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PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION—FIRST DISTRICT.

No. 154 NASSAU STREET, NEW YORK CITY.

Calendar for the Week Commencing July 26, 1915.

Friday, July 30, 1915—10.30 a. m.—Room 305—Richmond Light and Railroad Company—"Informal hearing as to minimum monthly charge for power service"—Commissioner Cram. 11 a. m.—Room 305—Case No. 1441—Ocean Electric Railway Company—"Further hearing as to installation of automatic block signals on single track lines"—Commissioner Cram.

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

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

COMPARATIVE COSTS OF MAINTAINING THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, 1913-1914.

June 24, 1915.

Hon. WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller, City of New York:

Dear Sir—The specific object of this report is to compare the cost of maintaining the Health Department in The City of New York in 1914 with the cost of maintaining the same department in 1913. Before, however, entering upon a discussion of the statistics later presented, it is proposed to sketch briefly the organization and growth of the department and the work it performs.

1. Organization and Growth.

It was organized on April 11, 1870, pursuant to chapter 137 of the laws of 1870. It succeeded the Sanitary Commissioners of "The Metropolitan Sanitary District of the State of New York," the majority of the members of which were appointed by the Governor subject to the concurrence of the Senate.

Among the first acts of the new department was the establishment of a "Sanitary Inspection Bureau," a "Bureau of Records of Vital Statistics" and a "Bureau of Street Cleaning." It also adopted a sanitary code.

Some of the subjects which engaged the attention of the department during 1870 and 1871, as shown in its first annual report, were:

1. The drainage of vacant lots.
2. Condition of sewers and pavements and wharves and slips.
3. Street cleaning in addition to that called for by the ten-year contract entered into by the City in 1865.
4. The inspection of tenement houses and the revoking of permits to occupy cellars and basements for human habitation.
5. Inspection of stables.
6. Removal of garbage, etc.
7. Slaughtering of animals.
8. Inspection of dangerous and offensive trades.
9. The care of contagious diseases and the isolation of the patients.
10. Disinfection and the use of disinfectants.
11. Quarantine.

Chapter 378 of the laws of 1897 brought under the jurisdiction of the Department of Health the communities added to the old City of New York to form the Greater New York.

The contagious disease hospitals of the Department of Health were acquired as follows:

1875, Riverside Hospital. This was the name given to the small hospital on Blackwell's Island, then transferred from the Department of Charities and Correction. Riverside Hospital is now located on North Brothers' Island. This was originally a hospital for the treatment of smallpox. The report of the Health Department for 1913 indicates that the diseases now mainly treated there are tuberculosis, measles, diphtheria and scarlet fever.

1885, Willard Parker Hospital. This hospital was established at the foot of East 16th street, Manhattan, for the care of diphtheria, scarlet fever and measles. The diseases now principally treated are diphtheria and scarlet fever. In 1892 there was erected in connection with the hospitals of this department a Reception Hospital for those patients under observation and awaiting transportation.

1891, Kingston Avenue Hospital, Brooklyn. This, too, was originally a smallpox hospital. It now takes care chiefly of those patients suffering from diphtheria, scarlet fever and measles.

The charter provisions pertaining to the Health Department are mainly contained in sections 1167 to 1325. The Sanitary Code is chapter 20 of the Code of City Ordinances.

2. Work Performed.

A general idea of the present functions and activities of the Health Department may be gained from the following data, taken from page 27 of "A Guide to Some of the Hygienic Features of New York City," published by the Department of Health in May, 1914.

BUREAU OF GENERAL ADMINISTRATION.—Correspondence; Proceedings of the Board of Health; Payrolls, Central File, Purchase of Supplies; Audit of Accounts; Transportation.

BUREAU OF RECORDS.—Registration of Vital Statistics; Issuance of Burial Permits; Transcripts of Records; Statistical Research.

SANITARY BUREAU.—Sanitary Inspections; Abatement of Nuisances; Offensive Trades; Mosquito Work; Removal of Dead Animals.

BUREAU OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES.—Supervision of Various Infectious Diseases; Quarantine; Disinfection; Vaccination; Pasteur Treatment; Tuberculosis Clinics; Day Camps.

BUREAU OF LABORATORIES.—Production of Antitoxins and Vaccines; Chemical and Bacteriological Examinations of Water, Milk, Foods and Drugs; Examination of Specimens for Diagnosis, Including Wassermann Tests; Research in Bacteriology; Specific Therapeutics.

BUREAU OF CHILD HYGIENE.—Medical School Inspection; Infant Milk Stations; Supervision of Midwives, Day Nurseries and Boarded-out Infants; Issuance of Employment Certificates.

BUREAU OF FOOD INSPECTION.—Inspection and Supervision of Production; Manufacture and Sale of Food of All Kinds, Including Milk and Beverages.

BUREAU OF PUBLIC HEALTH EDUCATION.—Publications; Exhibits; Lectures; Moving Pictures; Library of the Department of Health; School of Sanitary Science.

BUREAU OF HOSPITALS.—Hospital Care of Patients Ill with Various Contagious Diseases, Including Tuberculosis; Sanatorium Care for Tuberculosis; Preparation of Drugs and Medicines.

Section 1167 of the charter refers to the composition of the Board of Health. It reads, in part, as follows:

"The head of the department of health shall be called the board of health. Said board shall consist of one commissioner to be called the commissioner of health, the police commissioner and the health officer of the port. The commissioner of health shall be appointed by the mayor, shall hold office as provided in chapter four of this act, and shall be the president of the board of health. The commissioner of health shall be the executive officer of the health department."

A better conception of the immense amount of service rendered by the Health Department will perhaps be gathered from the cost statistics later set forth than from the synopsis of the functions of the department given above.

The value of the Department of Health to the City may be judged in a measure from the decrease in the annual death rate as shown in the following table:

Death Rate Per Thousand on General Population.

	1898.	1913.
All causes, entire population	20.46	13.76
All causes, population under five years	7.79	3.85
Pulmonary tuberculosis	2.36	1.60

Despite the heavy increase in population from 1898 to 1913 the total deaths under five years in the former year were 25,499, while in the latter year they were but 20,711, a decrease of 4,788.

Since 1890 perhaps the most notable achievements of the Department of Health have been the establishment of bacteriological laboratories, the production, administration and distribution of diphtheria antitoxin, the campaign against tuberculosis, the more thorough inspection of milk, the physical examination of a greater number of school children and the establishment of municipal milk stations.

3. Expenditures.

The expenditures by the Health Department for maintenance and operation from 1905 to 1914, and the budget allowances to that department for 1905 to 1915, follow. From 1905 to 1912 the figures given represent the actual expenditures for those years. The figures given for 1913 and 1914, represent the expenditures on a consumption basis. To make clear what is meant by "consumption basis," it may be said that supplies purchased for the years 1905 to 1912 are included in the expenditures of those years regardless of when they were used. The charges for supplies included in the expenditures for 1913 and 1914, however, represent only the supplies actually applied to maintenance and operation for those years, regardless of when they were purchased. It can readily be seen that the former method does not afford a proper basis of comparison, while the latter method does permit a fair comparison of the expenses of any two years.

STATEMENT A, SHOWING THE APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, 1905 TO 1914, INCLUSIVE.

Year.	Tax Budget Appropriations.	Expenditures.	Excess of expenditures Over Appropriations.
1905	\$1,259,391 48	\$1,763,873 99	\$504,482 51
1906	1,344,396 66	1,889,321 15	544,924 49
1907	1,847,819 66	2,079,413 40	231,593 74
1908	2,279,849 50	2,507,212 89	227,363 39
1909	2,484,859 25	2,584,603 27	99,744 02
1910	2,747,723 00	2,768,115 41	20,392 41
1911	2,823,499 50	2,780,243 58	*43,255 92
1912	3,142,417 00	3,076,343 47	*66,073 53
1913	3,366,219 50	3,339,240 86	*26,978 64
1914	3,534,240 50	3,223,820 69	*310,419 81
1915	3,443,492 22	.....	.....

*Decrease.

The increase in the expenditures of the Department of Health in 1914 over those of 1905, was:

	Amount.
Expenditures, 1914	\$3,223,820 69
Expenditures, 1905	1,763,873 99

Increase \$1,459,946 70

Roughly, this increase would seem to be due to the following causes:

1. The expenditures in connection with the following items increased from 1905 to 1913, as below:
Riverside Hospital (Tuberculosis Service)..... \$193,624 65
Tuberculosis Sanatorium, Otisville 266,880 32

Bureau of Communicable Diseases.....	Amount. 314,404 13
Infants' Milk Stations.....	149,814 36
	\$924,723 46
2. Allowed for increase on account of increase in population of 30.66 per cent. from 1905 to 1914.....	535 223 24
	\$1,459,946 70

The increase of 30.66 per cent. on the expenses of the department for 1905, viz.: \$1,763,873.99, equals \$540,803.77, so it will be seen that aside from the expenditures for the activities enumerated in Item No. 2, above, all of which have been organized or greatly augmented since 1905, the rate of increase in the cost of operating the department did not exceed the percentage of growth in population.

It is interesting to note the percentage of increase in expenditures for the services enumerated in Item No. 1 above.

<i>Riverside Hospital (Tuberculosis Service.)</i>	
Expenditures, 1913	\$224,026 54
Expenditures, 1905	71,099 62

Increase.....	\$152,926 92
Percentage of increase.....	215.08
Average annual percentage of increase, 8 years.....	26.88

<i>Tuberculosis Sanatorium, Otisville.</i>	
Expenditures, 1913	\$266,880 32
Expenditures, 1907	96,050 40

Increase.....	\$170,829 92
Percentage of increase.....	177.85
Average annual percentage of increase, 6 years.....	29.64

<i>Bureau of Communicable Diseases.</i>	
Expenditures, 1913	\$367,084 13
Expenditures, 1905 (estimated)	66,090 00

Increase.....	\$300,994 13
Percentage of increase.....	455.43
Average annual percentage of increase, 8 years.....	56.93

<i>Infants' Milk Stations.</i>	
Expenditures, 1913	\$149,814 36
Expenditures, 1911	28,703 48

Increase.....	\$121,110 88
Percentage of increase.....	421.94
Average annual percentage of increase, 2 years.....	210.97

The expenditures for 1914, classified, as in the budget of that year, by objects of expenditure, and the relative percentage of each to the whole were:

STATEMENT B, SHOWING BY BUDGET CLASSIFICATIONS THE EXPENDITURES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH; ALSO THE PERCENTAGE OF THE COST OF EACH CLASSIFICATION TO THE ENTIRE COST.

	Amount.	Percentage.
1. Personal Service	\$2,436,651 37	75.5
2. Supplies	507,714 28	15.8
3. Contract or Open Order Service.....	161,292 64	5.0
4. Purchase of Equipment	95,943 89	2.9
5. Materials	14,800 67	.5
6. Contingencies	7,417 84	.3
Total.....	\$3,223,820 69	100.0

These expenditures are further subdivided below:

<i>1. Personal Service.</i>	
Child Hygiene	\$619,569 65
Infectious Diseases	527,275 43
Hospital	498,012 44
Inspection	398,177 33
General Administration	184,016 34
Laboratory	147,059 27
Keeping of Records.....	62,540 91
Total.....	\$2,436,651 37

<i>2. Supplies.</i>	
Food	\$257,158 03
Fuel	79,306 93
Medical and Surgical	49,879 93
Office	*41,038 77
General Plant	28,225 45
Forage and Veterinary	27,575 50
Refrigerating	10,818 97
Miscellaneous	13,710 70
Total	\$507,714 28

*Of this amount about \$35,000 was expended for postage on general correspondence, bulletins, permits, laboratory reports, notifications of communicable diseases, etc.

<i>3. Contract or Open Order Service.</i>	
General Plant	\$47,868 21

STATEMENT "E"—SHOWING THE FUNCTIONAL AND UNIT COSTS OF THE VARIOUS ACTIVITIES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH FOR THE YEARS 1914 AND 1913.

	1914 Expense.	1913 Expense.	Decrease, 1914 Under 1913.	Number of Units, 1914.	Number of Units, 1913.	Kind of Units; Description.	Cost per Unit, 1914.	Cost per Unit, 1913.
<i>A—General Administration—</i>								
1. Executive	\$139,817 69	\$147,654 25	\$7,836 56	.....	.....	.....	....	....
2. Audit and Accounts	22,242 62	23,309 25	1,066 63	.....	.....	.....	....	....
3. Purchase and Storage of Supplies.....	19,600 27	18,459 98	*1,140 29	.....	.....	.....	....	....
4. Medical Supervision	156 15	9,010 44	8,854 29	.....	.....	.....	....	....
5. Administration of Buildings	60,321 72	134,602 39	74,280 67	135,400	135,400	Square feet office space....	.440	.994
6. Automobiles	17,760 12	18,211 90	451 78	36,911	42,615	Miles run .....	.480	.427
7. Construction and Repairs	1,033 81	.....	*1,033 81	.....	.....	.....	....	....
8. Sale of Laboratory Products	6,423 86	.....	*6,423 86	.....	.....	.....	....	....
9. Total General Administration.....	\$267,356 24	\$351,248 21	\$83,891 97	.....	.....	.....	....	....
*Increase—Items No. 7 and 8 included in 1913 in Item No. 1.								
<i>B—Keeping of Records—</i>								
1. Administration	\$6,098 86	\$7,333 29	\$1,234 43	.....	.....	.....	....	....
2. Tabulation of Vital Statistics	7,896 93	7,237 44	*659 49	274,517	256,871	Certificates tabulated .....	.028	.028
3. Searching and Transcribing Records.....	†48,167 78	†47,080 09	*1,087 69	170,695	190,490	Searches made .....	.280	.247
4. Book Bindery	3,254 10	3,304 65	50 55	.....	.....	.....	....	....
5. Total Keeping Records	\$65,417 67	\$64,955 47	*\$462 20	.....	.....	.....	....	....
*Increase. †Revenue received by the City for Searches, Transcripts, etc., 1914, \$32,756.18; 1913, \$31,044.92.								
<i>C—Child Hygiene—</i>								
1. Administration	\$35,376 62	\$58,075 25	\$22,698 58	.....	.....	.....	.308	.288
2. Supervision of Midwives	16,666 29	14,270 30	*2,395 94	54,029	49,494	Inspection .....	.070	....
3. Vaccinations	10,427 67	.....	*10,427 67	140,884	.....	Vaccinations made.....	.500	.3969
4. Issuance of Employment Certificates.....	16,912 62	16,737 57	*175 05	33,555	42,167	Certificates issued .....	.437	.122
5. Inspection of Institutions for Dependent Children.	11,150 00	3,275 00	*7,875 00	25,515	26,825	Inspection .....	.....	.....

Carfare and Traveling Expenses.....	*44,265 84
Building Repairs	32,884 66
Telephone	18,350 74
General Repairs	7,396 08
Motor Vehicle Repairs	3,266 60
Shoeing and Boarding Horses	2,740 01
Express and Deliveries	2,315 13
Miscellaneous	2,205 37
Total.....	\$161,292 64

*This sum includes \$22,580 for country milk inspection, \$2,289 for local food inspection, \$1,830 for general sanitary inspection, \$9,914 for inspection of infectious diseases, \$3,896 in connection with hospital and laboratory service, \$2,651 in connection with child hygiene, the remainder, \$1,105, for general administration, etc.

<i>4. Purchase of Equipment.</i>	
Household	\$36,372 61
Wearing Apparel	19,140 44
Motor Vehicles and Equipment	10,970 92
Motorless Vehicles and Equipment.....	10,919 88
Office	*9,185 09
Medical and Surgical Equipment	8,833 38
Miscellaneous	521 57
Total.....	\$95,943 89

*Due in large measure to moving into new and larger quarters.

<i>5. Materials.</i>	
Building	\$1,493 20
General Plant	13,307 47
Total	\$14,800 67

<i>6. Contingencies.</i>	
Taxes	\$3,964 54
Care of Patients	3,415 00
Miscellaneous	38 30
Total	\$7,417 84

A comparison of the 1914 tax budget, the 1914 tax budget expenditures and the 1915 tax budget appear below.

STATEMENT C, COMPARING BY BUDGET CLASSIFICATION THE 1914 BUDGET, THE 1914 EXPENDITURES AND THE 1915 BUDGET OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

	Budget. 1914.	Expenditures. 1914.	Budget. 1915.	Increase in 1915 Allow- ances over 1914 Expenditures.
Personal Service	\$2,558,455 00	\$2,436,651 00	\$2,572,221 00	\$135,570 00
Supplies	654,560 00	507,714 00	562,206 00	54,492 00
Contract or Open Order Service	166,425 00	161,293 00	170,098 00	8,805 00
Purchase of Equipment.....	122,150 00	95,944 00	108,272 00	12,328 00
Materials	25,500 00	14,800 00	23,645 00	8,845 00
Contingencies, etc.	7,150 00	7,418 00	7,050 00	*368 00
	\$3,534,240 00	\$3,223,820 00	\$3,443,492 00	\$219,672 00

*Decrease.

It would seem from this comparison that not only was the reduction in the budget allowance of 1915 justified, but that the cut might have been even greater without detriment to the service.

4. Functional and Unit Costs.
The functional costs of the Department of Health for 1914 and 1913 and their relation to the total costs are indicated in the table beneath:

STATEMENT D, EXHIBITING THE COSTS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH FOR 1914 AND 1913, BY FUNCTIONS, WITH THE PERCENTAGE OF THE COST OF EACH FUNCTION TO THE ENTIRE COST THEREOF.

	Total Costs.		Percentage of Total Costs.	
	1914.	1913.	1914.	1913.
1. General Administration	\$267,356 24	\$351,248 21	8.3	10.6
2. Keeping of Records	65,417 67	64,955 47	2.1	2.0
<i>Promoting Public Health.</i>				
3. Child Hygiene	657,965 58	637,181 49	20.4	19.1
4. Infectious Diseases	615,729 37	628,585 72	19.1	18.9
5. Inspection Service	472,351 03	487,721 81	14.6	14.6
6. Laboratory Service	186,270 51	186,748 95	5.7	5.6
7. Hospital Service	958,730 29	972,799 21	29.8	29.2
Totals.....	\$3,223,820 69	\$3,329,240 86	100.0	100.0

There has also been compiled Statement E, comparing the functional costs of the entire Department of Health for 1913 and 1914, these costs being further reduced, where the statistical records permit, to a unit cost basis. This statement follows:

	1914 Expense.	1913 Expense.	Decrease, 1914 Under 1913.	Number of Units, 1914.	Number of Units, 1913.	Kind of Units; Description.	Cost per Unit, 1914.	Cost per Unit, 1913.
6. Inspection of School Children	329,760 06	326,610 30	*3,149 76	832,195	804,237	Total net enrollment.....	.396	†.410
7. Clinics for School Children.....	85,043 95	77,425 81	*7,618 14	198,973	196,674	Operations and treatment..	.420	.3935
8. Infants' Milk Stations—Prenatal Work.....	152,628 37	140,787 26	*11,841 11	1,109,428	1,024,910	Examination and treatment	.130	.1375
9. Total Child Hygiene	\$657,965 58	\$637,181 49	*\$20,784 09					
*Increase. †Includes cost of vaccinations.								
D—Infectious Diseases—								
1. Administration	\$56,478 98	\$82,696 67	\$26,217 69					
2. Medical Inspection	245,708 21	209,552 54	*36,155 67	419,899	430,880	Visits by Inspectors.....	.585	.486
3. Animal Inspection	11,278 10	10,658 36	*619 74	65,484	41,394	Examinations made.....	.172	.257
4. Disinfection	37,242 46	47,546 12	10,303 66	46,905	46,638	Rooms disinfected .....	.790	1.019
5. Stable	59,265 55	83,255 71	23,990 16	128,783	186,692	Miles .....	.460	.447
6. Wagon Repair Shop	1,690 02	1,450 00	*240 02					
7. Typhoid Fever	11,794 13		*11,794 13					
8. Rabies Clinics	1,668 79		*1,668 79					
9. Laboratories	44,332 60	65,383 94	21,051 34					
10. Hospital Admission Bureau	17,468 30	18,886 20	1,417 90					
11. Inspection of Institutions	13,523 33		*13,523 33					
12. Tuberculosis Clinics	74,155 23	80,384 77	6,229 54	158,193	110,729	Patients treated .....	.460	.725
13. Tuberculosis Day Camp	26,936 24	28,771 41	1,835 17	83,690	50,306	Patient days .....	.320	.571
14. Clinics—Venereal Diseases	14,187 43		*14,187 43					
15. Total Infectious Diseases	\$615,729 37	\$628,585 72	\$12,856 35					
*Increase.								
E—Inspection Service—								
1. Administration	\$87,739 77	\$84,786 64	*\$2,953 13					
2. General Sanitary Inspection	189,536 62	207,625 08	18,088 46	441,291	300,069	Inspections .....	.420	.690
3. Food Inspection	112,434 57	83,003 91	*29,430 66	379,302	376,808	Inspections .....	.296	.220
4. Milk Inspection—City	32,672 00	56,285 14	23,613 14	144,706	137,386	Inspections .....	.220	.409
5. Milk Inspection—Country	49,968 07	56,021 04	6,052 97	22,619	29,211	Inspections	2.200	1.917
6. Total Inspection Service	\$472,351 03	\$487,721 81	\$15,370 78					
*Increase.								
F—Laboratory Service—								
1. Administration	†\$12,819 42	\$135,615 65	\$122,796 23					
2. Chemical Laboratory	19,635 52	16,760 19	*2,875 33	14,190	15,142	Analyses	1.380	1.106
3. Research and Vaccine Laboratory	†144,578 65	25,882 24	*118,696 41					
4. Drug Laboratory	9,236 92	8,490 87	*746 05					
5. Total for Laboratory Service.....	†\$186,270 51	†\$186,748 95	\$478 44					

*Increase. †To get Items No. 1 and No. 3 on a comparable basis for the two years they should be consolidated. ‡The moneys received by the City from the Antitoxin Fund were: 1914, \$59,146.19; 1913, \$33,319.74.

Hospital Service.	1914 Expense.	1913 Expense.	Decrease, 1914 Under 1913.	Number of Units, 1914.	Number of Units, 1913.	Kind of Units; Description.	Cost per Unit, 1914.	Cost per Unit, 1913.	Increase.	Decrease.
A—General Administration	\$4,236 90	\$3,978 81	*\$258 09							
1. Willard Parker	253,468 07	220,634 66	*32,833 41	112,660	90,560	Patient days...	\$2 25	\$2 43		\$0 18
2. Riverside	288,113 49	290,204 61	2,091 12	122,899	127,774	Patient days...	2 34	2 27	\$0 07	
3. Kingston Avenue	186,840 40	191,100 81	4,260 41	77,927	74,105	Patient days...	2 39	2 57		18
4. Tuberculosis Sanatorium, Otisville, N. Y.	226,071 43	266,880 32	40,808 89	203,135	185,745	Patient days...	1 1†	1 43		32
5. Total Hospital Service	\$958,730 29	\$972,799 21	\$14,068 92	516,621	478,184		1 84	2 02		
Grand Totals	\$3,223,820 69	\$3,329,240 86	\$105,420 17							

*Increase.
Herewith are shown the costs of the Department of Health for 1914, compared with those of 1913, these costs being grouped so far as practicable by boroughs:
STATEMENT "F," SHOWING AS FAR AS PRACTICABLE BY BOROUGH, THE COST OF MAINTAINING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

Borough.	Cost, 1914.	Cost, 1913.	Per Capita Cost.	
			1914.	1913.
Manhattan	\$732,396 15	\$794,545 73	.288	.319
Bronx	174,014 06	168,572 48	.271	.295
Brooklyn	551,281 81	528,754 20	.287	.286
Queens	128,700 95	122,354 07	.332	.340
Richmond	66,174 95	86,959 12	.668	.907
	\$1,652,567 92	\$1,701,185 60	.295	.316

Borough.	Cost, 1914.	Cost, 1913.	Per Capita Cost.	
			1914.	1913.
*Hospital Service	958,730 29	972,799 21	.172	.181
General Expenses	612,522 48	655,256 05	.110	.122
Total Costs	\$3,223,820 69	\$3,329,240 86	.577	.619

*Includes Otisville Sanatorium.
The items entering into the items treated in Statement "F" as borough charges are shown below in Statement "F," and their cost per 100 of population in each borough. It will be noted that these costs per 100 of population differ widely in the several boroughs.

STATEMENT "F," SHOWING FOR EACH BOROUGH, THE COST IN 1914, PER HUNDRED OF POPULATION THEREIN OF THE FOLLOWING FUNCTIONS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, TREATED IN THE FOREGOING STATEMENT AS BOROUGH CHARGES.

	Cost, Borough of Manhattan.	Cost Per 100 of Population for Manhattan.	Cost, Borough of The Bronx.	Cost Per 100 of Population for The Bronx.	Cost, Borough of Brooklyn.	Cost Per 100 of Population for Brooklyn.	Cost, Borough of Queens.	Cost Per 100 of Population for Queens.	Cost, Borough of Richmond.	Cost Per 100 of Population for Richmond.
General Administration—										
Executive	\$16,426 04	\$0 64	\$7,309 62	\$1 13	\$16,092 52	\$0 83	\$7,115 03	\$1 84	\$3,473 69	\$3 50
Administration Buildings	35,720 38	1 47	3,082 54	48	20,428 29	1 06	1,039 84	27	50 67	05
Keeping of Records—										
Searching and Transcribing Records.....	21,374 02	84	6,125 89	95	13,710 79	72	3,917 82	1 01	3,039 26	3 06
Promoting Public Health.										
Child Hygiene—										
Administration	6,946 60	02	2,040 35	32	5,722 18	29	3,054 11	79	2,165 48	2 18
Supervision of Midwives.....	7,530 00	29	1,986 29	30	5,350 00	28	1,800 00	46		
Issuance of Employment Certificates.....	6,082 62	23	3,300 00	51	6,480 00	34	1,050 00	27		
Inspection of Institutions for Dependent Children	6,350 00	25	1,200 00	18	2,400 00	12	1,200 00	30		
Inspection of School Children.....	132,718 89	5 23	38,639 73	6 02	117,358 53	6 12	31,529 55	8 14	9,513 31	9 59
Clinics for School Children.....	30,884 94	1 21	8,557 16	1 33	41,857 78	2 18				
Infants' Milk Stations.....	72,435 50	2 81	6,263 43	97	57,727 30	3 01	1,526 70	39	1,496 49	1 50
Vaccinations	5,028 26	19	774 08	12	3,617 81	18	743 16	19	264 36	26
Infectious Diseases—										
Administration	14,129 83	55	5,179 00	80	10,620 68	55	4,211 71	1 08	2,401 10	2 42
Medical Inspection	107,623 33	4 23	25,205 89	3 92	72,366 67	3 77	14,824 79	3 83	8,539 91	8 61
Animal Inspection	3,602 15	14	1,200 00	19	2,400 00	12	1,200 00	30	775 45	77
Disinfection	19,403 32	76	4,269 01	66	9,591 50	50	2,896 08	75	1,082 55	1 09
Stable	21,394 81	84	12,128 91	1 89	17,716 82	93	4,725 20	1 22	3,299 81	3 32
Wagon Repair Shop.....	1,690 02	06								
Typhoid Fever	3,375 00	13			3,000 00	15				
Rabies Clinics	1,368 79	05			300 00	02				
Laboratories										
Hospital Admission Bureau.....										
Inspections of Institutions.....	6,380 00	25	1,500 00	23	5,543 33	29			100 00	10
Tuberculosis Clinics	32,587 70	1 28	9,449 45	1 47	25,870 11	1 35	4,104 74	1 06	2,143 23	2 16
Tuberculosis Day Camp.....	12,838 37	50			14,097 87	73				
Clinics, Venereal Diseases.....	3,642 99	14			2,666 13	14				
Inspection Service—										
Administration	27,873 13	1 09	10,561 97	1 65	16,896 96	88	19,101 13	4 93	12,013 25	12 11
General Sanitary Inspection.....	76,363 96	3 00	17,234 04	2 69	50,790 16	2 65	20,015 54	5 16	11,569 07	11 66

	Cost, Borough of Manhattan.	Cost Per 100 of Population for Manhattan.	Cost, Borough of The Bronx.	Cost Per 100 of Population for The Bronx.	Cost, Borough of Brooklyn.	Cost Per 100 of Population for Brooklyn.	Cost, Borough of Queens.	Cost Per 100 of Population for Queens.	Cost, Borough of Richmond.	Cost Per 100 of Population for Richmond.
Food Inspection	42,166 00	1 66	4,506 65	70	18,563 88	97	3,145 55	81	3,147 32	3 17
Milk Inspection, City.....	16,459 50	65	3,500 00	55	10,112 50	53	1,500 00	39	1,100 00	1 11
Totals	\$732,396 15	\$28 51	\$174,014 06	\$27 06	\$551,281 81	\$28 71	\$128,700 95	\$33 19	\$66,174 95	\$66 66

The cost of the hospital service for 1914, as shown in Statement "F 2," was \$958,730.29. This sum is made up as follows:

STATEMENT "F 2."

Institution.	Amount.	Patient Days.	Percentage of Total Cost of Hospital Service.
1. General Administration	\$4,236 90	.....	.44
2. Willard Parker	253,468 07	112,660	26.44
3. Riverside	288,113 49	122,899	30.05
4. Kingston Avenue	186,840 40	77,927	19.49
5. Otisville Sanatorium	226,071 43	203,135	23.58
Total	\$958,730 29		100.00

Statements "F 3," "F 4" and "F 5," below, exhibit the relationship of the cost of each main hospital function to the entire cost of each hospital, and the patient-day cost of each function, and Statements "F 6" and "F 7" group this data by hospitals:

STATEMENT "F 3."

Willard Parker Hospital.

Functions.	Cost, 1914.	Percentage of Total Cost of Functions Nos. 1 to 5.	Patient Day Cost.
1. Administration	\$14,973 88	5.91	\$0 13
2. Professional Care of Patients	104,919 10	41.39	93
3. Kitchen and Dining Rooms	67,327 56	26.56	60
4. Housekeeping	11,570 83	*4.57	†10
5. Plant Service	54,676 70	21.57	49
Total Cost	\$253,468 07	100.00	\$2 25

* See Statement "F 6." † See Statement "F 7."

STATEMENT "F 4."

Riverside Hospital.

Functions.	Cost, 1914.	Percentage of Total Cost of Functions Nos. 1 to 5.	Patient Day Cost.
1. Administration	\$10,347 06	4.22	\$0 08
2. Professional Care of Patients	65,775 34	26.88	53
3. Kitchen and Dining Rooms	88,718 48	36.25	72
4. Housekeeping	28,048 36	*11.46	†23
5. Plant Service	51,851 35	21.19	42
Total Cost	\$244,740 59	100.00	\$1 98
Other Charges:			
Steamboats	28,824 95		24
Docks	12,149 37		10
Stables	2,398 58		02
Total Cost	\$288,113 49		\$2 34

* See Statement "F 6." † See Statement "F 7."

STATEMENT "F 5."

Kingston Avenue Hospital.

Functions.	Cost, 1914.	Percentage of Total Cost of Functions Nos. 1 to 5.	Patient Day Cost.
1. Administration	\$13,793 29	7.38	\$0 18
2. Professional Care of Patients	56,838 04	30.42	73
3. Kitchen and Dining Rooms	40,281 60	21.56	51
4. Housekeeping	18,770 55	10.05	24
5. Plant Service	57,156 92	30.59	73
Total Cost	\$186,840 40	100.00	\$2 39

Statement "F 6" compares by hospitals the percentages of the various functional costs given above to the total costs of such functions in each hospital.

Functions.	Willard Parker.	Riverside.	Kingston Avenue.
1. Administration	5.91	4.22	7.38
2. Professional Care of Patients	41.39	26.88	30.42
3. Kitchen and Dining Rooms	26.56	36.25	21.56
4. Housekeeping	*4.57	*11.46	10.05
5. Plant Service	21.57	21.19	30.59

*The difference between these two items is due largely to the fact that Riverside Hospital does practically all the laundry work for Willard Parker Hospital. The percentage of the cost of housekeeping to the total cost of the above functions in Willard Parker and Riverside Hospitals is 7.95, as against 10.05 in Kingston Avenue Hospital.

In the table below the patient day costs of the various functions in Willard Parker, Riverside and Kingston Avenue Hospitals are compared:

STATEMENT "F 7."

Functions.	Willard Parker.	Riverside.	Kingston Avenue.
1. Administration	\$0 13	\$0 08	\$0 18
2. Professional Care of Patients	93	53	73
3. Kitchen and Dining Rooms	60	72	51
4. Housekeeping	*10	*23	24
5. Plant Service	49	42	73
Other charges	\$2 25	\$1 98	\$2 39
Total cost	\$2 25	\$2 34	\$2 39

*The "Housekeeping" in Riverside should be decreased eight cents, and the Willard Parker "Housekeeping" increased the same amount, as Riverside Hospital does the laundry work for both institutions.

Statements "F 8" and "F 9" below show the food costs per day for the several hospitals in the Department of Health: (1) By employees, based on the number of meals furnished; (2) by patients, based on the number of patient days.

STATEMENT "F 8."

1. Employees—Food Costs per Day.

Hospital.	1914.	1913.	1914, Compared with 1913. Increase. Decrease.
Willard Parker	\$0.4028	\$0.4114	..... \$0.0086
Riverside	0.3419	0.4270	..... 0.0851
Kingston Avenue	0.3600	0.2983	0.0617

STATEMENT "F 9."

2. Patients—Food Costs per Day.

Hospital.	1914.	1913.	1914, Compared with 1913. Increase. Decrease.
Willard Parker	\$0.1812	\$0.2013	..... \$0.0201
Riverside	0.3599	0.3508	0.0091
Kingston Avenue	0.1650	0.1723	..... 0.0073

Below will be found in Statement "G" an analysis of the charges to General Expenses in 1914 and 1913, as shown in Statement "F," and following this analysis, notes upon the differences disclosed between the costs of the same functions in the two years:

STATEMENT "G"—SHOWING THE ANALYSIS BY FUNCTIONS OF THE "GENERAL EXPENSES" OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, AMOUNTING TO \$612,522.84 AND \$655,256.05 IN 1914 AND 1913 RESPECTIVELY, AS SHOWN IN STATEMENT "B."

	1914.	1913.
A—General Administration—		
1. Executive	\$89,400 79	\$94,364 27
2. Audit and Accounts	22,242 62	23,309 25
3. Purchase and Storage of Supplies	19,600 27	18,459 98
4. Construction and Repairs	1,033 81	*
5. Sanitary Supervision	*	27,790 25
6. Medical Supervision	*156 15	9,010 44
7. Automobiles	17,760 12	18,211 90
8. Sale of Laboratory Products	6,423 86	*
Totals	\$156,617 62	\$191,146 09

B—Keeping of Records—

1. Administration	\$6,098 86	\$7,333 29
2. Tabulation of Vital Statistics	7,896 93	7,237 44
3. Bookbinding	3,254 10	3,304 65
Totals	\$17,249 89	\$17,875 38

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C—Child Hygiene—

1. Administration	\$15,447 90	\$32,552 45
2. Clinics for School Children	3,744 07	*
3. Infants' Milk Stations	13,178 95	*1,900 00

D—Infectious Diseases—

1. Administration	19,936 66	33,162 24
2. Medical Inspection	17,147 62	*
3. Animal Inspection	2,100 50	*
4. Wagon Repair Shop	*	1,450 00
5. Typhoid Fever	5,419 13	*
6. Laboratories	44,332 60	*
7. Hospital Admission Bureau	17,468 30	18,886 20
8. Clinics, Venereal Diseases	7,878 31	*
Totals	\$146,654 04	\$87,950 89

E—Inspection Service—

1. Administration	\$1,293 33	*
2. Food Inspection	40,905 17	\$59,228 56
3. Milk Inspection, City	*	56,285 14
4. Milk Inspection, Country	49,968 07	56,021 04
5. Mosquito Extermination	*13,563 85	.....
Totals	\$252,384 46	\$259,485 63

F—Laboratory Service—

1. Administration	*\$12,819 42	\$135,615 65
2. Chemical Laboratory	19,635 52	16,760 19
3. Research and Vaccine Laboratory	*144,578 65	25,882 24
4. Drug Laboratory	9,236 92	8,490 87
Totals	\$186,270 51	\$186,748 95

Grand Totals

SUMMARY.

General Administration	\$156,617 62	\$191,146 09
Keeping of Records	17,249 89	17,875 38
Promoting Public Health	252,384 46	259,485 63
Laboratory Service	186,270 51	186,748 95
Grand Totals	\$612,522 48	\$655,256 05

*See Notes.

COMMENTS UPON THE DIFFERENCES BETWEEN THE COST OF THE SAME FUNCTIONS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH IN 1914 AND 1913.

A—General Administration.

A4, Construction and Repairs—In 1914 this work was charged to A1, Executive, and not segregated as in 1914.

A5, Sanitary Supervision—The cost of this item was charged in 1914 mainly to E1, Administration, Inspection Service, only \$1,293.33 out of a total of \$87,739.77 being charged to General Expenses, as against \$27,790.25 out of a total of \$84,786.64 in 1913.

A6—Medical Supervision: The office of Medical Superintendent was abolished in 1914.

A8—Sale of Laboratory Products: This item was not segregated in 1913, but was included with "A1—Executive" for that year.

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C—Child Hygiene.

C1—Administration—The charges to this function were: In 1914, \$15,447.90 out of a total of \$35,552.45. In 1913, \$32,552.45 out of a total of \$58,875.20. The reduction of \$17,104.55 in the "Administration" charge in 1914 is due to the distribution to the sub-function of "Child Hygiene" in 1914, of a number of items included in 1913 in "Administration."

C2—Clinics for School Children—The total cost in 1913 was \$77,425.81. The total cost in 1914 was \$85,043.95. In 1913 no part of this was charged to General Expenses direct, it being included under C1, Administration, Child Hygiene.

C3—Infants Milk Stations—The total cost in 1913 was \$140,787.26. The total cost in 1914 was \$152,628.37. In 1913 there was charged to General Expenses \$1,900. In 1914 there was charged to General Expenses \$13,178.95. In 1913 the administration of Infants Milk Stations was included in C1—Administration—Child Hygiene.

D—Infectious Diseases.

D1, Administration, and D2, Medical Inspection—In order to permit comparison, these items should be combined:

	1914.	1913.
D1—Administration	\$56,478 98	\$82,696 67
D2—Medical Inspection	245,708 21	84,937 11
Supervision of Tuberculosis, 1913.....	.....	124,615 43
	\$302,187 19	\$292,249 21

From these respective totals there were charged to General Expenses:

	1914.	1913.
D1—Administration	\$19,936 66	\$33,162 24
D2—Medical Inspection	17,147 62	.....
	\$37,084 28	\$33,162 24

D3—Animal Inspection—In 1913 the entire cost of this function was apportioned over the borough; in 1914 of the total cost \$2,100.50 was charged to "General Expenses."

D4—Wagon Repair Shops—In 1913 the total cost of \$1,450 was charged to General Expenses; in 1914 the total cost of \$1,690 was charged in error to the Borough of Manhattan.

D5—Typhoid Fever—Special attention was given to cases of this nature in 1914, the sources of infection, etc. The 1913 general expenses for the same general purpose were included in D2—Medical Inspection.

D6—Laboratories for Infectious Diseases—The total cost in 1913 was \$65,383.94. The total cost in 1914 was \$44,332.60. In 1913 the entire cost was apportioned in error over four boroughs; in 1914 the "entire cost was treated as General Expenses."

D8—Clinics, Venereal Diseases—Not segregated in 1913, and greatly extended in 1914.

E—Inspection Service.

E1—Administration—In 1913 the corresponding expenses were distributed to the various sub-functions of the Inspection Service.

E2—Food Inspection—The entire cost of Food Inspection in 1913 was \$83,003.91; in 1914, \$112,434.57. Notwithstanding the increased cost in 1914, the Department charges to General Expense were \$40,905.17, as against \$59,228.56 in 1913. In each year this division had a number of sanitary inspectors assigned to assist in this work. In 1913, however, the salaries of the sanitary inspectors were distributed over the several boroughs and the salaries of the food inspectors were charged as General Expenses, while in 1914 an effort was made to distribute all of these charges to the boroughs.

E3—Milk Inspection—City—The cost in 1913 was \$56,285.14; in 1914, \$32,672. In 1913 the entire cost was charged in error to General Expenses, while in 1914 the entire cost was apportioned to the five boroughs.

E5—Mosquito Extermination—Service greatly extended and segregated. The 1913 expenses for this purpose were very small.

F—Laboratory Service—

	1914.	1913.
F1—Administration	\$12,819 42	\$135,615 65
F2—Research and Vaccine Laboratory	144,578 65	25,882 24
Totals.....	\$157,398 07	\$161,497 89

These two items should be combined for comparable purposes.

The foregoing costs do not include interest on the capital invested in buildings and equipment or any charge for taxes, which would accrue to the City if the properties of the Health Department were used for private business purposes, nor do they include charges for rents, books and stationery for the department, lighting of hospitals, etc.

The charges for rent were:

Borough.	1914.	1913.
Manhattan	\$80,832 00	\$80,652 00
Bronx	5,849 00	5,309 00
Brooklyn	12,920 20	11,498 00
Queens	3,718 00	3,718 00
Richmond	2,040 00	2,040 00
Totals.....	\$105,359 20	\$103,217 00

The large cost of rent for the Borough of Manhattan is due to the payment of \$60,000 in 1914 and \$58,500 in 1913 for the central office of the department situated at Centre and Walker streets.

The other rent charges are for infants milk stations, clinics for tuberculosis, etc.

5. General Remarks.

Critical examination of the figures set forth in the preceding statements lead to the following conclusions and suggestions:

1. That the decrease in the expenditures of the Department of Health from \$3,329,240.86 in 1913 to \$3,223,820.69 in 1914, a reduction of \$105,420.17, as shown in Statement "A," is highly creditable to the department.

2. It is believed that the analysis immediately following Statement "A" setting forth roughly the principal causes for the increase in the expenses of the Department of Health from \$1,763,873.99 in 1905 to \$3,223,820.69 in 1914, an increase of 82 per cent, should be carefully considered. This with a view not only to economical administration but to the prevention of undue expansion in the activities mentioned.

3. Statement "B" indicates that 75.5 per cent of the expenditures of the Department of Health were for personal service and 15.8 per cent for supplies. Only in these items, therefore, can economies of large amount possibly be expected. Statement "C" shows that the tax budget allowance for personal service in 1915 is \$135,570 in excess of the expenditures for such service in 1914 and \$13,766 in excess of the budget allowance of 1914. The 1915 allowance for supplies is \$54,492 in excess of the expenditures for 1914 and \$7,646 in excess of the 1914 budget allowance. Doubtless some of the increase in the personal service allowance was due to the putting on full time of employees formerly on part time.

4. The unit costs in Statement "E" most deserving of attention are:

	Cost, 1914.	Cost, 1913.	Increase in Cost Per Unit.
Automobiles, Miles Run.....	\$0 480	\$0 427	\$0 053
Searching and Transcribing Records—Searches Made	280	247	033
Employment Certificates, Certificates Issued.....	500	397	103
Institutions for Dependent Children—Inspections....	437	122	315
Clinics for School Children, Operations and Treatments	420	394	026
Medical Inspections, Visits by Inspectors.....	585	486	099
Stable, Miles Run.....	460	447	013
Food Inspection.....	296	220	076
Milk Inspection—Country Inspections.....	2 200	1 917	283

Some of these increases in unit cost appear to be due to decreases in service, without a corresponding decrease in cost; others to increase in cost without corresponding increases in service. The above figures are given with the hope that a close study of them by the health authorities may disclose some possibilities of savings.

5. Statement "F" distributes the health costs so far as practicable by boroughs: Entire Expenditures, 1914.

		Percentage of Entire Cost.	Per Capita Cost.
Boroughs	\$1,652,567 92	51.2	\$0 316
Hospital Service.....	958,730 29	29.8	181
General Expenses.....	612,522 48	19.0	122
Total	\$3,223,820 69	100.0	\$0 619

These costs are further analyzed as follows:

Statement "F" distributes the borough charges by functions and shows the cost of each function in each borough per 100 of the borough population.

The costs of many of the functions per 100 of population are in a number of instances several times in one borough what they are in another borough. Some of the high costs appear to be due to the excessive cost of administration; in other instances, the reasons for the excessive costs are not clear. Some of the greater discrepancies are noted below, the costs representing in each case the cost per 100 of population in the borough named:

General Administration, Executive—Manhattan, \$0.64; Brooklyn, \$0.83; Bronx, \$1.13; Queens, \$1.84; Richmond, \$3.50.

Keeping of Records, Searching and Transcribing Records—Brooklyn, \$0.72; Manhattan, \$0.84; Bronx, \$0.95; Queens, \$1.01; Richmond, \$3.06.

Child Hygiene, Administration—Manhattan, \$0.02; Brooklyn, \$0.29; Bronx, \$0.32; Queens, \$0.79; Richmond, \$2.18.

Issuance of Employment Certificates.—Richmond, \$0.00; Manhattan, \$0.23; Queens, \$0.27; Brooklyn, \$0.34; Bronx, \$0.51.

Infants' Milk Stations.—Queens, \$0.39; Bronx, \$0.97; Richmond, \$1.50; Manhattan, \$2.81; Brooklyn, \$3.01.

Infectious Diseases, Medical Inspection.—Manhattan, \$0.42; Brooklyn, \$3.77; Queens, \$3.83; Bronx, \$3.92; Richmond, \$8.61.

Inspection Service, Administration.—Brooklyn, \$0.88; Manhattan, \$1.09; Bronx, \$1.65; Queens, \$4.93; Richmond, \$12.11.

General Sanitary Inspection.—Brooklyn, \$2.65; Bronx, \$2.69; Manhattan, \$3.00; Queens, \$5.16; Richmond, \$11.66.

Some of these excessive costs are probably due to the maintenance of offices in each borough, pursuant to section 1181 of the charter, but this would not seem to account for all of these wide differences in cost. It is felt that opportunity is offered here for a large reduction in cost. Reference to Statement "F" shows that the heaviest costs per capita are in Richmond and Queens boroughs.

6. Statement "F7" shows the patient day costs of the various functions in the three hospitals. These are grouped below:

Administration.—Riverside, \$0.08; Willard Parker, \$0.13; Kingston Avenue, \$0.18.

Professional Care of Patients.—Riverside, \$0.53; Kingston Avenue, \$0.73; Willard Parker, \$0.93.

Kitchen and Dining Room.—Kingston Avenue, \$0.51; Willard Parker, \$0.60; Riverside, \$0.72.

Housekeeping.—Riverside, \$0.15; Willard Parker, \$0.18; Kingston Avenue, \$0.24.

Plant Service.—Riverside, \$0.42; Willard Parker, \$0.49; Kingston Avenue, \$0.72.

In considering these latter comparisons, it should be borne in mind that the diseases treated and the conditions differ somewhat in the respective institutions. Willard Parker and Kingston Avenue Hospitals afford a better comparison with each other than either with Riverside, as the two former handle mostly contagious diseases, while Riverside has a large number of tubercular patients.

Willard Parker shows increases in patient day cost over Kingston Avenue in the following items: Professional Care of Patients, \$0.20; Kitchen and Dining Room, \$0.09.

Kingston Avenue shows increases in patient day cost over Willard Parker in the items below: Administration, \$0.05; Housekeeping, \$0.06; Plant Service, \$0.24.

Detailed examination of the items in Willard Parker and Kingston Avenue Hospitals just referred to would, I believe, yield some benefits.

The patient day cost in the Otisville sanatorium has been so greatly reduced from \$1.43 to \$1.11, that no comment thereon appears necessary.

7. The "General Expenses" for 1914 set forth in Statement "F" and "G" aggregate \$612,552.48. Many of these expenses have not been classified in the same manner in 1914 and 1913, making it difficult to feel sure of any comparisons made between the two years. It is, therefore, preferred to deal with the relation of the total "general expenses" to the entire cost of the department.

Statements "F" and "G" give the total general expenses for 1914 as \$612,522.48, but it seems only proper to add to this sum the following figures included in Statement "F" in the borough charges:

General Administration—	
Executive	\$50,416 90
Administration Buildings	60,321 72
Administration—	
Child Hygiene	19,929 02
Infectious Diseases	36,542 32
Inspection Service	86,446 44
Stable	59,265 55
Wagon Repair Shop	1,690 02
	\$314,611 97
General Expenses, Statement "F".....	612,552 48

Total "Overhead" Expenses

This sum, 28.7 per cent. of the total cost of maintaining the Department of Health, seems very high.

8. As to revenues of the department, it is believed that so far as they are able those who benefit should pay. The facts before us do not indicate any direct revenues are received from the hospitals. So far as the inspections are concerned, it would seem that the strict enforcement of the penalties prescribed by law for infractions of the health regulations should somewhat lessen the inspections required.

Respectfully yours, R. B. McINTYRE, Supervising Statistician and Examiner, Bureau of Municipal Investigation and Statistics.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

WARRANTS MADE READY FOR PAYMENT IN DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE WEDNESDAY, JULY 28, 1915.

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.
Board of Aldermen.				
92242		7-15-15	Florence Aten Ives	\$57 84
92232	6-25-15	7-15-15	Fred Aldridge	125 00
92235	6-25-15	7-15-15	John Williams, Inc.....	500 00

Finance Voucher No.	Invoice Dates or Contract Number.	Received in Department of Finance.	Name of Payee.	Amount.	Finance Voucher No.	Invoice Dates or Contract Number.	Received in Department of Finance.	Name of Payee.	Amount.
92236	6-30-15	7-15-15	Tiffany & Co.	518 45	94383	6- 5-15	7-21-15	The Ronald Press Co.	8 00
92239			Guy Van Amringe	4 10	94410	6-29-15	7-21-15	Brooklyn Daily Times	96 00
92109	7- 1-15	7-15-15	The Vitagraph Co. of America	2,500 00	94411	6-22-15	7-21-15	The Standard Union	96 00
			Commissioners of Accounts.		94412	6-22-15	7-21-15	The Brooklyn Citizen	96 00
93598	41751	7-20-15	New York Telephone Co.	\$85 72	94416	6-28-15	7-21-15	Brooklyn Free Presse	96 00
			Department of Bridges.		94375	6-30-15	7-21-15	The Chicago Evening Post	90 00
91714	42260		Midland Linseed Products Co.	\$714 46	94382	5-21-15	7-21-15	The New York Herald Co.	32 00
91715	41391	7-14-15	The Barber Asphalt Paving Co.	1,261 82	94381	6-26-15	7-21-15	The Boston Commercial	30 00
			Bellevue and Allied Hospitals.		94380	6-26-15	7-21-15	Curtis, Guild & Co.	25 00
93376	6- 8-15	7-19-15	Burton & Davis Co.	\$14 00	94376	6-25-15	7-21-15	The Washington Times	45 00
93381	6- 5-15	7-19-15	Frank J. Lennon Co.	82 49	94377	6-25-15	7-21-15	The Evening Star Newspaper Co.	45 00
93188	6-10-15	7-19-15	The Republic Rubber Tire & Shoe Co., Inc.	19 75	94378	6-26-15	7-21-15	Frank P. Bennett & Co., Inc.	25 00
					94379	6-26-15	7-21-15	Republic Publishing Co.	45 00
93199	2-19-15	7-19-15	Firestone Tire & Rubber Co., Inc.	25 43	94371	6-23-15	7-21-15	The Chicago Examiner	90 00
93201	4-24-15	7-19-15	Peters & Heins	37 00	94372	6-22-15	7-21-15	The Chicago Daily Journal	90 00
93198			E. Leitz	25 00	94373	6-24-15	7-21-15	Boston Transcript	90 00
93200	6- 5-15	7-19-15	Keystone Veterinary Infirmary and Horseshoeing Establishment	12 75	94374	6-25-15	7-21-15	The Evening Telegram	75 00
					94369	6-23-15	7-21-15	The Press Co.	75 00
93196	5-26-15	7-19-15	New York French Range Co.	13 25	94370	6-23-15	7-21-15	The A. S. Abeel Co.	75 00
93423	6- 8-15	7-19-15	Julius Fowl	8 88	94366	6-25-15	7-21-15	The Washington Post Co.	45 00
93202	4-15-15	7-19-15	The White Co.	2 70	94367	6-23-15	7-21-15	The Philadelphia Inquirer	75 00
93793	5-26-15	7-20-15	William H. Atkinson Co.	6 80	94368	6-23-15	7-21-15	Public Ledger	90 00
93792	5-11-15	7-20-15	William Meier	40 00	94365	6-23-15	7-21-15	St. Louis Post-Dispatch, Pulitzer Publishing Co.	94 72
93789	6- 5-15	7-20-15	Theo. W. Morris & Co.	4 50					
93787	5-24-15	7-20-15	Benjamin Moore & Co.	10 50	94364	6-25-15	7-21-15	The Globe Printing Co.	75 00
93380	6- 7-15	7-19-15	Mead, Johnson & Co.	62 50	94357	6-29-15	7-21-15	The Bond Buyer	50 00
93405	6-11-15	7-19-15	August Grassman	9 00	95458	6-25-15	7-23-15	The Daily News Publishing Company	8 40
93407	6- 2-15	7-19-15	Samuel E. Hunter	16 89	95459	6-24-15	7-23-15	The News Company	20 00
93408	3-20-15	7-19-15	The Geo. W. Swain Mfg. Co.	6 00	95457	7- 2-15	7-23-15	The New Era Printing Company	12 50
93409	4-22-15	7-19-15	Defender Photo Supply Co., Inc.	22 15	94358	6-25-15	7-21-15	The North American	75 00
93414	4-24-15	7-19-15	John Bellmann	13 50				Department of Correction.	
93404	5-20-15	7-19-15	Robert Ferguson	4 80	3253		7-24-15	Dr. Morris D. Keller	6 00
93415	5-24-15	7-19-15	C. N. Cheever	8 40	92197		7-15-15	Edward West	246 66
93418			The Draeger Oxygen Apparatus Co.	10 12	91441	5-31-15	7-14-15	Howell Condensed Milk & Cream Co.	169 03
93419			The Fairbanks Co.	6 30	92203		7-14-15	Defender Photo Supply Co., Inc.	139 27
93421	5- 6-15	7-19-15	Standard Supply Co.	8 83	92192	6-10-15	7-15-15	Burton & Davis Co.	444 20
93392	6- 6-15	7-19-15	James S. Barron & Co.	16 00	92196	6- 9-15	7-15-15	Russell & Co.	447 15
93394	5-18-15	7-19-15	The Auto Supply Co.	3 96	92195	6-30-15	7-15-15	Samuel E. Hunter	517 60
93395	6- 2-15	7-19-15	Thomas C. Dunham	2 65	92194	5-29-15	7-15-15	The Fleischmann Co.	197 60
93396	4-15-15	7-19-15	Gurney Elevator Co.	4 00	92193	6- 4-15	7-15-15	Edward D. Depew & Co.	250 60
93397	3-27-15	7-19-15	Thos. A. Glendinning	2 25	92202	6- 8-15	7-15-15	American Distributing Co.	390 10
93400	6- 1-15	7-19-15	J. G. McDougall Co.	3 50	92993	6-12-15	7-14-15	Reis & O'Donovan, Inc.	36 10
93401	5-29-15	7-19-15	Thomas Martin	6 00	92987	6- 7-15	7-17-15	J. K. Krieg Company	79 20
93402	6- 3-15	7-19-15	Columbia Lamp Works	3 25	92656	6- 2-15	7-16-15	E. F. Keating Company	62 46
93403	6- 2-15	7-19-15	Firestone Tire & Rubber Co., Inc.	3 90	92674	6-16-15	7-16-15	Otis Elevator Co.	22 00
93382	6-15-15	7-19-15	John Greig	3 48	92673	6-22-15	7-16-15	Konop Iron Works	87 00
93383	4-29-15	7-19-15	Hodgman Rubber Co.	3 00	93427			John Wade & Son	25 00
92030	5-31-15	7-15-15	M. O'Brien & Son, Inc.	102 93	91446	5-19-15	7-14-15	Peter J. Constant	952 56
92029		7-15-15	Nathan Strauss	220 98	91445	5-18-15	7-14-15	James S. Barron & Co.	436 43
92049	5-22-15	7-15-15	Standard Iron Works	2 78	89807	5-27-15	7- 9-15	John Greig	630 12
92035	4-30-15	7-15-15	Stanley & Patterson, Inc.	125 40				District Attorney, Bronx County.	
93791	3-18-15	7-20-15	George Poll & Co., Inc.	93 00	91727		7-14-15	George M. Laubshire	\$12 70
93799	4-24-15	7-20-15	New York French Range Co.	27 50				District Attorney, New York County.	
93803	4-20-15	7-20-15	T. H. Adie	41 50	2702		7-19-15	Fred'k A. Baker	\$7 50
93411		7-19-15	The S. S. White Dental Manufacturing Co.	92 16	2708		7-19-15	Geo. M. Demm	28 20
			Crandall Packing Co.	25 04	2706		7-19-15	Peter P. McLoughlin	46 80
93386			Bramhall, Deane Co.	41 75				Board of Elections.	
93393	6- 1-15	7-19-15	The Fairbanks Company	35 25	94445		7-22-15	New York Telephone Co.	\$68 94
93179	5-27-15	7-10-15	J. E. Kennedy & Co.	82 40				Board of Estimate and Apportionment.	
93203	4- 3-15	7-19-15	Star Laundry Co.	80 90	96686			E. M. Morgan, Postmaster	\$15 00
93795	5-17-15	7-20-15	The Republic Rubber Tire & Shoe Co., Inc.	56 15				Department of Education.	
					93458	5- 4-15	7-20-15	Standard Oil Co. of New York	\$25 98
93794	6- 8-15	7-20-15	The American Laundry Machinery Co.	10 75	93219	6- 2-15	7-19-15	Economy Blue Print Co.	28 56
93796	5- 1-15	7-20-15	Welsbach Gas Lamp Co.	8 50	92159	3-31-15	7-15-15	C. M. Perez, Assignee of S. J. McCullough	313 35
93797			Electric Construction & Supply Co.	10 00					
93801	6- 1-15	7-20-15	James B. Donohue	25 45	92160	6-16-15	7-15-15	T. Frederick Jackson, Inc.	113 00
93802	5-11-15	7-20-15	Empire Rubber & Tire Co.	79 80	91966	5-21-15	7-15-15	The Macmillan Co.	116 96
2721			Agnes Fahy	12 00	91994	5-25-15	7-15-15	H. C. Hallenbeck	571 75
2720			Agnes Fahy	12 00	91998	2-10-15	7-15-15	H. C. Hallenbeck	297 38
2716			Lizette Hammond	36 00	91997	12-31-14	7-15-15	H. C. Hallenbeck	137 88
2713		7-19-15	Margaret Wilson	33 00	91999	6-24-15	7-15-15	Park Department, Borough of Queens	577 08
2714		7-19-15	Carol Garnier	9 00	94293	12-16-14	7-21-15	The Kny-Scheerer Co.	2 16
2715		7-19-15	Barbara Mackenzie	39 00	94292	12-14-14	7-21-15	Imperial Rubber Co.	15 00
2718		7-19-15	Georgina Winters	6 00	91397	5- 7-15	7-14-15	Remington Typewriter Co., Inc.	300 00
2717		7-19-15	Maud Johnston	18 00	90456	3- 5-15	7-12-15	James F. Carey	220 00
2719		7-19-15	Maud S. Johnston	15 00	90090	3-30-15	7-10-15	James I. Newman	323 00
92085	6-30-15	7-15-15	David Isaacs	4,045 56	88842	3-31-15	7- 8-15	Kaplan & Alsofrom, Assignee of L. E. Atherton	312 00
			Board of Coroners.					M. J. Tobin	124 50
95029		7-22-15	New York Telephone Co.	24 11	91991		7-15-15	M. J. Tobin	243 00
			City Court, Queens County.		91993	6-15-15	7-15-15	Geo. D. Harris & Co.	1,653 03
3267		7-26-15	William J. Bierach	\$60 00	91969	4-10-15	7-12-15	Webster Loose Leaf Filing Co.	630 00
			County Court, Queens County.		90477	5-26-15			
94890		7-22-15	New York Telephone Company	6 10				Department of Finance.	
94891		7-22-15	New York Telephone Company	12 28	94638		7-21-15	F. Jacobson & Son	\$2 00
			City Court, Kings County.		94639		7-21-15	Joseph Grossman	21 00
67036		5-19-15	Thomas F. Darcy	22 50	94899		7-22-15	Margaret Hartigan	1 03
			Court of Special Sessions.		94247			Ellen O'Brien	10 42
2464			Charles Laban	9 00	94286		7-21-15	C. L. D. Paone	11 47
2465		7-14-15	Edward W. Krantz	5 00	3096		7-22-15	J. Harry Tiernan	10 00
			College of The City of New York.		3097		7-22-15	George F. Andrews	60 00
93905	5-25-15	7-20-15	Royal Typewriter Company, Inc.	7 85	94729		7-22-15	Chandler Withington, Chief Engineer	11 04
			Board of City Record.		94766		7-22-15	The New York Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children	200 00
94359	6-25-15	7-21-15	The Philadelphia Record	75 00				Thomas J. Dunnigan	32 50
94360	6-25-15	7-21-15	Boston News Bureau Co.	90 00	94771		7-22-15	Charles Anderson	10 00
94361	6-27-15	7-21-15	The Globe Newspaper Co.	90 00	95387			Hugh J. Christie, as Receiver	1,750 00
94362	6-23-15	7-21-15	Post Publishing Co.	90 00	94765		7-22-15	James Doonen	1 64
94351	6-28-15	7-21-15	New Yorker Handels-Zeitung	30 00	94768		7-22-15	Richard Colfer	21 66
94352	6-26-15	7-21-15	The Financier Publishing Co.	24 50	94769		7-22-15	Bertha M. Harriman	15 43
94353	6-29-15	7-21-15	Dun's Review	25 00	94770		7-22-15	A. S. Goldberg	10 00
94354	7- 1-15	7-21-15	The Guenther Publishing Co.	25 00	95992			Emigrant Industrial Savings Bank	9,996 30
94355	6-28-15	7- 1-15	The Independent	50 00	95986			Temple Court Co.	575 00
94348	7- 8-15	7-21-15	The Financial Age	25 00	95989			William C. Bergen	479 43
94349	6-28-15	7-21-15	Daily Banker and Stockholder	50 00	95987			E. Madeline Dougherty	1,884 00
94350	7- 2-15	7-21-15	The Hebrew Standard	30 00	95988			David G. Legget, by Clinton R. James, Attorney	355 12
94356	7- 2-15	7-21-15	Steuer Publishing Company	50 00				Michael Bowler	60 00
94347	7- 2-15	7-21-15	Steuer Publishing Company	25 00	96009			Mrs. Anna Muller	150 00
94346	6-25-15	7-21-15	The Shareholder	40 00	96010			Arthur A. Henning	75 00
94341	7- 8-15	7-21-15	New York American	36 00	96011			Philip S. Wengrow	75 00
94342	7- 8-15	7-21-15	The World	31 50	96012			Stuard Hirschman	7 87
94343	7-10-15	7-21-15	Sun Printing & Publishing Assn.	32 00	96017			Julia Bruton	66 00
94344	6-26-15	7-21-15	The Commercial and Financial Chronicle	45 00	96016			I. C. Gaffney Construction Co.	105 00
					96015			The Trinity Congregational Church of Tremont	2,250 00
94345	6-26-15	7-21-15	The Bradstreet Company	25 00	96014			Emma F. Bennett	125 00
94893	6-21-15	7- 8-15	M. B. Brown Printing & Binding Co.	15 92				Charles J. Smith	142 50
94388	7- 6-15	7-21-15	The New York Times	31 50	96013			Annie L. Williams	62 50
94387	7- 6-15	7-21-15	The Globe	28 00	96019			H. W. Diers	75 00
94386	6-22-15	7-21-15	The Brooklyn Daily Eagle	11 20	96008				
94385	6-23-15	7-21-15	New York Evening Journal	42 00	95744		7-23-15	William A. Prendergast as Comptroller, and Henry Bruere, as Chamberlain	500 00
94384	6-30-15	7-21-15	New York Medical Journal	14 00					

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95740		7-23-15	County Trust Company, White Plains, N. Y., as Substituted Trustee Under the Last Will and Testament of Ed- mund F. Holbrook, Deceased, of the Trust for the Life Use of Fanny C. Rice	1,000 00	93725	7- 3-15	7-20-15	The Kny-Scheerer Co.....	2 20
95738		7-23-15	Edwin Gibbs, of New York City.....	2,000 00	93768	6-10-15	7-20-15	The Cutler Hammer Mfg. Co.....	3 30
95739		7-23-15	County Trust Company, White Plains, N. Y., as Substituted Trustee Under the Last Will and Testament of Ed- mund F. Holbrook, Deceased, of the Trust for the Life Use of Carrie G. Cogswell	1,000 00	93696	6-11-15	7-20-15	Standard Oil Co. of New York.....	38 94
95737		7-23-15	Freestone Savings Bank, Portland, Conn.	1,000 00	93973	6-12-15	7-20-15	Excelsior Illustrating Co.....	32 45
95743		7-23-15	Wm. A. Prendergast, as Comptroller, and Henry Bruere, as Chamberlain....	122 50	95046		7-22-15	Caroline Witcher, Clerk	22 67
95741		7-23-15	County Trust Company, White Plains, N. Y., as Substituted Trustee Under the Last Will and Testament of Ed- mund F. Holbrook, Deceased, of the Trust for the Life Use of Helen C. Squier	1,000 00	93983	6- 1-15	7-20-15	Richardson & Dutt	8 65
95742			County Trust Company, White Plains, N. Y., as Substituted Trustee Under the Last Will and Testament of Ed- mund F. Holbrook, Deceased, of the Trust for the Life Use of Mary C. Wood	1,000 00	93985	5- 6-15	7-20-15	Jenkins Bros.	38 88
95766		7-23-15	Long Island City Savings Bank.....	1,000 00	93987	6- 3-15	7-20-15	E. B. Latham & Co.....	30 00
95767		7-23-15	Queens County Savings Bank.....	2,000 00	93988	6-15-15	7-20-15	The Oliver Typewriter Co.....	1 06
95764		7-23-15	Peoples' Savings Bank.....	1,000 00	93995	6-12-15	7-20-15	John F. Ferguson	98 00
95750		7-23-15	Wm. A. Prendergast, as Comptroller, and Henry Bruere, as Chamberlain....	7,125 00	64351		40159	William E. Austin	2,359 69
95749		7-23-15	Guaranty Trust Company of New York	712 50	93736	5-30-15	42193	Oscar Frommel & Bro.....	4 10
95748		7-23-15	Wm. A. Prendergast, as Comptroller, and Henry Bruere, as Chamberlain....	9,565 00	91202	5-30-15	42216	Hunter & Trimm Co.....	44 28
95747			Wm. A. Prendergast, as Comptroller, and Henry Bruere, as Chamberlain....	1,767 50	93728	5-31-15	42195	Samuel E. Hunter	4 60
95745		7-23-15	The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund for Account of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York.....	2,231 51	93730	6- 1-15	42194	Anthony Krayner	22 16
2631		7-16-15	Thomas F. Reilly.....	75 00	94008	6-30-15		Postal Telegraph Cable Co.....	36
2630		7-16-15	Thomas Farley	75 00	94007	3-31-15		Postal Telegraph Cable Co.....	40
2629		7-16-15	John J. Lynch.....	75 00	93686	4- 1-15	7-20-15	John F. Schmadeke, Inc.....	33 75
2628		7-16-15	George W. Morris	75 00	93776	6-30-15	7-20-15	Welsbach Gas Lamp Co.....	8 70
2633		7-16-15	Harry H. Farrington	75 00				Commissioner of Jurors, Queens County.	
2632		7-16-15	John Emener	75 00	93959	7- 1-15	7-20-15	The Diamond Towel Supply Co.....	\$1 00
			Fire Department.		92110	6-18-15. 6-21-15	7-15-15	Department of Licenses.	
92700	6-21-15	7-16-15	Falls Tire Co.....	45 40				N. Stafford Co.....	\$453 75
92721	6-15-15	7-16-15	John Greig	28 90	92166		7-21-15	Law Department.	
91580	5-15-15	7-14-15	Knickerbocker Supply Co.	636 80	93119		7-19-15	Liberty Photo Co., Inc.....	\$44 00
94276	6-30-15	7-21-15	John E. Donovan.....	89 57	93120		7-19-15	Adeline Sessions	10 00
			Department of Health.		93122		7-19-15	B. F. Keinard	1 20
91197			P. Lawless' Sons	358 11	91488		7-19-15	Edward C. Manners	1 80
93774		7-20-15	Dr. Wm. H. Park, Director.....	63 36	91484		7-14-15	Harold Eyre	7 43
94006	6-30-15	7-20-15	The American District Telegraph Com- pany	3 70	2727		7-14-15	Peter J. Loughlin	19 70
93746	6-15-15	7-20-15	E. R. Squibb & Sons.....	6 90	92173	6-30-15	7-19-15	G. W. Munson	25 00
93744	5-25-15	7-20-15	The Tablet & Ticket Co.....	10 80	2529		7-15-15	Abraham & Straus	40 50
93773	6-28-15	7-20-15	Dr. Wm. H. Park, Director.....	48 59	2728		7-15-15	Interborough Stenographic Co.....	1,167 46
93771	6-28-15	7-28-15	Dr. Wm. H. Park, Director.....	80	2542		7-19-15	F. S. & I. B. Johnson.....	2 00
93767	6-26-15	7-20-15	W. J. Jeandron	3 37	2543		7-15-15	Wm. H. Jasper	333 33
93981	6-21-15	7-20-15	J. C. Muller.....	1 05	2544		7-15-15	Wm. J. Fawcett	208 33
93980	4-17-15	7-20-15	The Standard Utility Company.....	31 20	2545		7-15-15	Richard Miller	125 00
93979	6-19-15	7-20-15	A. F. Brombacher & Co.....	5 15	2541		7-15-15	George F. Sweeney	125 00
93962	6-25-15	7-20-15	Oriental Rubber and Supply Co., Inc..	5 00	2540		7-15-15	James J. Lahey	150 00
93691	5-29-15	7-20-15	The Scientific Specialties Company....	4 75	96431		7-15-15	James J. Lahey	140 00
93994	4- 3-15	7-20-15	Syndicate Trading Company	12 00				New York Public Library.	
93772	6-28-15	7-20-15	Dr. Wm. H. Park, Director.....	62 29				The New York Public Library, Astor, Lenox and Tilden Foundations, United States Trust Co. of New York, Asst. Treasurer	\$852 29
93977	6-24-15	7-20-15	Ribbon Refresher Co.	3 25	92428	7-15-15	7-16-15	Public Administrator, Bronx County.	
93978	6-23-15	7-20-15	The Standard Utility Company	13 10				Home News Press	7 00
93749		7-20-15	Dr. William H. Park, Director.....	1 00	94953		7-22-15	Department of Parks.	
93750		7-20-15	Dr. William H. Park, Director.....	26	94956	7- 2-15	7-22-15	Howard Mansfield, Treasurer, the Met- ropolitan Museum of Art.....	\$21,262 65
93748			Dr. William H. Park, Director	60	94950		7-22-15	Charles Lanier, Treasurer, the Ameri- can Museum of Natural History.....	347 85
93753	5-25-15	7-20-15	Standard Oil Company of New York.	1 95	93580	6- 8-15	7-22-15	Cabot Ward, Commissioner	150 00
93754	6-18-15	7-20-15	Syndicate Trading Company.....	6 90	93579	6-30-15	7-20-15	Sanford Byron Moses, Bandmaster....	95 00
93756	6-23-15	7-20-15	Annin & Co.	51 20	84885		7-20-15	Wm. F. Connelly, Bandmaster.....	95 00
93760	6-10-15	7-20-15	Agent and Warden, Sing Sing.....	4 30	3256		7-26-15	D. Clinton Mackey	5 00
93762		7-20-15	Buick Motor Co.	60				W. L. Johnson	4 00
93966		7-20-15	Buick Motor Co.	5 20	92261	5-17-15	7-15-15	Police Department.	
93967	6- 2-15	7-20-15	E. Schoonmaker Co.	61 82	92256		7-15-15	M. Yarusso	140 00
93969	6-23-15	7-20-15	New York Sporting Goods Co.....	65 00	92251			Peters and Heins	59 50
93974	6-26-15	7-20-15	Excelsior Illustrating Co.....	9 90	92262	6-12-15	7-15-15	John W. Gasteiger and Son.....	318 00
93975	6-18-15	7-20-15	Bausch & Lomb Optical Co.	6 85	92260	6- 5-15	7-15-15	The Columbus Awning Co.....	115 50
93763	6- 7-15	7-20-15	Jessie Tarbox Beals, Inc.	20 00	92259	5-24-15	7-15-15	Carlson & Russ	428 00
93765	6-23-15	7-20-15	Syndicate Trading Company.....	3 00	92252	5-25-15. 6-15-15	7-15-15	John Boyd Plumbing and Heating Co.	159 00
93964	6- 4-15	7-20-15	Lowe Motor Supplies Company.....	7 80	94058	6-21-15	7-15-15	J. W. Gasteiger & Son.....	693 96
93965	6-11-15	7-20-15	Buick Motor Co.	5 60	92255	6-18-15	7-20-15	Otis Elevator Company	58 66
93989	6-28-15	7-20-15	Michael Paulini	25	94047	6-24-15	7-15-15	New York Brass & Wire Works Co...	27 00
93990	6-28-15	7-20-15	Michael Paulini	1 00	94064	6-15-15	7-20-15	Novelty Wire Works, Inc.....	95 00
93991	6-30-15	7-20-15	J. H. Spanjer & Co.....	16 00	92250	6-15-15	7-20-15	George N. Reinhardt & Co.	71 31
93992	6-30-15	7-20-15	Estey Wire Works Co.	5 00	92249	6- 9-15	7-15-15	George N. Reinhardt & Co.	355 83
93993	5-20-15	7-20-15	James H. Roberts Elevator Co.....	31 00	92248	6-15-15	42185	Broadway Central Bank of New York, Assignee of J. W. Gasteiger & Son...	807 30
93770	5-27-15	7-20-15	John H. Barry, M. D., Asst. San. Supt.	3 20	91800		7-15-15	J. & T. Adikes	321 35
93775	5-27-15	7-20-15	John H. Barry, M. D., Asst. San. Supt.	1 70	95026			President of the Borough of Manhattan.	
93963	5-25-15	7-20-15	Charles E. Miller	7 80	95028		7-14-15	The Sicilian Asphalt Paving Co.....	\$53 80
93685	6-14-15	7-20-15	H. R. Hedrick	6 20	95027			Albert Berg and James M. Vincent...	41 50
93738	5-28-15	7-20-15	Oscar Frommel & Bro.	1 75	93142	6-24-15	7-22-15	William A. Prendergast, Comptroller of the City of New York, Trustee for Account of Street Opening Fund....	671 80
93741	6-15-15	7-20-15	Russell & Co.	10 49	93144	6- 7-15	7-19-15	Henry H. Lloyd, Auditor	39 15
93742	6-26-15	7-20-15	Standard Oil Co. of New York.....	11 22	93145	6-16-15	7-19-15	John Greig	1 80
93743	6-22-15	7-20-15	Henry Bainbridge & Co.	5 52	93147	6-22-15	7-19-15	Vacuum Oil Co.	2 27
93747	6-18-15	7-20-15	I. B. Cohen & Company.....	2 20	93146	6-23-15	7-19-15	The Will & Baumer Co.	4 32
93755	6-23-15	7-20-15	Syndicate Trading Company	6 90	93148	6-16-15	7-19-15	The Manhattan Rubber Mfg. Co.	1 31
93758	5- 4-15	7-20-15	The Kny-Scheerer Co.	23 50	93149	6-16-15	7-19-15	Indian Refining Company	3 58
93716	6-15-15	7-20-15	Syndicate Trading Company.....	3 54	93155	6-17-15	7-19-15	George A. Haws, Inc.	3 00
93722	6-23-15	7-20-15	Samuel Lewis	21 00	93157	1-28-15. 6-20-15	7-19-15	Montgomery & Co., Inc.....	4 59
94000		7-20-15	Eugene Winship, Sanitary Engineer...	21 30	93161	6-22-15	7-19-15	Kalt Lumber Company	28 16
94001		7-20-15	Marion B. McMillan, M. D., Director..	17 96	93171		7-19-15	John A. McCarthy and Brother.....	52 50
93737	5-28-15	7-20-15	Aaron Buchsbaum Co.	16	93171		7-19-15	John A. Casey Co.	56 19
93724	6-24-15	7-20-15	The Kny-Scheerer Co.	2 20	93159	6-19-15	7-19-15	Jackson's Mantel and Grate Works, Inc.	65 00
93703	6-21-15	7-20-15	F. S. Banks & Co.	45 00	93152	*6-16-15	7-19-15	Inc.	96 00
93712	6-30-15	7-20-15	The J. W. Pratt Co.	4 20	93153	5-15-15	7-19-15	Agent and Warden, Sing Sing.....	96 00
93710	6-29-15	7-20-15	Crown Stamp Works	80	93154	6-16-15	7-19-15	A. P. Dienst Co., Inc.....	18 05
93715	6-26-15	7-20-15	Crown Stamp Works	1 50	93162	6-23-15	7-19-15	Arthur Delapierre	4 80
93714	6-14-15	7-20-15	The Globe-Wernicke Co.....	36 50	93168	6-21-15	7-19-15	Otis Elevator Company	4 60
93713	6-29-15	7-20-15	John Wanamaker, New York.....	13 60	93167	6- 8-15	7-19-15	Kipp Wagon Company	29 50
93707	6- 7-15	7-20-15	McGraw. Hill Book Co.	9 00	93166	6-23-15	7-19-15	Koithan & Pryor	45 00
93706	6-25-15	7-20-15	Charles E. Matthews	4 00	93171		7-19-15	Michael J. Rooney	6 38
93709	7- 2-15	7-20-15	G. E. Stechert & Co.....	3 53	93163	5- 3-15	7-19-15	United & Globe Rubber Mfg. Co.....	7 50
93723	6-18-15	7-20-15	Diehl Manufacturing Co.....	34 50	91804		7-19-15	Crane Co.	24 88
					91800		7-14-15	Patrick Reilly	3,513 78
					95026		7-14-15	Phillips & Worthington	639 36
					95028		7-19-15	Arthur C. Jacobson & Sons.....	90 13
								President of the Borough of The Bronx.	
					92245		7-15-15	Joseph L. Sigretto & Co.....	35,896 69
					92024			The Barber Asphalt Paving Co.....	339 68
					92025	6-28-15	7-15-15	The Asphalt Construction Co.....	292 08
					92015	5-31-15. 6-25-15	7-15-15	The Barber Asphalt Paving Co.	144 14
					93281	7- 1-15	7-19-15	White Bros.	6 00
					93283	7-10-15	7-19-15	Daniel Reeves, Inc.	2 10
					93284	7- 7-15	7-19-15	W. G. Butterly	3 75
					93288	7- 7-15	7-19-15	Connelly Iron Sponge & Governor Co.	6 60
					93287	7- 2-15	7-19-15	Phillips. Doup & Co.....	54 00
					93286	6-30-15	7-19-15	A. P. Dienst Co., Inc.....	3 40
					93290	6-30-15	7-19-15	A. Rudolph	1 75
					93291			The New York Multi-color Copying Company	12 11
					92244	5- 6-15	42097	Barrett Manufacturing Co.....	6,240 15
					92243	6- 9-15	42702	Standard Oil Co. of New York.....	3,008 28

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President of the Borough of Brooklyn.					President of the Borough of Queens.						
92269	41129	7-15-15	Cranford Company	6,337 86	94237	6-25-15	7-21-15	Abbott Manufacturing Co.	5 40		
92273	39966	7-16-15	John C. Schrade, Inc.	2,614 64	94112	6-17-15	7-21-15	William Finan	9 50		
92272	33951	7-16-15	J. F. Cogan Co.	17,139 40	94236	5-27-15	7-21-15	Abbott Manufacturing Co.	3 60		
92271	42353	7-15-15	Norton & Gorman Contracting Co.	2,816 19	94226	5- 6-15	7-21-15	Underwood Typewriter Co., Inc.	4 50		
92277	41133	7-15-15	Cranford Company	3,493 84	94201	5-31-15	7-21-15	The Empire State Dairy Co.	9 62		
92275	41134	7-15-15	Cranford Co.	3,541 07	94198	5-31-15	7-21-15	The Fleischmann Co.	33 60		
92276	41135	7-15-15	Cranford Co.	1,271 78	94178	5-20-15	7-21-15	Armour & Co.	2 40		
92753	6-29-15	7-16-15	Arthur Tickle	24 00	91004		35821	7-13-15	The J. L. Mott Iron Works, Assignee of Michael J. O'Brien	486 76	
92752	6-29-15	7-16-15	Arthur Tickle	19 50	91000		41748	7-13-15	Frank Sutton	135 00	
92267	41968	7-15-15	Brooklyn Alcatraz Asphalt Company.	3,575 50	40092	8-21-14, 11-24-14	4- 9-15	Hull, Grippen & Co.	226 53		
92270	41131	7-15-15	Cranford Company	1,098 24	46091	10-20-14, 11-27-14	4- 9-15	Hull, Grippen & Co.	255 48		
92274	41271	7-15-15	Samuel Meyer, Assignee of Arthur Wright	935 42	92090	5-30-15	42193	7-15-15	Oscar Frommel & Bro.	2,547 05	
92274	41271	7-15-15	Kiendl & Sons, Attorneys, Assignees of Arthur Wright	1,600 00	92099	6-30-15	42577	7-15-15	Swift & Co.	80 97	
92274	41271	7-15-15	Max Kaufman, Assignee of Arthur Wright	500 00	92100	5-28-15	41921	7-15-15	Sulzberger & Sons Co.	49 50	
92268	41967	7-15-15	Brooklyn Alcatraz Asphalt Company.	800 00	92102	6- 6-15	41049	7-15-15	John Moonan	415 40	
95073		7-22-15	W. A. Duncan	1,353 02	92087	5-29-15	42221	7-15-15	George F. Hinrichs & Co., Inc.	340 80	
94079		7-22-15	Wm. A. Prendergast, Comptroller of The City of New York, Trustee for Account of Street Opening Fund.	80 00	92081	6-30-15	42578	7-15-15	Frank J. Murray Co., Inc.	455 79	
92191	42082	7-15-15	Anable Const. Co.	297 33	92101	5-18-15	42233	7-15-15	Rohe & Brothers	515 95	
94587	36267	7-21-15	The Hastings Pavement Co.	4,131 00	92101		42233	7-15-15	Rohe & Brother	515 95	
President of the Borough of Richmond.					92088	6-28-15	42580	7-15-15	M. H. Greenebaum Co., Inc.	566 49	
92550	40969	7-16-15	Thomas E. Haley	99 60	92094	4-30-15	42055	7-15-15	Borden's Condensed Milk Co.	2,327 24	
Public Service Commission.					92083	4-28-15	42222	7-15-15	Francis H. Leggett & Co.	490 55	
94742		7-22-15	Clifton W. Wilder, Electrical Engineer.	681 41	92095	6-11-15	42228	7-15-15	John Bellmann	135 90	
94741		7-22-15	Herman A. D. Hollmann, Auditor.	126 80	92105	6- 7-15	40934	7-15-15	Bacon Coal Company	2,471 87	
Department of Public Charities.					92098	5-31-15	42054	7-15-15	J. D. Stout & Co.	194 04	
90993	5-31-15	42230	7-13-15	Nathan Strauss	2,600 61	Sheriff, New York County.					
90994	5-31-15	42356	7-13-15	Nathan Strauss	995 46	7-24-15		Park, Potter & Co.	\$50 00		
92106	6-30-15	42210	7-15-15	Bacon Coal Company.	32 95	7-21-15		Max S. Grifenhagen	5 69		
94136	6- 9-15	7-21-15	Manhattan Hardware and Bicycle Company	1 60	94502	7- 5-15	7-21-15	D. F. Corker	7 70		
94233	4-15-15	7-21-15	New York Calcium Light Co.	2 00	94508			N. Bass & Co.	4 30		
94240	5- 1-15	7-21-15	Pelham Hygeia Ice Co.	23 32	Sheriff, Queens County.						
94239	3-30-15	7-21-15	The Harral Soap Co.	20 36	92363	7-12-15	7-16-15	C. D. Reese Co., Inc.	\$48 00		
94203	2-27-15	7-21-15	Great Bear Spring Co.	9 00	Department of Street Cleaning.						
94116	6- 7-15	7-22-15	Columbia Paper Co.	2 03	95950		7-24-15	The Relief and Pension Fund of the Department of Street Cleaning; J. T. Fetherston, Commissioner, as treasurer and trustee	\$1,617 37		
94125	5-25-15	7-20-15	J. P. Ryan	8 00	95948		7-24-15	The Relief and Pension Fund of the Department of Street Cleaning; J. T. Fetherston, Commissioner, as treasurer and trustee	979 60		
94121		7-21-15	Jones Packing Co.	33 22	95949		7-24-15	The Relief and Pension Fund of the Department of Street Cleaning; J. T. Fetherston, Commissioner, as treasurer and trustee	427 01		
92084	5-27-15	41416	7-15-15	A. C. Israel	7,462 98	95736		7-23-15	The Relief and Pension Fund of the Department of Street Cleaning; J. T. Fetherston, Commissioner, as treasurer and trustee	70 87	
92103	5- 8-15	40937	7-15-15	Meyer-Denker-Sinram Company	760 98	92064	6-24-15	42186	7-15-15	Frank J. Lennon Co.	5,615 76
92108	6-19-15	41429	7-15-15	Federal Cotton Mfg. Co.	215 55	92068	5-31-15	40946	7-15-15	John J. O'Connor	1,484 75
92093	4-30-15	42053	7-15-15	Conron Bros. Company.	197 57	92067	5-31-15	40946	7-15-15	John J. O'Connor	1,908 55
92096	5-20-15	42283	7-15-15	Burton & Davis Co.	281 17	92066	6-23-15	42017	7-15-15	John F. Warth	2,654 90
92092	6-10-15	42225	7-15-15	Lewis De Groff & Son.	373 59	92063	6-30-15	42187	7-15-15	Thomas M. Blake	8,087 22
92104	6- 7-15	40936	7-15-15	Pattison & Bowns	1,162 12	92065	6-30-15	42184	7-15-15	Thomas Lenane	11,968 51
92089	6- 4-15	42226	7-15-15	J. F. Gylsen	110 42	Tenement House Department.					
92086	4-30-15	42051	7-15-15	Howell Condensed Milk & Cream Co.	235 64	92185	6-15-15	7-15-15	L. C. Smith & Bros. Typewriter Co.	\$550 00	
94137	6- 3-15, 6-15-15	7-21-15	Manhattan Hardware & Bicycle Co.	6 15	Board of Water Supply.						
94142	1-18-15, 5-21-15	7-21-15	Robert Ferguson	12 50	93927	7- 8-15	7-20-15	Shelley Bros.	\$22 50		
94159	4- 2-15	7-21-15	Hull, Grippen & Co.	45 95	92281		7-15-15	American Cement Tile Mfg. Co.	3,089 00		
94150	6- 3-15, 6-21-15	7-21-15	The Manhattan Supply Co.	17 06	92283		7-15-15	A. L. Guidone & Co.	15,410 93		
94141		7-21-15	Robert Ferguson	3 75	92282			Jules Breschaud	1,671 75		
94140	6-19-15, 6-25-15	7-21-15	Morse & Rogers	30 00	96477			Town of Mount Pleasant	60,000 00		
94160	3- 9-15, 3-10-15	7-21-15	Hull, Grippen & Co.	21 20	92284		42527	7-15-15	Zadoc P. Boice	3,775 95	
94127	6-18-15, 6-29-15	7-21-15	Theo. Moss & Co.	52	Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.						
94114	6-17-15, 6-21-15	7-21-15	Hammacher, Schlemmer & Co.	3 31	94560		7-21-15	T. W. Pearsall	\$25 00		
94130	6-10-15	7-21-15	Bonner & Barnewall	2 56	93249	7- 1-15	7-19-15	G. E. Ganun	12 77		
94135	6-17-15	7-21-15	Kingsford Foundry & Machine Works	2 70	93262	6-25-15	7-19-15	E. Belcher Hyde	42 00		
94132	6-17-15	7-21-15	E. T. Joyce	2 04	93269	6-24-15	7-19-15	W. D. Smalley	8 45		
94170	6-22-15	7-20-15	New York French Range Co.	2 10	93259	7- 1-15	7-19-15	William Nelson	8 60		
94172	6-18-15	7-21-15	Bramhall, Deane Co.	2 50	93258	6- 3-15	7-19-15	Richmond Light and Railroad Co.	50 00		
94117	5-22-15	7-21-15	The American Multigraph Sales Co.	1 00	93257	6- 4-15	7-19-15	Guarantee Typewriter Repair Co.	13 50		
94120	5-25-15	7-21-15	The Inter-ocean Oil Corporation	26 00	93256	6-30-15	7-19-15	J. H. Martin	14 53		
94171	6-16-15	7-21-15	James M. Shaw & Co.	4 09	93255	4-19-15	7-19-15	Agent and Warden, Clinton Prison	20 00		
67748	4-24-15	5-20-15	Albert Winternitz	115 00	93254	6-19-15	7-19-15	A. F. Brombacher & Co.	21 60		
94094	5-27-15	7-21-15	Bramhall, Deane Co.	8 50	93253	7- 1-15	7-19-15	Samuel Olim	20 12		
94133	6-14-15	7-21-15	E. T. Joyce	69 93	93252	6-30-15	7-19-15	Knickerbocker Ice Co.	15 96		
94139	6-23-15	7-21-15	John Simmons Co.	10 95	93251	7- 9-15	7-19-15	Abraham & Straus	42		
94138	4-24-15	7-21-15	Russell Uniform Co.	4 00	93250	7- 1-15	7-19-15	Robert H. Dickinson	5 25		
94151	4-12-15	7-21-15	Samuel Lewis	5 55			7-22-15	James J. Haley, Clerk	75		
94227	5- 1-15	7-21-15	Alois L. Hofaker	46 50	94847		7-22-15	Charles A. Adams, Collector of Taxes.	313 82		
94242	6-17-15	7-21-15	The Wm. P. Miller Co.	12 00	94846		7-22-15	Bernard H. Foley, Collector of Taxes.	277 75		
94128	6-14-15	7-21-15	Taylor & Ellis	3 00	94850		7-22-15	Thomas Eaton, Collector of Taxes	63 09		
94123	4-20-15	7-21-15	The National Saw Filers' Assn.	7 20	94852		6-26-15	Louis E. Stander, Auditor	60 90		
94124	6-16-15	7-21-15	Nanz Clock Co.	3 00	96169						
94122	5-24-15	7-21-15	National Oil Co.	3 00							
94238	6- 9-15	7-21-15	James S. Barron & Co.	2 40							

VOUCHERS RECEIVED IN DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, WEDNESDAY, JULY 28, 1915.

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 Con- tract No. Number.	Invoice Date	Name of Payee.	Amount.
Board of Ambulance Service.			
96911		Brooklyn Hospital	\$140 00
96912		Brooklyn Eastern Dist. Dispensary and Hospital	70 00
96913		Bushwick Hospital	70 00
96914		Church Charity Foundation of Long Island, St. Johns Hospital	70 00
96915		Flushing Hospital and Dispensary	140 00
96916		German Hospital of Bklyn.	195 00
96917		The Hospital of the Holy Family	125 00
96918		The Jewish Hospital	195 00
96919		Jamaica Hospital	125 00

Finance Date Vouch- or Con- tract No. Number.	Invoice Date	Name of Payee.	Amount.
96920		Knickerbocker Hospital	250 00
96921		Lincoln Hospital Home	250 00
96922		Long Island College Hospital	195 00
96923		Lebanon Hospital Assn.	250 00
96924		Mary Immaculate Hospital.	250 00
96925		Methodist Episcopal Hospital in the City of Bklyn.	157 50
96926		New York Homeopathic Medical College and Flower Hospital	375 00
96927		New York Polyclinic Medical School and Hospital	250 00
96928		Norwegian Luth'n Deaconess Home and Hospital	195 00
96929		St. Marys General Hospital of the City of Brooklyn	195 00
96930		The Swedish Hospital	195 00
96931		St. Catherine's Hospital	195 00
96932		St. Johns L. I. City Hosp.	195 00
96933		St. Vincents Hospital	195 00
96934		St. Vincents Hospital of The City of New York	320 00
96935		St. Joseph Hospital	125 00
96936		New York Hospital	577 50
96937		The S. R. Smith Infirmary.	250 00
96938		Williamsburgh Hospital	250 00
96939		Washington Heights Hosp.	125 00
96940		Volunteer Hospital	140 00

Finance Date Vouch- or Con- tract No. Number.	Invoice Date	Name of Payee.	Amount.
96941		Rockaway Beach Hospital	80 00
96942	6-30-15	Carl H. Schultz	50
96943	6-30-15	Central Window Cleaning and House Renovating Co.	1 50
96944		Initial Towel Supply Co.	2 00
96945		Knickerbocker Ice Co.	5 92
96946	6-20-15	The Ohman Map Co., Inc.	9 38
96947	7-22-15	Wm. H. Fletcher, Dept. Director	2 50
96948	7-22-15	Macey Co.	1 55
96949	6-30-15	N. Y. Telephone Co.	10 74
96950		Wm. H. Fletcher	5 40
96951	7-23-15	Library Bureau	4 77
Department of Bridges.			
97103	6-30-15	George Pool & Son	\$7 45
97104	7- 1-15	The Mutual Towel Supply Co.	7 80
97105	7- 6-15	Dept. Public Charities	21 75
97106	7- 1-15	The Mutual Towel Supply Co.	7 28
97107	6-30-15	Municipal Garage	69 66
97108	7-15-15	The Petroleum Products Co.	8 32
97109	7-15-15	Abraham & Straus	35 00
97110	7-17-15	Goodyear India Rubber Selling Co.	4 52
97111	6-30-15	Municipal Garage	102 70
97112	7- 6-15	N. J. Mechanical Rubber Co.	31 00

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Finance Date	Vouch- or Con- tract	Name of Payee.	Finance Date	Vouch- or Con- tract	Name of Payee.	Finance Date	Vouch- or Con- tract	Name of Payee.
No.	Number.	Amount.	No.	Number.	Amount.	No.	Number.	Amount.
97113	6-28-15	Chicago Pneumatic Tool Co.	96872	6-23-15	Tinius Olsen Testing Machine Co.	97091	6-22-15	E. R. Squibb & Sons.....
97114	7- 7-15	A. F. Brombacher & Co....	96873	6-24-15	John Simmons Co.	97092	6- 4-15	Schieffelin & Co.
97115	7-13-15	A. F. Brombacher & Co....	96874	7-18-15	Budde & Westerman	97093	6-28-15	Schieffelin & Co.
97116	7-13-15	Peerless Rubber Mfg. Co.	96875	6-16-15	American Can Co.	97094	7- 1-15	Powers, Weightman, Rosen- garten Co.
97117	7- 7-15	Barrett Mfg. Co.	96876	7-12-15	Kolesch & Co.	97095	6-22-15	Parke, Davis & Co.
97118	6-30-15	Baker, Carver & Morrell...	96877	6-21-15	Manhattan Electrical Supply Co.	97096	6-26-15	The Norwich Pharmacal Co.
97119	7- 1-15	Penn Cement Co.	96878	7-17-15	John P. Kane Co.	97097	7- 3-15	George Ermold
97120	7- 6-15	E. F. Keating Co.	96879	6-26-15	Independent Towel Supply Co.	97098		Edwin C. Hahn
97121	7-16-15	N. Langler				97099	6-26-15	Lehn & Fink
97122	7-20-15	Egleston Bros. & Co.				97100	6-26-15	Lehn & Fink
97123	6-30-15	The L. I. Hardware Co....				97101	4-24-15	Lewis Mfg. Co.
97124	7-14-15	Thos. C. Dunham				97102	6-26-15	McKesson & Robbins
97125	6-30-15	Municipal Garage						
97126	6-30-15	Jas. Keily						
97127	7-16-15	John H. Meyer						
97128	6-30-15	Municipal Garage						
97129	6-30-15	Abraham & Straus						
97130	7- 8-15	The Petroleum Products Co.						
97131	6-24-15	Dept. Correction						
97132	6-18-15	Firestone Tire & Rubber Co., Inc.						
97133	7- 3-15	Garford Motor Truck Co.						
97134	7- 6-15	The Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co.						
97135	6- 9-15	The Prest o' Lite Co.						
97136	5-18-15	The Motor Car Equipment Co.						
97137	7-13-15	Smith & Loughlin, Inc.						
97138	6-30-15	A. P. Dienst Co., Inc.						
97139	6-25-15	Art Metal Const. Co.						
97140	6- 8-15	The Marbleloid Co.						
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96968	Knickerbocker Ice Co.....	19 26	96779	A. & W. Auburn Prison...	720 00	96743	Matilda L. Cordts, as Exec., L. W. & T. John N. Cordts, Dec.	114 00
96969	Leeds & Northrup Co.....	107 55	96780	Meinecke & Co.	196 56	96744	Henry Metcalfe	30 00
96970	W. G. McKenna.....	4 10	96781	H. C. & H. B. Harpending..	92 00	96745	Catskill Mt. Tel. Co.....	5 35
96971	National Elec. Controller Co.	14 44	96782	Syndicate Trading Co.....	18 00	96746	Cornwall Tel. Co.	53 97
96972	National Process Co., Inc...	355 27	96783	Manhattan Supply Co.....	218 13	96747	N. Y. Tel. Co.....	10 12
96973	New York Stencil Works...	24 60	96825	Richardson & Dutt	13 50	96748	N. Y. Tel. Co.....	6 40
96974	O'Keefe Bannin Co., Inc...	276 60	96826	Theo. Moss & Co.....	2 00	96749	N. Y. Tel. Co.	57 55
96975	Pannier Bros. Stamp Co., Inc.	10 80	96827	Wm. Langbein & Bros.....	89 37	96750	N. Y. Tel. Co.....	3 47
96976	T. G. Patterson, Inc.	125 00	96828	John Wanamaker	93 25	96700	Knickerbocker Towel Sup- ply Co.	13 90
96977	Prodgers Plumbing Co., Inc.	7 84	96829	John G. Stark	71 00	96701	Library Bureau	6 75
96978	A. & W., Auburn.....	63 20	95830	Knauth Brothers	7 50	96702	The J. W. Pratt Co.....	34 35
96979	Stone & Webster, Public Service Journal	1 00	96831	The Kny-Scheerer Co.....	12 25	96703	H. Hecht	1 32
96980	C. J. Tagliabue Mfg. Co....	2 50	96832	Henry R. Worthington ...	6 50	96704	Howe Scale Co.	2 77
96981	Taylor Instrument Cos.....	11 50	96833	Reedy Elevator Co.....	238 93	96705	Northern Westchester Ltg. Co.	7 30
96982	Underwood Typewriter Co.	14 25	96834	Invisible Roll Screen Co...	261 25	96706	George H. Tyrrell Co., Inc.	34 21
96983	Union Carbide Sales Co....	14 00	96835	M. Meyers, Inc.	54 70	96707	Westchester Lighting Co...	4 50
96984	Whitall Tatum Co.....	3 18	96836	Oriental Rubber & Supply Co.	2 25	96708	Carnegie Steel Company...	9 83
96985	Chas. G. Willoughby	7 30	96837	Alois L. Hofaker	13 50	96709	Columbia Towel Supply Co.	3 50
96986	Wilson Mauleen Co.	1 50	96838	A. & W., Clinton Prison...	45 00	96710	W. Eddy Plow Co.....	6 50
96987	N. Y. Commercial.....	60 80	96839	A. & W., Auburn Prison...	1,710 50	96711	Elec. Light Co. of New Paltz	1 10
96988	The World	52 50	96840	A. & W., Sing Sing Prison.	4 00	96712	The Fairbanks Co.	9 53
Department of Public Charities.			96841	E. T. Joyce	2 25	96713	The Fairbanks Co.	2 20
96843	Samuel E. Hunter	\$213 27	96842	Neptune B. Smythe	893 00	96714	J. J. Foley Coal Co.....	63 50
96844	Samuel E. Hunter	132 44	96806	S. J. Grayson	16 00	96715	Fowler & Sellars Co.....	53 85
96845	Samuel E. Hunter	165 32	96807	Hull, Grippen & Co.....	9 56	96716	Peter Ginch & Sons.....	7 07
96846	Conron Bros. Co.	851 76	96808	Kelly Springfield Tire Co...	103 35	96717	Hammacher, Schlemmer & Co.	19 53
96847	Conron Bros. Co.	3 25	96809	The Oil Marketing Co.....	33 45	96718	W. H. Ladue's Sons.....	8 70
96848	Jacob Boss	101 01	96810	John P. Kane Co.....	1 25	96719	Locomobile Co. of America	1 25
96849	Jacob Boss	11 88	96811	The Wm. P. Miller Co.....	36 84	96720	Chas. E. Miller	16 67
96850	Armour & Co.	7 80	96812	Jacob F. Fussel	12 00	96721	Rutherford Rubber Co. ...	62 34
96851	Rebecca Melicow	215 60	96813	Dept. Correction	1 75	96722	Shelley Bros.	7 50
96852	P. Lawless Sons	13 05	96814	The Manhattan Supply Co.	65 43	96723	Singer Motor Co.	38 24
96853	Henry Kelly & Sons.....	3 64	96815	A. & W., Clinton Prison...	1,617 00	96724	Standard Oil Co. of N. Y...	70 65
96854	Samuel Rothman	10 65	96816	A. & W., Sing Sing Prison.	1,495 45	96725	Standard Oil Co. of N. Y...	57 20
96855	Robert Ferguson	1 20	96817	A. & W., Sing Sing Prison.	16 20	96726	Stubley's Garage & Auto Co.	2 22
96856	N. Y. Drum Co.....	20 00	96818	Clafin, Thayer & Co.....	58 60	96727	Jas. Thompson & Sons.....	15 00
96857	Hammacher, Schlemmer & Co.	150 75	96819	Clemens Restein Co.....	32 71	96728	Saml. Thompson's Nephew.	8 56
96858	James S. Barron & Co.....	83 09	96820	Paul Schaad	6 00	96729	Union Towel Supply Co....	71 81
96859	Chas. H. Heinsohn	133 40	96821	A. D. Morris & Co.....	5 85	96730	G. H. Tyrrell Co., Inc.....	1 90
96860	J. P. Kane Co.....	266 90	96822	Augenthaler & Herman...	387 18	96731	Westchester Lighting Co...	1 68
96861	A. C. Jacobson & Sons.....	29 50	96823	John W. Sullivan	313 00	96732	L. S. Winne & Co.....	10 53
96862	E. T. Joyce	43 90	96824	Wm. J. Doherty	561 00	96733	Wolf Safety Lamp Co. of America	15 50
96863	Ludwig Littauer	24 75	97164	Wm. J. Doherty	255 00	96734	Yale & Towne Mfg. Co....	8 43
96864	T. C. Dunham	164 70	Department of Street Cleaning.			96735	G. B. Case	3 17
96865	J. P. Zurla Tile Co., Inc...	27 13	96685	Relief and Pension Fund of the Department of Street Cleaning, J. T. Fetherston, Commissioner, as Treasurer and Trustee	\$135 72	96736	G. V. Ennist	6 00
96866	Geo. Damon & Sons.....	6 45	Board of Water Supply.			96737	Canfield Supply Co.	14 73
96867	Joseph D. Duffy	92 00	96740	The Staten Island Rapid Transit Railway Co. and the New York Transit & Ter- minal Co., Ltd.	\$3,600 00	96738	Con. Gas Co. of N. Y.....	1 72
96868	S. F. Carlin	71 00	96741	Town of New Castle	5,000 00	96739	Crane Co., New York.....	80 02
96869	Verdon & Co.	4 00	96687	H. C. Buncke	791 34	96692	The Fairbanks Co.....	50 95
96870	William H. Schmall	14 40	96688	Charles Goodman	75 36	96693	General Electric Co.	100 87
96871	Brady Oltarsh Constr. Co..	99 94	96689	John P. Hogan	38 12	96694	Kanouse Mt. Water Co....	7 20
96872	Dept. of Correction	212 05	96690	Ernest Jonson	308 13	96695	Jas. Millard & Son Co.....	113 15
96873	Joseph Johnson's Sons.....	194 50	96691	H. Lincoln Rogers	53 43	96696	New York Sporting Goods Co.	13 75
96874	Standard Oxygen Co.	17 50	96742	Sallie I. Hawthorne	15 00	96697	Phoenix Specialty Mfg. Co.	16 75
96875	Waite & Bartlett Mfg. Co..	11 30				96698	Reilly Bros. Ladder Co....	11 36
96876	Henry J. Schmitz	4 50				96699	Waterbury & Riley	110 00
96877	D. B. Pershall & Son.....	25 26						
96878	Bloomington Bros.	526 99						
96879	J. B. Greenhut Co.....	725 40						
96880	E. B. Latham & Co.....	17 70						



Changes in Departments, Etc

BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY.

Services Ceased—Douglas B. Williamson, Assistant Engineer, July 11; H. E. Slade, Inspector, July 11. Laborers, James H. King. Assistant Engineers: William B. Osterhout, Louis C. Thompson. Rodmen: Philip T. Coffey, Patrick J. McNicholl, effective August 3. James D. Nugent, Axeman; Charles G. Linstrom, Inspector; Inspectors of Masonry: Peter E. Stevens, Eugene F. Clayton, Carl W. Haefner. Assistant Engineers: J. Raymond Pennefather, William G. Pickersgill. John Peterson, Assistant Engineer Designer. Laborers: Ervie Cronk, July 23; Morgan Robinson, July 28.

Transferred—John H. Rapp, Collection Clerk, July 5, to Finance Department; John McCarron, Patrolman on Aqueduct, July 8, to Department of Correction as Prison Keeper.

Died—Mrs. Frank J. Thoneman, Gauge Keeper, June 30.

BOARD OF CITY MAGISTRATES—FIRST DIVISION.

Appointed—Michael P. Ateshoglou, 235 West 11th St., Manhattan, Interpreter, at \$1,500 per annum.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

Manhattan and Richmond.

Services Ceased—Arthur T. Carroll, Playground and Gymnasium Attendant,

107 Conselyea Street, Brooklyn, \$3 per day.

DOCKS AND FERRIES.

Services Ceased—Thomas F. Woods, Dockmaster, July 20; Thomas F. Lyons, Pipefitter's Helper, July 23; Edward J. Moffat, Laborer, July 20. July 21, Thomas J. Kelly, Dockbuilder. Pavers: Thomas J. Bacon, Thomas Conway, James W. Murphy. Rammers: Arthur F. Ferrier, Owen Masterson.

Died—Peter J. McNaboe, Watchman, May 27.

Title Changed—Peter Ager, from Marine Sounder, at \$3 per day, to Laborer at \$2.50 per day, July 26.

Appointed—Stephen D. Burbank, Water Tender, \$95 per month, July 23.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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CITY OFFICES.

MAYOR'S OFFICE.

City Hall, Telephone, 8020 Cortlandt.
John Purroy Mitchel, Mayor.
Theodore Rousseau, Secretary.
Bertram de N. Cruger, Executive Secretary.
Bureau of Weights and Measures.
Municipal Building, 3rd floor. Telephone, 1498
Worth.
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.

President of the Board of Aldermen.
City Hall, Telephone, 6770 Cortlandt.
George McAneny, President.

BOARD OF AMBULANCE SERVICE.
300 Mulberry st. Ambulance Calls—3100 Spring. Administration Offices—7586 Spring.

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.

Alfred P. W. Seaman, Chairman.
St. George B. Tucker, Secretary.

BELLEVUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS.
26th st. and 1st ave. Telephone, 4400 Madison square.

Dr. John W. Brannan, President.
J. K. Paulding, Secretary.

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

F. J. H. Kracke, Commissioner.
BUREAU OF THE CHAMBERLAIN.

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

Henry Bruere, Chamberlain.
**CITY CLERK AND CLERK OF THE BOARD
OF ALDERMEN.**

Municipal Building, 2nd floor. 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.

Katharine B. Davis, Commissioner.
DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

Pier "A," N. R. Telephone, 300 Rector.
R. A. C. Smith, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.
Board of Education.

Park ave. and 59th st. Telephone, 5580 Plaza.
Stated meetings of the Board are held at 4
p. m. on the first Monday in February, the second
Wednesday in August, and the second and
fourth Wednesdays in every month, except
August.

Thomas W. Churchill, President.
A. Emerson Palmer, Secretary.

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

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. Saturday, to 12 m.

**BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND
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Municipal Building, 13th floor. Telephone, 4560
Worth.

Joseph Haag, Secretary.
Bureau of Records and Minutes.

Municipal Building, 13th floor. Telephone, 4560
Worth. Joseph Haag, Secretary.

Office of the Chief Engineer.
Municipal Building, 13th floor. Telephone, 4560
Worth. Nelson P. Lewis, Chief Engineer.

Bureau of Public Improvements.
Municipal Building, 13th floor. Telephone, 4560
Worth. Nelson P. Lewis, Chief Engineer.

Bureau of Franchises.
Municipal Building, 13th floor. Telephone, 4563
Worth. Harry P. Nichols, Engineer.

Bureau of Contract Supervision.
Municipal Building, 13th floor. Telephone, 4560
Worth. Central Testing Laboratory, 125
Worth St. Telephone, 3088 Franklin. Tilden
Adamson, Director.

Bureau of Standards.
Municipal Building, 13th floor. Telephone, 4560
Worth. George L. Tirrell, Director.

Bureau of Sewer Plan.
Municipal Building, 12th floor. Telephone, 4227
Worth. Kenneth Allen, Engineer.

BOARD OF EXAMINERS.
Municipal Building, 20th floor. 9 a. m. to 4
p. m. Saturday, to 12 m. Telephone, 1800
Worth.

Board meets every Tuesday at 2 p. m.
Edward V. Barton, Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.
Municipal Building, 5th floor. Telephone, 1200
Worth. Shepard A. Morgan, Secretary to the
Department, 5th floor.

William A. Prendergast, Comptroller.
Deputy Comptrollers, 7th floor. Alexander
Brough, Edmund D. Fisher, Charles S. Hervey,
Hubert L. Smith.

Receiver of Taxes.
Manhattan—Municipal Building, 2nd floor.
Telephone, 1200 Worth.

Bronx—177th st. and Arthur ave. Telephone, 140
Tremont.

Brooklyn—236 Duffield st. Telephone, 7056
Main.

Queens—5 Court Square, Long Island City.
Telephone, 3386 Hunter's Point.

Richmond—Borough Hall, St. George. Telephone, 1000
Tompkinsville.

Frederick H. E. Ebstein, Receiver of Taxes.
Collector of Assessments and Arrears.

Manhattan—Municipal Building, 3d floor.
Telephone, 1200 Worth.

Bronx—177th St. and Arthur Ave. Telephone, 47
Tremont.

Brooklyn—503 Fulton st. Telephone, 8340
Main.

Queens—Municipal Building, Court Square,
Long Island City. Telephone, 1553 Hunter's
Point.

Richmond—Borough Hall, St. George. Telephone, 1000
Tompkinsville.

Daniel Moynahan, Collector.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.
Municipal Building, 11th floor. Telephone, 4100
Worth.

Brooklyn, 365 Jay st. Telephone, 7600 Main.
Robert Adamson, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.
Centre and Walker sts., Manhattan. Telephone, 6280
Franklin.

Burial Permit and Contagious Disease offices
always open.

Bronx. 3731 Third ave. Brooklyn, Flatbush
ave., Willoughby and Fleet sts. Queens, 372
Fulton st., Jamaica. Richmond, 514 Bay st.,
Stanleton.

S. S. Goldwater, Commissioner.
Eugene W. Scheffer, Secretary.

BOARD OF INEBRIETY.
300 Mulberry st. Telephone, 7116 Spring.

Board meets first Wednesday in each month at
3 o'clock.
Charles Samson, Secretary.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Office of Corporation Counsel.
Main office, Municipal Building, 16th floor.
Telephone, 4600 Worth.
Frank L. Polk, Corporation Counsel.
Brooklyn office, 153 Pierrepont st. Telephone
2948 Main.

Bureau of Street Openings.
Main office, Municipal Building, 15th floor.
Telephone, 1380 Worth.
Brooklyn office, 166 Montague st. Telephone,
5916 Main.

Queens office, Municipal Building, Long Island
City. Telephone, 3886 Hunters Point.
Bureau for the Recovery of Penalties.
Municipal Building, 15th floor. Telephone
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*Bureau for the Collection of Arrears of Personal
Taxes.*
Municipal Building, 17th floor. Telephone, 4585
Worth.

*Tenement House Bureau and Bureau of
Buildings.*
Municipal Building, 15th floor. Telephone, 1620
Worth.

DEPARTMENT OF LICENSES.

Main Office, 49 Lafayette st. Telephone, 4490
Franklin.
George H. Bell, Commissioner.
Brooklyn—381 Fulton Street. Telephone, 1497
Main.

Queens—Borough Hall, Long Island City.
Telephone, 5400 Hunters Point.
Richmond, Borough Hall, New Brighton.
Telephone, 1000 Tompkinsville.

Division of Licensed Vehicles—517-519 W. 57th
st. Telephone, 6387 Columbus.
Public Employment Bureau—Men's depart-
ments, 128 Leonard st.; Women's departments,
53 Lafayette st. Telephone, 6100 Franklin.

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.
Municipal Building, 14th floor. Telephone,
1580 Worth.

Henry Moskowitz, President.
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MUNICIPAL REFERENCE LIBRARY.

Municipal Building, 5th floor. Telephone,
1072 Worth. 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturday, to
1 p. m.

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS

Municipal Building, 10th Floor. Telephone,
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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.

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CITY REFORMATORY OF MISDEMEAN-
ANTS.**
Municipal Building, 24th floor. Telephone, 1610
Worth.

Thomas R. Minnick, Secretary.

EXAMINING BOARD OF PLUMBERS.
Municipal Building, 8th floor. Telephone, 1800
Worth.

J. A. Glendinning, Clerk.
POLICE DEPARTMENT.
240 Centre st. Telephone, 3100 Spring.
Arthur Woods, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.
Principal office, Municipal Building, 10th floor.
Telephone, 4440 Worth.

Brooklyn and Queens, 327 Schermerhorn st.,
Brooklyn. Telephone, 2977 Main.
Bureau of Dependent Adults, Pier, foot of
East 26th st. Telephone, 7400 Madison Square.

The Children's Bureau, 124 East 59th st. Tele-
phone, 7400 Madison Square.
Borough of Richmond, Borough Hall, St.
George, S. I. Telephone, 100 Tompkinsville.

John A. Kingsbury, Commissioner.
PUBLIC RECREATION COMMISSION.
Municipal Building, 5th floor. Telephone, 1471
Worth.

Meeting every second Tuesday at 2.30 p. m.
Cyril H. Jones, Acting Secretary.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
154 Nassau st., Manhattan. 8 a. m. to 11 p. m.
every day, including holidays and Sundays. Tele-
phone, 4150 Beekman.

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Travis H. Whitney, Secretary.

BOARD OF REVISION OF ASSESSMENTS.
Municipal Building, 7th floor. Telephone, 1200
Worth.

John Korb, jr., Chief Clerk.
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Office of Secretary, Municipal Building, 7th
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Municipal Building, 9th floor. Telephone, 1800
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C. Rockland Tyng, Secretary.

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Municipal Building, 12th floor. Telephone, 4240
Worth.

John T. Fetherston, Commissioner.

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Manhattan and Richmond office, Municipal
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Brooklyn and Queens office, 503 Fulton st.,
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Brooklyn office, 391 East 149th st. Telephone,
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BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY.
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lyn, 3980 Main; Queens, 3441 Hunters Point;
Richmond, 840 Tompkinsville; Bronx, 3400 Tre-
mont.

Brooklyn, Municipal Building, Brooklyn.
Bronx, Tremont and Arthur ayes. Queens,
Municipal Building, Long Island City. Richmond,
Municipal Building, St. George.
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President's office, Borough Hall. Telephone,
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Lewis H. Pounds, President.

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

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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.

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Telephone, 1000 Tompkinsville.
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Open at all hours of the day and night. Tele-
phone, Worth 3711.

Bronx—Arthur and Tremont ayes. Telephone,
1250 Tremont. 8 a. m. to midnight, every day.
Brooklyn, 236 Duffield st. Telephone, 4004
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Queens, Town Hall, Jamaica, L. I. 9 a. m. to
10 p. m.; Sundays and holidays, 9 a. m. to
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Richmond, 175 Second st., New Brighton.
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Saturday, 9 a. m. to 12 noon.

NEW YORK COUNTY.**COUNTY CLERK.**

County Court House. Telephone, 5388 Cort-
landt.
Wm. F. Schneider, County Clerk.
9 a. m. to 2 p. m. during July and August.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

Criminal Courts Building, 9 a. m. to 5.15 p.
m.; Saturdays, to 12 m. Telephone, 2304 Frank-
lin.

Charles Albert Perkins, District Attorney.
COMMISSIONER OF JUDGES.
280 Broadway. Telephone, 241 Worth.

Thomas Allison, Commissioner.
PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.
119 Nassau st. Telephone, 6376 Cortlandt.

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

John F. Cowan, Commissioner.
REGISTER.
Hall of Records. Telephone, 3900 Worth.

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.
Max S. Grifenhagen, Sheriff.
SUBROGATE.
Hall of Records. Telephone, 3900 Worth.

John P. Cohalan; Robert Ludlow Fowler, Sur-
rogates.
William Ray De Lano, Chief Clerk.
John F. Curry, Commissioner of Records.

KINGS COUNTY.**COUNTY CLERK.**

Hall of Records, Brooklyn. Telephone, 4930
Main.
Charles S. Devoy, County Clerk.

COUNTY COURT.

County Court House, Brooklyn. Court opens
at 10 a. m. daily and sits until business is com-
pleted. Part I, Room No. 23; Part II, Room
No. 10; Part III, Room No. 14; Part IV, Room
No. 1, Court House. Clerk's office, Rooms 17,
18, 19 and 22; open daily from 9 a. m. to 5
p. m.; Saturday, to 12 m. Telephone, 4154
Main.

John T. Rafferty, Chief Clerk.
DISTRICT ATTORNEY.
66 Court st., Brooklyn, 9 a. m. to 5.30 p. m.;
Saturday, to 1 p. m. Telephone, 2954 Main.

James C. Cropsey, District Attorney.
COMMISSIONER OF JUDGES.
381 Fulton st., Brooklyn. Telephone, 1454
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.
46-50 Court st., Brooklyn. Telephone, 6845
Main.

Lewis M. Swasey, Sheriff.
SUBROGATE.
Hall of Records, Brooklyn. Court opens at 10
a. m. Telephone, 3954 Main.

Hebert T. Ketcham, Surrogate.
John H. McCooey, Chief Clerk.

BRONX COUNTY.**COUNTY CLERK.**

161st st. and 3d ave. Telephone, 9266 Melrose.
James Vincent Ganly, County Clerk.

COUNTY JUDGE.

161st st. and 3d ave. Telephone, 7907 Melrose.
Louis D. Gibbs, County Judge.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.
161st st. and 3d ave. Telephone, 9200 Melrose.
Francis Martin, District Attorney.

COMMISSIONER OF JUDGES.
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.
161st st. and 3 ave.

George M. S. Schulz, Surrogate.

QUEENS COUNTY.**COUNTY CLERK.**

364 Fulton st., Jamaica. Telephone, 151 Ja-
maica.
Leonard Ruoff, County Clerk.

COUNTY COURT.

County Court House, Long Island City. Tele-
phone, 596 Hunters Point.

Court opens at 10 a. m. Trial Terms begin
first Monday of each month, except July, Au-
gust and September, and on Friday of each
week.

Clerk's office opens 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Satur-
days to 12.30 p. m. Telephone, 551 Jamaica.
Burt Jay Humphrey, County Judge.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

County Court House, Long Island City, 9 a. m.
to 5 p. m.; Saturday, to 12 m.
County Judge's office always open at 336 Ful-
ton st., Jamaica. Telephone, 3871 Hunters Point.

Denis O'Leary, District Attorney.

COMMISSIONER OF JUDGES.

County Court House, Long Island City. Tele-
phone, 963 Hunters Point.
Thorndyke C. McKenney, Commissioner.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.
302 Fulton st., Jamaica. Telephone, 223 Ja-
maica.
Randolph White, Public Administrator.

SHERIFF.

County Court House, Long Island City. Tele-
phone, 3766 Hunters Point.
George Emener, Sheriff.

SURROGATE.

364 Fulton st., Jamaica. Telephone, 397 Ja-
maica.
Daniel Noble, Surrogate.

RICHMOND COUNTY.**COUNTY CLERK.**

County Office Building, Richmond. Telephone,
28 New Dorp.
C. Livingston Bostwick, County Clerk.

COUNTY JUDGE AND SURROGATE.
Trial Terms, with Grand and Trial Jury, sec-
ond Monday of March, first Monday of October.
Trial Terms, with Trial Jury only, first Mon-
day 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 Sep-
tember.

Surrogate's Court.
Monday and Tuesday of each week at the Bor-
ough 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 Au-
gust.

Surrogate's Court and Office, Richmond, S. I.
Surrogate's Chambers, Borough Hall, St. George.
J. Harry Tiernan, County Judge and Surro-
gate.

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 JUDGES.

Village Hall, Stapleton. Telephone, 81 Tomp-
kinsville.
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.
Joseph F. O'Grady, Sheriff.

THE COURTS.

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

Thomas F. Smith, Clerk.

CITY MAGISTRATES' COURT.

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

First District—Criminal Court Buildings.
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 Mul-
berry st. Telephone, 8713 Spring.

Second Division.
Borough of Brooklyn.
Office of Chief Magistrate, 14 Court st. Tele-
phone, 7411 Main.

First District—318 Adams st.
Second District—Court and Butler sts.
Fifth District—249 Manhattan ave.
Sixth District—495 Gates ave.

Seventh District—31 Snider ave., Flatbush.
Eighth District—W. 8th st., Coney Island.
Ninth District—5th ave. and 29th st.
Tenth District—133 New Jersey ave.

Domestic Relations—Myrtle and Vanderbilt
aves.
William F. Delaney, Chief Clerk.

Borough of Queens.
First District—St. Mary's Lyceum, L. I. City.
Second District—Town Hall, Flushing, L. I.
Third District—Central ave., Far Rockaway.
Fourth District—Town Hall, Jamaica, L. I.

Borough of Richmond.
First District—Lafayette ave., New Brighton.
Second District—Village Hall, Stapleton.

All courts open daily from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.
except on Saturdays, Sundays and legal holidays,
when only morning sessions are held.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.
Criminal Court Building. Court opens at 10.30
a. m. Clerk's office open from 9 a. m. to 4
p. m., and on 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.

Borough of Manhattan.
First District—54-60 Lafayette st. Additional
Part is held at southwest corner of 6th ave. and
10th st. Telephone, 6030 Franklin.

Second District—264-266 Madison st. Tele-
phone, 4300 Orchard.
Third District—314 W. 54th st. Telephone,
5400 Columbus.

Fourth District—Parts I and II, 207 E. 32d
st. Telephone, 4358 Murray Hill.
Fifth District—Broadway and 96th st. Tele-
phone, 4006 Riverside.

Sixth District—155 E. 88th st.
Seventh District—70 Manhattan st.
Eighth District—121st st. and Sylvan place.
Telephone, 3950 Harlem.

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

Borough of The Bronx.
First District—Town Hall, 1400 Williamsbridge
road, Westchester. Trial of causes, Tuesday and
Friday of each week. Telephone, 457 West-
chester.

Second District—Washington ave. and 162d st.
Telephone, 3043 Melrose.

Borough of Brooklyn.
First District—State and Court sts. Parts I
and II. Telephone, 7091 Main.

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

Third District—6 Lee ave. Telephone, 955
Williamsburg.

Fourth District—14 Howard ave.
Fifth District—5220 Third ave. Telephone,
3907 Sunset.

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

Seventh District—31 Pennsylvania ave. 8.45
a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturday, 9 a. m. to 12 m.
Telephone, 904 East New York.

Borough of Queens.

First District—115 5th st., Long Island City,
Telephone, 1420 Hunters Point.

Second District—Broadway and Court st., Elm-
hurst. Telephone, 87 Newtown.

Third District—1908 Myrtle ave., Glendale.
Telephone, 2352 Bushwick.

Fourth District—Town Hall, Jamaica. Tele-
phone, 1654 Jamaica.

Borough of Richmond.

First District—Lafayette ave. and 2d st., New
Brighton. Clerk's office open from 8.45 a. m. to
4 p. m. Telephone, 503 Tompkinsville.

Second District—Former Edgewater Village
Hall, Stapleton. Clerk's office open from 8.45
a. m. to 4 p. m. Telephone, 313 Tompkinsville.

COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.
Court opens at 10 a. m.
Part I, Criminal Court Building, Manhattan.
Telephone, 3983 Franklin.

Part II, 171 Atlantic ave., Brooklyn. Tele-
phone, Main 4280.

Part III, Town Hall, Jamaica.

Blank forms, plans and specifications may be obtained or seen at the office of the Superintendent, at Estimating Room, 9th floor, Hall of the Board of Education, Park Avenue and 59th Street, Borough of Manhattan; also at Branch Office, No. 69 Broadway, Flushing, Borough of Queens, for work for their respective boroughs. C. B. J. SNYDER, Superintendent of School Buildings.

Dated July 28, 1915. jy28,a9
See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

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

MONDAY, AUGUST 9, 1915,

Borough of Queens.

NO. 6.—FOR COMPLETING AND FINISHING ITEM 1, FURNITURE FOR NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL 96, ON THE NORTHWESTERLY CORNER OF ROCKAWAY ROAD AND LINCOLN AVENUE, SOUTH OZONE PARK, FOURTH WARD, BOROUGH OF QUEENS, IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE ORIGINAL PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS OF CONTRACT AWARDED TO MAX KLAUSNER, WHICH HAS BEEN DECLARED ABANDONED.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 40 Working Days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security is \$600. The work in question is for the completion of said abandoned contract. The attention of bidders is expressly called to the typewritten addenda which has been inserted in the original specifications.

The quantities of work to be done and the materials to be furnished are the balance of the work, together with corrections enumerated in the addenda.

Bidders must examine the abandoned work before making an estimate, and must examine the typewritten addenda and the original specifications. Bids will be compared and the contract will be awarded in a lump sum to the lowest bidder.

Blank forms, original plans and specifications may be obtained or seen at the office of the Superintendent, at Estimating Room, 9th floor, Hall of the Board of Education, Park Avenue and 59th Street, Borough of Manhattan, and also at Branch Office, No. 69 Broadway, Flushing, Borough of Queens.

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

Dated July 28th, 1915. jy28,a9
See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Buildings at the office of the Department of Education, Park Avenue and 59th Street, Manhattan, until 3 o'clock P. M., on

MONDAY, AUGUST 9, 1915,

Borough of Brooklyn.

NO. 1. FOR INSTALLING ELECTRIC EQUIPMENT IN THE ADDITION TO AND ALTERATIONS IN PUBLIC SCHOOL 18, ON THE NORTHEASTERLY CORNER OF MAURER AND LEONARD STREETS, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 100 Working Days, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is \$2,500. The deposit accompanying bid shall be five per centum of the amount of security.

NO. 2. FOR ADDITIONS, ALTERATIONS AND REPAIRS TO ELECTRIC EQUIPMENT IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS 42 AND 43 AND MANUAL TRAINING HIGH SCHOOL, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work on each school will be 30 Working Days as provided in the contract. The amount of security required is as follows:

P. S. 42, \$800; P. S. 43, \$600; M. T. H. S., \$1,400.

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

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

NO. 3.—FOR ALTERATIONS, REPAIRS, ETC., AT PUBLIC SCHOOL 45, LAFAYETTE, NEAR CLASSON AVENUE, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be 55 Working Days, as provided in the contract. The amount of security required is \$600.

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

On Nos. 1 and 3 the bids will be compared and the contract will be awarded in a lump sum to the lowest bidder on each contract.

On No. 2 the bidders must state the price of each item by which the bids will be tested. Award of contract will be made to the lowest bidder on each item.

Blank forms, plans and specifications may be obtained or seen at the office of the Superintendent, at Estimating Room, 9th floor, Hall of the Board of Education, Park Avenue and 59th Street, Borough of Manhattan, and also at Branch Office, No. 131 Livingston Street, Borough of Brooklyn.

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

Dated July 28, 1915. jy28,a9
See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Supplies at the office of the Department of Education, Park Avenue and 59th Street, Manhattan, until 11 A. M., on

MONDAY, AUGUST 9, 1915,

FOR PRINTING AND FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING PRINTED SUPPLIES FOR THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is within thirty (30) days (working) from date of order.

The amount of security required is thirty (30%) per cent. of the amount of the contract.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, by which the bids will be tested.

Award will be made to the lowest bidder.

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

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

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

PATRICK JONES, Superintendent of School Supplies.

Dated, July 28, 1915. jy28,a9
See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Superintendent of School Supplies at the office of the Department of Educa-

tion, Park ave. and 59th st., Manhattan, until 11 A. M., on

MONDAY, AUGUST 2, 1915,

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION 23,700 GROSS TONS OF ANTHRACITE AND SEMI-BITUMINOUS COAL, MORE OR LESS, FOR USE IN THE SCHOOLS IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, AND FOR THE SEVERAL OFFICES AND DEPARTMENTS THEREOF.

The time for the delivery of the coal and supplies and the performance of the contract will be from August 16, 1915, to March 31, 1916, inclusive, as provided in the contract.

The amount of security required is thirty (30%) per cent. of the amount of the contract. The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per gross ton, by which the bids will be tested.

Award will be made to the lowest aggregate bidder for Anthracite and Semi-bituminous coal for each Borough.

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

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

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

PATRICK JONES, Superintendent of School Supplies.

Dated, July 21, 1915. jy21,a2
See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Department of Correction, Room 2400, Municipal Building, Manhattan, New York, until eleven o'clock A. M. on

MONDAY, AUGUST 9, 1915,

At which time they will be opened and read publicly.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING PLUMBING FIXTURES AND PLUMBING MATERIAL FOR THE EAST WING AND ADMINISTRATION SECTION OF THE DISCIPLINARY BUILDING ON RIKER'S ISLAND, BOROUGH OF BRONX, FOR WORK LISTED UNDER: BID A—PLUMBING FIXTURES, BID B—PLUMBING MATERIAL.—ERECTION NOT INCLUDED.

Proposals are to be made and contracts will be awarded separately for work under each Bid A and B.

Each proposal shall be accompanied by a certified check on a State or National Bank of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of not less than five (5%) per cent. of the amount of the bid.

The time allowed for the delivery of the materials is five months.

The amount of security required will be fifty (50%) per cent. of the amount of the contract.

Bidders may consult the plans and specifications which are on file in the office of the Chief Inspector, Department of Correction, Municipal Building, New York City, and at the office of the Architects, F. B. & A. WARE, 1170 Broadway, New York City.

A complete set of plans and a copy of the specifications may be obtained by prospective bidders at the office of the architects, F. B. & A. Ware, 1170 Broadway, New York City, upon the payment of the cost of prints (\$2.00 for the complete set).

KATHARINE BEMENT DAVIS, Commissioner.

July 28, 1915. jy28,a9
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

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 4, 1915,

SUPPLIES FOR MANUFACTURING PURPOSES.

The time for the delivery of the articles, materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is by or before October 30, 1915.

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

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

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

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Department of Correction, the Borough of Manhattan, Municipal Building, New York City.

KATHARINE BEMENT DAVIS, Commissioner.

July 24, 1915. jy24,a4
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 Pier "A," foot of Battery Place, North River, Manhattan, until 12 o'clock noon on

THURSDAY, AUGUST 5, 1915,

CONTRACT NO. 1464.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR DREDGING DUMPING BOARDS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE BRONX AND BROOKLYN.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of Twenty calendar days.

The amount of security required is \$1,200.00.

The bidder shall price, both in writing and in figures, a price per cubic yard for doing all of the work called for. The contract, if awarded, will be awarded to the bidder whose price per cubic yard is the lowest for doing all of the work called for and whose bid is regular in all respects. In case of discrepancy between the written price and that given in figures, the price in writing will be considered as the bid.

Work must be done at the time and in the manner and in such quantities as may be directed.

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

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

Dated July 23, 1915. jy24,a5
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 Pier "A," Foot of Battery Place, North River, until twelve o'clock noon, on

THURSDAY, AUGUST 5, 1915,

CONTRACT NO. 1460.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING PILES.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of 90 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.

The contract, if awarded, will be awarded by items to the lowest bidder in each item.

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

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

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

Dated July 22, 1915. jy24,a5
See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

Interest on City Bonds and Stock.

THE INTEREST DUE ON SEPTEMBER 1, 1915, on Registered Bonds, Stocks and Corporate Stock Notes of The City of New York, and of former corporations now included therein, will be paid on that day by the Comptroller at his office (Room 853), Municipal Building, at Chambers and Centre Streets in the Borough of Manhattan.

The coupons that are payable in New York, London or Paris for the interest due September 1st, 1915, on Corporate Stock of The City of New York will be paid on that day, at the option of the holders thereof, at the office of the Guaranty Trust Company, 140 Broadway, New York City, or at the office of Messrs. Seligman Bros., 18 Austin Friars, London, E. C., England.

The coupons that are payable on September 1st, 1915, for interest on Corporate Stock Notes and Revenue Bonds of The City of New York will be paid on that day at the office of the said Guaranty Trust Company.

The coupons that are payable on September 1, 1915, for interest on bonds of former corporations now included in The City of New York will be paid on that day at the office of the said Guaranty Trust Company.

The books for the transfer of bonds and stock on which interest is payable on September 1st, 1915, will be closed from August 14th to September 1st, 1915.

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.
City of New York, Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, July 27th, 1915. jy29,s1

Corporation Sales of Real Estate.

Wm. P. Rae Company, Auctioneer.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of The City of New York, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale at public auction on

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 4, 1915,

at 12 o'clock M., at the Brooklyn Real Estate Exchange, No. 189 Montague Street, Borough of Brooklyn, all that certain piece or parcel of land belonging to the City of New York, and known on the Tax Map of The City of New York, Borough of Brooklyn, as Lot 9, Block 1169, Section 4, bounded and described as follows:

BEGINNING at a point at the intersection of the northerly line of Flatbush Avenue with the southerly line of Sterling Place; running thence easterly along the southerly line of Sterling Place 186 feet 3 inches; running thence southerly and at right angles with Sterling Place 57 feet 3 inches; running thence northwesterly 27 feet 1 inch; running thence southwesterly on a line drawn at right angles to Flatbush Avenue 82 feet 9 inches to the northerly line of Flatbush Avenue; running thence northwesterly along the northerly line of Flatbush Avenue 146 feet 1 inch to the point of place of beginning.

The minimum or upset price at which said property shall be sold is hereby fixed at Thirty-five Thousand Dollars (\$35,000), plus the cost of advertising the sale. The sale to be made upon the following

TERMS AND CONDITIONS:

The highest bidder will be required to pay ten per cent. (10%) of the amount of the bid, together with the auctioneer's fees at the time of the sale, and ninety per cent. (90%) upon the delivery of the deed, which shall be within sixty (60) days from the date of the sale.

The deed so delivered shall be in form of a bargain and sale deed without covenants.

The Comptroller may, at his option, resell the property if the successful bidder shall fail to comply with the terms of the sale, and the person so failing to comply therewith will be held liable for any deficiency which may result from such resale.

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids. Maps of said real estate may be seen on application at the Comptroller's Office (Division of Real Estate), Room 733, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan.

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund under resolution adopted at meeting of the Board held July 29, 1914.

EDMUND D. FISHER, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, July 9th, 1915. jy29,a4

Confirmation of Assessments.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

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

FOURTH WARD.

NUGGET PLACE—REGULATING, GRADING (sidewalk spaces), CURBING AND FLAGGING, from Fulton street to Rockaway Boulevard. Area of assessment: Both sides of Nugget place from Fulton street to Rockaway Boulevard.

—that the same was confirmed by the Board of Assessors July 20, 1915, and entered July 20, 1915, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments 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 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 September 18, 1915, 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, July 20, 1915. jy28,a7

NOTICE OF ASSESSMENTS FOR OPENING STREETS AND PARKS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 1005 OF THE Greater New York Charter, the Comptroller of The City of New York hereby gives public notice of the confirmation by the Supreme Court and the entering in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of the assessment for OPENING AND ACQUIRING TITLE to the following named avenues and streets in the BOROUGH OF QUEENS:

FIRST WARD.

OPENING AND ACQUIRING TITLE TO SCHOOL STREET, from Thomson avenue to a point north of Nott avenue; HILL STREET from Skillman avenue to Gale street; RAWSON STREET and MOORE STREET from Skillman avenue to Hunters Point avenue; HONEYWELL STREET from Queens Boulevard to Hunters Point avenue; BUCKLEY STREET from Skillman avenue to Hunters Point avenue. Confirmed June 15, 1915; entered July 23, 1915. 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:

1. Bounded on the north by a line distant 100 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly line of Thomson avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Thomson avenue; on the east by a line midway between School street and Van Dam street and by the prolongation of the said line; on the south by the northerly line of Nott avenue or Nelson avenue, and on the west by a line midway between School street and Mount street and by the prolongation of the said line.

2. Beginning at a point on the northerly line of Skillman avenue where it is intersected by the prolongation of a line midway between Buckley street and Hulst street, and running thence southwardly along the said line midway between Buckley street and Hulst street and along the prolongations of the said line to the intersection with the centre line of Greenpoint avenue; thence southwardly along the centre line of Greenpoint avenue to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet southwesterly from and parallel with the southwesterly line of Hunters Point avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Hunters Point avenue; thence northwardly along the said line parallel with Hunters Point avenue to the intersection with the line distant 100 feet easterly from and parallel with the easterly line of Hill street, the said distance being measured at right angles to Hill street; thence southwardly along the said line parallel with Hill street to the intersection with the northerly line of Gale street; thence southwardly at right angles to Gale street a distance of 160 feet; thence northwardly and parallel with Gale street to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Van Dam street and Hill street; thence northwardly along the said line midway between Van Dam street and Hill street and along the prolongations of the said line to the intersection with the northerly line of Skillman avenue; thence eastwardly along the northerly line of Skillman avenue to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Moore street and Honeywell street; thence southwardly along the said line midway between Moore street and Honeywell street to the intersection with the centre line of Queens boulevard; thence eastwardly along the centre line of Queens boulevard to the intersection with a line midway between Honeywell street and Buckley street; thence northwardly along the said line midway between Honeywell street and Buckley street and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with the northerly line of Skillman avenue; thence eastwardly along the northerly line of Skillman avenue to the point of place of beginning, excluding, however, from the above described areas such land as is exempt from assessment under the provisions of section 992 of the City Charter.

The above entitled assessment was entered on the date hereinbefore given in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents. Unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon, as provided by section 1006 of the Greater New York Charter.

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

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

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, 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 September 21, 1915, 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, July 23, 1915. jy28,a7

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

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

TWELFTH WARD, SECTION 8.
WEST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SEVENTH STREET—PAVING AND CURBING. between Audubon and St. Nicholas avenues. Area of assessment: Both sides of West One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street between Audubon and St. Nicholas avenues and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

WEST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIRST STREET—PAVING AND CURBING. from Broadway to Ft. Washington avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of West One Hundred and Sixty-first street from Broadway to Ft. Washington avenue and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

FIFTEENTH WARD, SECTION 2.
RECEIVING BASINS adjacent to the northeast corner of WASHINGTON PLACE AND GREENE STREET and adjacent to the southwest corner of MERCER STREET AND WAVERLY PLACE. Area of assessment affects property in Block 547.

RECEIVING BASIN at the northeast corner of WASHINGTON PLACE AND MERCER STREET. Area of assessment affects Lots 26 and 30 in Block 547.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors July 13, 1915, and entered July 13, 1915, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of 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 September 11, 1915, 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, July 13, 1915. jy19,29

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

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

TWENTY-THIRD WARD, SECTION 11.
CLAY AVENUE—RECEIVING BASIN on the west side north of Claremont Parkway. Area of assessment affects Blocks Nos. 2788, 2790 and 2791.

TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, SECTION 15.
TAYLOR AVENUE—REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURBSTONES, FLAGGING SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSWALKS, BUILDING APPROACHES AND ERECTING FENCES. from Westchester avenue to 250 feet north of Wood avenue. Area of assessment: Both sides of Taylor avenue from Westchester avenue to 250 feet north of Wood avenue and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues.

—that the same were confirmed by the Board of Assessors on July 13, 1915, and entered July 13, 1915, 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 September 11, 1915, 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, July 13, 1915. jy19,29

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

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

THIRTY-FIRST WARD, SECTION 20.
AVENUE M—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND FLAGGING. from East Sixteenth street to a line about 60 feet west of East Seventeenth street. Area of assessment: Both sides of Avenue M from East Sixteenth to East Seventeenth streets and extending back 100 feet through the adjacent blocks on each side of the improvement.

—that the same was confirmed by the Board of Assessors on July 13, 1915, and entered on July 13, 1915, 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 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 September 11, 1915, 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, July 13, 1915. jy19,29

Corporation Sales of Buildings.

CORPORATION SALE OF BUILDINGS AND APPURTENANCES THERETO ON CITY REAL ESTATE BY SEALED BIDS.

AT THE REQUEST OF THE PRESIDENT of the Borough of 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 purposes, in the

Borough of The Bronx.
 BEING the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., standing within the lines of Lyvere Street, from Zerega Avenue to West Farms 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 July 15, 1915, 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, AUGUST 6, 1915,
 at 11 A. M., in lots and parcels and in manner and form and at upset prices as follows:

PARCEL 1 and 1A: About 450 feet of board fence on Lyvere Street, and part of two and one-half story frame house on the southwest corner of Lyvere Street and West Farms Road. Cut house 12.8 feet on front by 10.3 feet on rear. Upset price, \$10.00.

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 6th day of Aug., 1915, 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 enclosed in properly sealed envelopes, marked "Proposals to be opened August 6, 1915," 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."

EDMUND D. FISHER, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.
 City of New York, Department of Finance,
 Comptroller's Office, July 16, 1915. jy21,a6

CORPORATION SALE OF BUILDINGS AND APPURTENANCES THERETO ON CITY REAL ESTATE BY SEALED BIDS.

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

Borough of The Bronx.
 BEING the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., standing within the lines of West 236th Street from the westerly right of way lines of the New York and Putnam Railroad to Broadway, 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 July 15, 1915, the sale by sealed bids at the upset or minimum prices named in the description of each parcel of the above buildings and appurtenances thereto will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

THURSDAY, AUGUST 5, 1915,
 at 11 A. M., in lots and parcels and in manner and form and at upset prices as follows:

PARCEL NO. 70-71: Two-story brick basement frame house on the east side of Broadway at West 236th Street, and frame storehouse and shed in rear of house. Upset price, \$25.00.

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 5th day of Aug., 1915, 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 enclosed in properly sealed envelopes, marked "Proposals to be opened August 5, 1915," 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."

EDMUND D. FISHER, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.
 City of New York, Department of Finance,
 Comptroller's Office, July 16, 1915. jy21,a5

CORPORATION SALE OF BUILDINGS AND APPURTENANCES THERETO ON CITY REAL ESTATE BY SEALED BIDS.

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

Borough of Queens.
 BEING the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., standing within the lines of Decatur Street, from the Borough Line to Cypress Avenue, in the 2nd Ward of the Borough of Queens, 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 July 14, 1915, the sale by sealed bids, at the upset or minimum prices named in the description of each parcel of the above described buildings and appurtenances thereto will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 4, 1915,
 at 11 A. M., in lots and parcels, and in manner and form, and at upset prices as follows:

PARCEL NO. 39: Part of two-story frame stable N. E. corner of Decatur Street and New York and Manhattan Beach Railroad right of way. Cut 6 feet on east side by 9 feet on west side. Upset price, \$5.00.

PARCEL NO. 42: Part of platform and canopy of two-story brick factory on the southeast corner of Decatur Street and New York and Manhattan Beach Railroad right of way. Cut by new line of street. Upset price, \$10.00.

PARCEL NO. 47: Part of two-story frame rear

building at the southeast corner of Decatur Street and Wyckoff Avenue. Cut 0.55 feet on west side by 0.74 feet on east side. Upset price, \$5.00.

PARCEL NO. 55: Part of three-story frame building and barn on the southwest corner of Decatur Street and Cypress Avenue. Cut building 0.49 feet on front by 0.46 feet on rear. Cut barn 0.48 feet on east side by 0.52 feet on west side. Upset price, \$5.00.

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 4th day of Aug., 1915, 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 enclosed in properly sealed envelopes, marked "Proposals to be opened August 4, 1915," 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."

CHARLES S. HERVEY, Deputy Comptroller.
 City of New York, Department of Finance,
 Comptroller's Office, July 16, 1915. jy19,a4

Sureties on Contracts.

UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE SURETY COMPANIES will be accepted as sufficient upon the following contracts to the amounts named: *Supplies of Any Description, Including Gas and Electricity.*

One company on a bond up to \$50,000.
 When such company is authorized to write that amount as per letter of Comptroller to the surety companies, dated January 1, 1914.

Construction.
 One company on a bond up to \$25,000.
 Including regulating, grading, paving, sewers, maintenance, dredging, construction of parks, parkways, docks, buildings, bridges, tunnels, aqueducts, repairs, heating, ventilating, plumbing, etc., etc.

When such company is authorized to write that amount as per letter of Comptroller to the surety companies, dated January 1, 1914.

Asphalt, Asphalt Block and Wood Block Pavements.
 Two companies will be required on any and every bond up to amount authorized by letter of Comptroller to the surety companies, dated January 1, 1914.

January 1, 1914.
 WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

Sales of Tax Liens.

Notice of Sale of Tax Liens of the City of New York, for Unpaid Taxes, Water Rents and Assessments for Local Improvements upon Lands and Tenements within that part of the City of New York now known and described as the Borough of Queens, Affecting Real Property in the First Ward of said Borough, as shown on the Tax Map of said City for said Borough of Queens, and also for Unpaid Taxes on the Real Estate of Corporations and Taxes on the Special Franchises of Corporations Affecting Property of certain Corporations and Individuals within the entire Borough of Queens.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS AND ARREARS OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

Under the direction of Hon. William A. Prendergast, Comptroller of the City of New York, I, Daniel Moynahan, Collector of Assessments and Arrears, hereby give public notice, pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 17, Title 5 of the Greater New York Charter:

That the respective owners of the lands and tenements in the Borough of Queens, in the City of New York, as said lands and tenements are shown within the First Ward of said Borough, upon the Tax Map of said City for said Borough, on which any taxes or any assessment for local improvements have been imposed and become a lien and have remained unpaid for three years since the same were due and payable, or on which any water rent has been imposed and become a lien and has remained due and unpaid for four years since the same was due and payable, and also corporations and individuals as owners of certain lands or certain special franchises within the entire Borough of Queens on which taxes on the real estate of corporations, or taxes on the special franchises of corporations have been imposed and become a lien and have remained unpaid for three years since the same were due and payable, are required to pay the amount of said taxes, assessments and water rents, together with all unpaid taxes, water rents and assessments affecting such lands and tenements which became a lien and were due and payable prior to March eleventh, nineteen hundred and fifteen (the taxes, water rents and assessments for local improvements required to be paid, thus comprising all unpaid taxes and water rents affecting said properties contained in assessment rolls down to and including the assessment roll of the City of New York for the year nineteen hundred and fourteen and all assessments for local improvements affecting said properties confirmed and entered up to March first, nineteen hundred and fifteen inclusive) with all penalties thereon remaining unpaid, together with the interest thereon at the rate provided by law from the time the same became liens so as to be due and payable to the date of payment and the charges of this notice and advertisement to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, at his office in the Municipal Building, Court House Square, Anable Avenue, Long Island City, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

And notice is hereby given that if default be made in such payment the lien of the City of New York upon any of said lands and tenements for any tax, assessment or water rent which became a lien so as to be due and payable before March eleventh, nineteen hundred and fifteen, will be sold at Public Auction, in Arrears Office, Third Floor, Municipal Building, Court House Square, Long Island City, Borough of Queens, in the City of New York, on

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 19, 1915,
 at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day for the lowest rate of interest, not exceeding twelve per centum per annum at which any person or persons shall offer to take the same in consideration of advancing the said taxes, water rents and assessments and penalties, as the case may be, and interest thereon as aforesaid to the time of sale, the charges of notice and advertisement and all other costs and charges accrued thereon; and that such sale will be continued from time to time until all said liens for taxes, water rents and assessments for local improvements so advertised for sale affecting such lands and tenements shall be sold.

The transfer of tax lien to be executed and delivered to the purchaser thereof pursuant to the terms of said sale shall be subject to the lien for and the right of the City of New York to collect and receive all taxes, water rents and assessments for local improvements and penalties and interest thereon which accrued and became a lien, or which shall accrue and become a lien upon said premises so as to be due and payable on and after the date stated in the first advertisement of said sale as stated herein, namely, the eleventh day of March, nineteen hundred and fifteen (i. e., the lien for and right of the City of New York to collect and receive all taxes and water rents, included in the assessment rolls of the City of New York for the years subsequent to nineteen hundred and fourteen, and assessments for local improvements entered subsequent to March first, nineteen hundred and fifteen).

Notice is hereby further given that a particular and detailed statement of the property affected showing section, volume or ward, block and lot number thereof as the same may be on the Tax Map of the City of New York for the Borough of Queens and the tax liens thereon which are to be sold, is published in a pamphlet and that copies thereof are deposited in the offices of the Collector of Assessments and Arrears in the Boroughs of Queens and Manhattan and will be delivered to any person applying for the same.

Dated, New York, July 15, 1915.
 DANIEL MOYNAHAN, Collector of Assessments and Arrears of the City of New York.
 This notice applies to arrears as of March 11, 1915. jy15,22,29,a5,12,19,26,s2,9,16,23,30,o7,14

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Proposals.

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

FRIDAY, AUGUST 6, 1915.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING PAINTS, OILS, VARNISHES AND PAINTER'S SUPPLIES.

The time for the performance of the contract is on or before December 31, 1915.

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 ounce, pound, gallon 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 and awards, if made, made to the lowest bidder on each line 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 1226, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan.

FIRE DEPARTMENT, ROBERT ADAMSON, Commissioner.

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 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, AUGUST 10, 1915,

FOR CONTRACT 165.

FOR MAKING SIX BORINGS THROUGH ROCK, EACH OVER 500 FEET DEEP, AT THE EAST SHAFT OF HUDSON SIPHON OF CATSKILL AQUEDUCT, IN THE TOWN OF FISHKILL, DUTCHESS COUNTY, NEW YORK.

An approximate statement of the quantities of the various items of work and further information are given in the Information for Bidders, forming part of the contract. At the above place and time the bids will be publicly opened and read. The award of the contract, if awarded, will be made by the Board as soon thereafter as practicable. The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

A bond in the sum of seven thousand dollars (\$7,000) will be required for the faithful performance of the contract.

No bid will be received and deposited unless accompanied by a certified check upon a National or State Bank, drawn to the order of the Comptroller of The City of New York, to the amount of five hundred dollars (\$500).

Time allowed for the completion of the work is 4½ months from the service of notice by the Board to begin work.

Pamphlets containing information for bidders, forms of proposal and contract, specifications, 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 five dollars (\$5) 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.

RALPH T. STANTON, Assistant 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. jy17-jy23,a10

BOARD MEETINGS.

Board of Aldermen.

The Board of Aldermen meets in the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, every Tuesday, at 1.30 o'clock p. m.

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

Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment will meet in Room 16, City Hall, at 10 o'clock A. M. on Thursday, July 1, 1915; Thursday, July 29, 1915; Thursday, August 26, 1915, and Friday, September 17, 1915, upon which latter date the Board will resume its regular meetings on Friday of each week. JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

Commissioners of Sinking Fund.

The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund meet in the Meeting Room (Room 16), City Hall, on Wednesday, at 11 a. m., at call of the Mayor. JOHN KORB, JR., Secretary.

Board of Revision of Assessments.

The Board of Revision of Assessments meets in the Meeting Room (Room 16), City Hall, every Thursday, at 10.30 a. m., upon notice of the Chief Clerk. JOHN KORB, JR., Secretary.

Board of City Record.

The Board of City Record meets in the City Hall at call of the Mayor.

DAVID FERGUSON, Supervisor, Secretary.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

Notice of Public Hearing.

FRANCHISE MATTERS.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT at the meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held July 21, 1915, the following communication was received:

State of New York, Public Service Commission for the First District, Tribune Building, 154 Nassau St., New York, July 8, 1915. To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York:

The Public Service Commission for the First District herewith transmits for appropriate action under the Rapid Transit Act:

(1) Certificate granted by the Commission to The New York, Brooklyn and Manhattan Beach Railway Company and The Long Island Railroad Company for connecting tracks between Knickerbocker Avenue and Fresh Pond Junction.

(2) Modifying certificate granted by the Commission to New York Connecting Railroad Company modifying the certificate of February 14, 1907, so as to eliminate the portion of the line between Knickerbocker Avenue and Fresh Pond Junction.

Under date of February 14, 1907, the Board of Rapid Transit Railroad Commissioners for The City of New York granted to New York Connecting Railroad Company a certificate for a connecting railroad between the railroad of The New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company and the railroad of The Long Island Railroad Company. The connection with The Long Island Railroad Company was described in the certificate as beginning at a point over Knickerbocker Avenue in the Borough of Brooklyn. The Long Island Railroad Company and its lessor, The New York, Brooklyn and Manhattan Beach Railway Company, claim, however, that their franchise route extends to a point near Fresh Pond Junction in the Borough of Queens. This link between Knickerbocker Avenue and Fresh Pond Junction is also included as part of the line of the New York Connecting Railroad Company as described in its certificate, and in its petition of June 21, 1912, addressed to the Commission, New York Connecting Railroad Company claimed that a mistake had been made in the description of the route in the certificate of February 14, 1907, in so far as it included the portion of the line between Knickerbocker Avenue and Fresh Pond Junction. It also claimed that as the rental under the certificate was computed upon the basis of the length of line described in the certificate that the rental should correspondingly be reduced.

Upon the receipt of this petition the Commission directed a hearing which was thereafter duly held and adjourned from time to time. At the hearing held on December 20, 1912, the Corporation Counsel formally appeared in opposition to the granting of the petition and read into the record the resolution of your Honorable Board adopted on November 21, 1912, which is as follows:

"Whereas, The Public Service Commission for the First District has notified this Board of hearings before said Commission, on applications as follows:

"(a) The New York Connecting Railroad Company for the approval of changes in its certificate as to terminus of railroad in the Borough of Queens, and rental;

"(b) The Long Island Railroad Company for the approval of the exercise of rights in carrying out improvements between Brooklyn-Queens Borough line and Fresh Pond Junction; and

"Whereas, A report has this day been received from the Bureau of Franchises of this Board discussing the objects sought to be accomplished by said petitions and stating the reasons advanced do not appear to warrant their approval; now, therefore, be it

"Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel be and he is hereby directed to represent this Board at all future hearings on said petitions before the Public Service Commission for the First District and oppose the granting of either or both of said petitions, unless additional and more weighty and pertinent reasons are advanced why such petitions should be granted; and, in the latter event, submit a report to this Board, setting forth in full such additional reasons, when he will be advised by this Board as to the future course to pursue in the premises."

Thereafter and on March 6, 1913, your Honorable Board adopted a further resolution approving the report of the Franchise Committee dated February 26, 1913, which is in part as follows:

"(1) That the Long Island Railroad Company shall apply for a grant of franchise for the right to construct, maintain and operate the two additional tracks proposed to be constructed between Fresh Pond Junction and the Brooklyn Borough line;

"(2) That any certificate issued to the Long Island Railroad Company shall contain a provision to the effect that nothing therein contained shall be construed as recognizing or legalizing the right of the Long Island Railroad Company to maintain the existing two-track railroad between Fresh Pond Junction and the Brooklyn Borough line, in the event of its not already having such right;

"(3) That any certificate issued to the Long Island Railroad Company shall contain conditions similar to those imposed in the franchise granted to the New York Connecting Railroad Company; that the compensation to be paid to the City thereunder shall equal at least the amount by which the compensation required to be paid by the New York Connecting Railroad Company may be reduced in changing the southerly terminus of its route to a point near Knickerbocker Avenue, and that the readjustment of the compensation to be paid by the Long Island Railroad Company shall take place upon the same date and in the same manner as provided in the franchise to the said New York Connecting Railroad Company.

"(4) That the application of the New York Connecting Railroad Company and the Long Island Railroad Company shall be considered and acted upon simultaneously."

Thereafter and under date of May 2, 1914, The New York, Brooklyn and Manhattan Beach Railway Company and its lessee, The Long Island Railroad Company, submitted a formal application for a certificate under the Rapid Transit Act for connecting tracks between Knickerbocker Avenue and Fresh Pond Junction. A public hearing under the Rapid Transit Act was held upon the draft form of certificate prepared upon the basis of this application on June 2, 1914. At that time there was still outstanding a number of points of difference as to which an agreement has only lately been reached.

The precise terms and conditions of the modifying certificate to New York Connecting Railroad Company were also taken up and finally agreed upon as embodied in the modifying certificate transmitted herewith.

These certificates generally comply with the resolution adopted by your Honorable Board on March 6, 1913. Paragraph three of those resolutions provides that "any certificate issued to the Long Island Railroad Company shall contain conditions similar to those imposed in the franchise granted to the New York Connecting Railroad Company; * * *." In a number of minor respects certain provisions in the certificate to New York Connecting Railroad Company were found inapplicable or unnecessary in the case of the proposed grant to The Long Island Railroad Company and its lessor. One provision included in the certificate to the Connecting Company has, however, been omitted, to which the Commission thinks the attention of your Honorable Board should be called. Article IX of the certificate of February 14, 1907, to the New York Connecting Railroad Company provides in part:

"Provided, however, that the Railroad Company shall have no power to carry on merely local traffic unless its application therefor shall have the approval of the Board and of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and Mayor of the City, subject to such additional conditions and to the payment of such additional compensation to the City as they shall prescribe. Local traffic, within the meaning of this article, shall be deemed to include the carriage of passengers between any two points within the limits of the present City of New York, except as the same may be incidental to

the carriage or transference of passengers traveling to or from points beyond the limits of the City, or incidental to the operation of the railroad as herein expressly authorized."

This provision applied to the case of a connecting company to be engaged in interstate traffic whose termini joined the lines of trunk line railroads. The purpose of the grant was primarily to increase interstate and trunk line facilities and it was therefore proper that such a grant should contain a prohibition against the carrying on of purely local service. The situation in the case of The New York, Brooklyn and Manhattan Beach Railway Company and The Long Island Railroad Company is very different. The connecting tracks authorized by the proposed certificate extend only from Knickerbocker Avenue to Fresh Pond Junction, a distance of a little over a mile, and join on one end of the line of The New York, Brooklyn and Manhattan Beach Railway Company leased to The Long Island Railroad Company. It is probable that these companies have the right on their existing line to carry on local traffic and it would seem that instead of being detrimental to the public interests it would be beneficial to have whatever local service is carried on over the existing line extended over this short extension.

With respect to compensation the proposed certificate to The New York, Brooklyn and Manhattan Beach Railway Company and The Long Island Railroad Company provides for the annual payment by the railroad companies of \$3,575 until July 20, 1922, and \$7,150 from July 20, 1922, until July 20, 1937. After July 20, 1937, the amount of compensation is to be readjusted at the same times and in the same manner as the compensation provided for in the certificate of February 14, 1907, to New York Connecting Railroad Company. With respect to the readjusted amounts to be payable after July 20, 1937, there is contained in the new certificate the following provision:

"Provided, however, anything herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding, that no such readjusted amount shall be less than an amount which shall bear the same proportion to the amount, exclusive of the rental charges for the occupation of land owned by the City on Wards and Randalls Islands, to be paid by New York Connecting Railroad Company at the end of the first period of twenty-five (25) years and at the end of each corresponding successive period of twenty-five (25) years for the rights granted by the said certificate of February 14, 1907, as the sum of three thousand five hundred and seventy-five dollars (\$3,575) bears to the sum of twenty-seven thousand five hundred dollars (\$27,500); the intent and meaning of this certificate being that the compensation to be paid to the City as provided in the certificate granted to New York Connecting Railroad Company under date of February 14, 1907, shall not be lessened or diminished in any respect by the making of the said modifying certificate or by this certificate. Nothing herein contained shall be deemed to determine or affect the basis of any such readjustment of amounts to be paid except as herein expressly stated, it being intended that such basis shall, except as so stated, be completely open to either the City or the Railroad Company whenever any such readjustment is to be made, except that no such readjustment amount shall be less than the greatest corresponding amount specifically provided herein."

The modifying certificate to New York Connecting Railroad Company revises the description contained in the certificate of February 14, 1907, so as to eliminate the portion of the line between Knickerbocker Avenue and Fresh Pond Junction and provides for the reduction in the rental payable by New York Connecting Railroad Company thereunder in the amounts assumed as above set forth by The New York, Brooklyn and Manhattan Beach Railway Company and The Long Island Railroad Company.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION FOR THE FIRST DISTRICT, by EDWARD E. McCALL, Chairman.

(Seal.) Attest: TRAVIS H. WHITNEY, Secretary. and the following resolutions were thereupon adopted:

Resolved, That the communication be received and in pursuance of law this Board hereby fixes Thursday, July 29, 1915, at ten o'clock A. M., in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, as the time and place when and where such certificates will be considered; and be it further

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board be and he is hereby directed to publish notice of such consideration in the City Record.

JAMES D. MCGANN, Assistant Secretary, Room 1307, Municipal Building. Telephone, 4560 Worth.

Dated, New York, July 21, 1915. jy27,29

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT at a meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held this day the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, The Marconi Telegraph-Cable Company, Inc., has, by a petition dated June 11, 1914, applied to this Board for the right to lay, construct, maintain and operate electric telegraph wires and the necessary branches therefrom under the streets, avenues and public places of The City of New York, for the purpose of conducting and maintaining a general telegraph business; and

Whereas, Sections 72, 73 and 74 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by Chapters 629 and 630 of the Laws of 1905, and Chapter 467 of the Laws of 1914, provide for the manner and procedure of making such grants; and

Whereas, In pursuance of such laws, this Board adopted a resolution on July 2, 1914, fixing the date for public hearing thereon as September 18, 1914, at which citizens were entitled to appear and be heard, and by resolution adopted July 30, 1914, said hearing was continued to September 21, 1914, and publication was had for at least two (2) days in the "Morning Telegraph" and "The Globe," newspapers designated by the Mayor, and in the City Record for ten (10) days immediately prior to the date of hearing, and the public hearing was duly held on said last-named day; and

Whereas, The Corporation Counsel of the City has advised the Board that the Company, by its acceptance of the Post Roads Act of Congress, obtained a right to use the City's streets, subject to the right of the Board to regulate the use thereof and to demand reasonable compensation therefor; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the following form of the resolution for the grant of the consent applied for by the Marconi Telegraph-Cable Company, Inc., containing the form of proposed contract for the grant of such consent, be hereby introduced and entered in the minutes of this Board as follows, to wit:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby grants to the Marconi Telegraph-Cable Company, Inc., the consent of The City of New York as more fully set out and described in the following form of proposed contract for the grant thereof, upon and subject to the terms and conditions in said proposed form of contract contained, and that the Mayor of The City of New York be and he hereby is authorized to execute and deliver such contract in the name and on behalf of The City of New York, as follows, to wit:

PROPOSED FORM OF CONTRACT. This contract, made and executed in duplicate

this day of July, 1915, by and between THE CITY OF NEW YORK (hereinafter called the City), party of the first part, by the Mayor of said City, acting for and in the name of said City, under and in pursuance of the authority of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of said City (hereinafter called the Board), and the MARCONI TELEGRAPH-CABLE COMPANY, INC., a corporation formed under and pursuant to the Laws of the State of New York (hereinafter called the Company), party of the second part, WITNESSETH:

Whereas, The Marconi Wireless Telegraph Company of America, a corporation formed under and pursuant to the Laws of the State of New Jersey, has constructed and proposes to operate certain wireless receiving and transmitting stations at Belmar and New Brunswick, in the State of New Jersey, and for the purpose of establishing offices in the City of New York obtained the incorporation of and controls the applicant Company, which is to act as its agent in the establishment of such offices in the City of New York and to receive and deliver from such offices messages intended for and received by wireless communication; and

Whereas, The said applicant Company on or about June 22, 1914, filed with the Postmaster-General of the United States of America a certificate of acceptance of the restrictions and obligations imposed on telegraph companies by an Act of Congress of the United States, approved July 24, 1866, entitled "An Act to aid in the construction of telegraph lines and to secure to the government the use of the same for postal, military and other purposes;" and

Whereas, The Company has now applied for authority to lay, construct, maintain and operate or use electric telegraph wires, with the necessary branches in connection therewith, under and along the streets, avenues and public places within the territory of the City of New York, according to the terms and conditions which the Board may determine, for the purpose of conducting and maintaining a general telegraph business; and

Whereas, The Corporation Counsel of the City has advised the Board that the Company by its acceptance of the Post Roads Act obtained a right to use the City's streets, subject to the right of the Board to regulate the use thereof and to demand reasonable compensation therefor;

Now, therefore, in consideration of the mutual covenants and agreements herein contained, the parties hereto do hereby covenant and agree as follows:

Section 1. Subject to the conditions and provisions hereinafter set forth, the City hereby consents to the construction, maintenance and operation or use by the Company of suitable wires or other electrical conductors in the streets and avenues within the City of New York, for the purpose of electrically connecting various telegraph offices to be established by it in the said City with each other, and with the wireless stations of the Marconi Wireless Telegraph Company of America, located at Belmar and New Brunswick, in the State of New Jersey, or elsewhere, for the purpose of doing a telegraph business between the offices of the said Company and the offices of the said Marconi Wireless Telegraph Company of America.

Section 2. The consent hereby given is subject to the following conditions and regulations, which shall be complied with by the Company:

First—No wires or conductors laid, maintained or operated by the Company in the City, or any portion thereof, shall be used for the transmission of messenger call signals, telephonic conversations or for any other purpose than the transmission of messages by telegraph as contemplated by the Post Roads Act of Congress of the United States as interpreted by the Courts.

Second—The privilege of laying its wires underground and using the conduits in the City streets, herein consented to by the City, shall continue for the period of fifteen (15) years from the date of the signing of this contract by the Mayor, when the same and this contract shall cease and determine without any action or proceeding.

Third—The Company shall pay to the City for the expense of the examination of the application and all work in connection therewith, for the facilities afforded to it, and for local governmental supervision, the following sums of money:

1. The sum of five thousand dollars (\$5,000) in cash within thirty (30) days after the date upon which this contract is signed by the Mayor.

2. An annual sum which shall be equal to one hundred dollars (\$100) per mile for each and every metallic circuit used or operated by the Company in the City, but which sum shall not be less than one thousand dollars (\$1,000).

The metallic circuits referred to above and wherever used in this contract shall be deemed to and shall include each and every two (2) wires between the same points used or operated by the Company, whether owned by it or otherwise. In arriving at the mileage in use or operated by the Company, the different circuits used or operated by it shall not be treated as separate items, but the total mileage of such circuits, when added together, shall be the basis for the payments to be made by the Company. The length of the various circuits used or operated shall be certified by the Company under oath, to the Comptroller, as hereinafter provided, but should the Company, for any reason, not have sufficient data to enable it to furnish such information, then and in that event it shall certify under oath to the Comptroller, as hereinafter provided, the various offices of whatever description, connected by the circuits in use by it, and the mileage upon which it shall make the annual payments shall be calculated and based upon the distances between such offices by the most direct route through the streets and avenues of the City. Should the mileage at any time exceed an exact number of miles, then and in that event the annual payment to be made by the Company for the excess over such exact number of miles shall be upon the basis of twenty-five dollars (\$25.) for each quarter of a mile (¼ mile) or fraction thereof.

The annual payments shall commence from the date on which this contract is signed by the Mayor.

All annual payments as above shall be paid into the treasury of the City on February 1 of each year, and shall be for the amount due to December 31 next preceding; provided, that the first annual payment shall be only for that proportion of the first annual sum as the time between the date upon which this contract is signed by the Mayor and December 31 following shall bear to the whole of one year.

Any and all payments to be made by the terms of this contract to the City by the Company shall not be considered in any manner in the nature of a tax, but such payments shall be made in addition to any and all taxes of whatsoever kind or description now or hereafter required to be paid by any ordinance of the City, or resolution of the Board, or any law of the State of New York.

Fourth—The annual payments shall continue throughout the whole term of this contract, notwithstanding any clause in any statute or in the charter of any other company providing for payment for similar rights, facilities, franchises or supervision at a different rate, and no assignment, lease or sublease of the rights or privileges, the exercise of which is herein consented to or of the facilities for the exercise of the same, or of any part thereof, shall be valid or effectual for any purpose, unless the said assignment, lease or sublease shall contain a covenant

on the part of the assignee or lessee that the same is subject to all the conditions of this contract; and that the assignee or lessee assumes and will be bound by all of said conditions, and especially said conditions as to payments, anything in any statute or in the charter of such assignee or lessee to the contrary notwithstanding, and that the said assignee or lessee waives any more favorable conditions created by such statute or its charter, and that it will not claim by reason thereof, or otherwise, exemption from liability to perform each and all of the conditions of this contract.

Fifth—The rights and privileges, the exercise of which is herein consented to or the facilities for the exercise of the same, shall not be assigned, either in whole or in part, or leased or sublet in any manner, nor shall the title thereto, or right, interest or property therein, pass to or vest in any other person or corporation whatsoever, either by the act of the Company or by operation of law, whether under the provisions of the statutes relating to the consolidation or merger of corporations or otherwise without the consent of the City, acting by the Board, evidenced by an instrument under seal, anything herein contained to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding, and the granting, giving or waiving of any one or more of such consents shall not render unnecessary any subsequent consent or consents.

Sixth—The Company shall construct, maintain and operate its electric system subject to the supervision and control of all the authorities of the City who have jurisdiction in such matters, as provided by the Charter of the City, and in strict compliance with all laws or ordinances or departmental rules and regulations now in force, or which may be adopted, affecting companies operating electrical conductors in the City.

No construction or repair of said electrical system shall be commenced until written permits have been obtained from the proper City officials. In any permit so issued, such officials may impose such conditions, as a condition of the granting of the same, as are necessary for the purpose of protecting any structures in the streets and avenues and the proper restoration of the surface of such streets and avenues over which such officials have jurisdiction, and the Company shall comply with such conditions.

Upon completion of any work of construction, the Company shall furnish to the President of the Borough a plan of such character as he may direct, showing accurately and distinctly the location, size and type of construction and complete dimensions of the structures erected, installed or constructed under this contract, and the location and dimensions of all substructures encountered during the progress of the work; the depth below the street surface of the new structures and of the substructures encountered must be shown, also their location with reference to the nearest curb line and the nearest curb line intersection.

The electrical and other equipment to be installed by the Company, whether the same be under streets and avenues, in any Department of the City or in private property, shall be constructed and maintained subject to the approval and under the supervision and control of the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

Seventh—The plant, conduits, wires, conductors, connections, instruments and all appurtenances thereto, shall be constructed, maintained and operated in the latest approved manner and with the most modern and improved appliances, and it is hereby agreed that the Board may require the Company to improve or add to its plant, conduits, wires, conductors, connections, instruments and appurtenances, from time to time, as such additions or improvements are determined by the Board, after hearing, to be reasonable and necessary. Upon failure on the part of the Company to comply with the directions of the Board within a reasonable time, this consent and contract shall cease and determine.

Eighth—All cables and wires of the Company laid pursuant to this contract shall be placed in ducts, conduits or subways (referred to in this paragraph as "subways"). Such subways shall be leased from the company or companies having control thereof under the provisions of law, or from the City, should it succeed to the right of such company or companies. If the City shall construct or acquire subways for electrical conductors of the character or tension of those used by the Company or similar companies, the Company hereby agrees to lay its wires and conductors in such subways, and the City agrees to lease to the Company such space as may be necessary and available for the operation of the system herein referred to.

No cables or wires shall be strung above the surface of the streets and avenues by the Company.

Ninth—It is a condition of this contract that the Company shall bear the entire expense of all work undertaken by it in the territory referred to herein.

Tenth—The Company shall file with the Board on the first day of February in each year a map or plan upon which shall be plainly and separately indicated the number of wires which were in use by the Company on December 31 preceding and the streets in which the same are located, and also those which were put in use during the year preceding that date. It shall also file with the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, on or before the tenth day of each month, a map or plan of the locations in which wires have been placed by it during the preceding month.

Eleventh—The wires of the Company shall be employed for no other purpose than those explicitly set forth herein and the Company binds itself not to lay, use, lease or operate wires for illegal purposes or to illegal places.

Twelfth—The Company shall assume all liability to persons or property by reason of the construction or operation of the system referred to in this contract, and it is a condition of this contract that the City shall assume no liability whatsoever to either persons or property on account of the same, and the Company hereby agrees to repay to the City any damage which the City shall be compelled to pay by reason of any acts or defaults of the Company.

Thirteenth—Nothing in this contract shall be deemed to affect in any way the right of the City to grant to any individual or other corporation its consent to the exercise of a franchise or to grant a franchise right or privilege upon the same or other terms and conditions in the territory referred to in this contract, or any part thereof.

Fourteenth—If the Company shall fail to maintain its structures and equipment as herein provided in good condition throughout the whole term of this contract, the Board may give notice to the Company, specifying any default on the part of the Company, and requiring the Company to remedy the same within a reasonable time, and upon failure of the Company to remedy such default within a reasonable time, the Company shall, for each day thereafter during which the default or defect remains pay to the City the sum of one hundred dollars (\$100) as fixed or liquidated damages, or the Board, in case such structures or equipment which may affect the surface of the streets shall not be put in good condition within a reasonable time after notice by the Board as aforesaid, shall have the right to make all needed repairs at the expense of the Company, in which case the Company shall pay to the City the amount of the cost of such repairs, with legal interest thereon, all of which sums may be deducted from the fund herein-after provided for.

Fifteenth—If for a period of three consecutive months after the commencement of its trans-Atlantic service by the Marconi Wireless Telegraph Company of America the system of the Company shall not be operated, or if the same shall not be operated for a period of six months out of any consecutive twelve months, the Board may revoke its consent and declare this contract terminated without further proceedings at law or in equity.

Sixteenth—The Company shall submit to the Board a report, not later than February 1 of each year for the year ending December 31 next preceding, and at any other time upon request of the Board, which shall state:

1. The amount of stock issued for cash; for property.
2. The amount paid in as by last report.
3. The total amount of capital stock paid in.
4. The funded debt by last report.
5. The total amount of funded debt.
6. The floating debt as by last report.
7. The total amount of floating debt.
8. The total amount of funded and floating debt.
9. The average rate per annum of interest on funded debt.
10. Statement of dividends paid during the year, and the rate of same.
11. The names of the directors and officers elected at the last meeting of the corporation held for such purpose.
12. The name or names of the shareholder or shareholders holding a majority of the stock of the said corporation.
13. Location, value and amount paid for real estate owned by the Company as by last report.
14. Location, value and amount paid for real estate now owned by the Company.
15. Number and location of offices of the Company in the City and the offices and companies to which the same are connected.
16. Total receipts of the Company.
17. Proportion of receipts retained by the Company as compensation for its services; the amount of such proportion and the rate per word of such proportion with respect to the messages received and transmitted by it.
18. Amounts paid by the Company for damage to persons or property on account of construction and operation.
19. Total expenses for operation, including salaries.

—and such other information in regard to the business of the Company as may be required by the Board.

The Company shall also file annually with the above report a certified copy of its then existing contract or contracts with the Marconi Wireless Telegraph Company of America and its affiliated companies.

Seventeenth—The Company shall, on or before February 1 of each year, make a verified report to the Comptroller of the total mileage of metallic circuits in use or operation by it in the City on December 31 preceding, and the location of the various offices, of whatever description, connected by the same, or should it not have sufficient data to enable it to furnish a statement of the mileage of such metallic circuits, then the Company shall, on February 1, furnish to the Comptroller a verified report of the various offices of whatever description connected by the circuits in use by it on December 31 next preceding. The Company shall also in the same manner furnish such other information as the Comptroller may require. The Comptroller shall have access to all books of the Company, for the purpose of ascertaining the correctness of its report, and may examine its officers under oath.

Eighteenth—This consent is upon the express condition that the Company, within thirty (30) days after the signing of this contract by the Mayor, and before anything is done in the construction or operation of its system, shall deposit with the Comptroller of the City the sum of five thousand dollars (\$5,000), either in money or securities, to be approved by him, which fund shall be security for the performance by the Company of all of the terms and conditions of this contract, and each and every one thereof. In the event of default in the payment of the annual charge or other payments herein required the City shall collect the same, with interest, from the said fund after ten (10) days' notice to the Company.

In case of failure of the Company to comply with the terms of this contract relating to the filing of annual statements, the installation or maintenance of its structures and equipment, or its neglect or refusal to comply with any demand or direction of the Board or other municipal officials, made pursuant to the terms of this contract, or under the authority of any laws, ordinances or departmental regulations now or hereafter in force, in such case and in any of these events the Company, except as herein otherwise provided, shall pay to the City a penalty of fifty dollars (\$50) for each violation.

The procedure for the imposition and collection of the penalties in this contract shall be as follows:

The Board, on complaint made, shall give notice to the Company, directing its President or other officer to appear before the Board on a certain day not less than ten (10) days after the date of such notice, to show cause why the Company should not be penalized in accordance with the provisions of this contract. If the Company fails to make an appearance, or after a hearing appears in the judgment of the Board to be in fault, said Board shall forthwith impose the prescribed penalty, or where the amount of the penalty is not prescribed herein, such amount as appears to the Board to be just, and without legal procedure, direct the Comptroller to withdraw the amount of such penalty from the security fund deposited with him. In case of any drafts made upon the security fund the Company shall, upon ten (10) days' notice in writing, pay to the City a sum sufficient to restore said security fund to the original amount of five thousand dollars (\$5,000) and in default thereof this contract shall be cancelled and annulled at the option of the Board, acting in behalf of the City. No action or proceeding or right under the provisions of this contract shall affect any other legal rights, remedies or causes of action belonging to the City.

Nineteenth—In case of any violation or breach or failure to comply with any of the provisions herein contained, this contract may be forfeited by a suit brought by the Corporation Counsel, on notice of ten (10) days to the Company, or at the option of the Board, by resolution of the Board. Provided, however, that such action by the Board shall not be taken until the Board shall give notice to the Company, serving in the same manner as a summons in an action in the Supreme Court, to appear before it on a certain day not less than ten (10) days after the date of such notice, to show cause why such resolution declaring the contract forfeited should not be adopted. In case the Company fails to appear action may be taken by the Board forthwith.

Twentieth—If at any time the powers of the Board or any other of the authorities herein mentioned, or intended to be mentioned, shall be transferred by law to any other board, authority, officer or officers, then and in such case such other board, authority, officer or officers shall have all the powers, rights and duties herein reserved to or prescribed for the Board or other authorities, officer or officers.

Twenty-first—The words "notice" or "direction" wherever used in this contract shall be deemed to mean a written notice or direction.

Every such notice or direction to be served upon the Company shall, except as otherwise in this contract provided, be delivered at such office in the City as shall have been designated by the Company, or if no such office shall have been designated, or if such designation shall have for any reason become inoperative, shall be mailed in the City, postage prepaid, addressed to the Company at the City. Delivery or mailing of such notice or direction as and when above provided shall be equivalent to direct personal notice or direction and shall be deemed to have been given at the time of delivery or mailing.

Twenty-second—The words "streets and avenues" or "streets or avenues" wherever used in this contract shall be deemed to mean streets, avenues, highways, parkways, driveways, concourses, boulevards, bridges, viaducts, tunnels, public places, lands under water or any other property to which the City has title or over which the public has an easement, included within the limits of the territory in which the Company is to operate under this contract.

Twenty-third—The grant of this consent is subject to whatever right, title or interest the owners of abutting property or others may have, if any, in and to the streets and avenues of the territory in which the Company is authorized to operate by this contract.

Section 3. Nothing in this contract shall be construed as in any way limiting the present or future jurisdiction of the Public Service Commission under the laws of the State of New York.

Section 4. This contract is subject to the Constitution and Laws of the United States of America and the rules and regulations which have been and may be adopted in pursuance thereof.

Section 5. The Company promises, covenants and agrees on its part and behalf to conform to and abide by and perform all the terms, conditions and requirements in this contract fixed and contained.

In witness whereof the party of the first part, by its Mayor, thereunto duly authorized by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of said City, has caused the corporate name of said City to be hereunto signed and the corporate seal of said City to be hereunto affixed; and the party of the second part, by its officers, thereunto duly authorized, has caused its corporate name to be hereunto signed and its corporate seal to be hereunto affixed, the day and year first above written.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, by, Mayor.

(Corporate Seal.)

Attest:, City Clerk.
MARCONI TELEGRAPH-CABLE COMPANY, INC., by, President.

(Seal.)

Attest:, Secretary.

(Here add acknowledgments.)
Resolved, That these preambles and resolutions, including the said resolution for the grant of the consent applied for by the Marconi Telegraph-Cable Company, Inc., and the said form of a proposed contract for the grant of such consent, after the same shall be entered in the minutes of this Board, shall be published in full for at least fifteen (15) days immediately prior to Thursday, July 29, 1915, in the City Record, together with the following notice, to wit:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, before authorizing any contract for the grant of the consent applied for by the Marconi Telegraph-Cable Company, Inc., and fully set forth and described in the foregoing form of proposed contract for the grant of such consent, and before adopting any resolution authorizing such contract, will, at a meeting of said Board to be held in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Thursday, July 29, 1915, at 10 o'clock a. m., hold a public hearing thereon at which citizens shall be entitled to appear and be heard.

Resolved, That a notice of such hearing, stating that copies of the proposed contract and resolution of consent thereto may be obtained by all those interested therein at the Bureau of Franchises, Room 1307, Municipal Building, Centre and Chambers Streets, Borough of Manhattan, shall be published at least twice at the expense of the proposed grantee during the ten (10) days immediately prior to Thursday, July 29, 1915, in the "Morning Telegraph" and "The Globe," the two daily newspapers in which the petition and notice of hearing thereon have been published.

JAMES D. MCGANN, Assistant Secretary.
Dated New York, July 1, 1915. jyl2,29

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the public hearing, in accordance with the provisions of Sections 525 and 527 of the Greater New York Charter, of all persons interested, in order that this Board may determine whether, in its opinion, the electrical conductors in White Plains Road between Gun Hill Road and 242nd Street, and in Gun Hill Road between Westchester Avenue and the Boston Post Road, shall be placed underground, which hearing was, by resolution adopted July 30, 1914, fixed for September 21, 1914, and was continued from time to time until April 30, 1915, when it was continued until June 25, 1915, was continued until September 17, 1915, at ten o'clock A. M., in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, at which time and place all persons interested will be afforded an opportunity to appear and be heard.

JAMES D. MCGANN, Assistant Secretary,
Room 1307, Municipal Building, Telephone, 4560 Worth.

Dated, New York, June 25, 1915.
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BELLEVUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS, DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES, DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES, FIRE DEPARTMENT, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES, DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, Dep't of Bridges, Dep't of Correction, Dep't of Docks and Ferries, Fire Department, Dep't of Public Charities, Dep't of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity at Room 1230, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, until 12 o'clock noon on

FRIDAY, AUGUST 6, 1915.
FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING IRON, STEEL AND OTHER METALS.

The time for the performance of the contract is on or before December 31, 1915.

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

The bidder will state the price per pound, each 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 and awards, if made, made to the lowest bidder on each line 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 1226, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan.

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

DEPT OF BRIDGES, F. J. H. KRACKE, Commissioner.

DEPT OF CORRECTION, KATHARINE BEMENT DAVIS, Commissioner.

DEPT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES, R. A. C. SMITH, Commissioner.

FIRE DEPARTMENT, ROBERT ADAMSON, Commissioner.

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

DEPT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY, WILLIAM WILLIAMS, Commissioner. jy26,a6

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.

BELLEVUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

Proposals.

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

FRIDAY, AUGUST 6, 1915.
FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING LABORATORY APPARATUS, SURGICAL INSTRUMENTS, HOSPITAL AND MISCELLANEOUS SUPPLIES.

The time for the performance of the contract is on or before December 31, 1915.

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, dozen, gross 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 and awards, if made, made to the lowest bidder on each item, as stated in the specifications.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at Room 1226, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan.

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, S. S. GOLD-WATER, M. D., Commissioner. jy27,a6

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.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION.

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York for a determination as to the manner in which the following streets shall be extended across the tracks of NASSAU ELECTRIC RAILROAD COMPANY and NEW YORK MUNICIPAL RAILWAY CORPORATION, in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York: 82nd Street, New Utrecht Avenue.

CASE No. 1971.

Published Notice of Hearing.

PURSUANT TO SECTION 90 OF THE RAILROAD LAW, the Public Service Commission for the First District gives notice to Nassau Electric Railroad Company and New York Municipal Railway Corporation, to the City of New York and to all owners of land adjoining said railroads and those parts of 82nd Street between New Utrecht Avenue and 18th Avenue, and New Utrecht Avenue between 81st Street and 86th Street to be opened, extended or constructed in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, across the tracks of the Nassau Electric Railroad Company and New York Municipal Railway Corporation, that the Public Service Commission for the First District will hold a public hearing in its Hearing Room, No. 154 Nassau Street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on August 3, 1915, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of hearing an application made by The City of New York to the Commission to determine the manner and method of extending and constructing the said streets across the tracks of Nassau Electric Railroad Company and New York Municipal Railway Corporation and such other matters pertaining thereto as may be brought before the Commission under the provisions of the Railroad Law.

Dated, New York, July 9, 1915.
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION FOR THE FIRST DISTRICT, by TRAVIS H. WHITE, Secretary. jyl5,a2

Invitation to Contractors.

For the Supply of Special Work, Order No. 3, for Use in the Construction of Rapid Transit Railroads.

The Public Service Commission for the First District (hereinafter called the "Commission"), acting in behalf of The City of New York, invites proposals to supply Special Work (Frogs and Switches), Order No. 3, for use in the construction of rapid transit railroads.

A fuller description of the materials to be supplied is set forth, and other requirements, provisions, details and specifications are stated, in the form of contract and in the specifications and contract drawings therein referred to. Copies of the form of contract, specifications, contract drawings, bond and Contractor's Proposal may be inspected and purchased at the office of the Commission.

Sealed bids or proposals will be received at said office of the Commission at No. 154 Nassau Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, until the 18th day of August, 1915, 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 Materials are to be delivered in installments. The Contractor shall be ready to deliver at least one portion of the Special Work within two months from the date of the delivery of the contract and shall complete the delivery of all portions within five months from the date of the delivery of the contract and shall make the intermediate deliveries at a rate not less than the uniform rate between the first and last deliveries, except as otherwise provided in the form of contract.

Every proposal must, when submitted, be enclosed in a sealed envelope endorsed "Proposal"

for Supplying Special Work, Order No. 3," and must be delivered to the Commission or its Secretary; and in the presence of the person submitting the proposal, it will be deposited in a sealed box, in which all proposals will be deposited.

Proposals must be in the form prescribed by the Commission. Every proposal must be accompanied by a certified check for five thousand dollars (\$5,000). Certified checks submitted with proposals must be payable to the order of the Comptroller of The City of New York and must be drawn upon a national or state bank or trust company satisfactory to the Commission and having its principal office in New York City. Deposits made by bidders whose proposals are not accepted will be returned within three (3) days after the contract is executed and delivered. The deposit of the successful bidder will be returned when the contract is executed and its provisions in respect of the bond or deposit are complied with.

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

The award of the contract will be made by the Commission as soon as practicable after the opening of the proposals.

The right to reject any and all bids is reserved. New York, July 16, 1915.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION FOR THE FIRST DISTRICT, By EDWARD E. McCALL, Chairman.

TRAVIS H. WHITNEY, Secretary. jy24,a18

For the Station Finish Work for Parts of the Seventh Avenue-Lexington Avenue and White Plains Road Rapid Transit Railroads.

SEALED BIDS OR PROPOSALS FOR THE construction of station finish for twenty-three stations on the Seventh Avenue-Lexington Avenue and White Plains Road Rapid Transit Railroads in the Borough of The Bronx 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 18th day of August, 1915, at twelve fifteen (12:15) o'clock P. M., at which time and place or 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 twelve stations on that part of the Seventh Avenue-Lexington Avenue Rapid Transit Railroad beginning in City property on the east side of River Avenue south of East 157th Street and extending thence northerly over City property, River Avenue and Jerome Avenue to Woodlawn Road, and eleven stations on that part of the White Plains Road Rapid Transit Railroad beginning in the block bounded by West Farms Road, Devoe Avenue, East 180th Street and Bronx Street and extending thence easterly and northeasterly over the Bronx River, City property and intersecting streets to a point in East 180th Street between Bronx Park Avenue and Morris Park Avenue and thence northerly over City property, Birchall Avenue and White Plains Road to a point near East 241st Street.

The work to be done will also include certain work of constructing enclosures between stations.

The Contractor must begin work within thirty days after the delivery of the contract on such station or stations or other parts of said Railroads as the Engineer of the Commission may direct and shall begin work on any of the remaining stations or other parts of said Railroads within ten days after notice and shall complete all work within six 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, July 20, 1915.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION FOR THE FIRST DISTRICT, By EDWARD E. McCALL, Chairman.

TRAVIS H. WHITNEY, Secretary. jy24,a18

For the Supply of Track Materials for Use in the Construction of Rapid Transit Railroads.

SEALED BIDS OR PROPOSALS FOR THE supply of track materials for use in the construction of rapid transit railroads will be received by the Public Service Commission for the First District at the office of said Commission at No. 154 Nassau Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, until the 18th day of August, 1915, at twelve fifteen (12:15) o'clock P. M., at which time and place or at a later date to be fixed by said Commission, the proposals will be publicly opened.

There are twelve classes of materials to be bid upon, namely, Cast Iron, Cut Track Spikes, Screw Spikes and Lag Screws, Bolts and Nuts, Felt Pads, Malleable Iron, Tie Plate A, Tie Plate B, Tie Plate C, Tie Plate D, Tie Plates E, F, G and H, and Tie Plates E-2, W and X. If any bidder desires to bid on more than one class of materials, he shall submit a separate proposal for each class of materials bid upon, and the award of the contract or contracts, if made, will be for each class separately.

The materials are to be delivered in lots. The first lot is to be ready for delivery within sixty days after the delivery of the contract and the remaining lots are to be delivered from time to time as called for and the deliveries are to be completed on or before December 31, 1916, except as otherwise provided in the form of contract.

A fuller description of said materials and other requirements, provisions and specifications are given in the Information for Contractors and in the form of contract, specifications, 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 said Commission.

The receipt of bids will be subject to the requirements specified in said Information for Contractors.

New York, July 20, 1915.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION FOR THE FIRST DISTRICT, By EDWARD E. McCALL, Chairman.

TRAVIS H. WHITNEY, Secretary. jy24,a18

For the Supply of Ties and Timber for Use in the Construction of Rapid Transit Railroads.

SEALED BIDS OR PROPOSALS FOR THE supply of treated and untreated ties and timber for use in the construction of rapid transit railroads will be received by the Public Service Commission for the First District, acting on behalf of The City of New York, at the office of said Commission at No. 154 Nassau Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, until the 18th day of August, 1915, at twelve fifteen (12:15) o'clock P. M., at which time and place or at a later date to be fixed by said Commission, the proposals will be publicly opened.

There are two classes of materials to be bid upon, namely, treated ties and timber and untreated ties and timber. If any bidder desires to bid on both classes of materials he shall submit a separate proposal for each class, and the

award of the contract or contracts, if made, will be for each class separately. The quantity of treated ties and timber desired is approximately one million eight hundred thousand feet board measure and the quantity of untreated ties and timber desired is approximately thirty-one million feet board measure.

The materials are to be delivered in lots. The first lot is to be ready for delivery within seventy days after the delivery of the contract and the remaining lots are to be delivered from time to time as called for, and the deliveries are to be completed on or before December 31, 1916, except as otherwise provided in the form of contract. The said Commission reserves the right to order a minimum quantity of the materials of one thousand feet board measure per shipment and a maximum quantity varying from a rate of ten thousand feet board measure per day to a rate of one hundred thousand feet board measure per day, as provided in the form of contract. The contractor must provide a storeyard in the vicinity of the City of New York at which he shall keep on hand a sufficient supply of materials to insure prompt deliveries. Each bidder shall state definitely in his proposal the location of said storeyard.

The materials are to be delivered at points designated by the Engineer of the Commission along the Dual System of Rapid Transit Railroads of New York City. Each bidder shall state in his proposal, in addition to the prices for the materials, prices for hauling said materials from said storeyard to the points of delivery.

A fuller description of said materials and other requirements, provisions and specifications are given in the Information for Contractors and in the form of contract, specifications, 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 said Commission.

The receipt of bids will be subject to the requirements specified in said Information for Contractors.

New York, July 20, 1915.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION FOR THE FIRST DISTRICT, By EDWARD E. McCALL, Chairman.

TRAVIS H. WHITNEY, Secretary. jy24,a18

Railroad Duct Line for the Queensboro Subway Rapid Transit Railroad.

SEALED BIDS OR PROPOSALS FOR THE construction of a Railroad duct line for the Queensboro Subway Rapid Transit Railroad 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 4th day of August, 1915, 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 said Railroad duct line is to be a sub-surface duct line consisting of forty ducts, with manholes at intervals extending under East 44th Street from Lexington Avenue to First Avenue, in the Borough of Manhattan, thence under First Avenue to East 42nd Street, and thence under East 42nd Street to Shaft No. 2 of the Queensboro Subway Rapid Transit Railroad on the northerly side of East 42nd Street, between First Avenue and the East River.

The work to be done will include the care and support of surface, subsurface and overhead structures, the maintenance of traffic and the restoration of street surfaces.

The method of construction will be by trench excavation.

The contractor must complete the portion of the work at and east of Second Avenue (except the permanent restoration of street surfaces) within two months from the delivery of the contract and must complete the portion of the work between Second Avenue and Lexington Avenue (except the permanent restoration of street surfaces) within four months from the delivery of the contract, and must complete the permanent restoration of street surfaces within eight months from the delivery of the contract, as set forth 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, July 20, 1915.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION FOR THE FIRST DISTRICT, By EDWARD E. McCALL, Chairman.

TRAVIS H. WHITNEY, Secretary. jy21,a4

For the Supply of Ballast for Use in the Construction of Rapid Transit Railroads.

SEALED BIDS OR PROPOSALS FOR THE supply of ballast for use in the construction of rapid transit railroads will be received by the Public Service Commission for the First District at the office of said Commission at No. 154 Nassau Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, until the fourth day of August, 1915, at twelve fifteen (12:15) o'clock P. M., at which time and place or at a later date to be fixed by said Commission the proposals will be publicly opened.

There are three portions of ballast to be bid upon, known as Portion A, Portion B and Portion C, respectively. If any bidder desires to bid on more than one portion of the ballast, he shall submit a separate proposal for each portion bid upon and the award of the contract or contracts, if made, will be for each portion separately. The ballast to be supplied under the contracts for Portion A and Portion C is known as Class A and Class B ballast and is to be either trap rock or hard limestone. The ballast to be supplied under the contract for Portion B is known as three-inch ballast and is to be either trap rock, hard limestone or field stone. Bids for Portion A and Portion C must state whether they are for furnishing trap rock or hard limestone, and bids for Portion B must state whether they are for furnishing trap rock, hard limestone or field stone.

The ballast is to be delivered in lots. The first lot is to be ready for delivery within sixty days after the delivery of the contract and the remaining lots are to be delivered from time to time as called for and the deliveries are to be completed on or before December 31, 1916, except as otherwise provided in the form of contract.

A fuller description of the ballast and other requirements, provisions and specifications are given in the Information for Contractors and in the form of contract, specifications, 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 said Commission.

The receipt of bids will be subject to the requirements specified in said Information for Contractors.

New York, July 20, 1915.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION FOR THE FIRST DISTRICT, By EDWARD E. McCALL, Chairman.

TRAVIS H. WHITNEY, Secretary. jy21,a4

For the Station Finish Work for Part of the Queensboro Subway Rapid Transit Railroad.

The Public Service Commission for the First District (hereinafter called the "Commission"), acting for and on behalf of The City of New York, invites proposals to construct station finish for six stations on that part of the Queensboro Subway Rapid Transit Railroad on Second Avenue in the Borough of Queens between Beebe and Ditmars Avenues.

Bidders must examine the form of contract and the specifications and contract drawings, must visit the location of the work and inform themselves of the conditions and make their own estimates of the facilities and difficulties attending the execution of the work.

A fuller description of the work and other requirements, provisions, details and specifications are given in the form of contract and in the contract drawings therein referred to. Copies of the forms of contract, bond and contractor's proposal and of the contract drawings may be inspected and purchased at the office of the Commission.

The Contractor must complete the work within six months from the delivery of the contract.

Partial payments to the Contractor will be made as the work proceeds, as provided in the contract.

At the time of the delivery of the contract the Contractor must furnish security to the City by depositing a bond, cash or securities in the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000). As further security ten per centum (10%) of the amounts certified from time to time to be due to the Contractor will be deducted.

Sealed bids or proposals will be received at the office of the Commission, No. 154 Nassau Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, until the 4th day of August, 1915, at twelve fifteen (12:15) o'clock p. m., at which time, or at a later date to be fixed by the Commission, the proposals will be publicly opened.

Proposals must be in the form prescribed by the Commission.

A statement, based upon the estimate of the Chief Engineer of the Commission, of the quantities of the various classes of the work and of the nature and extent as near as practicable of the work is to be found in the schedule in the form of contractor's proposal. The quantities given in such schedule are approximate only, being given as a basis for the uniform comparison of bids, and no claim is to be made against the City on account of any excess or deficiency, absolute or relative, in the same except as provided in the specifications and form of contract.

Every proposal must when submitted be enclosed in a sealed envelope endorsed "Proposal for Constructing Station Finish for Part of Rapid Transit Railroad—Routes Nos. 36 & 37, Section No. 2," and must be delivered to the Commission or its Secretary; and in the presence of the person submitting the proposal, it will be deposited in a sealed box in which all proposals will be deposited. No proposal will be received unless accompanied by a separate certified check for ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) payable to the order of the Comptroller of the City and drawn upon a national or trust company satisfactory to the Commission and having its principal office in New York City. Such check must not be enclosed in the envelope containing the proposal.

The Unit Prices must not be improperly balanced, and any bid which the Commission considers detrimental to the City's interests may be rejected.

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

The award of the contract will be made by the Commission as soon as practicable after the opening of the proposals.

Deposits made by bidders whose proposals are not accepted will be returned within three (3) days after the contract is executed and delivered and its provisions in respect of the bond or deposit are complied with, unless all proposals shall be rejected, in which event such deposits will be returned within three (3) days after such rejection. The deposit of the successful bidder will be returned when the contract is executed and delivered and its provisions in respect of the bond or deposit are complied with.

The right to reject any and all bids is reserved. New York, July 16, 1915.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION FOR THE FIRST DISTRICT, By EDWARD E. McCALL, Chairman.

TRAVIS H. WHITNEY, Secretary. jy17,a4

For the Station Finish Work for Parts of the Queensboro Subway Rapid Transit Railroad.

The Public Service Commission for the First District (hereinafter called the "Commission"), acting for and on behalf of The City of New York, invites proposals to construct station finish for thirteen stations on those parts of the Queensboro Subway Rapid Transit Railroad, briefly described as follows: Beginning at a point in the Borough of Queens under Fourth Street near Van Alst Avenue and extending thence easterly through private property, intervening streets and the North Shore Yard of the Long Island Railroad to Davis Street; thence northerly over Davis Street and Ely Avenue to the Queensboro Bridge Plaza; thence easterly over said Plaza to a point near Jackson Avenue, where the road divides into two branches; one branch extending northerly over Jackson Avenue and Second Avenue to a point in Second Avenue about three hundred feet south of the centre line of Beebe Avenue and the other branch extending easterly over Queens Boulevard, Greenpoint Avenue, Skillman Avenue and Roosevelt Avenue to a point in Roosevelt Avenue near Sycamore Avenue.

Bidders must examine the form of contract and the specifications and contract drawings, must visit the location of the work and inform themselves of the conditions and make their own estimates of the facilities and difficulties attending the execution of the work.

A fuller description of the work and other requirements, provisions, details and specifications are given in the form of contract and in the contract drawings therein referred to. Copies of the forms of contract, bond and contractor's proposal and of the contract drawings may be inspected and purchased at the office of the Commission. The Contractor shall begin work within thirty days after the delivery of the contract on such station or stations or other parts of the Railroad as the Engineer of the Commission may direct and shall begin work on any of the remaining stations or other parts of the Railroad within ten days after notice and shall complete all work within six months from the delivery of the contract, except as otherwise provided in the form of contract.

Partial payments to the Contractor will be made as the work proceeds, as provided in the contract.

At the time of the delivery of the contract the Contractor must furnish security to the City by depositing a bond, cash or securities in the sum of fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000). As further security ten per centum (10%) of the amounts certified from time to time to be due to the Contractor will be deducted.

Sealed bids or proposals will be received at the office of the Commission, No. 154 Nassau Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York

City, until the 3rd day of August, 1915, at twelve fifteen (12:15) o'clock p. m., at which time, or at a later date to be fixed by the Commission, the proposals will be publicly opened.

Proposals must be in the form prescribed by the Commission.

A statement based upon the estimate of the Chief Engineer of the Commission of the quantities of the various classes of the work and of the nature and extent as near as practicable of the work is to be found in the schedule in the form of contractor's proposal. The quantities given in such schedule are approximate only, being given as a basis for the uniform comparison of bids, and no claim is to be made against the City on account of any excess or deficiency, absolute or relative, in the same, except as provided in the specifications and form of contract.

Every proposal must when submitted be enclosed in a sealed envelope endorsed "Proposal for Constructing Station Finish for Parts of Rapid Transit Railroad, Routes Nos. 36 & 37, Sections Nos. 1 and 3, and Route No. 50," and must be delivered to the Commission or its Secretary; and in the presence of the person submitting the proposal, it will be deposited in a sealed box in which all proposals will be deposited. No proposal will be received unless accompanied by a separate certified check for ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) payable to the order of the Comptroller of the City and drawn upon a national or state bank or trust company satisfactory to the Commission and having its principal office in New York City. Such check must not be enclosed in the envelope containing the proposal.

The Unit Prices must not be improperly balanced, and any bid which the Commission considers detrimental to the City's interest may be rejected.

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

The award of the contract will be made by the Commission as soon as practicable after the opening of the proposals.

Deposits made by bidders whose proposals are not accepted will be returned within three (3) days after the contract is executed and delivered and its provisions in respect of the bond or deposit are complied with, unless all proposals shall be rejected, in which event such deposits will be returned within three (3) days after such rejection. The deposit of the successful bidder will be returned when the contract is executed and delivered and its provisions in respect of the bond or deposit are complied with.

The right to reject any and all bids is reserved. New York, July 16, 1915.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION FOR THE FIRST DISTRICT, By EDWARD E. McCALL, Chairman.

TRAVIS H. WHITNEY, Secretary. jy17,a3

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Bridges at his office, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 2 o'clock P. M., on

THURSDAY, AUGUST 5, 1915.

FOR CONSTRUCTING ADDITIONAL ENTRANCES TO THE BEDFORD AVENUE TROLLEY STATION ON THE WILLIAMS-BURG BRIDGE.

The Contractor will be required to begin work within five days of the date of certification of the contract by the Comptroller of the City of New York, and will be required to complete the entire work to the satisfaction of the Commissioner and in accordance with the plans and specifications within One Hundred and Twenty (120) Consecutive Working Days.

The amount of security to guarantee the faithful performance of the work will be Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000).

The right is reserved by the Commissioner to reject all the bids should he deem it to the interest of the City so to do.

Blank forms and specifications may be obtained at the office of the Department of Bridges.

F. J. H. KRACKE, Commissioner.

Dated July 22nd, 1915. jy24,a5

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 Bridges at his office, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 2 o'clock P. M., on

THURSDAY, JULY 29, 1915.

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 31, 1915.

The amount of security to guarantee the faithful performance of the work will be Six Hundred Dollars (\$600.00).

The right is reserved by the Commissioner to reject all the bids should he deem it to the interest of the City so to do.

Blank forms and specifications may be obtained at the office of the Department of Bridges.

F. J. H. KRACKE, Commissioner.

Dated July 13th, 1915. jy17,29

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Auction Sale.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the One Hundred and Seventy-ninth Public Auction Sale, consisting of Condemned Police Department Property (as follows: Redsteads; Bed ends; Bed springs; Motorcycles casings, Auto casings; Bicycle tires; Inner tubes; Rubber hose and mats; Stoves; Auto tools; Iron railing; Manglers; Hayracks; Book case; Filing cabinet; Old copper and iron wire; Lead covered cable; Chandeliers; Book and filing cases, etc.) will be held at the Property Clerk's Store room, Avenue D and East Houston Street, on

MONDAY, AUGUST 2, 1915,

at 11 A. M.
Lot (No. 1, Horse Rock, No. 193; (2) Arizona, No. 696; (3) Trump, No. 515; (4) Pete, No. 28; (5) Nominee, No. 485; (6) Hartford, No. 590; (7) Fox, No. 453; (8) Nat, No. 476; (9) Dynamite, No. 122; (10) Hotspur, No. 679; (11) Partner, No. 218; (12) Juan, No. 582; (13) Cliff, No. 71; (14) Tenny, No. 141; (15) Cyrus, No. 100; (16) Conniston, No. 326; (17) Omar, No. 431; (18) Bounce, No. 428.
July 20, 1915.

ARTHUR WOODS, Police Commissioner. jy24,a2

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the One Hundred Seventy-eighth Public Auction Sale, consisting of Condemned Police Department Property (as follows: Redsteads; Bed ends; Bed springs; Motorcycles casings, Auto casings; Bicycle tires; Inner tubes; Rubber hose and mats; Stoves; Auto tools; Iron railing; Manglers; Hayracks; Book case; Filing cabinet; Old copper and iron wire; Lead covered cable; Chandeliers; Book and filing cases, etc.) will be held at the Property Clerk's Store room, Avenue D and East Houston Street, on

THURSDAY, JULY 29, 1915,

at 10:00 A. M.
Terms—Strictly cash. No checks accepted.

Property not warranted. Property must be removed at once.

July 19th, 1915.
ARTHUR WOODS, Police Commissioner.
jy24,29

Owners Wanted for Unclaimed Property.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY
Clerk of the Police Department of The City of New York, No. 240 Centre st., for the following property now in custody, without claimants: Boats, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, wine, blankets, diamonds, canned goods, liquors, etc.; also small amount of money taken from prisoners and found by Patrolmen of this Department.
ARTHUR WOODS, Police Commissioner.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY
Clerk of the Police Department of The City of New York—Office, No. 72 Poplar st., Borough of Brooklyn—for the following property, now in custody, without claimants: Boats, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, wine, blankets, diamonds, canned goods, liquors, etc.; also small amount of money taken from prisoners and found by Patrolmen of this Department.
ARTHUR WOODS, Police Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Street Cleaning at Room 1245, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 12 o'clock noon on

MONDAY, AUGUST 9, 1915,

Boroughs of Manhattan, The Bronx and Brooklyn.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING SCRAPER STEEL, MALLEABLE IRON CASTINGS, BRACE STEEL AND FITTINGS FOR ASPHALT SCRAPERS.

The time allowed for the delivery of materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is: Scrapper Steel, Brace Steel and Fittings, 30 days; Malleable Iron Castings, 60 days.
The amount of security required is 30% of the amount of the contract price.

Bids must be submitted in duplicate in separate envelopes.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the schedules, per pound, or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total for each class, and awards made to the lowest bidder on each class.

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

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

J. T. FETHERSTON, Commissioner.

Dated July 27, 1915.

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 Street Cleaning at Room 1244, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 12 o'clock noon on

MONDAY, AUGUST 9, 1915,

Borough of Manhattan.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 100 HOSE REEL CARTS.

The time allowed for the delivery of materials and supplies and the full performance of the contract is 60 days; 50 carts to be delivered within 30 days, 25 carts with 45 days, and the remaining 25 carts within 60 days.

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

The carts are to be delivered completely finished and assembled and ready for use.

Bids must be submitted in duplicate in separate envelopes.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per cart, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total, and awards made to the lowest bidder.

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

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

J. T. FETHERSTON, Commissioner.

Dated July 27, 1915.

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 Street Cleaning at Room 1245, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 12 o'clock noon on

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 4, 1915,

Borough of Manhattan.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 28 COMBINATION DUST TOPS AND RUBBISH CONTAINERS.

The time allowed for the delivery of materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is 30 days.

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

Bids must be submitted in duplicate in separate envelopes.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the schedules, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total for each item, and awards made to the lowest bidder.

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

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

J. T. FETHERSTON, Commissioner.

Dated July 23, 1915.

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 Street Cleaning at Room 1244, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 12 o'clock noon on

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 4, 1915,

Borough of Manhattan.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED TO INSTALL A STEAM HEATING SYSTEM IN THE OFFICE BUILDING AND GARAGE WHICH IS TO BE ERECTED ON THE PIER AT THE FOOT OF 19TH STREET, EAST RIVER, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is 30 days.
The amount of security required is Six Hundred Dollars (\$600).

The deposit to be made with the bid shall be 5% of the amount of the bond.

Bidders will state one aggregate price for the entire work described and specified, as the contract will be entire and for a complete job. Bidders must write out the total amount of their

bids or estimates, in addition to inserting the same in figures.

The contract, if awarded, will be awarded to the lowest bidder.

Blank forms, plans and drawings and further information may be obtained at the office of the Department of Street Cleaning, the Borough of Manhattan, Room 1244, Municipal Building. Bidders obtaining the plans and specifications will be required to deposit Ten Dollars (\$10), which will be refunded upon return of the plans in good condition.

J. T. FETHERSTON, Commissioner.

Dated July 21, 1915.

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 Street Cleaning at Room 1244, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 12 o'clock noon on

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 4, 1915,

Borough of Manhattan.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED TO INSTALL A PLUMBING SYSTEM IN THE OFFICE BUILDING AND GARAGE TO BE ERECTED ON THE PIER AT THE FOOT OF 19TH STREET AND EAST RIVER, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, NEW YORK CITY.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is 30 days.
The amount of security required is Six Hundred Dollars (\$600).

The deposit to be made with the bid shall be 5% of the amount of the bond.

Bidders will state one aggregate price for the entire work described and specified, as the contract will be entire and for a complete job. Bidders must write out the total amount of their bids or estimates, in addition to inserting the same in figures.

The contract, if awarded, will be awarded to the lowest bidder.

Blank forms, plans and drawings and further information may be obtained at the office of the Department of Street Cleaning, the Borough of Manhattan, Room 1244, Municipal Building. Bidders obtaining the plans and specifications will be required to deposit Ten Dollars (\$10), which will be refunded upon return of the plans in good condition.

J. T. FETHERSTON, Commissioner.

Dated July 21, 1915.

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 Street Cleaning at Room 1245, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 12 o'clock noon on

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 4, 1915,

Borough of Manhattan.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE BUILDING CONSTRUCTION AND ERECTION OF A TWO-STORY OFFICE BUILDING AND GARAGE ON THE PIER AT THE FOOT OF 19TH STREET AND EAST RIVER, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK, AND THE INSTALLATION OF AN ELECTRICAL SYSTEM THEREIN.

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is sixty (60) working days.

The amount of security required is Seven Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$7,500).

The deposit to be made with the bid shall be 5% of the amount of the bond.

The contract, if awarded, will be awarded to the lowest bidder.

Bidders will state one aggregate price for the entire work described and specified, as the contract will be entire and for a complete job.

Bidders must write out the total amount of their bids or estimates in addition to inserting the same in figures.

Blank forms, plans and drawings and further information may be obtained at the office of the Department of Street Cleaning, room 1245, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, New York City. A deposit of \$15.00 will be required from all persons obtaining copies of the plans, to be repaid on return of the same in good condition.

J. T. FETHERSTON, Commissioner.

Dated July 21, 1915.

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 Street Cleaning at Room 1244, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 12 o'clock noon on

MONDAY, AUGUST 2, 1915.

Boroughs of Manhattan, Bronx and Brooklyn.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 261 SETS OF CANVAS PARTS FOR CART TOPS.

The time allowed for the delivery of materials and supplies and the performance of the contract is 30 days.

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

Bids must be submitted in duplicate in separate envelopes.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules per set, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total for each borough, and awards made to the lowest bidder on each borough.

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

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

J. T. FETHERSTON, Commissioner.

Dated July 19, 1915.

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

Auction Sale of Condemned Property.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT, IN ACCORDANCE with the provisions of section 541 of the Greater New York Charter, I shall sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, the following described condemned property of this department:

MONDAY, AUGUST 2, 1915.

At 10 A. M., at the Incubance Yard, 56th Street and 12th Avenue, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

200,000 POUNDS (MORE OR LESS) OLD TIRE SCRAP AND MALLEABLE IRON (INCLUDING 150 OLD STEEL CART BODIES, MORE OR LESS).

TERMS OF SALE.

A deposit of \$200 in cash, or by certified check, on each lot of old iron will be required at the time of the sale, said deposit to be held by the Department of Street Cleaning until all the iron is removed, which must be within ten (10) working days. The iron will be sold by the ton of 2,000 lbs. and must be paid for as removed.

The deposit on articles not removed, within the specified time, shall be forfeited to the City of New York as liquidated damages.

The Commissioner reserves the right to reject any bid and to withdraw any article, or articles, or quantity of material, from the sale.

All quantities to be "more or less."

All quantities to be "as are."

The Commissioner reserves the right to order a resale of any goods that shall not have been removed by the purchaser within ten (10) working days after the date of the sale.

In case the purchaser fails to remove all of the goods purchased by him within ten (10) working days after the date of the sale, in addition to forfeiting the amount deposited, he shall also forfeit all right to the ownership of the articles.

J. T. FETHERSTON, Commissioner.
Dated, New York, July 20, 1915. jy22,a2

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Manhattan at Room 2032, Municipal Building, New York City, until 2 o'clock P. M. on

TUESDAY, AUGUST 3, 1915.

FOR THE RELOCATION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF RECTOR STREET SEWER.

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

301 linear feet of 4' 0" Circular Brick Sewer, complete.

674 linear feet of 3' 0" Circular Barrel Sewer, complete.

8 Spurs for house connections.

4 Manholes, complete.

10,000 feet B. M. of Timber and Planking for Bracing and Sheeting.

12,000 feet B. M. of Timber and Planking for Foundation.

2,000 linear feet of Piles.

1 Box Overflow, complete.

The time allowed for constructing and completing the Sewer and Appurtenances will be One hundred (100) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Seven Thousand Dollars (\$7,000) and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five per cent. (5%) of the amount of security.

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 contract, if awarded, will be awarded for the whole work at a lump sum.

Blank forms may be had and the plans and drawings may be seen at the offices of the Commissioner of Public Works, Municipal Building, Bureau of Sewers, Room 2103, Borough of Manhattan. MARCUS M. MARKS, President.

July 23, 1915. jy23,a3

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, until 2 o'clock p. m., on

TUESDAY, AUGUST 3, 1915.

NO. 1. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH SHEET ASPHALT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF 25TH STREET FROM THE WEST SIDE OF SEVENTH AVENUE TO THE EAST SIDE OF EIGHTH AVENUE, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

Engineer's Estimate of the Amount of Work to be Done.

5 cu. yds. Earth Excavation for sewer appurtenances.

5 cu. yds. Rock Excavation for sewer appurtenances.

5 cu. yds. Backfilling in excavation for sewer appurtenances.

620 lin. ft. New 5-inch Bluestone Curbstone.

10 lin. ft. New 6-inch Granite Corner Curbstone.

620 lin. ft. Old Curb redressed.

10 sq. ft. Concrete Sidewalk, Class A.

20 lin. ft. Granite Headers.

10 lin. ft. Granite Headers reset.

500 cu. yds. Concrete.

2,620 sq. yds. Sheet Asphalt Pavement.

4 Sewer Manhole Heads.

5 Covers for Sewer Manholes.

1 Ring for Sewer Manhole.

3 cu. yds. Brick Masonry.

1 Sluice Basin, Type B.

20 lin. ft. Vitrified Pipe, 12-inch diam.

1,000 ft. B. M. Planking on Concrete.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be twenty-five (25) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be \$1,500, and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five (5) per cent. of the amount of security.

The bidder must deposit with the Borough President, on or before the time of making his bid, samples and affidavit, or the letter in regard to samples and affidavit, as required by the specifications.

NO. 2. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH SHEET ASPHALT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF 55TH STREET FROM WEST SIDE THIRD AVENUE TO THE EAST SIDE OF PARK AVENUE, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

Engineer's Estimate of the Amount of Work to be Done.

20 cu. yds. Earth Excavation for sewer appurtenances.

20 cu. yds. Rock Excavation for sewer appurtenances.

20 cu. yds. Backfilling in excavation for sewer appurtenances.

770 lin. ft. New 5-inch Bluestone Curbstone.

770 lin. ft. Old Curb redressed.

540 cu. yds. Concrete.

2,760 sq. yds. Sheet Asphalt Pavement.

40 sq. yds. Sheet Asphalt Pavement in Approaches.

4 Sewer Manhole Heads.

6 Covers for Sewer Manholes.

2 Rings for Sewer Manholes.

3 cu. yds. Brick Masonry.

1 Sluice Basin, Type A.

3 Sluice Basins, Type B.

50 lin. ft. Vitrified Pipe, 12-inch diam.

2,500 ft. B. M. Planking on concrete.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be twenty-three (23) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be \$2,000, and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five (5) per cent. of the amount of security.

The bidder must deposit with the Borough President, on or before the time of making his bid, samples and affidavit, or the letter in regard to samples and affidavit, as required by the specifications.

NO. 3. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH SHEET ASPHALT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF 55TH STREET FROM WEST SIDE SIXTH AVENUE TO THE EAST SIDE SEVENTH AVENUE, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

Engineer's Estimate of the Amount of Work to be Done.

10 cu. yds. Earth Excavation for sewer appurtenances.

10 cu. yds. Rock Excavation for sewer appurtenances.

10 cu. yds. Backfilling in excavation for sewer appurtenances.

620 lin. ft. New 5-inch Bluestone Curbstone.

810 lin. ft. Old Curb redressed.

10 sq. ft. Concrete Sidewalk, Class A.

30 lin. ft. Granite Headers.

510 cu. yds. Concrete.

2,600 sq. yds. Sheet Asphalt Pavement.

10 sq. yds. Sheet Asphalt Pavement in Approaches.

3 Sewer Manhole Heads.

1 Ring for Sewer Manhole.

1 Cover for Sewer Manhole.

3 cu. yds. Brick Masonry.

1 Sluice Basin, Type B.

20 lin. ft. Vitrified Pipe, 12-inch diam.

1,000 ft. B. M. Planking on Concrete.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be twenty-four (24) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be \$2,000, and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five (5) per cent. of the amount of security.

The bidder must deposit with the Borough President, on or before the time of making his bid, samples and affidavit, or the letter in regard to samples and affidavit, as required by the specifications.

NO. 4. FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH SHEET ASPHALT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF 64TH STREET FROM WEST SIDE OF PARK AVENUE TO THE EAST SIDE FIFTH AVENUE, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

Engineer's Estimate of the Amount of Work to be Done.

10 cu. yds. Earth Excavation for sewer appurtenances.

10 cu. yds. Rock Excavation for sewer appurtenances.

10 cu. yds. Backfilling in excavation for sewer appurtenances.

1,060 lin. ft. New 5-inch

2,510 lin. ft. New 5-inch Bluestone Curbstone.
40 lin. ft. New 6-inch Granite Corner Curbstone.
1,680 lin. ft. Old Curb, redressed.
1,420 cu. yds. Concrete.
7,090 sq. yds. Sheet Asphalt Pavement.
100 sq. yds. Granite Block Pavement in Approaches.

10 Sewer Manhole Heads.
12 Covers for Sewer Manholes.
2 Rings for Sewer Manholes.
3 cu. yds. Brick Masonry.
1 Sluice Basin, Type A.
5 Sluice Basins, Type B.
100 lin. ft. Vitrified Pipe, 12-inch diam.
2,500 ft. B. M. Planking on concrete.

The time allowed for the full completion of the work described will be thirty-four (34) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be \$5,000, and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five (5) per cent. of the amount of security.

The bidder must deposit with the Borough President, on or before the time of making his bid, samples and affidavit, or the letter in regard to samples and affidavit, as required by the specifications.

NO. 8. FOR RECONSTRUCTION OF SIDEWALKS: CATHEDRAL PARKWAY (WEST 110TH STREET) FROM SEVENTH AVENUE TO EIGHTH AVENUE, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

Engineer's Estimate of the Amount of Work to be Done.

2,000 cu. yds. Excavation of all kinds.
2,500 cu. yds. Filling.
10 lin. ft. New 5-inch Bluestone Curbstone.
200 lin. ft. Old Curb redressed.
2,000 sq. ft. Concrete Sidewalk, Class A.
5 cu. yds. Rubble Masonry in mortar.
10 cu. yds. Class B Concrete.
15,000 ft. B. M. Timber Planking for Sheet-piling and Bracing.

5 cu. yds. Brick Masonry.
The time allowed for the full completion of the above work will be twenty (20) 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 of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per foot, yard or other unit of measure or articles, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up.

Blank forms and specifications may be had at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, Bureau of Highways, Room 2124, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan.

MARCUS M. MARKS, President.
July 23, 1915. jy23,a3

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

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of The Bronx, at his office, Municipal Building, Crotona Park, 177th St. and 3rd Ave., until 10.30 a. m., on

TUESDAY, AUGUST 3, 1915.

NO. 1. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURBSTONES, FLAGGING SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSWALKS, BUILDING APPROACHES AND ERECTING FENCES WHERE NECESSARY IN BAKER AVENUE, FROM GARFIELD STREET TO WHITE PLAINS AVENUE, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate of the work is as follows:

150 Cubic Yards Excavation of all kinds.
6,200 Cubic Yards Filling.
1,075 Linear Feet of New Curb.
5,380 Square Feet Concrete sidewalk (including maintenance for one year).
1,075 Cubic Yards Dry Rubble Masonry.
100 Linear Feet Vitrified pipe, 12 inches in diameter.

1,000 Feet B. M. Timber.
850 Linear Feet New Guard Rail.
2 Receiving Basins, Type B.
10 Cubic Yards Brick Masonry.

The time allowed for the full completion of the work herein described will be 70 consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Two thousand nine hundred Dollars (\$2,900).

NO. 2. FOR REGULATING, GRADING, SETTING CURBSTONES, FLAGGING SIDEWALKS, LAYING CROSSWALKS, BUILDING APPROACHES AND ERECTING FENCES WHERE NECESSARY IN VICTOR STREET, FROM VAN NEST AVENUE TO RHINELANDER AVENUE, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate of the work is as follows:

1,800 Cubic Yards Earth Excavation.
550 Cubic Yards Rock Excavation.
6,000 Cubic Yards Filling.
2,450 Linear Feet New Curb.
70 Linear Feet Old Curb.
10,600 Square Feet Concrete sidewalk (including maintenance for one year).
90 Square Feet New Bridge Stone.

500 Cubic Yards Dry Rubble Masonry.
65 Cubic Yards Class A Concrete.
10 Linear Feet Vitrified pipe, 12 inches in diameter.

1,000 Feet B. M. Timber.
850 Linear Feet Guard Rail.
3,600 Pounds Steel Reinforcement Bars.
1 Receiving Basin, Type B.
15 Cubic Yards Brick Masonry.

The time allowed for the full completion of the work herein described will be 100 consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Four thousand dollars (\$4,000).

NO. 3. FOR REPAVING WITH REDRESSED GRANITE BLOCKS ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF WEBSTER AVENUE, FROM CLAREMONT PARKWAY TO EAST 178TH STREET, AND SETTING CURB WHERE NECESSARY, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate of the work is as follows:

16,150 Square Yards Redressed Granite Block Pavement on a concrete foundation laid with cement grout joints, outside of railroad area, and keeping the pavement in repair for One Year from date of acceptance.

8,800 Square Yards Redressed Granite Block Pavement on a concrete foundation laid with cement grout joints, in railroad area.
4,360 Cubic Yards Class B Concrete.
3,800 Linear Feet of New Curb.
2,700 Linear Feet of Old Curb.

The time allowed for the full completion of the work herein described will be 100 consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Twenty-five thousand five hundred Dollars (\$25,500).

NO. 4. FOR PAVING WITH BITUMINOUS CONCRETE ON A CEMENT CON-

CRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF BENEDICT AVENUE, FROM STORROW STREET TO PUGSLEY AVENUE, ADJUSTING CURB WHERE NECESSARY, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO. (PRELIMINARY PAVEMENT.)

The Engineer's estimate of the work is as follows:

2,575 Square Yards Bituminous Concrete Pavement, and keeping the pavement in repair for Five Years from date of acceptance.
290 Cubic Yards of Class B Concrete.
500 Linear Feet of Curbstone, adjusted.

The time allowed for the full completion of the work herein described will be 20 consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be One thousand seven hundred Dollars (\$1,700).

NO. 5. FOR PAVING WITH BITUMINOUS CONCRETE ON A CEMENT CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF MANIDA STREET, FROM GARRISON AVENUE TO LAFAYETTE AVENUE, AND SETTING CURB WHERE NECESSARY, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO. (PRELIMINARY PAVEMENT.)

The Engineer's estimate of the work is as follows:

2,690 Square Yards of Bituminous Concrete Pavement, and keeping the pavement in repair for Five Years from date of acceptance.
150 Cubic Yards of Class B Concrete.
1,600 Linear Feet of New Curb.
40 Linear feet of Old Curb.

The time allowed for the full completion of the work herein described will be 25 consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Two thousand dollars (\$2,000).

NO. 6. FOR REPAVING WITH SHEET ASPHALT AND REDRESSED GRANITE BLOCKS ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF MOTT AVENUE, FROM EAST 138TH STREET TO THE BRIDGE OVER THE TRACKS OF THE N. Y. C. & H. R. R. NORTH OF EAST 151ST STREET, AND SETTING CURB WHERE NECESSARY, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate of the work is as follows:

13,100 Square Yards of Sheet Asphalt Pavement (Medium Traffic Mixture) and keeping the pavement in repair for Five Years from date of acceptance.

390 Square Yards Redressed Granite Block Pavement outside of Railroad Area, and keeping the pavement in repair for One Year from date of acceptance.

180 Square Yards Redressed Granite Block Pavement in Railroad Area.

2,490 Cubic Yards of Class B Concrete.
1,000 Linear Feet of New Curb.
2,910 Linear Feet of Old Curb.

The time allowed for the full completion of the work herein described will be 70 consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Twelve thousand seven hundred Dollars (\$12,700).

NO. 7. FOR REPAVING WITH GRANITE BLOCKS AND SHEET ASPHALT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION PORTIONS OF THE ROADWAY OF WHITE PLAINS ROAD, FROM EAST 227TH STREET TO A POINT ABOUT 100 FEET NORTH OF EAST 241ST STREET, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate of the work is as follows:

1,900 Square Yards Sheet Asphalt Pavement (Medium Traffic Mixture), not to be kept in repair.

4,410 Square Yards Granite Block Pavement, outside of railroad area, and keeping the pavement in repair for One Year from date of acceptance.

2,650 Square Yards Granite Block Pavement in railroad area.

1,430 Cubic Yards Class B Concrete.

The time allowed for the full completion of the work herein described will be 75 consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Thirteen thousand Dollars (\$13,000).

NO. 8. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 350 TONS OF ASPHALTIC CEMENT.

The time allowed for the performance of the contract is on or before December 31, 1915.

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

NO. 9. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 1,500 CUBIC YARDS OF ASPHALTIC WEARING SURFACE SAND.

The time allowed for the performance of the contract is on or before December 31, 1915.

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

NO. 10. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 350 TONS OF LIMESTONE DUST.

The time allowed for the performance of the contract is on or before December 31, 1915.

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

Blank forms of bids or estimates upon which bids must be made can be obtained upon application therefor, the plans and specifications may be seen and other information obtained at said office. DOUGLAS MATHEWSON, President.

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

MUNICIPAL CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

Notices of Examinations.

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

TUESDAY, JULY 27, 1915, TO TUESDAY, AUGUST 10, 1915,

for the position of

TRADE INSTRUCTOR, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

No applications delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 P. M., TUESDAY, AUGUST 10, 1915, 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, but the Commission will not guarantee the delivery of the same. Applications forwarded by mail, upon which postage is not fully prepaid, will not be accepted.

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; Written Test, 4; 70% required; Practical Test, 4; 70% required.

DUTIES.

To instruct and direct inmates of the institutions in the Department of Public Charities in the trades of basket making, mat making, broom making, mattress making and chair caning; to maintain proper discipline among the inmates assigned for instruction and supervision while employed at the trades; to be responsible for the proper care and use of the raw materials furnished for making the various articles under the supervision of the Trade Instructor.

REQUIREMENTS.

A general education satisfactory to the Commission and practical experience as mechanics or instructors in the above trades, or the completion of a satisfactory course of instruction in manual training subjects in an educational institution or manufacturing establishment of recognized standing, or its equivalent.

Candidates will be required to take a practical test as evidence of their manual skill and knowledge of and ability to teach basket making, mat making, broom making, mattress making and chair caning.

A qualifying physical examination will be held. Candidates failing to pass the physical examination will not be summoned for the practical test. Those who receive less than 70 per cent. on the practical test will not be summoned for the written examination.

Applications for this examination must be filed on a special blank, Form C. Experience blanks will be issued with the applications, and must be filed with the Commission at the time of filing applications.

The minimum age is 21 years. The salary is \$900 per annum with maintenance. Vacancies occur from time to time.

jy27,a10 ROBERT W. BELCHER, Secretary.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT

applications will be received by the Municipal Civil Service Commission, Municipal Building, Manhattan, New York City, from

FRIDAY, JULY 23, 1915, TO FRIDAY, AUGUST 6, 1915,

for the position of

STENOYPIST, GRADES 2 AND 3.

No applications delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 P. M., FRIDAY, AUGUST 6, 1915, 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. Applications forwarded by mail upon which full postage is not prepaid will not be accepted.

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

The subjects and weights of the examination are: Spelling, 1; Copying from plain copy on typewriter, 1; 70% required; Transcribing stenotype notes, 2; 70% required; Speed in taking dictation on stenotype, 2; 70% required; Accuracy in transcribing dictation on typewriter, 4; 70% required. 70% General Average Required.

Stenotypists in the service of the City are required to take notes of dictations, hearings and examinations on the stenotype machine, and to transcribe these notes on the typewriter. They may be required also to copy from plain copy on the typewriter and in some offices to use the dictaphone.

The examination will be held on two days. On the first day the candidates will be given a test in spelling, consisting of twenty words; a test in copying three hundred words from plain copy on the typewriter in five minutes, and a test in copying three hundred words on the typewriter from stenotype notes furnished to the candidates by the Commission. Candidates who fail to receive at least 70% in the test of copying from plain copy, and at least 70% in the test of copying from stenotype notes will not be summoned for the second day of the examination.

On the second day four dictations will be given, to be taken by the candidates on the stenotype machine and transcribed on the typewriter. Each dictation will be two minutes in length. The first dictation will be given at one hundred and thirty words per minute, the second at one hundred and forty words per minute, the third at one hundred and fifty words per minute, and the fourth at one hundred and sixty words per minute. The speed rating for the first will be 70%; for the second, 80%; for the third, 90%; and for the fourth, 100%. The accuracy mark will depend upon correctness, neatness, freedom from erasures, completeness and general excellence of appearance.

The names of all candidates who receive a final average rating of 70% or more will be placed on the eligible list for the position of 2nd Grade Stenotypist. The names of all candidates who receive a rating of 85% or more will also be placed on the eligible list for the position of 3rd Grade Stenotypist.

On the first day of the examination candidates must furnish their own typewriting machines, pens and ink. On the second day of the examination candidates must furnish their own typewriting machines, stenotype machines, stenotype paper, pens and ink. The Commission will not at any time or in any way be responsible for typewriting or stenotype machines, nor will any allowance be made where they are missing, late in arriving, defective, or out of order on the day of the examination.

The minimum age is seventeen years. There is a vacancy in the office of the Municipal Civil Service Commission, and a vacancy in the Department of Finance. Other vacancies are likely to occur from time to time. The salary for the 2nd Grade is from \$600 to, but not including, \$1,200, and for the 3rd Grade from \$1,200 to, but not including, \$1,800.

A physical qualifying examination will precede the mental examination. The date of the physical examination and the dates of the mental examinations will be announced later.

jy23,a6 ROBERT W. BELCHER, Secretary.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT

applications will be received

FROM THURSDAY, AUGUST 5, 1915,

at 2 p. m., and continuing thereafter until further notice, for the position of

CRANEMAN (ELECTRIC), PART III,

at the office of the Electric Bureau (Labor Class) in Room 1400, Municipal Building.

Applicants should have had actual experience in the operation of electrically driven locomotive cranes, overhead traveling cranes, hoisting engines, or similar apparatus requiring movements in at least three directions and including reversings. They must be able to judge speed and distances.

Applicants must be citizens of the United States and residents of the State of New York. Proof of naturalization must accompany application. Applicants must submit proof of date of birth when filing application.

A Practical as well as a Physical test will be held.

Applicants must present themselves in person when filing applications on Thursday, August 5, 1915, as no applications will be received by mail on that day. After August 5, 1915, application blanks will be mailed upon request, provided a self-addressed stamped envelope or proper postage is enclosed with the request, but the Commission will not guarantee the delivery of the same. Applications forwarded by mail upon which full postage is not prepaid will not be accepted.

Candidates must be not less than 21 years of age and not over 40 at the time of filing applications.

The salary is \$900 per annum.

There are three vacancies in the Department of Street Cleaning.

jy22,a5 ROBERT W. BELCHER, Secretary.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT

applications will be received by the Municipal Civil Service Commission, Municipal Building, Manhattan, New York City, from

WEDNESDAY, JULY 21, 1915, TO WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 4, 1915,

for the position of

NURSE, FEMALE (TEMPORARY WORK).

No applications delivered at the office of the Commission by mail or otherwise after 4 P. M. WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 4, 1915, 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. Applications forwarded by mail upon which full postage is not prepaid will not be accepted.

The requirement that applicants must be citizens of the United States and residents of the State of New York is waived for this examination. Persons who accept appointment must thereafter reside in the State of New York. The requirement that every application shall bear the certificates of four reputable citizens whose residences or places of business are within the City of New York is waived for applicants for this examination whose previous occupation or employment has been wholly or in part outside the City of New York, and the said certificates will be accepted from persons resident or engaged in business elsewhere.

The subjects and weights of the examination are: Experience, 4; Duties, 6; 70% required. 70% general average required.

A physical qualifying examination will be given. Requirements: Candidates are required to be registered nurses of the State of New York and must furnish proof of registration when filing applications.

Applications for this examination must be filed on a special blank, Form B. Experience blanks will be issued with the applications and must be filed with the Commission at the time of filing applications.

Minimum age, 21 years to 40 years. The usual salary is \$900 per annum.

There are a number of vacancies for temporary work in the Health Department.

The requirement of paragraph 12 of 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.

jy21,a4 ROBERT W. BELCHER, Secretary.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT

applications will be received by the Municipal Civil Service Commission, Municipal Building, Manhattan, New York City, from

TUESDAY, JULY 20, 1915, TO TUESDAY, AUGUST 3, 1915,

for the position of

PATHOLOGICAL CHEMIST.

No applications delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 P. M. TUESDAY, AUGUST 3, 1915, will be accepted. Application blanks will be mailed upon request, provided a self-addressed, stamped envelope is enclosed or sufficient postage to cover the mailing, but the Commission will not guarantee the delivery of the same. Applications forwarded by mail upon which postage is not fully prepaid will not be accepted.

Applicants must be citizens of the United States. Persons who accept appointment must thereafter reside in the State of New York.

The subjects and weights of the examination are as follows: Technical, 5; Experience, 5. 75% is required on the technical and 70% on experience.

Candidates will not be assembled for the Technical examination.

Applications for this examination must be filed on a special blank, Form C, with insert. Experience blanks will be issued with the applications and must be filed with the Commission at the time of filing applications. The experience paper will then be rated. Candidates receiving less than 70% on the experience paper will not be summoned for the remainder of the examination.

Candidates must have the degree of M. D. or Ph. D. or their equivalent from a college of recognized standing, and in addition at least two years' experience in original research work. Due consideration will be given to satisfactory evidence of successful management of a scientific laboratory or any branch thereof. Bellevue Hospital offers opportunity for original research.

A physical examination will be held. Minimum age, 21 years; salary, \$2,500 per annum.

There is one vacancy in Bellevue and Allied Hospitals.

The requirement of paragraph 12 of 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.

R. W. BELCHER, Secretary.

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PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT

applications will be received by the Municipal Civil Service Commission, Municipal Building, Manhattan, New York City, from

MONDAY, JULY 19, 1915, TO MONDAY, AUGUST 2, 1915,

for the position of

FIREMAN, FIRE DEPARTMENT.

No applications delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 P. M. MONDAY, AUGUST 2, 1915, will be accepted.

The subjects and weights of the examination are as follows: Physical Development and strength, 50 per cent.; mental test, 50 per cent. Mental test: Memory Test, 3; arithmetic, 2; government and elementary duties, 5.

70% required on mental examination; 70 per cent. required on physical development; 70 per cent. required on strength; 70 per cent. required on all.

A candidate to be eligible for appointment must obtain an average of not less than 70% on the mental test and 70% on the physical development and strength. Candidates who obtain an average of over 80% on physical development and strength and a final average of 75% shall also be eligible for appointment.

Applications will be received from persons who are twenty-one (21) years of age on or before the date of the mental examination. Applications will not be received from persons who are more than twenty-nine (29) years of age on the date of filing applications. Applicants will be required to submit with their applications a transcript of the records of the Bureau of Vital Statistics showing the date of birth, or, in lieu thereof, an authenticated transcript from the records of the church in which they were baptized, or other satisfactory proof.

All foreign born applicants will be required to submit evidence of citizenship; naturalization papers should be attached to applications.

The requirement that every application shall bear the certificates of four reputable citizens whose residences or places of business are within the City of New York is waived for applicants for this examination whose previous occupation or employment has been wholly or in part outside the City of New York, and the said certificates will be accepted from persons resident or engaged in business elsewhere.

Applicants must not be less than 5 feet 7 inches in height.

Applicants will be notified later of the date of the physical examination.

The mental examination will be held TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 16, 1915.

Applications can be had at the Municipal Building, Room

Application blanks will be mailed upon request provided a self-addressed stamped envelope accompanies the request, but the Commission will not guarantee the delivery of blanks.

Owing to the introduction of motor apparatus, the Fire Department is in urgent need of men qualified to operate motor trucks or other motor vehicles. The attention of such persons is especially called to this examination.

JOEL J. SQUIER, Secretary.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT applications will be received by the Municipal Civil Service Commission, Municipal Building, Manhattan, New York City, from **THURSDAY, JULY 15, 1915, TO THURSDAY, JULY 29, 1915,** for the position of **TYPEWRITING COPYIST, GRADE 2, MALE.**

No applications delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 P. M. THURSDAY, JULY 29, 1915, 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. Applications forwarded by mail upon which full postage is not prepaid will not be accepted.

Applicants must be citizens of the United States and residents of the State of New York. The subjects and weights of the examination are: Speed Test, 6; 70% required; Tabulation, 3; Arithmetic, 1. 70% general average required.

The Speed Test will consist of the copying of a mimeographed passage on the typewriting machine, and both the correctness and the rapidity of the candidate will be considered in this test. In rating the correctness of the exercise the exactness, form, neatness, freedom from interlineation and alterations, etc., will be considered. In the exercise in tabulation the candidates will be required to present in typewritten tabular form narrative matter given to them for this purpose. Both the neatness and the excellence of the work in this exercise will be considered, but no credit will be given for the rapidity with which this exercise is performed.

Candidates must furnish their own 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 they are missing, late in arriving, defective or out of order on the day of the examination.

The minimum age is seventeen years. Vacancies occur constantly. The salary is from \$600 to \$1,200 per annum.

A physical qualifying examination will precede the mental examination. The dates of the physical and mental examinations will be announced later. ROBERT W. BELCHER, Secretary.

Amended Notice.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT applications will be received

FROM WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 4, 1915, at 2:00 P. M. and continuing thereafter until further notice for the position of

AUTOMOBILE ENGINEER (WITH KNOWLEDGE OF HOISTING APPARATUS FOR SEWAGE DISPOSAL), PART II,

at the office of the Application Bureau (Labor Class) in Room 1400, Municipal Building.

Skill in the technical operation of auto hoisting apparatus is essential.

Candidates must present New York State Chauffeur's License at the time of filing applications. They must be of good physique and willing to handle sewage retainers.

A practical test will be held. A preliminary physical test will be given.

Applicants must present themselves in person when filing applications on WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 4, 1915, as no applications will be received by mail on that day. After August 4, 1915, application blanks will be mailed upon request, provided a self-addressed stamped envelope or proper postage is enclosed with the request, but the Commission will not guarantee the delivery of the same. Applications forwarded by mail upon which full postage is not prepaid will not be accepted.

Applicants must be citizens of the United States and residents of the State of New York. Proof of naturalization must accompany application. Applicants must submit proof of date of birth when filing applications.

Candidates must be not less than 21 years of age and not over 45 at the time of filing applications.

The salary is \$1,200 per annum.

There is one vacancy in the Office of the President of the Borough of the Bronx. jy21,a4 ROBERT W. BELCHER, Secretary.

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of Borough of Brooklyn at Room 2, Borough Hall, until 11 o'clock A. M., on

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 4, 1915,

Borough of Brooklyn.

FOR DREDGING NEWTOWN CREEK CANAL AT AND IN THE CANAL AND BASIN INCLUDED WITHIN THE BOUNDARIES OF JOHNSON AVE., MONTROSE AVE., MORGAN AVE., VARICK AVE., AND ALSO IN THE STAGG ST. BASIN, AND IN NEWTOWN CREEK NEAR THE INTERSECTION OF SCOTT AND METROPOLITAN AVENUES.

The Engineer's preliminary estimate of the quantities is as follows:

15,000 cubic yards, scow measurement. The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract will be Forty-five (45) calendar days.

The amount of security required will be Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000.00).

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedule herein contained or hereto annexed, per cubic yard (scow measurement), or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Bureau of Sewers, 215 Montague St., Brooklyn.

L. H. POUNDS, President.

Dated, July 20, 1915. jy23,a4

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

SUPREME COURT—FIRST DEPARTMENT.

Filing Bill of Costs.

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to

the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of LANE AVENUE, between Westchester avenue and the West Farms Road, with the PUBLIC PLACE, bounded by Lane avenue, West Farms road and Westchester Avenue, and of WESTCHESTER AVENUE, between Main street and West Farms road and the Eastern Boulevard, at Pelham Bay Park, in the 24th Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE supplemental and additional bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held at the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 11th day of August, 1915, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said supplemental and additional bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the Office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days; as required by law.

Dated, New York, July 29th, 1915. FLOYD M. LORD, EDWARD D. DOWLING, JOHN J. MACKIN, Commissioners of Estimate. EDWARD D. DOWLING, Commissioner of Assessment.

JOEL J. SQUIER, Clerk.

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FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of ROSEDALE AVENUE, between Westchester avenue and West Farms Road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York; COMMONWEALTH AVENUE, between Westchester avenue and West Farms Road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York; BEACH AVENUE (formerly One Hundred and Seventy-third street), between Gleason avenue and West Farms Road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York; THERIOT AVENUE (formerly One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street), between Gleason avenue and West Farms Road, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, as amended by an order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 15th day of February, 1910, by excluding therefrom Beach avenue, Taylor avenue, Theriot avenue and Leland avenue, in accordance with the resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted on the 3rd day of December, 1909, and as further amended and corrected by an order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the 1st day of August, 1911, in accordance with the resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted on the 23rd day of February, 1911, so as to make Rosedale avenue relate to the map adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on January 12, 1911, and approved by the Mayor on January 23, 1911.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE supplemental and additional bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held at the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 11th day of August, 1915, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the Office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by law.

Dated, New York, July 29th, 1915. EDWARD H. NICOLL, Commissioner of Assessment.

JOEL J. SQUIER, Clerk.

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FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of EAST 156TH STREET, from Southern Boulevard to Truxton Street; and of TRUXTON STREET, from Leggett Avenue to Longwood Avenue, in the 23rd Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York, as amended and corrected by an order of the Supreme Court, State of New York, First Department, dated September 15, 1914, and entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Bronx on September 17, 1914, so as to relate to East 156th Street, from Southern Boulevard to Worthen Street, excluding the right-of-way of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad, and Truxton Street, from Leggett Avenue to Longwood Avenue, as said Truxton Street and East 156th Street are shown upon a map or plan adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment October 17, 1912, and approved by the Mayor October 24, 1912, and also to relate to Truxton Street, from Leggett Avenue to Longwood Avenue, and East 156th Street, from Southern Boulevard to the westerly property line of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad, and from Garrison Avenue to Worthen Street.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held at the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 4th day of August, 1915, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the Office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by law.

Dated, New York, July 22nd, 1915. EDWARD D. DOWLING, ALFRED B. HALL, MONROE GOLDWATER, Commissioners of Estimate. EDWARD D. DOWLING, Commissioner of Assessment.

JOEL J. SQUIER, Clerk.

jy22,a2

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, acting by and through the Commissioner of Docks, relative to acquiring right and title to and possession of the wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges appurtenant to Piers Old Nos. 27 and 28, East River, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, not now owned by The City of New York, and all right, title and interest in and to said piers or any portion thereof not now owned by The City of New York, and all wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges appurtenant to those certain bulkheads, dock or wharf properties on or near the southerly line of South Street in said Borough and City, between former Pier Old No. 26 and Pier Old No. 27, and between Piers Old No. 27 and Old No. 28, and between Pier Old No. 28 and the westerly line of the property formerly acquired by The City of New York for the New York and Brooklyn Bridge, not now owned by The City of New York, for the improvement of the water front of The City of New York on the East River, pursuant to the plan heretofore adopted by the Board of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A BILL of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held at the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 3rd day of August, 1915, at 10:30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the Office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by law.

Dated, New York, July 21, 1915. WILLIAM H. JASPER, Clerk.

jy22,a2

FIRST DEPARTMENT.

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, acting by and through the Commissioner of Docks, relative to acquiring right and title to and possession of the wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges appurtenant to Pier Old No. 49, East River, in the Borough of Manhattan, not now owned by The City of New York, and all right, title and interest in and to said Pier or any portion thereof not now owned by The City of New York, and all wharfage rights, terms, easements, emoluments and privileges appurtenant to certain bulkheads, dock or wharf properties on or near the southerly line of South Street, in said Borough and City, between a point about 120 feet west of the westerly line of Clinton Street and a point about 276.5 feet west of the westerly line of Montgomery Street, not now owned by The City of New York, for the improvement of the water front of The City of New York on the East River, pursuant to the plan heretofore adopted by the Board of Docks, as altered and amended by the Board of Docks and the Commissioner of Docks and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A BILL of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Department, at a Special Term thereof, Part I, to be held at the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, in The City of New York, on the 3rd day of August, 1915, at 10:30 o'clock in forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the Office of the Clerk of the County of New York, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by law.

Dated, New York, July 21, 1915. WILLIAM H. JASPER, Clerk.

jy22,a2

SUPREME COURT—SECOND DEPARTMENT.

Filing Final Reports.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of CLARK AVENUE, from Rust Street to Perry Avenue; RUST STREET, from Clinton Avenue to Flushing Avenue; and PERRY AVENUE, from Rust Street to Clark Avenue, in the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE final reports of the Commissioners of Estimate and of the Commissioner of Assessment in the above-entitled matter will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, 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 3rd day of August, 1915, at the opening of Court on that day; and that the said final reports have been deposited in the Office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, there to remain for and during the space of five days, as required by law.

Dated, New York, July 26th, 1915.

EDGAR F. HAZELTON, EMANUEL S. CAHN, Commissioners of Estimate. EDGAR F. HAZELTON, Commissioner of Assessment.

WALTER C. SHEPPARD, Clerk.

jy26,30

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title in fee to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the purpose of opening the TRIANGULAR PARCEL OF LAND located at the junction of the northeasterly side of FLATBUSH AVENUE and the westerly side of Ashland Place, in the 11th Ward of the Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE final report of the Commissioners of Estimate and Commissioner of Assessment in the above-entitled matter will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, on the 4th day of August, 1915, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, and that the said final report has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, there to remain for and during the space of five days, as required by law.

Dated, New York, July 24th, 1915. PHILIP A. BRENNAN, CLARENCE B. CAMPBELL, Commissioners of Estimate. PHILIP A. BRENNAN, Commissioner of Assessment.

ANDREW C. TROY, Clerk.

jy24,29

Filing Bill of Costs.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of ROSEBANK AVENUE, from Southside Boulevard to Broad Street, in the 2nd and 4th Wards, Borough of Richmond, City of New York, excepting therefrom Damage Parcels Nos. 32 and 33, Parcel "A," pursuant to an order of the Supreme Court, Second Department, dated September 2nd, 1913, and entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Richmond December 10, 1913; affirmed by an order of the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court, 2nd Department, dated May 8, 1914, and entered in the office of the Clerk of the Appellate Division, 2nd Department, on May 8, 1914.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof, to be held for the hearing of motions at the County Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 9th day of August, 1915, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the Office of the Clerk of the County of Richmond, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by law.

Dated, New York, July 26th, 1915. GEO. W. STAKE, GEO. A. WOOD, JAMES T. ROURKE, Commissioners of Estimate. GEO. A. WOOD, Commissioner of Assessment.

JOEL J. SQUIER, Clerk.

jy26,a5

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of SHERMAN STREET from Fourteenth Street to Grand Avenue, and of MARION STREET, from Fourteenth Street to Ridge Street, in the First Ward Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof, to be held for the hearing of motions at the County Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 6th day of August, 1915, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the Office of the Clerk of the County of Queens, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by law.

Dated, New York, July 23rd, 1915. G. H. ALEXANDER, JOHN N. BOOTH, HARRY R. GELWICKS, Commissioners of Estimate. JOHN N. BOOTH, Commissioner of Assessment.

WALTER C. SHEPPARD, Clerk.

jy23,a3

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title in fee wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of TWENTIETH AVENUE, from 54th Street to Gravesend Avenue; FIFTY-SECOND STREET, from 18th Avenue to West Street, in the 30th Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE bill of costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the County Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn, in The City of New York, on the 4th day of August, 1915 at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by law.

Dated, New York, July 22d, 1915. HENRY P. VELTE, ALVAH W. BURLINGAME, JR., GEO. A. STEVES, Commissioners of Estimate. ALVAH W. BURLINGAME, JR., Commissioner of Assessment.

ANDREW C. TROY, Clerk.

jy22,a2

Filing Preliminary Abstracts.

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title in fee, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lands and premises required for the opening and extending of FOURTH AVENUE or RAPELJE AVENUE, between Jackson and Washington Avenues and between Graham and Winthrop Avenues, in the 1st 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 the proceeding, 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 16th day of August, 1915, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at their said office on the 18th day of August, 1915, at 2 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 16th day of August, 1915, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 19th day of August, 1915, 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 8th day of March, 1907, and that the said area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

One-half of the block on each side of the street to be opened, including the area lying within the line one-half block distant on each side of the street extended southwestwardly to the right of way of the Long Island Railroad and extended northeastwardly to a line 100 feet northeast of the northeasterly side of Winthrop avenue and parallel therewith.

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 18th day of August, 1915.

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 28th day of October, 1915, 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 891 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by Chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated, New York, July 21st, 1915.

WILLIAM E. STEWART, Chairman; HARRISON S. MOORE, Commissioners of Estimate.
WILLIAM E. STEWART, Commissioner of Assessment.

WALTER C. SHEPPARD, Clerk. jy27,a12

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 WEIRFIELD STREET, from the line between the Borough of Brooklyn and the Borough of Queens to Wyckoff Avenue; HANCOCK STREET, from the line between the Borough of Brooklyn and the Borough of Queens to Myrtle Avenue; JEFFERSON AVENUE, from the line between the Borough of Brooklyn and the Borough of Queens to Cypress Avenue, and CORNELIA STREET, from the line between the Borough of Brooklyn and the Borough of Queens to Fresh Pond Road, excepting in each case the right-of-way of the Evergreen Branch of the Long Island Railroad, in the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York, as amended and corrected by an order of the Supreme Court, Second Department, bearing date the 24th day of June, 1914, and entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on the 29th day of June, 1914, so as to conform with a change made in the lines of Cornelia street, in the block between Myrtle avenue and Cypress avenue, as shown on a Map adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on December 18, 1913.

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 16th day of August, 1915, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at their said office on the 18th day of August, 1915, at 2 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 16th day of August, 1915, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 19th day of August, 1915, 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 as amended for benefit by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 27th day of February, 1914, 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 line midway between the Borough of Brooklyn and the Borough of Queens, where it is intersected by a line midway between Putnam Avenue, Cornelia Street, and running thence northeastwardly along the said line midway between Putnam Avenue and Cornelia Street to a point distant 100 feet westerly from the westerly line of Forest Avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Forest Avenue; thence northwardly and always distant 100 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly line of Forest Avenue to the intersection with the southerly right of way line of the Lutheran Cemetery Branch of the Brooklyn Rapid Transit; thence eastwardly along the said right of way line to a point distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Fresh Pond Road, the said distance being measured by right angles to Fresh Pond Road; thence southwardly and parallel with Fresh Pond Road to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway

between Cornelia Street and Hughes Street as these streets are laid out between Anthon Avenue, Buchman Avenue; thence westwardly along the said line midway between Cornelia Street and Hughes Street and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with the centre line of Anthon Avenue; thence northwardly along the centre line of Anthon Avenue to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Cornelia Street and Hughes Street, as these streets are laid out between Forest Avenue and Anthon Avenue; thence westwardly along the said line midway between Cornelia Street and Hughes Street, and along the prolongation of the said line to a point distant 100 feet easterly from the easterly line of Forest Avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Forest Avenue; thence southwardly and parallel with Forest Avenue to the intersection of the prolongation of a line midway between Cornelia Street and Silver Street, as these streets are laid out where they adjoin Forest Avenue on the West; thence southwardly along the said line midway between Cornelia Street and Silver Street and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet northeasterly from and parallel with the northeasterly line of Woodward Avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Woodward Avenue; thence southeastwardly along the said line parallel with Woodward Avenue to the intersection with a line bisecting the angle formed by the intersection of the prolongations of the centre lines of Cornelia Street and Catalpa Avenue, as these streets are laid out between Onderdonk Avenue and Woodward Avenue; thence southwardly along the said bisecting line to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet southeasterly from and parallel with the southeasterly line of Cornelia Street, the said distance being measured at right angles to Cornelia Street; thence southwestwardly along the said line parallel with Cornelia Street to the intersection with a line distant 100 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 at right angles to Myrtle Avenue and passing through a point on its southerly side where it is intersected by the prolongation of a line midway between Hancock Street and Weirfield Street; thence southwardly along the said line at right angles to Myrtle Avenue to its southerly side; thence southwestwardly along the said line midway between Hancock Street and Weirfield Street and along the prolongation of the said line to a point distant 100 feet northeasterly from the northeasterly line of Wyckoff Avenue; thence southwardly and parallel with Wyckoff Avenue to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Weirfield Street and Halsey Street; thence southwestwardly along the said line midway between Weirfield Street and Halsey Street and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with a line between the Borough of Brooklyn and the Borough of Queens; thence northwardly along the said Borough Line to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth.—That the abstracts of said supplemental and amended estimate of damage and of said supplemental and amended assessment for benefit, together with the damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by the Commissioners of Estimate and by the Commissioner of Assessment in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, in the Municipal Building, Court House Square, in the Borough of Queens, in said City, there to remain until the 17th day of August, 1915.

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 22d day of October, 1915, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Sixth.—In case, however, objections are filed to the foregoing supplemental and amended abstracts of estimate and assessment or to either of them the motion to confirm the 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, July 16th, 1915.

JOHN C. MYERS, Chairman; CHAS. H. GEORGI, MICHAEL J. CONNOR, Commissioners of Estimate. JOHN C. MYERS, Commissioner of Assessment.

WALTER C. SHEPPARD, Clerk. jy26,a11

SECOND DEPARTMENT.

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of ADDISON PLACE from Laurel Hill Boulevard to Anable Avenue, as shown upon a map or plan adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment January 11, 1912, and to GOSMAN AVENUE from Borden Avenue to Barnett Avenue and from Dreyer Avenue to Jackson Avenue, in the 1st and 2nd Wards, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL PERSONS interested in the above-entitled proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First.—That the undersigned, Commissioners of Estimate, have completed their 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 5th day of August, 1915, 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 August, 1915, at 11 o'clock A. 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 5th day of August, 1915, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 10th day of August, 1915, at 11 o'clock A. M.

Third.—That the Commissioner of Assessment

has assessed any or all such lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises as are within the area of assessment fixed and prescribed as the amended area of assessment for benefit by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 18th day of April, 1912, and that the said area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

BEGINNING at a point on a line midway between Fifteenth avenue and Sixteenth avenue, distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Jackson avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Jackson avenue and running thence eastwardly and always distant 100 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly line of Jackson avenue to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Fitting street and Stone street, as these streets are laid out between Middleburg avenue and Queens boulevard; thence southwardly along the said line midway between Fitting street and Stone street, and along the prolongations of the said line to a point distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Borden avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Borden avenue; thence westwardly and always distant 100 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of Borden avenue to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Packard street and Bliss street; thence northwardly along the said line midway between Packard street and Bliss street, and along the prolongations of the said line to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Fifteenth avenue and Sixteenth avenue; thence northwardly along the said line midway between Fifteenth avenue and Sixteenth avenue and along the prolongation of the said line to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth.—That the abstracts of said supplemental and amended estimate of damage and of said supplemental and amended assessment for benefit, together with the damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by the Commissioners of Estimate and by the Commissioner of Assessment in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of The City of New York, in the Municipal Building, Court House Square, in the Borough of Queens, in said City, there to remain until the 9th day of August, 1915.

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 15th day of October, 1915, 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, July 12th, 1915.

WM. BOWNE PARSONS, Chairman; LUKE OTTEN, J. H. QUINLAN, Commissioners of Estimate. J. H. QUINLAN, Commissioner of Assessment.

WALTER C. SHEPPARD, Clerk. jy15,31

NOTICE TO BIDDERS AT SALES OF OLD BUILDINGS, ETC.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS UNDER WHICH BUILDINGS, ETC., WILL BE SOLD FOR REMOVAL FROM CITY PROPERTY.

THE BUILDINGS AND APPURTENANCES

thereto will be sold to the highest bidder, who must pay cash or certified check, drawn to the order of the Comptroller of The City of New York, and must also give a certified check or cash in half the amount of the purchase price as security for the faithful performance of the terms and conditions of the sale. Where the amount of the purchase price does not equal or exceed the sum of \$50, the sum of \$50 shall be the amount of the security to be deposited. This security may at any time after the expiration of the contract period be applied by the City to the cost of completing any of the work required under the contract, but unfinished at the expiration of the contract period.

The purchaser shall not lease, occupy, cause or permit the building or buildings, etc., purchased by him to be used or occupied for any purpose other than that of their speedy removal, nor shall he collect any rental or other revenue for the use of either the land or the buildings, etc., situated thereon. The breach of either or any of these conditions shall forthwith void the sale and cause immediate forfeiture of the purchase money and the security deposited for the faithful performance of the conditions of the sale. The placing therein or permitting the occupancy of any such building by any tenant free, for rent or otherwise, excepting the necessary watchmen or the workmen engaged in the actual demolition thereof, shall of itself be a breach of the above conditions of sale.

The sale will be as of the condition of the property on date of delivery thereof to the purchaser. The City of New York will not be responsible for any change or loss which may occur in the condition of the buildings, or their appurtenances between the time of the sale thereof and the time of delivering possession to the purchaser, after being properly vacated of all tenants. The sale and delivery to purchaser will be made as nearly together as the circumstances of vacating the structures of their tenants will permit.

All the material of the buildings, sheds, walks, structures and cellars of whatsoever nature, with their exterior and interior fixtures, appurtenances and foundations of all kinds, except the exterior walls of the buildings and their foundations and the sidewalks and curb in front of said buildings, extending within the described area, shall be torn down and removed from the premises. None of the dirt, debris or waste resulting from demolition shall be allowed to remain on the premises, except old mortar or plaster only, which may be left, but not higher at any point than two feet below the curb opposite that point. The exterior walls and their foundations shall be taken down only to a plane whose elevation shall be the level of the curb in front of the building. Where there is no curb the elevation of the surrounding ground shall be considered curb level. All wells, cesspools, sinks, etc., existing on the property must be filled to the level of the surrounding ground with clean earth.

The purchaser at the sale shall also withdraw and remove all abandoned water taps and old service mains, and in place thereof cause to be inserted a brass plug in the main water pipe in the street, in compliance with the rules and regulations of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, and furnish the Department of Finance with a certificate from the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity that this has been performed.

The purchaser at the sale shall also remove all

house sewer connections to the main sewer in the street and the openings of the main sewer in street shall be properly closed in compliance with the directions of the Bureau of Sewers in the Borough in which the buildings are situated, and furnish the Department of Finance with a certificate from the Bureau of Sewers that the work has been properly performed.

The permit for all opening in the street to be obtained by and at the expense of the purchaser of the building.

Failure to remove said buildings, appurtenances, or any part thereof, within thirty days from the day of possession will work forfeiture of ownership of such buildings, appurtenances, or portion as shall then be left standing, together with all moneys paid by said purchaser on account thereof at the time of the sale, and the bidder's assent to the above conditions being understood to be implied by the act of bidding, and The City of New York will, without notice to the purchaser, cause the same to be removed, and the cost and expense thereof charged against the security above mentioned.

The work of removal must be carried on in every respect in a thorough and workmanlike manner, and must be completed within thirty days from the day of possession, and the successful bidder will provide and furnish all materials of labor and machinery necessary thereto, and will place proper and sufficient guards and fences and warning signs by day and night for the prevention of accidents, and will indemnify and save harmless The City of New York, its officers, agents and servants, and each of them, against any and all suits and actions, claims and demands of every name and description brought against it, them or any of them, and against and from all damage and costs to which it, they or any of them be put by reason of injury to the person or property of another, resulting from negligence or carelessness in the performance of the work, or in guarding the same, or from any improper or defective materials or machinery, implements or appliances used in the removal of said buildings.

Where party walls are found to exist between buildings purchased by different bidders, the materials of said party walls shall be understood to be equally divided between the separate purchasers.

Party walls and fences, when existing against adjacent property not sold, shall not be taken down. All furrings, plaster, chimneys, protecting 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.

The Comptroller of The City of New York reserves the right on the day of sale to withdraw from sale any of the buildings, parts of buildings and machinery included therein, or to reject any and all bids; and it is further

Resolved, That, while the said sale is held under the supervision of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, the Comptroller is authorized to cause the sale to be advertised and to direct the sale thereof as financial officer of the City.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS AND ESTIMATES FOR THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS.

The person or persons making a bid or estimate for any services, work, materials or supplies for The City of New York, or for any of its departments, bureaus or offices, shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed with the title of the supplies, materials, work or services for which the bid or estimate is made, with his or their name or names and the date of presentation to the President or Board or to the head of the Department at his or its office, on or before the date and hour named in the advertisement for the same, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the President or Board or head of said Department and read, and the award of the contract made according to law as soon thereafter as practicable.

Each bid or estimate shall contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, and names of all persons interested with him therein, and, if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; also, that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud, and that no member of the Board of Aldermen, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of The City of New York is, shall be or become interested, directly or indirectly, as contracting party, partner, stockholder, surety or otherwise in or in the performance of the contract, or in the supplies, work or business to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate that the several matters stated herein are in all respects true.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless as a condition precedent to the reception or consideration of any proposal, it be accompanied by a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of The City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money or corporate stock or certificates of indebtedness of any nature issued by The City of New York, which the Comptroller shall approve as of equal value with the security required in the advertisement to the amount of not less than three nor more than five per centum of the amount of the bond required, as provided in section 420 of the Greater New York Charter.

The amount shall be as specified in the proposals or instructions to bidders and shall not be in excess of 5 per cent.

The certified check or money should not be inclosed in the envelope containing the bid or estimate, but should be either inclosed in a separate envelope addressed to the head of the Department, President or Board, or submitted personally upon the presentation of the bid or estimate.

For particulars as to the quantity and quality of the supplies, or the nature and extent of the work, reference must be made to the specifications, schedules, plans, etc., on file in the said office of the President, Board or Department.

No bid shall be accepted from or contract awarded to any person who is in arrears to The City of New York upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation 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.