17 years.....	15%
At the end of 18 years.....	10%
At the end of 19 years.....	5%

4. It is distinctly understood that no payment or payments shall be made by the City to the lessee for the cost of any building or other improvements erected upon the demised premises in excess of fifteen cents (15c.) per cubic foot measurement, the volume thereof to be determined from the length and breadth of the actual building and improvement erected at the ground level and the height from the ground level to the top of roof, exclusive of cornice.

5. In the event of the failure of the lessee to conform to all the requirements of the lease, the building and any alterations or improvements on the premises will become the property of the City of New York.

Any building erected upon the demised premises, together with the alterations and improvements thereon, shall become the property of the City of New York at the expiration of the lease or any renewal thereof.

6. The lessee to pay the usual rate for water per meter measurements and comply with the rules and regulations of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity governing the use of water.

7. The building may be heated by gas, electricity or steam, but if steam is used, it must be obtained from a plant located on premises that are not under the jurisdiction of the Department of Bridges.

8. No alterations or improvements shall be made to the premises without the written consent and approval of the Commissioner of Bridges.

9. The lessee shall comply with all the laws and ordinances of the State and City of New York and the rules and regulations of State and City Departments having jurisdiction over the premises, and shall make all inside and outside repairs to the building.

10. The City of New York will pay any taxes or assessments that may be levied against the land or the building erected on those premises during the term of the lease or any renewal thereof.

11. The Commissioner of Bridges reserves the right to reject any and all bids if he deems it to be in the interest of the City so to do.

**FREDERICK J. H. KRACKE, Commissioner.**  
Department of Bridges, Commissioner's Office, February 11, 1916. f16,m6

**BOARD OF ELECTIONS.****Proposals.**

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Board of Elections at Room 1840, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 12 M., on

**TUESDAY, MARCH 7, 1916.**  
**FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING OFFICIAL AND SAMPLE PRIMARY BALLOTS, AS PER SPECIFICATIONS, FOR SPRING PRIMARY ELECTION, APRIL 4, 1916.**

The time allowed for the performance of the contract and the delivery of the ballots is ten (10) calendar days after the endorsement of the certificate of the Comptroller upon the executed contract.

The amount of security required to guarantee the faithful performance of the contract is fifty (50) per cent. of the total amount for which the contract is awarded.

Delivery will be required to be made at the various police stations or other points, as directed, in the City at the time and in the manner and in such quantities as may be directed.

Blank forms and other information may be obtained at the General Office of the Board of Elections, Room 1840, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan.

**EDWARD F. BOYLE, MOSES M. McKEE, JAMES KANE, JACOB A. LIVINGSTON,** Commissioners of Elections.  
**S. HOWARD COHEN, Chief Clerk.** f25,m7

Dated February 25th, 1916.  
See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

**BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.****GENERAL ORDER NO. 4.**

New matter in *italics*.  
Section 97 of the Plumbing Rules and Regulations is hereby modified to read:

Section 97—The sizes of vent pipes throughout must not be less than the following: For main vent two inches in diameter; 2" main vent will be allowed for water closets on three floors provided said vent line does not exceed 35 feet in length and Section 98 is modified with: for water closets on four or more floors, 3" in diameter; for other fixtures on less than seven floors 2" in diameter; 3" vent pipe will be permitted for less than nine stories; for more than eight or less than sixteen stories 4" in diameter; for more than fifteen and less than twenty-two stories 5" in diameter; for more than twenty-two stories the size of vent pipe shall be determined by the Superintendent of Buildings.

For fixtures other than water closets and slop sinks and for more than eight stories, vent pipes may be one inch smaller in diameter than above stated.

For long horizontal branch vent pipes over ten feet in length but not exceeding 25 feet, 2" in diameter; when over 25 feet in length but not exceeding 50 feet 3" in diameter; No horizontal branch pipe can exceed 50 feet in length nor can any vent (main) be of less diameter than the largest branch vent connecting the same.

**P. J. CARLIN, Superintendent of Buildings.**  
Effective after publication for eight successive Mondays, beginning February 14, 1916, in the "City Record."

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**Proposals.**

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Brooklyn at Room 2, Brooklyn, until 11 o'clock A. M., on

**THURSDAY, MARCH 16, 1916.**  
**NO. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ONE THOUSAND (1,000) BOXES OF TOILET SOAP TO THE STOREHOUSE, 237 DUFFIELD STREET, BROOKLYN.**

The time allowed for the delivery of the soap and the full performance of the contract is One hundred (100) calendar days.

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

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

Delivery will be required to be made at the time and in the manner and in such quantities as may be directed. Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, Room 1003, No. 50 Court Street, Borough of Brooklyn.

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

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

**THURSDAY, MARCH 16, 1916.**  
**FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 180,000 GALLONS OF REFINED ASPHALT IN LIQUID FORM, AND 200 TONS (2,000 POUNDS EACH) OF REFINED ASPHALT IN CONTAINING PACKAGES.**

To be delivered to the Municipal Asphalt Plant, 7th St. Basin, Gowanus Canal.

Time for completion of contract, on or before December 31, 1916. Security required for the faithful performance of the contract, 30 per cent. of the amount for which the contract is awarded.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per ton, gallon, 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.

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 and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Bureau of Highways, the Borough of Brooklyn, Room 502, No. 50 Court Street, Brooklyn.

**L. H. POUNDS, President.**  
Dated February 29, 1916. m4,16

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

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

**THURSDAY, MARCH 16, 1916.**  
**NO. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING A SEWER IN CHESTER STREET, FROM NEWPORT STREET TO LOTT AVENUE AND A SEWER IN LOTT AVENUE, FROM CHESTER STREET TO ROCKAWAY AVENUE, WITH A TEMPORARY CONNECTION AT CHESTER STREET.**

The Engineer's preliminary estimate of the quantities is as follows:

1. 35 linear feet of 22-inch pipe sewer laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$3.10..... \$108.50

2. 570 linear feet of 18-inch pipe sewer laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$2.35..... 1,339.50

3. 380 linear feet of 12-inch pipe sewer laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$1.70..... 645.00

4. 140 linear feet of 6-inch house connection drain, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$0.75..... 105.00

5. 5 cubic yards of extra excavation, including sheeting and bracing, and all labor, materials, incidentals and appurtenances; per cubic yard, \$0.50..... 2.50

6. 7 manholes complete with iron heads and covers, including all incidentals and appurtenances, per manhole, \$50..... 350.00

7. 3 sewer basins complete, of either standard design, with iron pans or gratings, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per basin, \$125..... 375.00

8. 2,000 feet board measure of sheeting and bracing driven in place complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances, per thousand feet, board measure, \$18..... 36.00

Total..... \$2,962.50

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract will be thirty (30) working days.

The amount of security required for the faithful performance of the contract will be fifteen hundred (\$1,500) dollars.

**NO. 2. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING A SEWER IN 78TH STREET, FROM 5TH AVENUE TO 6TH AVENUE.**

The Engineer's preliminary estimate of the quantities is as follows:

41 linear feet of 15-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$2.50..... \$102.50

666 linear feet of 12-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$1.50..... 999.00

165 linear feet of 6-inch house connection drain, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$0.70..... 115.50

7 manholes complete, with iron heads and covers, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per manhole, \$50..... 350.00

1,500 feet, Board Measure, of sheeting and bracing, driven in place complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per thousand feet, Board Measure, \$18..... 27.00

Total..... \$1,594.00

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract will be thirty (30) working days.

The amount of security required for the faithful performance of the contract will be seven hundred and fifty dollars (\$750).

**NO. 3. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING A SEWER IN RIVERDALE AVENUE FROM PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE TO NEW JERSEY AVENUE.**

The Engineer's preliminary estimate of the quantities is as follows:

1. 220 linear feet of 12-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$1.85..... \$407.00

2. 60 linear feet of 6-inch house connection drain, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$0.80..... 48.00

3. 3 manholes complete, with iron heads and covers, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per manhole, \$50..... 150.00

4. 5 cubic yards of extra excavation, including sheeting and bracing, and all labor, materials, incidentals and appurtenances; per cubic yard, \$0.50..... 2.50

5. 1,000 feet, board measure, of sheeting and bracing, driven in place complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per thousand feet, board measure, \$18..... 18.00

Total..... \$625.50

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract will be twenty (20) working days.

The amount of security required for the faithful performance of the contract will be three hundred dollars (\$300).

**NO. 4. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING A SEWER IN 20TH AVENUE, FROM 65TH STREET TO 66TH STREET.**

The Engineer's preliminary estimate of the quantities is as follows:

1. 235 linear feet of 12-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$1.50..... \$352.50

230 linear feet of 6-inch house connection drain, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$0.70..... 161.00

2 manholes complete, with iron heads and covers, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per manhole, \$50..... 100.00

10 cubic yards of extra excavation, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per cubic yard, \$0.50..... 5.00

Total..... \$618.50

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract will be thirty (30) working days.

The amount of security required for the faithful performance of the contract, will be three hundred dollars (\$300).

**NO. 5. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING A SEWER IN HEGEMAN AVENUE, FROM OSBORN STREET TO THATFORD AVENUE.**

The Engineer's preliminary estimate of the quantities is as follows:

215 linear feet of 12-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$1.50..... \$322.50

78 linear feet of 6-inch house connection drain, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$0.70..... 54.60

3 manholes complete, with iron heads and covers, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per manhole, \$50..... 150.00

5 cubic yards of extra excavation, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per cubic yard, \$0.50..... 2.50

Total..... \$529.60

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract will be thirty (30) working days.

The amount of security required for the faithful performance of the contract will be two hundred and fifty dollars (\$250).

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 notice to bidders are to be furnished to the City. Such percentage as bid for each contract shall apply to all unit items specified in the Engineer's preliminary estimate to an amount necessary to complete the work described in the contract.

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

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

235 linear feet of 12-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$1.50..... \$352.50

230 linear feet of 6-inch house connection drain, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$0.70..... 161.00

2 manholes complete, with iron heads and covers, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per manhole, \$50..... 100.00

10 cubic yards of extra excavation, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per cubic yard, \$0.50..... 5.00

Total..... \$618.50

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract will be thirty (30) working days.

The amount of security required for the faithful performance of the contract, will be three hundred dollars (\$300).

**NO. 5. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING A SEWER IN HEGEMAN AVENUE, FROM OSBORN STREET TO THATFORD AVENUE.**

The Engineer's preliminary estimate of the quantities is as follows:

215 linear feet of 12-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$1.50..... \$322.50

78 linear feet of 6-inch house connection drain, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$0.70..... 54.60

3 manholes complete, with iron heads and covers, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per manhole, \$50..... 150.00

5 cubic yards of extra excavation, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per cubic yard, \$0.50..... 2.50

Total..... \$529.60

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract will be thirty (30) working days.

The amount of security required for the faithful performance of the contract will be two hundred and fifty dollars (\$250).

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 notice to bidders are to be furnished to the City. Such percentage as bid for each contract shall apply to all unit items specified in the Engineer's preliminary estimate to an amount necessary to complete the work described in the contract.

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

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

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

**FRIDAY, MARCH 10, 1916.**  
**NO. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR CONSTRUCTING A SEWER IN LAWRENCE AVENUE, FROM GRAVESEND AVENUE TO 47TH STREET.**

The Engineer's preliminary estimate of the quantities is as follows:

313-linear feet of 12 inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all



### NO. 3. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON FLATLANDS AVE. FROM ROCKAWAY AVE. TO EAST 92ND ST.

The Engineer's Estimate is as follows:  
340 cu. yds. excavation  
730 cu. yds. fill to be furnished.  
2,800 lin. ft. steel bound cement curb (1 year maintenance).  
11,870 sq. ft. cement sidewalks (1 year maintenance).

Time allowed, 35 working days. Security required for the faithful performance of the contract, \$1,100.

### NO. 4. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH PERMANENT ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A 6-INCH CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF 71ST ST. FROM 18TH AVE. TO 19TH AVE. TO 46TH ST.

The Engineer's estimate is as follows:  
255 cu. yds. excavation to subgrade.  
170 cu. yds. concrete.  
1,030 sq. yds. asphalt pavement, (5 years maintenance).

Time allowed, 20 working days. Security required for the faithful performance of the contract, \$600.

### NO. 5. FOR REGULATING, CURBING AND PAVING WITH PRELIMINARY ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A 5-INCH CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF 71ST ST. FROM 18TH AVE. TO 19TH AVE.

The Engineer's estimate is as follows:  
670 cu. yds. excavation to subgrade.  
20 cu. yds. fill (not to be bid for).  
34 lin. ft. bluestone heading stones set in concrete.

1,390 lin. ft. steel bound cement curb (1 year maintenance).  
320 cu. yds. concrete.

2,280 sq. yds. asphalt pavement (5 years maintenance).  
Time allowed, 30 working days. Security required for the faithful performance of the contract, \$1,400.

### NO. 6. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 50,000 IRON SLAG PAVING BLOCKS, TO BE DELIVERED AS FOLLOWS:

20,000 blocks to yard adjoining the Municipal Asphalt Plant, 7th St. Basin, Gowanus Canal.  
20,000 blocks to corporation yard, 67th St. near 18th Ave.

10,000 blocks to corporation yard, N. 8th St. near Union Ave.

Time for completion of contract, on or before Dec. 31, 1916.

Security required for the faithful performance of the contract, 30% of the amount for which the contract is awarded.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per lin. ft., sq. ft., cu. yd., gallon, 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.

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 and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Bureau of Highways, the Borough of Brooklyn, Room 502, No. 50 Court Street, Brooklyn.

L. H. POUNDS, President.  
Dated February 24, 1916.  
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See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

### SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Brooklyn, at Room 2, Borough Hall, Brooklyn, until 11 o'clock a. m. on

FRIDAY, MARCH 10, 1916.

For furnishing all the labor and materials required for doing various painting work at the Municipal Bath, Coney Island, Borough of Brooklyn.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is until May 15th, 1916.

The amount of security required for the faithful performance of the contract will be Eight hundred (\$800) Dollars.

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

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

L. H. POUNDS, President.  
Dated March 3rd, 1916.  
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See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

### BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

#### Proposals.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Manhattan at Room 2032, Municipal Building, until 2 o'clock p. m. on

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 15, 1916.

FOR CONSTRUCTING A STAIRWAY AT 138TH STREET AND RIVERSIDE DRIVE, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THEREOF.

Engineer's estimate of the amount of work to be done:

25 cu. yds. Earth Excavation.  
25 cu. yds. Rock Excavation.  
15 cu. yds. Concrete.  
10 cu. yds. Rubble Masonry in mortar.  
20 cu. yds. Granite Ashlar Masonry.  
215 cu. ft. Granite in Steps and Landings.  
200 cu. ft. Granite in Parapets, Coping, Cornices, etc.

10 cu. yds. Brick Masonry.  
150 sq. ft. Concrete Sidewalks, Class A.  
75 lin. ft. Bronze Hand-railing.  
2 Bronze Lampposts.  
1 Electric Lighting System.  
Removing 1 Granite Obelisk.

The time allowed for the full completion of the work will be sixty (60) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be \$1,000 and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five (5) per cent. 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 bid will be tested. The contracts, if awarded, will be awarded for the whole work at a lump sum.

Blank forms may be had at the offices of the Commissioner of Public Works, Municipal Building, Bureau of Highways, Room 2124, Borough of Manhattan. MARCUS M. MARKS, President.

Dated March 4, 1916.  
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See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

### SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Manhattan, at Room 2032, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 2 o'clock p. m. on

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 8, 1916.

FOR FURNISHING ALL OF THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR INSTALLING DRIP PAN OVER THE PUBLIC MARKET UNDER THIRD AVENUE BRIDGE, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

The time allowed for the completion of the

work will be sixty (60) calendar consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Twelve hundred (\$1,200) Dollars, and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five (5) per cent. of the amount of security.

The bidder will state one aggregate price for the whole work described and specified, as the contract is entire and for a complete job.

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

Blank forms, specifications and plans may be obtained at the office of the Auditor, offices of the Commissioner of Public Works, Room 2141, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan.

MARCUS M. MARKS, President.  
Dated February 26, 1916.  
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See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

### BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

#### Proposals.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Queens, at his office, Third floor, Borough Hall, Jackson Avenue and Fifth Street, Long Island City, until 11 o'clock A. M. on

TUESDAY, MARCH 14, 1916.

FOR A CONTRACT FOR THE PRIVILEGE OF PICKING OVER AND APPROPRIATING FROM AMONG THE GARBAGE, ASHES, STREET SWEEPINGS AND RUBBISH IN THE FIRST DISTRICT, IN THE WOODSIDE, WINFIELD, NEWTOWN, CORONA, ELMHURST AND EAST ELMHURST SECTIONS OF THE SECOND DISTRICT, AND IN THE THIRD AND FOURTH DISTRICTS, DURING THE ENTIRE YEAR, AND AT CREMA-TORY IN THE FIFTH DISTRICT DURING THE MONTHS OF APRIL, MAY, JUNE, JULY, AUGUST, SEPTEMBER AND OCTOBER, AND AT ALL DUMPS IN THE FIFTH DISTRICT DURING THE MONTHS OF JANUARY, FEBRUARY, MARCH, NOVEMBER AND DECEMBER; IN CONSIDERATION OF THE WORK OF FEEDING THE INCINERATORS SITUATED AT (NO. 3) CHURCH STREET, JAMAICA, (NO. 4) REMSEN AVENUE, FAR ROCKAWAY, AND (NO. 5) BERGEN'S LANDING, AQUEDUCT, AND LEVELING, GRADING AND DISINFECTING AT INLAND DUMPS, AND A PAYMENT OF A SUM OR SUMS OF MONEY, FOR THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS, FOR THE PERIOD BEGINNING THE FIRST MONDAY NEXT AFTER THE SIGNING AND DELIVERY OF THE CONTRACT AND ENDING ONE YEAR FROM THE DATE OF SIGNING OF CONTRACT WITH THE RIGHT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK TO RENEW THE CONTRACT FOR ANOTHER PERIOD OF FOUR YEARS ON THE SAME TERMS AND CONDITIONS, EXCEPTING THE PROVISIONS FOR RENEWAL.

The amount of security required is five hundred dollars (\$500). In addition to this, a special deposit of two hundred and fifty dollars (\$250) in lawful money of the United States will be required to be made to the Comptroller of the City of New York on or before the signing, sealing and delivery of the contract, to remain on deposit with the said Comptroller until the completion of the contract.

The contract, if awarded, will be awarded to the highest bidder. Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the President of the Borough of Queens.

Dated March 3rd, 1916.  
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MAURICE E. CONNOLLY, President.  
See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

### SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Queens at his office, Third Floor, Borough Hall, Fifth Street and Jackson Avenue, Long Island City, until 11 o'clock a. m. on

MONDAY, MARCH 8, 1916.

NO. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 6,000 CUBIC YARDS OF GRAVEL OR BROKEN STONE CHIPS AT VARIOUS POINTS AS DIRECTED IN THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be on or before December 31st, 1916.

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

NO. 2. FOR FURNISHING AND SPREADING 200,000 GALLONS OF ASPHALTIC OIL ON THE ROADS IN THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be on or before December 31st, 1916.

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

NO. 3. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING NINE HUNDRED (900) NET TONS OF LIME STONE OR OTHER SUITABLE INORGANIC DUST AS DIRECTED, IN THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be on or before December 31st, 1916.

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

NO. 4. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 13,000 CUBIC YARDS OF SAND, AS DIRECTED, IN THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be on or before December 31st, 1916.

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

NO. 5. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 30,000 CUBIC YARDS OF BROKEN STONE AND SCREENINGS OF TRAP ROCK IN THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be on or before December 31st, 1916.

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

NO. 6. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 600,000 GALLONS OF LIGHT ROAD OIL IN TANK CARS, AS DIRECTED, IN THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be on or before December 31st, 1916.

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

NO. 7. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING THIRTY-FIVE THOUSAND (35,000) GALLONS OF LIQUID FUEL OIL, AS DIRECTED, IN THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be on or before December 31st, 1916.

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

NO. 8. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING, AS DIRECTED, 600 TONS OF

### ASPHALTIC CEMENT TO THE BUREAU OF HIGHWAYS, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be on or before December 31st, 1916.

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

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

Blank forms may be obtained at the office of the President of the Borough of Queens.  
Dated February 24th, 1916.  
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MAURICE E. CONNOLLY, President.  
See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

### PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION.

#### Invitation to Contractors.

For Station Finish Work for Part of the Broadway-Fourth Avenue Rapid Transit Railroad.

SEALED BIDS OR PROPOSALS FOR THE construction of station finish for seven (7) stations on the Broadway-Fourth Avenue Rapid Transit Railroad in the Borough of Manhattan will be received by the Public Service Commission for the First District (hereinafter called the "Commission") at the office of the Commission at No. 154 Nassau Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, until the 9th day of March, 1916, at twelve fifteen (12:15) o'clock p. m., at which time and place or at a later date to be fixed by the Commission the proposals will be publicly opened.

The stations for which said station finish is to be provided are seven (7) stations on that part of the Broadway-Fourth Avenue Rapid Transit Railroad beginning at a point under Trinity Place, about fifty (50) feet north of the north-easterly building line of Morris Street, and extending thence northward under Trinity Place, Church Street, private property, Vesey Street and again under private property to Broadway and thence under Broadway and Union Square to and including the north-easterly approach to the Fourteenth Street station.

The work to be done will also include other finish work along the line of the Railroad.

The Contractor must begin work within thirty (30) days after the delivery of the contract on such station or stations or other parts of said Railroad as the Engineer of the Commission may direct and shall begin work on any of the remaining stations or other parts of said Railroad within ten (10) days after notice and shall complete all work within seven (7) months from the delivery of the contract, except as otherwise provided in the form of contract.

A fuller description of the work and other requirements, provisions and specifications are given in the Information for Contractors and in the form of contract, contract drawings, bond and Contractor's Proposal, which are to be deemed a part of this invitation and copies of which may be inspected and purchased at said office of the Commission.

The receipt of bids will be subject to the requirements specified in said Information for Contractors.

New York, February 17, 1916.  
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION FOR THE FIRST DISTRICT, By OSCAR S. STRAUS, Chairman.

TRAVIS H. WHITNEY, Secretary. f19,m9

For Completion of Station Finish Work for Part of the Queensboro Subway Rapid Transit Railroad.

SEALED BIDS OR PROPOSALS FOR THE completion of construction of station finish for the Hunters Point Avenue station on the Queensboro Subway Rapid Transit Railroad in the Borough of Queens, located at 4th Street, Van Alst and Hunters Point Avenues, will be received by the Public Service Commission for the First District (hereinafter called the "Commission") at the office of the Commission at No. 154 Nassau Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, until the 9th day of March, 1916, at twelve fifteen (12:15) o'clock p. m., at which time and place or at a later date to be fixed by the Commission the proposals will be publicly opened.

The work to be done will also include certain work of constructing enclosures between stations.

The Contractor must begin work within thirty (30) days after the delivery of the contract and shall complete all work within four (4) months from the delivery of the contract, except as otherwise provided in the form of contract.

A fuller description of the work and other requirements, provisions and specifications are given in the Information for Contractors and in the form of contract, contract drawings, bond and Contractor's Proposal, which are to be deemed a part of this invitation and copies of which may be inspected and purchased at said office of the Commission.

The receipt of bids will be subject to the requirements specified in said Information for Contractors.

New York, February 17, 1916.  
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION FOR THE FIRST DISTRICT, By OSCAR S. STRAUS, Chairman.

TRAVIS H. WHITNEY, Secretary. f19,m9

### BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

#### Completion of Assessments.

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

**Borough of Manhattan.**  
5023. Paving and curbing West 160th Street from Fort Washington Avenue to Riverside Drive. Affecting Block 2136.

5024. Paving and curbing Exterior Street from 67th Street to a point 100 feet south of 70th Street and from a point 100 feet north of 70th Street to 79th Street. Affecting Blocks 1479 to 1490, 1576 and 1589.

5065. Basin at the southwest corner of East 78th Street and First Avenue. Affecting Block 1452.

5066. Basin and inlet adjacent to the north-west corner of West 161st Street and Fort Washington Avenue. Affecting Block 2136.

5067. Basin adjacent to the southwest corner of West 171st Street and Fort Washington Avenue. Affecting Block 2139.

5068. Basin adjacent to the southwest corner of West 172nd Street and Fort Washington Avenue. Affecting Block 2139.

5069. Basins adjacent to the northeast corner of West 172nd Street and Haven Avenue, and the southwest corner of West 173rd Street and Fort Washington Avenue. Affecting Block 2139.

5071. Paving and curbing Haven Avenue from West 170th Street to West 172nd Street. Affecting Block 2139.

5075. Paving and curbing West 179th Street from Northern Avenue to Haven Avenue. Affecting Block 2177.

**Borough of The Bronx.**  
4832. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging, paving, etc., Exterior Street from East 151st

Street to Jerome Avenue. Affecting Blocks 2497 and 2499.

5062. Paving and curbing Manida Street from Garrison Avenue to Lafayette Avenue. Affecting Block 2740.

5064. Repairing the sidewalk on the northerly side of East 140th Street, west of Cypress Avenue. Affecting Block 2553, Lot 45.

5085. Repairing the sidewalk on the southerly side of East 187th Street from Webster Avenue to Marion Avenue. Affecting Block 3024, Lot 25.

**Borough of Richmond.**  
5087. Repairing the sidewalk in Bentley Street from Amboy Road to Ferry Entrance, Fifth Ward. Affecting Block 13, Lot 82.

**Borough of Queens.**  
4938. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging, etc., Packard (Grove) Street from Middleburg Avenue to Borden Avenue. Together with an award for damages caused by a change of grade. Affecting Blocks 38 to 43 and 45 to 50, First Ward, and Blocks 1383, 1388, 1389, 1394, 1396, 1397, 1398, 1403 and 1407, Second Ward.

5060. Basins and appurtenances on the four corners of Van Alst Avenue and Paynter Avenue, First Ward. Affecting Blocks 86, 104 and 146.

5061. Basins on Woolsey Avenue: on the northerly and easterly corners of Seventh Avenue; on the northerly and easterly corners of Sixth Avenue, and on the easterly corner of Park Place, First Ward. Affecting Blocks 65, 75, 78 and 87.

5076. Basin on the easterly corner of Twelfth Avenue and Graham Avenue, First Ward. Affecting Block 200.

5077. Basins on Flushing Avenue: on the southerly corner of Caspian Street; on the easterly and southerly corners of Zeidler Street; on the easterly corner of Emma Street; on the easterly corner of Sophie Street, and on the easterly corner of Martin Street, Second Ward. Affecting Blocks 2339, 2340, 2341 and 2347.

5078. Sewer and appurtenances in Briggs Avenue (Park Street) from Jamaica Avenue to Myrtle Avenue, and in Myrtle Avenue from Briggs Avenue to Hamilton Avenue, Fourth Ward. Affecting Blocks 192, 196, 197 and 198.

5080. Sewer and appurtenances in Cedar Avenue from Jamaica Avenue to Scott Street, Fourth Ward. Affecting Blocks 219, 220 and 266 to 269.

5083. Sewer and appurtenances in Woodmere Place from Freedom Avenue to the Rockaway Beach Branch of the Long Island Railroad, Fourth Ward. Affecting Blocks 240 and 241.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above named proposed assessments, and who are opposed to the same or either of them, are requested to present their objections, in writing, to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors, Room 809, Municipal Building, New York, on or before Tuesday, April 4, 1916, at 10 a. m., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

WILLIAM C. ORMOND, JACOB I. LESSER, ST. GEORGE B. TUCKER, Board of Assessors.

ST. GEORGE B. TUCKER, Secretary, Room 809, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

March 4, 1916. m4,15

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

**Borough of Manhattan.**  
5021. Alteration and improvement to sewer in East 76th Street between Lexington and Park Avenues. Affecting Blocks 1410 and 1411.

5022. Alteration and improvement to sewer in West 32nd Street between Broadway and Fifth Avenue. Affecting Blocks 833 and 834.

**Borough of Queens.**  
4673. Regulating and grading the sidewalk spaces and laying sidewalks in Cooper Street between Irving Avenue and the Brooklyn Borough Line, Second Ward. Affecting Block 2830.

4674. Regulating and grading Creek Street from Borden Avenue to Hunterspoint Avenue, First Ward. Together with a list of awards for damages caused by a change of grade. Affecting Blocks 109 to 114.

4937. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging and paving Hughes Street from Doscher Avenue to a line 75 feet westerly from Buchman Avenue, Second Ward. Together with a list of awards for damages caused by a change of grade. Affecting Blocks 2568 and 2575.

4961. Sewer and appurtenances in Van Alst Avenue from Broadway to Ridge Street, and in Ridge Street from Van Alst Avenue to Ely Avenue, First Ward. Affecting Blocks 39 to 42, 44 and 64 to 68.

5027. Regulating and grading the sidewalk spaces and laying sidewalks in Sophie Street from Flushing Avenue to Nurge Street, Second Ward. Affecting Blocks 2338 and 2339.

5032. Paving Putnam Avenue from Forest Avenue to a line 65 feet west of Buchman Avenue, Second Ward. Affecting Blocks 2573, 2574, 2576 and 2579.

5033. Regulating and grading the sidewalk spaces and laying sidewalks on the westerly side of Union Street between Sanford Avenue and Bedford (Monroe) Street, Third Ward. Affecting Block 68.

5059. Sewer and appurtenances in Cedar Avenue from Beaufort Avenue to Chichester Avenue, Fourth Ward. Affecting Blocks 466 and 468.

**Borough of Brooklyn.**  
4815. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging East 34th Street from Tilden Avenue to Canarsie Lane. Affecting Blocks 4918, 4919, 4933 and 4934.

4948. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging and paving Hemlock Street between Glenmore and Pitkin Avenues. Affecting Blocks 4216 and 4217.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above named proposed assessments, and who are opposed to the same or either of them, are requested to present their objections, in writing, to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors, Room 809, Municipal Building, New York, on or before Tuesday, March 28, 1916, at 10 a. m., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

WILLIAM C. ORMOND, JACOB I. LESSER, ST. GEORGE B. TUCKER, Board of Assessors.



**Borough of Queens.**  
5090. Borden Avenue from Van Alst Avenue to Dutch Kill Creek, First Ward.  
5091. Clinton Avenue from Clermont Avenue to Broad Street, Second Ward.  
5092. Decatur Street from the Brooklyn Borough Line to Cypress Avenue, Second Ward.  
5093. Ditmars Avenue from Astoria (Flushing) Avenue to Frigate Street, Second Ward.  
5094. Hancock Avenue from a point 100 feet north of Thomson Avenue to Greenpoint Avenue, First Ward.  
5095. Myrtle Avenue from the Brooklyn Borough Line to McComb Place, Second Ward.  
WILLIAM C. ORMOND, JACOB J. LESSER, ST. GEORGE B. TUCKER, Board of Assessors.  
Sr. George B. Tucker, Secretary, Room 809, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.  
February 26, 1916. f26,m8

# BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY.

## Proposals.

SEALED BIDS 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, MARCH 21, 1916.

## CONTRACT 120.

FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A GRANITE BUILDING FOR THE HUDSON DRAINAGE CHAMBER AND A BRICK AND CONCRETE-STONE BUILDING FOR THE CROTON LAKE DRAINAGE CHAMBER.

The larger one of the buildings will be, approximately, 58 feet by 58 feet by 50 feet, and the other will be somewhat smaller. The work is located in the towns of Fishkill, Dutchess county, and Yorktown, Westchester county, New York. An approximate statement of the quantities of the various items of work and further information are given in the Information for Bidders, forming part of the contract. At the above place and time the bids will be publicly opened and read. The award of the contract, if awarded, will be made by the Board as soon thereafter as practicable. The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

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 nine consecutive calendar months from the service of notice by the Board to begin work.

Pamphlets containing information for bidders, forms of proposal and contract, specifications, contract drawings, etc., can be obtained at the above address, at the office of the Secretary, upon application in person or by mail, by depositing the sum of ten dollars (\$10) in cash or its equivalent for each pamphlet. This deposit will be refunded upon the return of the pamphlets in acceptable condition within thirty days from the date on which bids are to be opened.

For further particulars apply to the office of the Principal Assistant Engineer, at the above address.

CHARLES STRAUSS, President; CHARLES N. CHADWICK, JOHN F. GALVIN, Commissioners of the Board of Water Supply.

GEORGE FEATHERSTONE, Secretary.

NOTE: SEE GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS ON LAST PAGE, LAST COLUMN, OF THE CITY RECORD, SO FAR AS APPLICABLE HERETO AND NOT OTHERWISE PROVIDED FOR. m2,21

## SUPREME COURT—FIRST DEPARTMENT.

### Hearings on Qualifications.

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of RIVERDALE AVENUE, from its junction with Spuyten Duyvil Road at a point near West 231st Street to the northerly boundary line of the City of New York, in the 24th Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Judicial District, dated February 17, 1916, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of the Bronx on February 18, 1916, Edward D. Dowling, Philip J. Kearns and John D. Jones, Esqs., were appointed Commissioners of Estimate in the above entitled proceeding, and that in and by the said order Edward D. Dowling, Esq., was appointed the Commissioner of Assessment.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that pursuant to the statutes in such cases made and provided the said Edward D. Dowling, Philip J. Kearns and John D. Jones, Esqs., will attend at a Special Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Judicial District, to be held at the County Court House, in the Borough of the Bronx, in the City of New York, on the 9th day of March, 1916, 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 persons having any interest in said proceeding, as to their qualifications to act as such commissioners.

Dated, New York, February 26th, 1916.  
LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. f26,m8

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 MANOR AVENUE, from Westchester Avenue southwardly to Bronx River Avenue, in the 24th 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 Judicial District, dated February 9, 1915, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Bronx on February 10, 1916, Joseph I. Berry, Edward McLaughlin and Thomas L. Green, Esqs., were appointed Commissioners of Estimate in the above entitled proceeding, and that in and by the said order Joseph I. Berry, Esq., was appointed the Commissioner of Assessment.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that pursuant to the statute in such cases made and provided the said Joseph I. Berry, Edward McLaughlin and Thomas L. Green, Esqs., will attend at a Special Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Judicial District, to be held at the County Court House, in the Borough of Bronx, in the City of New York, on the 7th day of March, 1916, 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 said proceeding as to their qualifications to act as such commissioners.

Dated, New York, February 24th, 1916.  
LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. f24,m6

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of ST. LAWRENCE AVENUE, from Clasons Point Road to Bronx River Avenue, in the 24th 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 Judicial District, dated February 9, 1916, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Bronx on February 10, 1916, Francis J. Kuerzi, Charles J. Brady and Lawrence N. Martin, Esqs., were appointed Commissioners of Estimate in the above entitled proceeding, and that in and by the said order Francis J. Kuerzi, Esq., was appointed the Commissioner of Assessment.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that pursuant to the statute in such cases made and provided the said Francis J. Kuerzi, Charles J. Brady and Lawrence N. Martin, Esqs., will attend at a Special Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Judicial District, to be held at the County Court House, in the Borough of Bronx, in the City of New York, on the 7th day of March, 1916, 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 said proceeding as to their qualifications to act as such commissioners.

Dated, New York, February 24, 1916.  
LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. f24,m6

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 239TH STREET, from Broadway to Review Place, in the 24th 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 Judicial District, dated February 9, 1916, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Bronx on February 10, 1916, Abraham M. Schwartz, Charles J. Cavanagh and James J. McMahon, Esqs., were appointed Commissioners of Estimate in the above entitled proceeding, and that in and by the said order Abraham M. Schwartz, Esq., was appointed the Commissioner of Assessment.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that pursuant to the statute in such cases made and provided the said Abraham M. Schwartz, Charles J. Cavanagh and James J. McMahon, Esqs., will attend at a Special Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Judicial District, to be held at the County Court House, in the Borough of Bronx, in the City of New York, on the 13th day of March, 1916, 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 said proceeding as to their qualifications to act as such commissioners.

Dated, New York, February 24th, 1916.  
LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. m1,11

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of PUTNAM AVENUE WEST, from West 233rd Street to Van Cortlandt Park South, in the 24th 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 Judicial District, dated February 9, 1916, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Bronx on February 10, 1916, Maurice S. Cohen, James F. Delaney and Bernard J. Isacke, Esqs., were appointed Commissioners of Estimate in the above entitled proceeding, and that in and by the said order Maurice S. Cohen, Esq., was appointed the Commissioner of Assessment.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that pursuant to the statute in such cases made and provided the said Maurice S. Cohen, James F. Delaney and Bernard J. Isacke, Esqs., will attend at a Special Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Judicial District, to be held at the County Court House, in the Borough of Bronx, in the City of New York, on the 7th day of March, 1916, 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 said proceeding as to their qualifications to act as such commissioners.

Dated, New York, February 24th, 1916.  
LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. f24,m6

### Filing Preliminary Abstracts.

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of MUNROE AVENUE from Sacket Avenue to Van Nest Avenue, and Haight Avenue from Sacket Avenue to Van Nest Avenue, in the 24th Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL persons interested in the above entitled proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First.—That the undersigned, Commissioners of Estimate, have completed their estimate of damage, 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 20th day of March, 1916, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at their said office on the 21st day of March, 1916, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Second.—That the undersigned, Commissioner of Assessment, has completed his estimate of benefit and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements

and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with him at his office, 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 20th day of March, 1916, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 22nd day of March, 1916, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Third.—That the Commissioner of Assessment has assessed any or all such lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises as are within the area of assessment fixed and prescribed as the area of assessment for benefit by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 25th day of June, 1915, 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.:

Bounded on the north by a line distant 100 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly line of Van Nest Avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Van Nest Avenue; on the east by a line distant 100 feet easterly from and parallel with the easterly line of Munroe Avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Munroe Avenue, and by the prolongation of the said line; on the south by a line always distant 100 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of Sacket Avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Sacket Avenue; and on the west by a line midway between Haight Avenue and Lurting Avenue and by the prolongation of the said line.

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 Opening 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 21st day of March, 1916.

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 II, to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 25th day of May, 1916, 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, February 24th, 1916.  
CLARENCE C. ROGERS, Chairman; MARTIN GEISLER, MORRIS ARNSTEIN, Commissioners of Estimate; CLARENCE C. ROGERS, Commissioner of Assessment.  
JOEL J. SQUIRRA, Clerk. f29,m16

### Filing Reports.

In the Matter of Acquiring Title by The City of New York to certain lands and premises on the easterly side of LORILLARD PLACE, between East 189th Street and East 190th Street, in the 24th Ward of the Borough of The Bronx, in the City of New York, duly selected as a site for school purposes, according to law.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, dated February 2, 1916, and entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Bronx on February 4, 1916, the application of The City of New York to have the compensation which should justly be made to the respective owners of the real property proposed to be taken in the above entitled proceeding ascertained and determined by the Supreme Court without a jury, in accordance with the resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York on the 12th day of November, 1915, was granted.

Notice is hereby further given that a description of the real property to be acquired in the above entitled proceeding is as follows:

"All those lots, pieces and parcels of land, with the buildings thereon and appurtenances thereto belonging, situated on the easterly side of Lorillard Place, between East 189th Street and East 190th Street, in the 24th Ward of the Borough of The Bronx, The City of New York, bounded and described as follows:

"Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the easterly line of Lorillard Place and the northerly line of the lands of Public School 45, which point is distant 169.53 feet northerly from the northerly line of East 189th Street, and running thence easterly along the northerly line of said lands of Public School 45, 94.38 feet; thence northerly and parallel with Lorillard Place 99 feet; thence westerly and parallel with the northerly line of said lands of Public School 45 94.38 feet to the easterly line of Lorillard Place; thence southerly along the easterly line of Lorillard Place 99 feet to the point or place of beginning."

—and each and every owner of or person interested in said real property having any claim or demand on account thereof is hereby required to file his written claim or demand duly verified, describing the real property which the claimant owns or in which he is interested and his Post Office address with the Clerk of the County of Bronx on or before the 10th day of March, 1916, and to serve on the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, at his office, Room 1743, 17th floor, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on or before the said 10th day of March, 1916, a copy of such verified claim.

Dated, New York, February 25th, 1916.  
LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. f25,m7

## SUPREME COURT—SECOND DEPARTMENT.

### Notice of Appointment.

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 DITMARS AVENUE from Old Bowers Bay Road to Forty-third Street, in the First and Second Wards, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 3rd day of February 1916, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens in the City of New York, on the 9th day of February, 1916, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, we, Francis X. Sullivan, Henry Doherty and William H. Wade, were ap-

pointed Commissioners of Estimate for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening and extending the above mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on the 9th day of February, 1916; and the said Francis X. Sullivan was appointed Commissioner of Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of the said street or avenue so to be opened and extended, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises situated within the area of assessment adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and not required for the purpose of opening and extending the same, but benefited thereby, the said area of assessment being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on the 9th day of February, 1916, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by Chapter 17, Title 4, of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, and the Acts or parts of Acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening and extending the said street or avenue, and affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate, at our office, sixth floor, Municipal Building, Court House Square, Long Island City, in the Borough of Queens, in the City of New York, with such affidavit or other proof as the said owners or claimants may desire, within ten days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 18th day of March, 1916, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proof of such claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated, New York, March 6, 1916.  
FRANCIS X. SULLIVAN, HENRY DOHT, WILLIAM H. WADE, Commissioners.  
WALTER C. SHEPPARD, Clerk. m6

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of ST. FELIX AVENUE from Cooper Avenue to Charlotte Place, in the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court, bearing date the 3rd day of February, 1916, and duly entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens at his office in Jamaica, in the Borough of Queens, in the City of New York, on the 9th day of February, 1916, a copy of which order was duly filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, we, Emile E. Rathgeber, William Wallace and Robert J. Culhane, were appointed Commissioners of Estimate for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the loss and damage to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled unto or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises required for the purpose by and in consequence of opening and extending the above mentioned street or avenue, the same being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on the 9th day of February, 1916; and the said Robert J. Culhane was appointed Commissioner of Assessment for the purpose of making a just and equitable estimate and assessment of the value of the benefit and advantage of the said street or avenue so to be opened and extended, to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons respectively entitled to or interested in the respective lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises situated within the area of assessment adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and not required for the purpose of opening and extending the same, but benefited thereby, the said area of assessment being particularly set forth and described in the petition of The City of New York, and also in the notice of the application for the said order thereto attached, filed herein in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on the 9th day of February, 1916, and of ascertaining and defining the extent and boundaries of the respective tracts or parcels of land to be taken or to be assessed therefor, and of performing the trusts and duties required of us by Chapter 17, Title 4, of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, and the Acts or parts of Acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

All parties and persons interested in the real estate taken or to be taken for the purpose of opening and extending the said street or avenue and affected thereby, and having any claim or demand on account thereof, are hereby required to present the same, duly verified, to us, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate, at our office, sixth floor, Municipal Building, Court House Square, Long Island City, in the Borough of Queens, in the City of New York, with such affidavit or other proof as the said owners or claimants may desire, within ten days after the date of this notice.

And we, the said Commissioners, will be in attendance at our said office on the 21st day of March, 1916, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, to hear the said parties and persons in relation thereto. And at such time and place, and at such further or other time and place as we may appoint, we will hear such owners in relation thereto and examine the proof of such claimant or claimants, or such additional proofs and allegations as may then be offered by such owner or on behalf of The City of New York.

Dated, New York, March 6th, 1916.  
EMILE E. RATHGEBER, WILLIAM WALLACE, ROBERT J. CULHANE, Commissioners.  
WALTER C. SHEPPARD, Clerk. m6

### Filing Final Reports.

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 WEST 28TH STREET, from Neptune Avenue to Surf Avenue; WEST 29TH STREET, from Neptune Avenue to Surf Avenue; WEST 30TH STREET, from Neptune Avenue to the mean high water line of the Atlantic Ocean; WEST 31ST STREET, from Neptune Avenue to Surf Avenue, excluding in



NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that pursuant to the statutes in such cases made and provided the said William W. Gillen, Eugene N. L. Young and Julius Harder, Esqs., will attend at a Special Term for the hearing of motions, held at a Trial Term, Part I, of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial District, to be held in and for the County of Queens at the County Court House in the Borough of Queens, in the City of New York, on the 14th day of March, 1916, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon for the purpose of being ex-



amined under oath by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, or by any other persons having any interest in said proceeding, as to their qualifications to act as such commissioners.

Dated, New York, March 2, 1916.

LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel,  
Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. m2,13

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 MARSTON AVENUE, from Murray Street to Dunsing Street; DUNSING STREET, from Marston Avenue to Matthew Place, and MATTHEW PLACE, from Dunsing Street to Hoogland Street, in the 3rd Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial District, dated February 18, 1916, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on February 24th, 1916, William E. Stewart, Walter M. Palmer and John K. Gillette, Esqs., were appointed Commissioners of Estimate in the above entitled proceeding, and that in and by the said order William E. Stewart, Esq., was appointed the Commissioner of Assessment.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN THAT pursuant to the statutes in such cases made and provided the said William E. Stewart, Walter M. Palmer and John K. Gillette, Esqs., will attend at a Special Term, Part I, of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial District, held in and for the County of Queens, at the County Court House, in the Borough of Queens, in the City of New York, on the 14th day of March, 1916, 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 persons having any interest in said proceeding, as to their qualifications to act as such commissioners.

Dated, New York, March 2, 1916.

LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel,  
Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. m2,13

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 CASPIAN STREET, from Andrews Street to Metropolitan Avenue; ZEIDLER STREET, from Andrews Street to Metropolitan Avenue, and KING PLACE, from Caspian Street to Metropolitan Avenue, in the 2nd Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial District, dated February 14, 1916, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on February 17, 1916, Herman E. Winne, William B. Parsons and George G. Goetz, Esqs., were appointed Commissioners of Estimate in the above entitled proceeding, and that in and by the said order Herman E. Winne, Esq., was appointed the Commissioner of Assessment.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN THAT pursuant to the statutes in such cases made and provided the said Herman E. Winne, William B. Parsons and George G. Goetz, Esqs., will attend at a Special Term, Part I, of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial District, held in and for the County of Queens, at the County Court House, in the Borough of Queens, in the City of New York, on the 10th day of March, 1916, 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 said proceeding, as to their qualifications to act as such commissioners.

Dated, New York, February 28th, 1916.

LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel,  
Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. f28,m9

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of NINTH STREET, from Broadway to Jackson Avenue; TENTH STREET, from Broadway to Jackson Avenue, and PEEL STREET, from Broadway to Hayes Avenue, in the 2nd Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial District, dated February 14, 1916, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on February 17th, 1916, George W. Pople, Harry I. Huber and Emil A. Guenther, Esqs., were appointed Commissioners of Estimate in the above entitled proceeding, and that in and by the said order George W. Pople, Esq., was appointed the Commissioner of Assessment.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN THAT pursuant to the statutes in such cases made and provided the said George W. Pople, Harry I. Huber and Emil A. Guenther, Esqs., will attend at a Special Term, Part I, of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial District, held in and for the County of Queens, at the County Court House, in the Borough of Queens, in the City of New York, on the 10th day of March, 1916, 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 said proceeding, as to their qualifications to act as such commissioners.

Dated, New York, February 28th, 1916.

LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel,  
Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. f28,m9

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 BAYREUTH STREET, from Parsons Avenue to Dutchess Street, in the 3rd Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial District, dated February 14, 1916, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on February 17, 1916, Harry T. Weeks, Joseph Kaiser and Charles A. Brodek, Esqs., were appointed Commissioners of Estimate in the above entitled proceeding, and that in and by the said order Harry T. Weeks, Esq., was appointed the Commissioner of Assessment.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN THAT pursuant to the statutes in such cases made and provided the said Harry T. Weeks, Joseph Kaiser and Charles A. Brodek, Esqs., will attend at a Special Term, Part I, of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial District, held in and for the County of Queens, at the County Court House, in the Borough of Queens, in the City of New York, on the 10th day of March, 1916, 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 said proceeding, as to their qualifications to act as such commissioners.

of New York, Second Judicial District, held in and for the County of Queens, at the County Court House, in the Borough of Queens, in the City of New York, on the 10th day of March, 1916, 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 said proceeding, as to their qualifications to act as such commissioners.

Dated, New York, February 28th, 1916.

LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel,  
Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. f28,m9

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 SEVENTEENTH AVENUE, from Winthrop Avenue to Berrian Avenue, in the 1st Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial District, dated February 14, 1916, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on February 17, 1916, John Hetherington, Robert Price Bell and Samuel J. Wood, Esqs., were appointed Commissioners of Estimate in the above entitled proceeding, and that in and by the said order John Hetherington, Esq., was appointed the Commissioner of Assessment.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN THAT pursuant to the statutes in such cases made and provided the said John Hetherington, Robert Price Bell and Samuel J. Wood, Esqs., will attend at a Special Term, Part I, of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial District, held in and for the County of Queens, at the County Court House, in the Borough of Queens, in the City of New York, on the 9th day of March, 1916, 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 said proceeding, as to their qualifications to act as such commissioners.

Dated, New York, February 26th, 1916.

LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel,  
Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. f26,m8

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 MILTON STREET, from Flushing Avenue to Grand Street, in the 2nd Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial District, dated February 14, 1916, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on February 17, 1916, John A. Rapelye, Emil E. Rathgeber and Alfred G. Buckmaster, Esqs., were appointed Commissioners of Estimate in the above entitled proceeding, and that in and by the said order John A. Rapelye, Esq., was appointed the Commissioner of Assessment.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN THAT pursuant to the statutes in such cases made and provided the said John A. Rapelye, Emil E. Rathgeber and Alfred G. Buckmaster, Esqs., will attend at a Special Term, Part I, of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial District, held in and for the County of Queens, at the County Court House, in the Borough of Queens, in the City of New York, on the 9th day of March, 1916, 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 said proceeding, as to their qualifications to act as such commissioners.

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In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of RADCLIFF STREET, from Waldron Street to a line 300 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly bulkhead line of Flushing River; STRONG STREET, from Waldron Street to a line 300 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly bulkhead line of Flushing River, in the 2nd Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial District, dated February 14, 1916, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on February 17, 1916, William W. Gillen, William G. Johnson and Harry S. Rushmore, Esqs., were appointed Commissioners of Estimate in the above entitled proceeding, and that in and by the said order William W. Gillen, Esq., was appointed the Commissioner of Assessment.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN THAT pursuant to the statutes in such cases made and provided the said William W. Gillen, William G. Johnson and Harry S. Rushmore, Esqs., will attend at a Special Term, Part I, of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial District, held in and for the County of Queens, at the County Court House, in the Borough of Queens, in the City of New York, on the 9th day of March, 1916, 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 said proceeding, as to their qualifications to act as such commissioners.

Dated, New York, February 26th, 1916.

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In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of WASHINGTON AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from the East River to Jackson Avenue, in the 1st Ward, Borough of Queens, in the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial Department, dated the 7th day of January, 1916, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial Department, on the 7th day of January, 1916, Clarence Edwards, Harrison S. Moore and Eugene V. Daly, Esqs., were appointed Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled proceeding in the place and stead of Wallace E. J. Collins, Charles H. Bailey and Herman E. Winne.

Notice is further given that pursuant to the

said order the said Clarence Edwards, Harrison S. Moore and Eugene V. Daly, Esqs., will attend at a Special Term, Part I, held for the hearing of motions, of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial District, to be held at the County Court House, in the County of Kings, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, on the 9th day of March, 1916, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel of the City of New York or by any other person having any interest in the said proceeding as to their qualifications to act as such Commissioners.

Dated, New York, February 26th, 1916.

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In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of MITCHELL AVENUE, from Whitestone Avenue to Dunsing Street (16th Street), and CONNORTON AVENUE (Myrtle Avenue), from Parsons Avenue to Dunsing Street (16th Street), in the Third Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial District, dated February 14th, 1916, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on February 17th, 1916, JAMES H. QUINLAN, Esq., was appointed a Commissioner of Estimate in the above entitled proceeding in the place and stead of GEORGE W. POPE, resigned.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN THAT pursuant to the said order bearing date February 14th, 1916, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on February 17th, 1916, the said James H. Quinlan, Esq., will attend at a Special Term for the hearing of motions, held at Trial Term, Part I, of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial District, held in and for the County of Queens, at the County Court House, in the Borough of Queens, in the City of New York, on the 8th day of March, 1916, 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 said proceeding as to his qualifications to act as such commissioner.

Dated, New York, February 25th, 1916.

LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel,  
Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. f25,m7

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 BORDEN AVENUE, from Greenpoint Avenue to Laurel Hill Boulevard, and of GOULD AVENUE, from Greenpoint Avenue to Madden Street, and from Locust Street to Addison Place, in the First and Second Wards, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial District, dated February 14th, 1916, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on February 17th, 1916, FREDERICK W. DAWSON, Esq., was appointed a Commissioner of Estimate and the Commissioner of Assessment in the above entitled proceeding in the place and stead of FRANK ENTWISLE, deceased.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN THAT pursuant to the said order bearing date February 14th, 1916, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on February 17th, 1916, the said Frederick W. Dawson, Esq., will attend at a Special Term for the hearing of motions, held at Trial Term, Part I, of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial District, held in and for the County of Queens, in the County Court House, in the Borough of Queens, in the City of New York, on the 8th day of March, 1916, 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 said proceeding as to his qualifications to act as such commissioner.

Dated, New York, February 25th, 1916.

LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel,  
Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. f25,m7

#### Filing Preliminary Abstracts.

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of GRAVESEND NECK ROAD, from Van Sicken Street to Ocean Avenue, excluding the right-of-way of the Brooklyn and Brighton Beach Railroad, of the Long Island Railroad and of the Prospect Park and Coney Island Railroad; SHEEPSHEAD BAY ROAD, from Gravesend Neck Road to Emmons Avenue, excluding the right-of-way of the Brooklyn and Brighton Beach Railroad and of the Long Island Railroad; AVENUE W, from Ocean Parkway to the junction with Gravesend Neck Road and Sheepshead Bay Road; EAST 12TH STREET, from Gravesend Neck Road to Avenue W; JEROME AVENUE, from East 17th Street to Sheepshead Bay Road; AVENUE Z, from East 13th Street to Sheepshead Bay Road, and EAST 18TH STREET, from Jerome Avenue to Voorhies Avenue, in the 31st Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL PERSONS interested in the above-entitled proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First.—That the undersigned, Commissioners of Estimate, have completed their estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with them at their office, No. 166 Montague Street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, on or before the 16th day of March, 1916, 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 March, 1916, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Second.—That the undersigned, Commissioner of Assessment, has completed his estimate of benefit and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with him at his office, No. 166 Montague Street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, on or before the 16th day of March, 1916, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so ob-

jecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 21st day of March, 1916, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Third.—That the Commissioner of Assessments has assessed any or all of 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 31st day of October, 1912, and that the said area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

BEGINNING at a point on a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the southerly line of Village Road North and the northerly line of Gravesend Neck Road, as these streets are laid out between Van Sicken street and Gravesend avenue, distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Van Sicken street, the said distance being measured at right angles to Van Sicken street, and running thence eastwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with the westerly line of Gravesend avenue; thence eastwardly in a straight line to a point in the easterly line of Gravesend avenue, where it is intersected by a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the southerly line of Village Road North and the northerly line of Gravesend Neck Road, as these streets are laid out between Gravesend avenue and Village Road East; thence eastwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with the westerly line of Village Road East; thence eastwardly in a straight line to a point on the easterly line of Ocean Parkway, where it is intersected by a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the southerly line of Avenue V and the northerly line of Gravesend Neck road as these streets are laid out between East 7th Street and East 8th street; thence eastwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the southerly line of Avenue V and the northerly line of Gravesend Neck road, as these streets are laid out between East 12th street on the west; thence eastwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the southerly line of Avenue V and the northerly line of Gravesend Neck road, as these streets are laid out between East 16th street and East 17th street; thence eastwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly line of Gravesend Neck road, the said distance being measured at right angles to Gravesend Neck road; thence eastwardly along the said line parallel with Gravesend Neck road to the intersection with the westerly line of Ocean Avenue; thence eastwardly at right angles to Ocean Avenue a distance of 200 feet; thence southwardly and parallel with Ocean Avenue to the intersection with the prolongation of a line distant 100 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of Avenue W, the said distance being measured at right angles to Avenue W; thence westwardly along the said line parallel with Avenue W and along the prolongations of the said line to the intersection with the westerly right-of-way line of the Brooklyn and Brighton Beach Railroad; thence southwardly along the said right-of-way line to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the southerly line of Gravesend Neck Road and the northerly line of Avenue X as these streets are laid out between East 14th Street and East 15th street; thence westwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with a line midway between East 13th street and East 14th street; thence southwardly along the said line midway between East 13th street and East 14th street to the intersection with a line midway between Avenue X and Avenue Y; thence eastwardly along the said line midway between Avenue X and Avenue Y to the intersection with a line midway between East 14th street and East 15th street; thence southwardly along the said line midway between East 14th street and East 15th street to a point distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Avenue Z; thence eastwardly and parallel with Avenue Z to the intersection with a line midway between East 17th street and East 18th street; thence southwardly along the said line midway between East 17th street and East 18th street to a point distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Avenue Z; thence eastwardly and parallel with Avenue Z to the intersection with a line midway between East 18th street and East 19th street; thence southwardly along the said line midway between East 18th street and East 19th street and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the southerly line of Voorhies avenue and the northerly line of Emmons avenue, as these streets are laid out between East 19th street and Ocean avenue; thence eastwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with a line midway between East 19th street and Ocean avenue; thence southwardly along the said line midway between East 19th street and Ocean avenue and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of Emmons avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Emmons avenue; thence westwardly along the said line parallel with Emmons avenue to the intersection with a line at right angles to Emmons avenue and passing through a point on its northerly side where it is intersected by a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the centre lines of East 16th street and Sheepshead Bay Road as these streets are laid out between Sheepshead Court and Bay Court; thence northwardly along the said line at right angles to Emmons avenue to the intersection with its northerly side; thence northwardly along said bisecting line to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of Voorhies avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Voorhies avenue; thence westwardly along the said line parallel with Voorhies avenue to the intersection with the easterly right-of-way line of the Long Island Railroad; thence northwardly along the said right-of-way line to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the southerly line of Sheepshead Bay Road and the northerly line of Voorhies avenue as these streets are laid out between East 14th street and East 15th street; thence westwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with a line midway between Avenue Z and Voorhies avenue; thence westwardly along the said line midway between Avenue Z and Voorhies avenue to the intersection with a line midway between East 12th street and Homecrest avenue; thence northwardly along the said line midway between East 12th street and Homecrest avenue and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Avenue W and Avenue X; thence westwardly along the said line midway between Avenue W and Avenue X and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line midway between East 4th street and East 5th street; thence northwardly along the said line midway between East 4th street and East 5th street to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the southerly line of Gravesend Neck road and the northerly line of Avenue W,



as these streets are laid out between East 2nd street and East 3rd street; thence westwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with a line midway between West street and West 1st street; thence northwardly along the said line midway between West street and West 1st street to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the southerly line of Gravesend Neck road and the northerly line of Village Road south, as these streets are laid out between Gravesend avenue and Village Road East; thence westwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the southerly line of Gravesend Neck road and the northerly line of Village Road South, as these streets are laid out between Van Siclen street and Gravesend avenue; thence westwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with a line parallel with Van Siclen street and passing through the point of beginning; thence northwardly along the said line parallel with Van Siclen 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, No. 166 Montague Street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in said City, there to remain until the 25th day of March, 1916.

**Fifth.**—That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said abstracts, the reports as to awards and as to assessments for benefit herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 20th day of April, 1916, 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, February 26th, 1916.  
EDWARD P. LYON, F. A. M. BURRELL,  
THEODORE L. PROTHINGHAM, Commissioners of Estimate. EDWARD P. LYON, Commissioner of Assessment.

ANDREW C. TROY, Clerk. 126,m14

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of ASHLAND STREET, from Cypress Hills Cemetery to Myrtle Avenue, from Birch Street to Spruce Street and from North Curtis Avenue to Metropolitan Avenue, as shown upon a map or plan, adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment May 16, 1912, and approved by the Mayor May 22, 1912, together with the small unacquired portions of Forest Park, opposite Nosstrand Place, and at the intersection of Ashland Street, Myrtle Avenue and Guion Street, in the 4th Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL PERSONS** interested in the above-entitled proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

**First.**—That the undersigned, Commissioners of Estimate, have completed their 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, 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 15th day of March, 1916, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at their said office on the 17th day of March, 1916, at 2:30 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, 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 15th day of March, 1916, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 20th day of March, 1916, at 2:30 o'clock P. M.

**Third.**—That the Commissioner of Assessment has assessed any or all such lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises as are within the area of assessment fixed and prescribed as the amended area of assessment for benefit by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 29th day of July, 1915, and that the said area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point on the southerly line of Metropolitan Avenue distant 400 feet northerly from the northerly line of Ashland Street, the said distance being measured at right angles to Ashland Street, and running thence northwardly at right angles to Metropolitan Avenue to a point distant 100 feet northerly from its northerly side; thence eastwardly and parallel with Metropolitan Avenue to the intersection with a line at right angles to Metropolitan Avenue and passing through a point on its southerly side where it is intersected by a line distant 100 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly line of Hillside Avenue, as this street is laid out between North Villa Street and Ambrose Street, the said distance being measured at right angles to Hillside Avenue; thence southwardly along the said line at right angles to Metropolitan Avenue to the intersection with its southerly side; thence westwardly along the said line parallel with Hillside Avenue and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line midway between Hamilton Avenue and Stothoff Avenue; thence southwardly along the said line midway between Hamilton Avenue and Stothoff Avenue to a point distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Brandon Avenue; thence westwardly and parallel with Brandon Avenue to the intersection with the easterly line of Oxford Avenue; thence southwardly in a straight line to a point on the westerly line of Oxford Avenue, where it is intersected by a line midway between Brazil Street and Brandon Avenue; thence westwardly along the said line midway between Brazil Street and Brandon Avenue and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with the easterly line of Willard Avenue; thence southwardly in a straight line to a point on the westerly line

of Willard Avenue where it is intersected by a line midway between Elmwood Street and Blackford Street; thence westwardly along the said line midway between Elmwood Street and Blackford Street and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with the easterly line of Yarmouth Street; thence northwardly in a straight line to a point on the westerly line of Yarmouth Street, where it is intersected by the prolongation of a line midway between Shipley Place and Windom Street, as these streets are laid out where they adjoin Forest Parkway; thence westwardly along the said line midway between Shipley Place and Windom Street and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with the easterly line of Forest Parkway; thence northwardly in a straight line to a point on the westerly line of Forest Parkway, where it is intersected by the prolongation of a line midway between Shipley Place and Farragut Street, as these streets are laid out where they adjoin Leggett Avenue; thence westwardly along the said line midway between Shipley Place and Farragut Street and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with the easterly line of Leggett Avenue; thence northwardly in a straight line to a point on the westerly line of Leggett Avenue, where it is intersected by the prolongation of a line midway between Farragut Street and Shipley Street; thence westwardly along the said line midway between Farragut Street and Shipley Street and along the prolongations of the said line to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly line of Truant Avenue as this street is laid out between Farragut Street and Shipley Street, the said distance being measured at right angles to Truant Avenue; thence northwardly along the said line parallel with Truant Avenue and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with the prolongation of a line distant 400 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly line of Ashland Street as this street is laid out where it adjoins Truant Avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Ashland Street; thence eastwardly and parallel with Ashland Street to the intersection with a line distant 400 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly line of Ashland Street to the intersection with a line distant 400 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly line of Myrtle Avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Myrtle Avenue; thence eastwardly along the said line parallel with Myrtle Avenue to the intersection with a line parallel with Ashland Street, as this street is laid out between North Vine Street and North Curtis Avenue, and passing through the point of beginning; thence eastwardly along the said line parallel with Ashland Street to the point or place of beginning.

**Fourth.**—That the abstracts of said supplemental and amended estimate of damage and of said supplemental and amended assessment for benefit, together with the damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by the Commissioners of Estimate and by the Commissioner of Assessment in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, in the Municipal Building, Court House Square, in the Borough of Queens, in said City, there to remain until the 17th day of March, 1916.

**Fifth.**—That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said supplemental and amended 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 May, 1916, 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, February 15th, 1916.  
CLINTON T. ROE, Chairman; JOHN L. KLAGES, Commissioners of Estimate. JOHN L. KLAGES, Commissioner of Assessment.  
WALTER C. SHEPPARD, Clerk. 124,m11

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 66TH STREET, from 4th Avenue to the westerly line of New Utrecht Avenue, and from the easterly line of New Utrecht Avenue to 22nd Avenue, excluding the land of the New York and Sea Beach Railroad, in the 30th Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL PERSONS** interested in the above-entitled proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

**First.**—That the undersigned, Commissioners of Estimate, have completed their amended and supplemental estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections in writing, duly verified, with them at their office, No. 166 Montague Street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on or before the 7th day of March, 1916, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at their said office on the 9th day of March, 1916, at 2 o'clock P. M.

**Second.**—That the undersigned, Commissioner of Assessment, has assessed any or all of 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 18th day of June, 1909, and that the said area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point on the prolongation of a line midway between Sixty-sixth street and Sixty-seventh street, distant 100 feet southeasterly from the southeasterly line of Twenty-second avenue, and running thence northwardly along the said line midway between Sixty-sixth street and Sixty-seventh street, and along the prolongation

of the said line to the intersection with the centre line of Eighteenth avenue; thence southwardly along the centre line of Eighteenth avenue to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongation of the northeasterly line of Ovington avenue, as laid out between New Utrecht avenue and Eighteenth avenue, and the southwesterly line of Sixty-sixth street; thence northwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with the centre line of New Utrecht avenue; thence northwardly along the centre line of New Utrecht avenue to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Sixty-sixth street and Sixty-seventh street; thence northwardly along a line always midway between Sixty-sixth street and Sixty-seventh street, and along the prolongation of the said line to a point distant 100 feet northwesterly from the northwesterly line of Fourth avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Fourth avenue; thence northwardly and parallel with Fourth avenue to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Sixty-fifth street and Sixty-sixth street; thence southwardly along a line always midway between Sixty-fifth street and Sixty-sixth street, and along the prolongations of the said line, to the intersection with a line parallel with Twenty-second avenue and passing through the point of beginning; thence southwardly along the said line parallel with Twenty-second avenue to the point or place of beginning.

**Fourth.**—That the abstracts of said amended and supplemental estimate of damage and of said assessment for benefit, together with the damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by the Commissioners of Estimate and by the Commissioner of Assessment in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, No. 166 Montague Street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in said City, there to remain until the 20th day of March, 1916.

**Fifth.**—That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said abstracts, the reports as to awards and as to assessments for benefit herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 19th day of April, 1916, 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, February 24th, 1916.  
JOHN P. HURLEY, RAYMOND D. THURBER, RICHARDSON WEBSTER, Commissioners of Estimate; JOHN P. HURLEY, Commissioner of Assessment.  
ANDREW C. TROY, Clerk. 124,m12

#### 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 a warehouse 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 whatever 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 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 portions 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 furnishings, 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, beam holes, etc., bricked up, and the wall pointed and made to exclude wind and rain and present a clean exterior. The roofs and adjacent buildings shall be properly flashed and painted and made watertight where they have been disturbed by the operations of the Contractor.

"No buildings, parts of buildings, fixtures or machinery sold for removal under these terms and conditions shall in any case be re-located or re-erected within the lines of any proposed street or other public improvement, and if any such buildings, parts of buildings, fixtures or machinery, etc., shall be re-located or re-erected within the lines of any proposed street or other public improvement, the City of New York shall become vested in The City of New York and a sale at public or private sale may be made in the same manner as if no prior sale thereof had been made."

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 be it 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 officers, 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 her name or names and the date of presentation to the President or Board of the City of New York, 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 of 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.