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THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

STATED MEETING.

Tuesday, October 31, 1916, 1.30 o'clock p. m.

The Board met in the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall.

Present:

Frank L. Dowling, President of the Board of Aldermen.

Aldermen

Alexander Bassett.
Francis P. Bent.
Samuel J. Burden.
James J. Browne.
Lauren Carroll.
Louis F. Cardani.
Edward Cassidy.
Charles P. Cole.
William W. Colne.
Edward W. Cox.
S. Clinton Crane.
Frank A. Cunningham.
Edward W. Curley.
Henry H. Curran.
William J. Daly.
Charles Delaney.
John Diemer.
Frank T. Dixon.
Bernard E. Donnelly.
Frank Dostal, Jr.
Charles W. Dunn.
Alexander S. Drescher.
John T. Eagan.

Thomas M. Farley.
James R. Ferguson.
August Ferrand.
Samson Friedlander.
John S. Gaynor.
Edward V. Gilmore.
George G. Goetz.
Isaac Gutman.
Joseph M. Hannon.
Charles H. Haubert.
Harry Heyman.
George Hilkemeier.
Michael J. Hogan.
William P. Kenneally.
Francis P. Kenney.
John McCann.
William P. McGarry.
John McKee.
Charles A. McManus.
Thomas W. Martin.
James J. Molen.
Charles J. Moore.

Robert L. Moran.
Frank Mullen.
John J. O'Rourke.
Clarence Y. Palitz.
Charles A. Post.
William F. Quinn.
Harry Robitzek.
John J. Ryan.
John J. Schmitz.
Peter Schweickert.
Michael J. Shields.
Emanuel I. Silberstein.
Fred Smith.
Arnon L. Squiers.
Patrick H. Sullivan.
Michael Stapleton.
Frederick H. Stevenson.
Moritz Tolk.
William K. Walsh.
Thomas A. Williams.
John Wirth.
Augustus M. Wise.

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

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

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

Marcus M. Marks, President, Borough of Manhattan, by Ralph Folks, Commissioner of Public Works.

The President announced that Alderman Collins was excused from attendance. The Clerk proceeded to read the Minutes of the Stated Meeting of October 26th, 1916.

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

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

No. 941.

Communication Regarding Ordinance No. 629 as it Relates to Premises Known as the Dewey Theatre.

Saul J. Baron, counselor at law, Mutual Life Building, 34 Nassau Street, New York, October 30, 1916.

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

Honorable Sirs—We venture to call your attention to the following: On July 19, 1916, Mr. Justice Nathan Bijur, at a special term of the Supreme Court, Part

IV, held in the County of New York, rendered a decision in the action of Abraham H. Altschul, plaintiff, vs. Alfred Ludwig, as Superintendent of Buildings of the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York; William B. Ellison, as receiver of the estate of Timothy D. Sullivan, deceased, and Bernard F. Golden, defendants, affecting the premises known as the Dewey Theatre premises at East 14th Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

From that decision an appeal, now pending, has been taken by the defendants Alfred Ludwig and William B. Ellison to the Appellate Division of the First Department.

The undersigned, William B. Ellison, as receiver of the estate of Timothy D. Sullivan, has been represented in this litigation by Bruce Ellison, Esq., and Saul J. Baron, Esq., as associate counsel. Mr. Baron, until recently, has been the receiver of these premises under the foreclosure of a mortgage.

There has come to our notice Ordinance No. 629 of July 7, 1916, relating to the approval of theatres. The report to the ordinance reads in part as follows:

"This ordinance has been made necessary by a recent decision of the Supreme Court in order that theatres erected and operated in good faith since 1904, the safety of which has not been questioned, may continue to be operated as theatres. While the court decision referred to was probably intended to apply only to specific cases, the Corporation Counsel advises that the language is so broad that it applies to practically all theatres since 1904. No opposition has been offered to this ordinance, the parties interested in the litigation on which the decision was based are agreeable to its passage, and the ordinance has been urged by the Fire Commissioner and the Superintendent of Buildings of Manhattan. The Committee, therefore, recommends its adoption."

"The recent decision of the Supreme Court" referred to in the above extract is the decision of Mr. Justice Nathan Bijur above-mentioned.

As parties interested in the litigation on which the decision was based, we desire to respectfully bring to your notice that in no way and at no time have we personally or otherwise agreed to the passage of the ordinance above referred to.

We do not consent to the passage of the ordinance. On the contrary, we object to its passage; first, because it excepts from its operation the Dewey Theatre premises affected by the litigation referred to, and, secondly, its purpose is obviously to circumvent or anticipate the decision of the Court on appeal.

We are, respectfully yours,

WILLIAM B. ELLISON, Receiver of the Estate of Timothy D. Sullivan, Deceased; SAUL J. BARON, BRUCE ELLISON.

Which was referred to the Committee on Buildings.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM CITY, COUNTY AND BOROUGH OFFICERS.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Commissioner of Public Charities:

No. 942.

Commissioner of Public Charities—Request for Authority to Purchase Coal Without Public Letting.

Department of Public Charities of The City of New York, Municipal Building, Tenth Floor, October 25, 1916.

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

Dear Sirs—I respectfully request that permission be granted to purchase without public letting coal to an amount not to exceed \$1,500.

This request is made for the reason that the small amount of coal used by the Pelham Bay Home, located on Hunter Island, and the Bureau of Domestic Relations was not contracted for, as it was believed that were it included in the larger contract it would affect the prices. This coal can be purchased at a lower figure from local dealers in the open market than on contract. For this reason I trust that the above request will be granted. Respectfully yours,

GEORGE G. THOMSON, Third Deputy Commissioner.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Letting.

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

No. 943.

President, Borough of Queens—Request for Authority to Contract for Removal of Equipment, Etc., Without Public Letting.

The City of New York, Offices, Commissioner of Public Works of the Borough of Queens, Long Island City, October 30, 1916.

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

Dear Sirs—Your approval is hereby requested, in accordance with the provisions of Section 419 of the Charter of The City of New York, of entering into a contract without public letting for the expense incidental to the removal of the equipment and materials used by this office, from its present location to the new temporary Borough Hall located in the Queens Subway Building. The estimated expense for this work is \$1,800.

In view of the fact that this department must vacate its present premises before December 1, 1916, I request that your Board dispose of this request as quickly as possible. Very truly yours,

JAMES A. DAYTON, Commissioner of Public Works, and Acting President of the Borough of Queens.

In connection with the foregoing communication Alderman McCann offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That in pursuance of the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the President of the Borough of Queens be and he is hereby authorized and empowered to enter into a contract, without public letting, for the expense incidental to the removal of the equipment and materials used by his office from its present location to the new temporary Borough Hall in the Queens Subway Building, at an estimated cost of eighteen hundred dollars (\$1,800).

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

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

Affirmative—Aldermen Bassett, Bent, Burden, Browne, Cardani, Cassidy, Cole, Colne, Cox, Crane, Cunningham, Curley, Curran, Daly, Delaney, Diemer, Dixon, Donnelly, Dostal, Dunn, Drescher, Eagan, Farley, Ferguson, Ferrand, Friedlander, Gaynor, Gilmore, Goetz, Gutman, Hannon, Haubert, Heyman, Hilkemeier, Hogan, Kenneally, Kenney, McCann, McGarry, McKee, McManus, Martin, Molen, Moore, Moran, Mullen, O'Rourke, Palitz, Post, Quinn, Robitzek, Ryan, Schmitz, Schweickert, Shields, Silberstein, Smith, Squiers, Sullivan, Stapleton, Stevenson, Tolk, Walsh, Williams, Wirth, Wise—66.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Police Commissioner:

No. 944.

Police Commissioner—Request for Authority to Purchase Ten Automobiles Without Public Letting.

City of New York, Police Department, October 27, 1916.

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

Gentlemen—It is respectfully requested that the Board of Aldermen, pursuant to section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, authorize the purchase of ten small automobiles in the open market instead of by contract at public letting, at a cost not to exceed \$3,770. Respectfully, ARTHUR WOODS, Police Commissioner.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Letting.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Public Administrator, New York County:

No. 945.

Public Administrator, New York County—Monthly Statement of Accounts.

Bureau of the Public Administrator, New York, September 30, 1916.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

Pursuant to Chapter 230, Section 30, of the Laws of 1898, the undersigned hereby reports a transcript of such of his accounts as have been closed or finally settled, and of those on which any money has been received by him as part of the proceeds of any estate on which he has administered since the date of his last report.

Respectfully, WILLIAM M. HOES, Public Administrator of the County of New York.

A Transcript of Such of His Accounts as Have Been Closed or Finally Settled Since the Date of His Last Report.

Name of Deceased and Date of Final Decree.	Total Amount Received.	Total Expenses, Administration and Claims of Creditors.	Com-mis-sions Paid into the City Treasury.	Amount Paid into City Treasury for or Next of Kin.
George W. Sherwood.....	\$262 17	\$249 05	\$13 12.	.....
Chas. W. Miller	226 00	214 70	11 30	.....
Louis Brown	1 05	20	.....	\$0 85
Mary Lynch No. 1.....	75 49	38 00	3 77	33 72
John V. Miller	13 16	.....	33	12 83
Auguste Deckert	580 00	184 86	29 25	365 89
Margaret Meehan (costs, \$25)....	6,257 40	593 07	218 94	5,420 39
James Mortimer (costs, \$10).....	1,492 20	681 56	74 61	726 03
Joseph Fossatti (costs, \$5)	666 60	661 60	.....	952 02
Johanna Geist (costs, \$25).....	3,086 38	65 64	139 66	1,904 06
Isadore Kennedy (costs, \$10)	1,029 82	413 66	51 49	.....
Anthony Bork (costs, \$10).....	1,160 03	719 32	52 86	377 85
Emma J. Roof (costs, \$10).....	1,099 19	34 93	54 65	999 61
	15,949 49	\$3,856 59	\$649 98	\$9,114 35
				\$2,233 57

Total costs, \$95.

A Statement of the Title of Any Estate on Which Any Money Has Been Received Since the Date of the Last Report.

Joseph Miller, \$3; William Miller, \$505; Nellie Poole, \$330; John Lorenzen, \$7; Billy Van, \$90.45; Arthur E. Henderson, \$15.60; John A. Leans, \$79; Drew Morton, \$12.35; Lucy Hayes, \$1; Mathilda Odermatt, \$34; Jacob Peters or Fuchs, \$33.60; Mary Sutton, \$156.75; Patrick Bryne, \$8.46; Robt. Conacher, \$1.06; Carl L. Bradin, \$10.17; Chas. Stanford, \$170.61; Ida M. Dixon, \$6.75; Bedros Harostinian, \$9; Commissioner of Charities, September 12, list attached, \$43.80; Coroners' Office, August 31, list attached, \$44.27; Commissioner of Charities, September 12, list attached, \$34.81; Kate Anderson, \$98.60; Carl Sperber, \$4.72; Sophie Ducco, \$501; Alexander Ernst, \$15; M. F. Laffan, \$750; F. M. Gent, 90 cents; Grace Nevins, \$66.15; M. F. Laffan, \$46.50; M. Javinsky, \$5; Ella Baker, \$1; Alfred Tidby, \$26.19; Stalos Zouridis, \$750; George Zuber, \$99.42; Mary McCarthy, \$790.94; Joseph E. Pedder, \$338.12; Ragnor Sorensen, \$1,615.92; Mary Lynch No. 3, \$1.01; John J. Conlon, \$15; Celia Stinad, \$363.46; A. Vevelogianer, \$353.42; Denis D. Meehan, \$494.64; Evaggalar Cachiziania, \$235.18; Karl Mehaly, \$1,060.80; Eva Hecht, \$40; Frieda W. Anderson, \$751.15; Angelo Fumeo, \$2,396.63; Stavio Zouridis, \$202.89; Charly Kaulboars, \$24.05; Elizabeth Sterry, \$2; Robert Conacher, \$386.12; Dennis D. Meehan, \$100; John Dorgan, \$18; Wm. E. Murch, \$2.11; Rose Rosenthal, \$471; James Duggan, \$304.06; Aubrey Haywood, \$100; Stavio Zouridis, \$10.80; Max Rodosaiszeivich, \$15; Charles Knoll, 55 cents; Olivia Brown, 88 cents; Albert G. Cook, 10 cents; Mary Binder, 42 cents; Edward Stammer, \$100; Nellie F. Keena, \$52; Augustine White, \$6.35; William D. Leahy, \$21.20; Lorenz Gamisour, \$281.60; Eva Hecht, \$160.50; Rose Edwards, \$41.36; M. Ivanhoff, \$10.

Cash from Coroners, Manhattan, August 31, 1916.

Pardon Angell, 85 cents; James Gray, \$1.89; William Ronaldson, 62 cents; John Rosen (expenses, 25 cents), \$3.30; Henry Schroeder, 32 cents; Lucy Stewart, 18 cents; Joseph Shaidt, 14 cents; Leigh Stanton (expenses, 25 cents), \$4.25; John Winkler, 2 cents; unknown man, Abraham Moon, (expenses, 25 cents), \$15; unknown man, Pier 33 East River (expenses, 25 cents), \$7.22; unknown man, East Channel, East River, \$1; unknown man, Ernest L. Field, \$4.10; unknown man, East River, off Old Slip, \$3.55; unknown woman, Helen Hayes, \$1.36; unknown man, Battery Landing, 21 cents; unknown man, Williamsburg Bridge, 15 cents; unknown man, North River, 190th St., 1 cent; unknown man, 178 E. 128th St., \$1.10; \$45.27; carfare and expenses, \$1; \$44.27.

Cash from Department of Charities, September 12, 1916, Metropolitan Hospital.

Julius Howison, \$1; Joseph McGinley, 20 cents; Mary Sternberg, 40 cents; Thomas J. Sullivan, 47 cents; William Brandt, 25 cents; Charles McCarthy, 30 cents; John O'Haire, 3 cents; Walter Grisson, \$1; Maggie Prigg, 12 cents; Ida Margulies, 30 cents; Francis J. Cole, 73 cents; Charles Parker, 24 cents; Raphael Scorzelli, 26 cents; Frank Carpunk, \$12; George Denner, \$1.50; \$18.80.

Cash from Department of Charities, September 12, 1916.

Onig Ekestion, 89 cents; David Rittenmeyer, \$3.88; Christian Fasig, 45 cents; James Potterton, 52 cents; Margaret Hamilton, \$24; Bertha Cohen, 7 cents; Harry Frank, 6 cents; Maurice Gordon, 76 cents; Anthony Motim, \$1.30; William Raber, 26 cents; Moses Stern, \$2.62; total, \$34.81.

Which was ordered on file.

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

No. 946.

President, Borough of Manhattan—Communication Submitting an Amendment to the Ordinance Relating to Vaults.

City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, Department of Public Works, Municipal Building, October 30, 1916.

Hon. FRANK L. DOWLING, President of the Board of Aldermen, City of New York:

Dear Sir—There is submitted herewith, in duplicate, an amendment to the ordinance relating to vaults, for the consideration of the Board of Aldermen at its meeting on Tuesday, October 31st, 1916.

This amendment is submitted to correct the Code by reason of the fact that a similar amendment introduced early in the year was signed by his Honor, the Mayor, on a day later than the Code was approved.

This amendment is urgently needed to correct the Code, and it is earnestly requested that it be given prompt attention. Very truly yours,

JOHN H. BOSCHEN Assistant Commissioner.

AN ORDINANCE to Amend Subdivision 1 of Section 240 of Article 17 of Chapter 23 of the Code of Ordinances, Relating to Vaults and Cisterns.

Be It Ordained, by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York as follows: Section 1. Subdivision 1 of Section 240 of Article 17 of Chapter 23 of the Code of Ordinances, relating to vaults, as amended by ordinance effective July 7, 1916, is hereby further amended to read as follows:

§240. General provisions.

1. Definitions. Whenever used in this article, the term vault shall be deemed to mean every description of opening below the surface of the street in front of any [shop, store, house or other building] improved or unimproved property that is covered over; except openings which are used exclusively as places for descending to the cellar floor of any building or buildings, by means of steps, and openings over which substantial and safe fixed gratings have been erected or may be erected in accordance with the provisions of Article 17, provided said openings be used primarily for light and ventilation.

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

Which was referred to the Committee on General Welfare.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the County Judge and Surrogate, County of Richmond:

No. 947.

County Judge and Surrogate, Richmond County—Communication in Regard to Salary of Chief Clerk William Finley.

County Judge and Surrogate, County of Richmond, Borough Hall, New Brighton, N. Y., October 30, 1916.

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

Gentlemen—I beg to advise you that I have fixed the compensation of my Chief Clerk, William Finley, at \$3,540 a year, the same to take effect the 1st day of January, 1917. This increases the Chief Clerk's salary from \$3,000 per annum, which he now receives, to \$3,540 per annum. I respectfully request you to pass an ordinance in accordance with section 2491 of the Code of Civil Procedure, consenting to this increase. Very truly yours,

J. HARRY TIERNAN, County Judge and Surrogate of Richmond County.

In connection with the foregoing communication, Alderman Walsh offered the following:

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of section 249 of the Code of Civil Procedure and on the fixation thereof by the County Judge and Surrogate of the County of Richmond, as set forth in the accompanying communication, the appointment of William Finley as Chief Clerk in the office of said County Judge and Surrogate is hereby ratified and the compensation of the position is fixed at the rate of three thousand five hundred and forty dollars (\$3,540) per annum, said compensation to take effect January 1, 1917.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

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

No. 948.

President, Borough of Richmond—Request for Permission to Purchase Highway Material in Open Market Without Public Letting.

City of New York, President of the Borough of Richmond, Borough Hall, New Brighton, Staten Island, October 31, 1916.

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

Gentlemen—In accordance with a resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen on July 7, 1916, requesting an issue of special revenue bonds to the amount of twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000), the proceeds whereof to be used by the President of the Borough of Richmond for the purpose of maintenance of highways for the year 1916, be and the same is hereby approved of and concurred in by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to the extent of eleven thousand dollars (\$11,000), and for the purpose of providing means therefor the Comptroller is hereby authorized, pursuant to the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, to issue special revenue bonds of the City of New York to an amount not exceeding eleven thousand dollars (\$11,000), redeemable from the tax levy of the year succeeding the year of their issue, all obligations to be incurred hereunder to be contracted for on or before December 31, 1916.

As it is absolutely necessary that about four thousand dollars (\$4,000) of the foregoing amount will be required for the purchase of highway material for the maintenance and repair to the roads enumerated in the above resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 27th inst., it will be practically impossible to follow the lines of having the usual time devoted to advertising, followed by a public letting, and secure the material in advance of the closing down of the winter season. This will mean that, unless the stone is secured promptly, the appropriation made will not be available for the use intended by this resolution.

I, therefore, request that, pursuant to the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the President of the Borough of Richmond be and is hereby authorized and empowered to purchase said highway material in the open market instead of by contract and public letting in the sum of four thousand dollars (\$4,000). Very truly yours,

CALVIN D. VAN NAME, President of the Borough.

In connection with the foregoing communication Alderman McCann offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the President of the Borough of Richmond be and he is hereby authorized and empowered to purchase highway material for the maintenance and repair of roads during the year 1916 to the extent of four thousand dollars (\$4,000), in the open market, without public letting.

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

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

Affirmative—Aldermen Bassett, Bent, Burden, Browne, Cardani, Cassidy, Cole, Colne, Cox, Crane, Cunningham, Curley, Curran, Daly, Delaney, Diemer, Dixon, Donnelly, Dostal, Dunn, Drescher, Eagan, Farley, Ferguson, Ferrand, Friedlander, Gaynor, Gilmore, Goetz, Gutman, Hannon, Haubert, Heyman, Hilkemeier, Hogan, Kenneally, Kenney, McCann, McGarry, McKee, McManus, Martin, Molen, Moore, Moran, Mullen, O'Rourke, Palitz, Post, Quinn, Robitzek, Ryan, Schmitz, Schweickert, Shields, Silberstein, Smith, Squiers, Sullivan, Stapleton, Stevenson, Tolk, Walsh, Williams, Wirth, Wise—66.

ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTION.

No. 949.

Resolution Appointing Various Persons Commissioners of Deeds.

By the President—

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

By Alderman Bent—

Herbert William Scholtz, 30 Linden St., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by H. M. P. Holzman and J. G. Clark.

Chauncey P. Williams, 1100 Madison St., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by G. H. Ott and T. B. Jones.

Dora M. Landstrom, 106 Weirfield St., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by W. G. Howell and D. A. Howell.

By Alderman Browne—

Gertrude Prendergast, 157 N. Oxford St., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by C. W. Dunn and W. F. Delaney.

Charles E. Henshall, 110 N. Oxford St., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by T. G. Bergen and D. W. Reiley.

Joseph Gaskin, 140 Pearl St., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by R. B. Cook and J. F. Conway.

Kathleen Rose Cowley, 310 Myrtle Ave., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by C. W. Dunn and W. F. Delaney.

By Alderman Burden—

Liborio Randazzo, 274 Ely Ave., L. I. C., Queens.

Endorsed by M. Schneiderman and V. Bassano.

By Alderman Carroll—

Henry Lewis, 76 East 93rd St., Manhattan.

Endorsed by D. J. Markowitz and H. H. Straus.

Elmer Charles Gates, 1220 Third Ave., Manhattan.

Endorsed by F. Munson and A. Bell.

George B. Hedges, 107 East 57th St., Manhattan.

Endorsed by W. Washburn and A. R. Shiland.

By Alderman Colne—

James Edward Hicks, 645 Franklin ave., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by R. H. Harper and W. L. Judson.

By Alderman Cox—

Anthony J. Babiak, 2387 Silver st., Ridgewood, Queens.

Endorsed by S. L. Peven and J. B. McCarren.

Joseph Danziger, Middle Village, L. I., Queens.

Endorsed by H. J. Martin and A. W. Leist.

By Alderman Crane—

Moses L. Falk, 526 W. 173rd st., Manhattan.

Endorsed by S. J. Dickheiser and G. H. Epstein.

William Kennedy, 467 W. 166th st., Manhattan.

Endorsed by E. Shelby and A. B. Guild.

Hugo Heyman, 938 St. Nicholas ave., Manhattan.

Endorsed by H. Sulzbacher and J. Elsber.

Nathan Rosenthal, 450 Audubon ave., Manhattan.

Endorsed by J. Hahn and H. Steinthal.

M. Vartan Malcom, 830 West 179th st., Manhattan.

Endorsed by A. T. Spiegel and W. K. Schwabach.

James O. Tryon, 52 St. Nicholas pl., Manhattan.

Endorsed by J. A. Potter and H. B. Leary.

Charlotte Louise Ames, 704 W. 180th st., Manhattan.

Endorsed by M. W. Rayens and D. E. Delavan.

By Alderman Curley—

Joseph F. Brannigan, 343 East 138th st., Bronx.

Endorsed by B. D. Rose and S. Rabinowitz.

Samuel Ferber, 235 Brook ave., Bronx.

Endorsed by H. Erb and C. Spitzer.

Clark H. Van Wagenen, 346 Willis ave., Bronx.

Endorsed by F. F. McCauley and E. Dermody.

Louis Sanders, 887 Southern Boulevard, Bronx.

Endorsed by B. Raymond and J. H. Reikin.

Charles A. Palmer, 515 Simpson Place, Bronx.

Endorsed by F. W. Parkinson and J. L. Devine.

By Alderman Diemer—
Harry H. Altman, 546 Willoughby Ave., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by P. M. Edelstan and A. H. Carr.
Harry A. Marans, 443 Jefferson Ave., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by S. Kemar and B. S. Nusher.
Ethel A. Kimpton, 165 Hart St., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by L. J. Reynolds and R. A. Geis.
Louis Cohn, 699 Willoughby Ave., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by H. Blumenan and H. D. Henohel.

By Alderman Dixon—
William Ocker, 45 South 3d St., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by S. Engle and M. Gollubier.

By Alderman Dostal—
Samuel G. Herman, 42 First Ave., Manhattan.
Endorsed by L. Lemson and M. S. Seidler.
Benjamin Katz, 180 Norfolk St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by L. Scherer and J. A. Seidman.

By Alderman Donnelly—
Abraham Rosenberg, 673 Broadway, Manhattan.
Endorsed by I. Edelsack and A. Hutzberg.

By Alderman Drescher—
Abraham Feit, 378 Hegeman Ave., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by M. Jacobs and L. Joseph.
Valentine Steuerwald, 1175 East 96th St., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by D. J. Fullerton and H. A. James.
Elishe Seidelman, 321 Sackman St., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by L. Luickel and I. Shlesten.

By Alderman Dunn—
Joseph F. McNamara, 348 74th St., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by W. L. Durack and A. A. Sparks.
Philip Gootenberg, 1320 50th St., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by J. E. Seaman and J. Kucia, Jr.
Malcolm McKinnon, Jr., 241 89th St., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by J. Niglehurst and H. Rocker.
Andrew J. Murtha, 517 61st St., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by W. A. Boyle and J. Hatton.

By Alderman Ferguson—
Arthur D. Fisher, 297 East 161st St., Bronx.
Endorsed by D. W. McCoy and W. E. Dunn.

By Alderman Friedlander—
Henry Meyer, 106 West 115th St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by C. Dubrusky and Wm. Rabinowich.
Louise Asher, 155 West 118th St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by J. M. Sheehy and H. Keppler.

By Alderman Gaynor—
James Joseph Connolly, 136 Hooper St., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by J. A. Wilsen and A. Van Wagner.
David George Stember, 112 Keap St., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by F. Weiss and H. E. Mohr.

By Alderman Gilmore—
Harry C. Blome, 306 East 85th St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by H. F. O'Reilly and S. C. Reisman.

By Alderman Goetz—
William J. Wolf, 3640 Metropolitan ave., Jamaica, Queens.
Endorsed by W. T. Wright and J. P. Rudden.
Elmer John Ashmead, 10 DeLapp st., Jamaica, Queens.
Endorsed by J. C. John and D. Wallace.
Julian P. Jollon, 176 Hillside ave., Jamaica, Queens.
Endorsed by W. T. Wright and J. P. Rudden.
Gilbert C. Donovan, 10 Hillcrest ave., Jamaica, Queens.
Endorsed by J. A. Munson, Jr., and J. C. Lott.
Herbert J. Armstrong, 80 Waterbury ave., Richmond Hill, Queens.
Endorsed by S. C. Donovan and J. A. Munson, Jr.
Paul Doring, 410 Ward st., Richmond Hill, Queens.
Endorsed by A. J. Dietrich and R. E. Smith.
Mary A. Lang, 91A Reid ave., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by G. C. Dickel and H. C. Gobbson.
C. Christian Softeiss, 4187 Jamaica ave., Woodhaven, Queens.
Endorsed by J. Behrens and C. H. Schroeder.
James Edward Short, south side of Chippewa ave., Hollis, L. I., Queens.
Endorsed by J. C. Julien and D. Wallace.
Joseph P. Rudden, 48 Washington st., Jamaica, Queens.
Endorsed by W. J. Wright and G. A. Roesch.
Frederic N. Webster, 208 Hamilton ave., R. Hill, Queens.
Endorsed by J. H. Webster and H. J. Boorland.

By Alderman Gutman—
Rubin Auerbach, 11 E. 109th st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by M. Graubard and M. L. Levine.
Leopold Friedman, 53 E. 96th st., Manhattan.
Endorsed by H. G. Wiley and W. M. Mandel.

By Alderman Haubert—
Pasquale Mastridge, 141 Hopkinson ave., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by C. H. Hahn and J. R. Doughty.

By Alderman Heyman—
Morris J. Reichel, 155-157 Seigel st., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by H. Bemeth and I. Balmuth.

By Alderman Hilkemeier—
John Sell, 439 Evergreen ave., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by F. P. Norris and W. A. Dennis.
John Klein, 767 Bushwick ave., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by G. Pebler and C. B. Lutz.

By Alderman Hogan—
Anna T. Coyle, 42 Joralemon st., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by J. F. Fagan and J. W. Commerford.

By Alderman McGarry—
Edward A. Dowling, 143 Huron St., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by V. G. Hammerschley and H. Korn.

By Alderman Molen—
Francis Anthony Boyle, 459 18th St., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by J. A. Dillmeier and E. A. Curran.

By Alderman Mullen—
Harry Dubinsky, 938 St. Nicholas Ave., Manhattan.
Endorsed by H. Meyer and H. Rabinowich.
Maurice M. Strauss, 520 West 183d St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by J. Uhl and H. Ringer.
Irene B. Cox, 684 St. Nicholas Ave., Manhattan.
Endorsed by G. Gillespie and Wm. F. Delaney.
Estelle Gari, 565 West 144th St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by E. J. H. Cross and J. F. Sullivan.

By Alderman O'—
James F. Fly, 262 West 88th St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by G. Ott and P. McCormack.

By Alderman Robitzek—
Jacob Cohen, 827 Union Ave., Bronx.
Endorsed by B. Levy and D. B. Peskin.
Michael Seinfeld, 1728 Crotona Park East, Bronx.
Endorsed by P. J. Knobloch and M. Leikin.
Waldemar Francis Krongold, 1427 Charlotte St., Bronx.
Endorsed by D. Cohen and F. J. Grimm.
Thomas J. Byrnes, 2111 Clinton Ave., Bronx.
Endorsed by T. Ryan and W. F. Sullivan.
Charles George Behre, 295 West 147th St., Bronx.
Endorsed by J. Tobias and W. V. Zepser.

By Alderman Ryan—
Robert F. Rice, West 8th St., cor. Surf Ave., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by J. Guinan and W. Van Cleaf, Jr.

Agnes R. Kelly, 784 President St., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by I. Cortelyu and M. J. Pape.
Francis S. Root, 1763 E. 13th St., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by J. H. Cross and Thomas B. Jones.

By Alderman Schmitz—
Regina V. Fisher, 174 Ivy St., Queens (Elmhurst).
Endorsed by J. Tuohy W. Stewart.

By Alderman Schweickert—
John H. Behrmann, 832 East 226th St., Bronx.
Endorsed by J. E. Dobbs and L. Schneider.

By Alderman Shields—
George W. Thedford, Jr., 300 West-109th St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by J. A. Conner and A. Little.

By Alderman Smith—
William J. Canary, 443 Sumner Ave., Kings.
Endorsed by W. E. Dunn and P. McCormack.
Arthur Gunther, 351 Halsey St., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by J. W. Darcy and C. Bailey.

By Alderman Squires—
Harry G. Woodcock, 723 Prospect Place, Brooklyn.
Endorsed by G. S. Horton and D. Healey.
John C. McInerney, 540 3rd St., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by N. Simon and J. McConnell.
Frederick E. B. Scott, 693 Flatbush Ave., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by M. Cohen and P. L. Foote.
Elizabeth Burkitt, 361 Lincoln Road, Brooklyn.
Endorsed by T. H. Ireland, Jr., and D. Mullahy.

By Alderman Stapleton—
Ely Rosenberg, 29 Catharine St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by Elias Feinsod and I. Cortil.

By Alderman Stevenson—
John G. Erhardt, 580 Tenth St., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by W. DuBois and H. Ahlheim.

By Alderman Trau—
John B. Coppola, 1861 Lexington Ave., Manhattan.
Endorsed by L. E. Greenberg and L. Moschcowitz.
Thomas A. Scotillo, 322 East 114th St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by W. E. Dunn and P. McCormack.
Marie C. Ryan, 16 East 120th St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by D. Gimpore and W. B. Aitken.

By Alderman Tolk—
Meyer Dunst, 102 Norfolk St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by W. Hecht and S. J. Stadler.

By Alderman Williams—
Simon Oppenheimer, 109 West 101st St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by D. Steele, Jr., and I. Shorr.
William A. Martin, 108 West 106th St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by T. Gallagher and G. Turley.
Daniel F. O'Brien, 27 Manhattan ave., Manhattan.
Endorsed by F. Leahey and P. McCormack.
Rich. J. Kelly, 120 West 97th St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by J. H. Cross and D. J. Hayes.

By Alderman Wirth—
James H. Lamb, 900 Greene Ave., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by J. B. Kondorfer and A. Nichols.

By Alderman Wise—
James E. Poe, 125 West 135th St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by A. J. Kohn and P. Murray.

Which was, on general consent of the Board, made a General Order for the

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

Which was unanimously decided in the affirmative by the following vote:
Affirmative—Aldermen Bassett, Bent, Burden, Browne, Cardani, Cassidy, Cole, Colne, Cox, Crane, Cunningham, Curley, Curran, Daly, Delaney, Diemer, Dixon, Donnelly, Dostal, Dunn, Drescher, Eagan, Farley, Ferguson, Ferrand, Friedlander, Gaynor, Gilmore, Goetz, Gutman, Hannon, Haubert, Heyman, Hilkemeier, Hogan, Kenneally, Kenney, McCann, McGarry, McKee, McManus, Martin, Molen, Moore, Moran, Mullen, O'Rourke, Palitz, Post, Quinn, Robitzek, Ryan, Schmitz, Schweickert, Shields, Silberstein, Smith, Squiers, Sullivan, Stapleton, Stevenson, Tolk, Walsh, Williams, Wirth, Wise; President Connolly, by James A. Dayton, Commissioner of Public Works; President Mathewson, by John G. Borgstede, Commissioner of Public Works; President Pounds, by Edmund W. Voorhies, Commissioner of Public Works; President Marks, by Ralph Folks, Commissioner of Public Works.

No. 950.

Resolution to Provide for an Issue of Special Revenue Bonds to the Amount of \$300 for the Purpose of Extending Relief to Poor and Indigent Women who Served as Nurses in the U. S. Service.

By Alderman Ferrand—
Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 183 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of three hundred dollars (\$300), the proceeds whereof to be used by the Commissioner of Public Charities for the purpose of extending relief to any poor or indigent woman who served not less than ninety days as a nurse in a hospital, field or camp with the military or naval service of the United States in the War of the Rebellion, the Spanish-American War, or the War of the Philippine Insurrection, in accordance with the provisions of chapter 595 of the Laws of 1913.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

No. 951.

An Ordinance to Amend Article 1 of Chapter 11 of the Code of Ordinances, Relating to the Discharge of Small Arms.

By Alderman Post—
AN ORDINANCE to amend article 1 of chapter 11 of the Code of Ordinances, relating to the discharge of small arms.

Be it Ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York as follows:
Section 1. Subdivision 4 of section 2 of article 1 of chapter 11 of the Code of Ordinances, relating to the discharge of small arms, as amended, is hereby further amended by adding at the end thereof the following words: *the grounds of the Jamaica Avenue Gun Club, between Brandt's Hotel and Union Turnpike, Flushing; the grounds of the Malba Field and Marine Club, at Malba;*
Sec. 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Note—New matter in italics.

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

Which was unanimously decided in the affirmative by the following vote:
Affirmative—Aldermen Bassett, Bent, Burden, Browne, Cardani, Cassidy, Cole, Colne, Cox, Crane, Cunningham, Curley, Curran, Daly, Delaney, Diemer, Dixon, Donnelly, Dostal, Dunn, Drescher, Eagan, Farley, Ferguson, Ferrand, Friedlander, Gaynor, Gilmore, Goetz, Gutman, Hannon, Haubert, Heyman, Hilkemeier, Hogan, Kenneally, Kenney, McCann, McGarry, McKee, McManus, Martin, Molen, Moore, Moran, Mullen, O'Rourke, Palitz, Post, Quinn, Robitzek, Ryan, Schmitz, Schweickert, Shields, Silberstein, Smith, Squiers, Sullivan, Stapleton, Stevenson, Tolk, Walsh, Williams, Wirth, Wise; President Connolly, by James A. Dayton, Commissioner of Public Works; President Mathewson, by John G. Borgstede, Commissioner of Public Works; President Pounds, by Edmund W. Voorhies, Commissioner of Public Works; President Marks, by Ralph Folks, Commissioner of Public Works.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Reports of the Committee on Finance—

No. 883 (S. O. No. 154).

Report of the Committee on Finance in Favor of Adopting Resolution Authorizing an Issue of Special Revenue Bonds, \$3,500, to Pay the Cost of Equipping Cottage No. 2 at New York City Farm Colony.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on October 3, 1916 (Minutes,

page 8), the annexed request of the Commissioner of Public Charities for special revenue bonds, \$4,200, to pay the cost of equipping Cottage No. 2 at the New York City Farm Colony, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject, and basing its conclusions on the findings of the attached report of the Bureau of Contract Supervision, it recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds to the amount of three thousand five hundred dollars (\$3,500), the proceeds whereof to be used by the Commissioner of Public Charities for the purpose of equipping Cottage No. 2 at the New York City Farm Colony. All obligations contracted for hereunder to be incurred on or before December 31, 1916.

FRANCIS P. KENNEY, WM. P. KENNEALLY, JOHN T. EAGAN, MICHAEL STAPLETON, F. H. STEVENSON, JOHN DIEMER, CHARLES DELANEY, FRANCIS P. BENT, Committee on Finance.

Department of Public Charities of The City of New York, Municipal Building, Tenth Floor, September 26, 1916.

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

Gentlemen—Your Honorable Board is hereby requested to issue revenue bonds in the sum of \$4,200. These revenue bonds are to pay the cost of equipping Cottage No. 2 at the New York City Farm Colony. Cottage No. 1 has already been furnished and the purchase of equipment for this cottage indicates that \$4,200 is the amount necessary to properly equip the building. Yours very truly,

G. G. THOMSON, Deputy and Acting Commissioner.

City of New York, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building, Bureau of Contract Supervision, October 30, 1916.

No. 883—Commissioner of Public Charities—Request for Special Revenue Bonds, \$4,200, to Pay the Cost of Equipping a Cottage at the Farm Colony.

Hon. FRANCIS P. KENNEY, Chairman, Committee on Finance, Board of Aldermen:

Sir—I have caused an examination to be made into this request and report as follows:

The proposed equipment is for one of two cottages which have been recently completed at the New York City Farm Colony and which are known as "Cottage No. 1" and "Cottage No. 2." These buildings are of the same size and design and the equipment for "Cottage No. 1" has been purchased or contracted for at a cost of \$3,300.

The cost of the equipment for Cottage No. 2 should approximate this amount, but to provide for slight increases in cost of some of the articles necessary it will probably be necessary to provide \$3,500 for this purpose.

It is proposed to open this cottage this winter.

Very truly yours,

Which was laid over.

TILDEN ADAMSON, Director.

No. 903.

Report of the Committee on Finance in Favor of Filing Request of the President of the Borough of Richmond for Special Revenue Bonds for Purpose of Maintaining Motor Vehicles for Remainder of the Year.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on October 10, 1916 (Minutes, page 58), the annexed request of the President of the Borough of Richmond for Special Revenue Bonds, No. 1500, for the purpose of maintaining the motor vehicle service for the remainder of the year, respectfully

REPORTS:

That the Committee has been advised that these funds can be obtained by transfer of accruals. It therefore recommends that the accompanying request be placed on file.

FRANCIS P. KENNEY, WM. P. KENNEALLY, JOHN T. EAGAN, MICHAEL STAPLETON, F. H. STEVENSON, JOHN DIEMER, CHARLES DELANEY, FRANCIS P. BENT, Committee on Finance.

The City of New York, Office of the President of the Borough of Richmond, Borough Hall, New Brighton, New York City, October 5th, 1916.

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

Gentlemen—I would respectfully request your Board to authorize an issue of special revenue bonds in the sum of \$1,500 for the purpose of maintaining the motor vehicle service of this office for the remainder of the present year.

Of the sum named about six hundred dollars (\$600) will be required for the purchase of gasoline and miscellaneous supplies. An estimated sum of six hundred dollars will be required for equipment (mainly tires), and for repairs and materials the sum of three hundred dollars (\$300) is estimated.

When our budget estimate for the present year was prepared, the price of gasoline was about one-half (12 cents per gallon) of what it has been during the present year with the result that the funds allowed for this purpose are now exhausted. An insufficient appropriation for equipment, materials and repairs for motor vehicles, together with their higher cost, makes necessary the replenishment of these funds.

Yours respectfully,

HENRY P. MORRISON, Acting President of the Borough of Richmond.

City of New York, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building, Bureau of Contract Supervision, October 27, 1916.

No. 903—President of the Borough of Richmond, Request for Special Revenue Bonds, \$1,500, for the purpose of maintaining the Motor Vehicle Service for the remainder of the year.

Hon. FRANCIS P. KENNEY, Chairman, Finance Committee, Board of Aldermen:

Sir—As the result of an examination made into this matter it has been ascertained that there are sufficient accruals in budgetary accounts for salaries of regular employees available for the purpose of the above request.

The President, Borough of Richmond, has agreed to the withdrawal of his request for special revenue bonds, and will substitute therefor a request to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for the transfer of such accruals as are required.

Very truly yours,

Which report was accepted.

No. 907.

Report of the Committee on Finance in Favor of Filing Resolution of Request on the Board of Estimate and Apportionment Relative to Salaries of City Employees.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on October 10, 1916 (Minutes, page 62), the annexed resolution of request on the Board of Estimate and Apportionment relative to salaries of City employees, respectfully

REPORTS:

That the Committee has been advised that the attention of the Board of Estimate was called to this matter, and they complied with the provisions of this request, as closely as conditions would permit. It therefore recommends that the accompanying request be placed on file.

Whereas, The cost of living in the City of New York has steadily increased during the past few years, therefore be it

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen hereby request the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in the preparation of the Budget (for adoption) for 1917, to make no reduction in the salary of any employee, even where the title of such employee may be changed.

FRANCIS P. KENNEY, WM. P. KENNEALLY, JOHN T. EAGAN, MICHAEL STAPLETON, F. H. STEVENSON, JOHN DIEMER, CHARLES DELANEY, FRANCIS P. BENT, Committee on Finance.

Which report was accepted.

No. 919 (S. O. No. 155).

Report of the Committee on Finance in Favor of Adopting Resolution Authorizing an Issue of Special Revenue Bonds, \$96,504.70, for Forage for the Year 1916, Department Street Cleaning.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on October 17, 1916 (Minutes, page 94), the annexed request of the Commissioner of Street Cleaning for Special Revenue Bonds, \$102,473.59, to meet estimated deficit in the forage account for the year 1916, respectfully

REPORTS:

That, having examined the subject and basing its conclusions upon the recommendations in the annexed report of the Bureau of Contract Supervision, it recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be

and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of ninety-six thousand five hundred and four dollars and seventy cents (\$96,504.70), the proceeds whereof to be used by Commissioner of Street Cleaning for the purpose of meeting estimated deficit in Forage account for the year 1916.

FRANCIS P. KENNEY, WM. J. KENNEALLY, JOHN T. EAGAN, MICHAEL STAPLETON, F. H. STEVENSON, JOHN DIEMER, CHARLES DELANEY, FRANCIS P. BENT, Committee on Finance.

Department of Street Cleaning of the City of New York, October 16th, 1916.

Hon. FRANK L. DOWLING, President, Board of Aldermen, City Hall, New York:

Sir—Under date of September 18th, 1916, I requested your Honorable Board, pursuant to the provisions of section 188, sub-division 8, of the Greater New York Charter, to authorize an issue of Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of eighty-seven thousand two hundred ninety-six 37/100 dollars (\$87,296.37), to meet an estimated deficit in the forage account of this Department for the year 1916.

I now desire to modify my request, and in place of the above amount I now ask for the sum of one hundred two thousand four hundred seventy-three 59/100 dollars (\$102,473.59).

The increased amount over my former request is on account of the prices of forage being much higher than was anticipated for the months of November and December, for which bids were opened on October 11th, 1916.

The amount allowed for 1916 is as follows:

Supplies.

2348 Forage and veterinary supplies—	
Forage allowance per capita, per diem, \$0.545 x 2,450 horses.....	\$488,701 50
Rubber hoof pads, allowance per capita per month, \$0.35 x 2,450 horses	10,290 00
Leather hoof soles, allowance per capita per month, \$0.38 x 2,450 horses	11,172 00
Tar and oakum for padding pads and soles.....	100 00
Veterinary supplies, allowance per capita per month, \$0.165 x 2,450 horses	4,851 00

Total, Forage and Veterinary Supplies..... \$515,114 50

Estimated Expenditures for Year 1916.

Forage.	Manhattan.	Brooklyn.	The Bronx.	Total.
<i>Contracts.</i>				
January 1 to October 31.....	\$200,746 60	\$205,869 36	\$73,684 16	\$480,300 12
November and December.....	54,702 74	48,619 44	15,019 33	118,341 51
	\$255,449 34	\$254,488 80	\$88,703 49	\$598,641 63
Leather Soles				\$2,000 00
Horse Shoe Pads.....				7,036 62
<i>Open Market Orders.</i>				
Forage				2,877 65
Drugs				5,080 11
Leather Soles				1,718 83
Pine Tar and Oakum.....				233 25
	\$255,449 34	\$254,488 80	\$88,703 49	\$617,588 09
Estimated Deficit				\$102,473 59

The reason for this deficit is that the amount allowed for 1916 is insufficient, owing to the increased cost of forage over budgetary allowance. Yours truly,

J. T. FETHERSTON, Commissioner.

City of New York, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building, Bureau of Contract Supervision, October 27, 1916.

No. 191—Communication Dated October 16, 1916, to Board of Aldermen from Commissioner of Street Cleaning Requesting the Issue of \$102,473.59 Special Revenue Bonds to Meet Estimated Deficit in Forage Account for the Year 1916.

Hon. FRANCIS P. KENNEY, Chairman, Finance Committee, Board of Aldermen:

Sir—As requested by you I have caused an examination to be made into this matter and report thereon as follows:

The present forage contracts of the Department of Street Cleaning will expire on October 31, 1916, and it will therefore be necessary for the Department to enter into contracts for forage for the months of November and December, 1916.

The anticipated deficit in Account 2348—Forage and Veterinary Supplies, due to the increase over the budgetary allowance of the cost of forage, and to the excess quantities required to provide for increases in the daily per capita allowance is estimated as follows:

Forage, November and December, 1916, estimated by Department of Street Cleaning on basis of 2,440 horses

Deducted for decrease in number of horses to be provided for, and stock on hand November 1, 1916

Unencumbered Balance, October 25, 1916

Estimated Deficit

It would ordinarily be possible to meet all or a portion of this deficit by the transfer of accruals from accounts for personal service, but in the present instance all such accruals will be required to reduce the deficit in the Final Disposition accounts.

It appears that the sum of \$96,504.70 in addition to funds available will be required to provide the necessary forage for the remainder of the year.

Yours very truly,

Which was laid over.

TILDEN ADAMSON, Director.

No. 920.

Report of the Committee on Finance in Favor of Filing Request of the President of the Borough of Manhattan for Special Revenue Bonds, \$5,400, to Replenish Contingencies Account for the Supreme Court.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on October 17th, 1916 (Minutes, page 95), the annexed resolution, request of the President of the Borough of Manhattan for Special Revenue Bonds, \$5,400, to replenish contingencies account for the Supreme Court, respectfully

REPORTS:

That the Committee has been advised that no bond issue is necessary in this instance, as these funds can be obtained by direct application to the Comptroller, it therefore recommends that the accompanying request be placed on file.

FRANCIS P. KENNEY, WM. P. KENNEALLY, JOHN T. EAGAN, MICHAEL STAPLETON, F. H. STEVENSON, JOHN DIEMER, CHARLES DELANEY, FRANCIS P. BENT, Committee on Finance.

City of New York, President of the Borough of Manhattan, Municipal Building, October 16, 1916.

Hon. FRANK L. DOWLING, President, Board of Aldermen, City Hall, N. Y. City:

Dear Sir—Request is hereby made for an issue of Special Revenue Bonds in the amount of Fifty-four hundred Dollars (\$5,400) to replenish the contingencies appropriation of the Supreme Court, which is practically exhausted. This appropriation is for the general operation of the Supreme Court, First Division, from which are purchased stationery, printing, furniture, the care and maintenance of jurors of the Criminal Branch of the Court, etc., and the additional funds are required to provide the necessary requirements for the balance of the year.

Very truly yours, MARCUS M. MARKS, President, Borough of Manhattan.

City of New York, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building, Bureau of Contract Supervision, October 27, 1916.

President, Borough of Manhattan, Request for Special Revenue Bonds, \$5,400, to Replenish Contingencies Appropriation for the Supreme Court.

Hon. FRANCIS P. KENNEY, Chairman, Committee on Finance, Board of Aldermen:

Sir—On October 21, 1916, you referred the above matter for report to the Bureau of Contract Supervision.

Section 402 of the Charter provides that the President of a borough must supply the Supreme Court with supplies, equipment and expenses for juries. Subdivision 7 of section 188 of the Charter provides that the Comptroller is authorized to issue certificates of indebtedness or other evidences of indebtedness, to be re-

deemed out of the tax levy for the next year succeeding the year of their issue, to provide for the payment of claims, charges, expenses and appropriations which have been or may be lawfully payable by The City of New York and the several counties wholly included within its limits and for which no other provision for payment has been made.

In view of these charter provisions, I recommend that you return the above request to the President, Borough of Manhattan, with the suggestion that he apply directly to the Comptroller for the funds desired. Very truly yours,

TILDEN ADAMSON, Director.

Which report was accepted.

No. 921 (S. O. No. 156).

Report of the Committee on Finance in Favor of Adopting Resolution Authorizing an Issue of Special Revenue Bonds, \$35,500, to Meet Deficiency in Appropriation for Contingencies for the Year 1916.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on October 17, 1916 (Minutes, page 95), the annexed resolution, request of the Police Commissioner for Special Revenue Bonds \$35,500 to meet deficiency in appropriation for contingencies for the year 1916, respectfully

REPORTS:

That the Committee has been advised that this request is due to the urgent requirements of the Police Department on account of the street railways strike, and in accordance with the attached report of the Bureau of Contract Supervision, it recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of thirty-five thousand five hundred dollars (\$35,500), the proceeds whereof to be used by the Police Commissioner for the purpose of meeting the deficiency in the appropriation made to the Police Department for the year 1916 in Code 1634, "Police Department, Contingencies."

FRANCIS P. KENNEY, WM. P. KENNEALLY, JOHN T. EAGAN, MICHAEL STAPLETON, F. H. STEVENSON, JOHN DIEMER, CHARLES DELANEY, FRANCIS P. BENT, Committee on Finance.

City of New York, Police Department, Office of the Commissioner, October 16th, 1916.

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

Gentlemen—Request is hereby made for the authorization of Special Revenue Bonds in the sum of \$35,500 to meet the deficiency in the appropriation made to the Police Department for the year 1916 in Code 1634, "Police Department, Contingencies."

This amount will be necessary to meet the numerous contingent expenditures incident to the railroad strike now in progress and to replenish this account for expenditures already made on account of said strike.

Yours respectfully,

A. WOODS, Police Commissioner.

City of New York, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building, Bureau of Contract Supervision, October 25, 1916.

No. 921—Police Commissioner, Request for Special Revenue Bonds, \$35,500, to Meet the Deficiency for Contingencies.

Hon. FRANCIS P. KENNEY, Chairman, Finance Committee, Board of Aldermen:

Sir—The Bureau of Contract Supervision, to which this request was referred on October 21, 1916, reports thereon as follows:

The original appropriation for Code 1634, Contingencies, was \$100,000. On July 27, 1916, \$4,000 was transferred from Code 1634 to Code 1612, Office Supplies, making a total allowance to date of \$96,000 for contingencies.

On October 21, 1916, the books of the Police Department show an unexpended balance of about \$12,000.

The Police Department has on hand unpaid bills and vouchers amounting to \$19,433, and estimate expenditures for the balance of the year as follows:

Ordinary expenditures regularly charged to this code October 21, to end of year	\$19,000 00
Auto hire for strike	2,000 00
Meals for strike	2,000 00
Carfare for men recalled from vacations for strike duty	5,000 00
	<hr/> \$28,000 00

—making a total of \$47,333 needed to meet the estimated expenditures in this Code 1634 from October 21, 1916, to the end of the year. Subtracting the unexpended balance on October 21, 1916, as shown on the Police Department's books, \$12,000, indicates that an additional sum of approximately \$35,500 will be needed in this code.

The reasons for the large expenditures over the original allowance are due to the cost of the present strike, which are estimated as follows:

Purchase of 13 Ford automobiles	\$4,905 50
Meals for members of the force assigned to strike duty	13,600 00
Automobile hire	15,600 00
Miscellaneous equipment for special patrolmen	250 00
Lumber for fixing up stables on piers	380 00
Estimated cost of reimbursing members of the force recalled from vacations to strike duty	5,000 00

Estimated total expenses chargeable to strikers in this code

\$39,735 50

There are some accruals in the other codes of the Police Department, but these will be needed to transfer to the Office Supply Code and the Motor Vehicle Supply Code on account of excessive expenditures which it has been necessary to make, also due to the strikers.

Yours very truly,

TILDEN ADAMSON, Director.

Which was laid over.

Reports of the Committee on Public Letting—

No. 898.

Report of the Committee on Public Letting in Favor of Adopting Resolution Authorizing President, Borough of Manhattan to Purchase Asphalt, Binder Stone, Etc., Without Public Letting.

The Committee on Public Letting, to which was referred on October 10, 1916 (Minutes, page 52), the annexed request of the President of the Borough of Manhattan for authority to purchase asphalt, binder stone, etc., without public letting, respectfully,

REPORTS:

That Deputy Commissioner Boschen advised the Committee that owing to the unsettled market conditions these materials can be purchased much cheaper in the open market than by public letting. The Committee therefore recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the President of the Borough of Manhattan be and he is hereby authorized and empowered to purchase, in the open market without public letting, materials necessary for immediate use in the manufacture of asphalt for repairs to street pavements, such as refined asphalt, binder stone, sand and sandstone, to an estimated cost not to exceed thirty thousand dollars (\$30,000).

JOHN McCANN, ALEX. S. DRESCHER, JAMES J. BROWNE, EDWARD W. COX, PATRICK H. SULLIVAN, PETER SCHWEICKERT, WM. P. McGARRY, Committee on Public Letting.

City of New York, President of the Borough of Manhattan, Municipal Building, October 3rd, 1916.

Hon. FRANK L. DOWLING, President, Board of Aldermen, New York City:

Dear Sir—Request is hereby made for permission to purchase in the open market, without public letting, such quantities as may be needed of refined asphalt, binder stone, sand and sandstone dust at an estimated cost not to exceed \$30,000.

The materials are required for immediate use in the manufacture of asphalt for repairs to street pavements, and owing to the unsettled condition of the market and the very high prices quoted for future deliveries the department finds that much better prices are obtainable at the present time in the open market than by contract.

Your early consideration will oblige, very truly yours.

MARCUS M. MARKS, President, Borough of Manhattan.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bassett, Bent, Burden, Browne, Cardani, Cassidy, Cole, Colne, Cox, Crane, Cunningham, Curley, Curran, Daly, Delaney, Diemer, Dixon, Donnelly, Dostal, Dunn, Drescher, Eagan, Farley, Ferguson, Ferrand, Friedlander,

Gaynor, Gilmore, Goetz, Gutman, Hannon, Haubert, Heyman, Hilkemeier, Hogan, Kenneally, Kenney, McCann, McGarry, McKee, McManus, Martin, Molen, Moore, Moran, Mullen, O'Rourke, Palitz, Post, Quinn, Robitzek, Ryan, Schmitz, Schweickert, Shields, Silberstein, Smith, Squiers, Sullivan, Stapleton, Stevenson, Tolk, Trau, Walsh, Williams, Wirth, Wise—66.

No. 918—(S. O. No. 157).

Report of the Committee on Public Letting in Favor of Adopting Resolution Authorizing Board of Trustees of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals to Purchase Equipment Without Public Letting.

The Committee on Public Letting, to which was referred on October 17, 1916 (Minutes, page 94), the annexed request of the Board of Trustees of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals for authority to purchase equipment for the eye department of Bellevue Hospital, without public letting respectfully

REPORTS:

That Dr. O'Hanlon advised the Committee that this equipment is of a special character and it would be difficult to prepare specifications which would permit competitive bidding. The Committee concludes that it is to the City's advantage to grant this permission. It therefore recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Trustees of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals be and it is hereby authorized and empowered to buy in the open market, without public letting, the equipment required in the eye department of Bellevue Hospital, at an estimated cost of two thousand dollars (\$2,000).

JOHN McCANN, ALEX. S. DRESCHER, JAMES J. BROWNE, EDWARD W. COX, PATRICK H. SULLIVAN, PETER SCHWEICKERT, WM. P. McGARRY, Committee on Public Letting.

Bellevue and Allied Hospitals, Office of the Board of Trustees, 1st Avenue and 26th Street, New York, October 13th, 1916.

Hon. FRANK L. DOWLING, President, Board of Aldermen, City Hall, New York:

Sir—The Trustees of Bellevue and Allied Hospitals have the honor to request the Board of Aldermen for permission to buy in the open market, without public letting, the equipment required in the eye department of Bellevue Hospital, the estimated cost of which is \$2,000, and chargeable against the corporate stock appropriations of this department. The equipment is of a special character and it would be difficult, if not impossible, to obtain acceptable equipment by advertising for bids or to prepare specifications which would permit competitive bidding.

Very truly yours,

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

Which was laid over.

No. 934—(S. O. No. 158).

Report of the Committee on Public Letting in Favor of Adopting Resolution Authorizing the Police Commissioner to Purchase Coal Without Public Letting.

The Committee on Public Letting, to which was referred on October 24, 1916 (Minutes, page), the annexed request of the Police Commissioner for authority to purchase coal without public letting, respectfully

REPORTS:

That Deputy Commissioner O'Daniel appeared before the Committee and advised them that coal could be secured much cheaper in the open market than by contract. It therefore recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That, pursuant to the authority conferred upon it by the provisions of Section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the necessary funds being available, the Board of Aldermen hereby authorizes and empowers the Police Commissioner of The City of New York to purchase in the open market, instead of by contract at public letting, coal for the heating of Police Station buildings, in the total sum of \$16,000.

JOHN McCANN, ALEX. S. DRESCHER, JAMES J. BROWNE, EDWARD W. COX, PATRICK H. SULLIVAN, PETER SCHWEICKERT, WM. P. McGARRY, Committee on Public Letting.

City of New York, Police Department, October 19, 1916.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

Gentlemen—The Police Department requires at the present time a considerable amount of coal of different kinds to be used in heating the various Police Station buildings.

Owing to the present condition of the coal market it is deemed inadvisable to enter into a contract for the furnishing of coal, as the prices requested on contracts are very high. I believe that coal could be secured by open market purchases at a much lower figure than the same could be procured at the present time under a bonded contract, as no dealer is willing to bid the lowest possible price for future deliveries.

I therefore have the honor to request that the Board of Aldermen, pursuant to the provisions of Section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, authorize the purchase of coal in the open market, instead of by contract at public letting, in the sum of \$16,000.

I enclose a draft of the necessary resolution and earnestly request prompt and favorable action in this matter. Respectfully,

A. WOODS, Police Commissioner.

Which was laid over.

SPECIAL ORDERS.

S. O. No. 151.

President, Borough of Queens—Request for Authority to Purchase Office Equipment, Furniture, Etc., Without Public Letting.

The City of New York, Office of the President of the Borough of Queens, Long Island City, October 23, 1916.

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

Dear Sirs—In accordance with the provisions of section 419 of the Charter of The City of New York, your approval is hereby requested of the purchase of office equipment, furniture, etc., to the extent of four thousand dollars (\$4,000), without public letting.

The lease on the premises now occupied by the offices of this department expires on December 1, 1916, and new quarters have been secured in the Queens Subway building. In connection with the removal it will be necessary to purchase new office equipment.

In view of the short space of time in which to make the change from the old quarters to the new, it will be impossible to draw a contract which will anticipate the requirements for the reason that at this time it is not definitely known exactly what equipment will be necessary. Very truly yours,

JAMES A. DAYTON, Acting President of the Borough of Queens.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of section 419 of the Greater New York Charter, the President of the Borough of Queens be and he is hereby authorized and empowered to purchase office equipment, furniture, etc., to the extent of four thousand dollars (\$4,000), without public letting.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bassett, Bent, Burden, Browne, Cardani, Cassidy, Cole, Colne, Cox, Crane, Cunningham, Curley, Curran, Daly, Delaney, Diemer, Dixon, Donnelly, Dostal, Dunn, Drescher, Eagan, Farley, Ferguson, Ferrand, Friedlander, Gaynor, Gilmore, Goetz, Gutman, Hannon, Haubert, Heyman, Hilkemeier, Hogan, Kenneally, Kenney, McCann, McGarry, McKee, McManus, Martin, Molen, Moore, Moran, Mullen, O'Rourke, Palitz, Post, Quinn, Robitzek, Ryan, Schmitz, Schweickert, Shields, Silberstein, Smith, Squiers, Sullivan, Stapleton, Stevenson, Tolk, Walsh, Williams, Wirth, Wise; President Connolly, by James A. Dayton, Commissioner of Public Works; President Mathewson, by John G. Borgstede, Commissioner of Public Works; President Pounds, by Edmund W. Voorhies, Commissioner of Public Works; President Marks, by Ralph Folks, Commissioner of Public Works—70.

S. O. No. 152.

Report of the Committee on Finance in Favor of Adopting Resolution Authorizing an Issue of Special Revenue Bonds, \$2,500, to Defray Cost of Removal and Re-erection of a School Building in The Bronx.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on September 26, 1916 (Minutes, page 222), the annexed request of the Board of Education for Special Revenue Bonds, \$2,500, to defray the cost of removal and re-erection of a school building in the Bronx, respectfully

REPORTS:

That the Committee has been advised that it is proposed to move this building from leased land to City owned property and to make proper sanitary improvements in compliance with regulation of the Board of Health. It, therefore, recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That, in pursuance of the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,500), the proceeds whereof to be used by the Board of Education for the purpose of defraying cost of removal and re-erection of a school building in the Bronx. All obligations contracted for hereunder to be incurred on or before December 31, 1916.

FRANCIS P. KINNEY, F. H. STEVENSON, ROBERT L. MORAN, JOHN T. EAGAN, MICHAEL STAPLETON, JOHN DIEMER, CHARLES DELANEY, Committee on Finance.

Department of Education, City of New York, Board of Education, Park Avenue and 59th Street, New York, July 27, 1916.

Hon. FRANK L. DOWLING, President, Board of Aldermen:

Dear Sir—Enclosed please find a certified copy of a report and resolution adopted by the Board of Education at a meeting held on July 26, 1916, requesting the Board of Aldermen to authorize the issue of Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of \$2,500 to defray the cost of the frame building now on the grounds of Public School 48, The Bronx, and the re-erection of the same on a site to be leased in the Clason Point section of the Borough of The Bronx, etc.

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

To the Board of Education:

The Committee on Finance respectfully reports that it is in receipt of a communication from the Secretary of the Board which reads in part as follows:

"* * * I have the honor to advise you that the Committee on Buildings has had under consideration for some time the matter of providing school accommodations in the Clason Point section of the Borough of The Bronx. The Local School Board of District No. 26 and residents of the neighborhood have repeatedly urged that accommodations be provided thereat so as to obviate the necessity of the smaller children of the section traveling by car to Public School 47, which is a distance of about 2½ miles therefrom. * * *

"It was thereupon decided that a suitable site should be leased in the Clason Point section, and that a one-story frame building in the rear of new Public School 48, Spofford avenue, Coster and Faile streets, The Bronx, which is of a portable type and consists of four rooms, and which will not be required next term on account of the opening of the new building, be transferred to such site. * * *

"Under date of June 22, 1916, Associate and Acting City Superintendent Straubenmuller approved of the decision of the Committee on Buildings in the matter.

"At a meeting of said Committee held on the 17th instant the Superintendent of School Buildings was instructed to negotiate for the lease of a site at Clason Point, and it was ordered that the Committee on Finance be requested to present a report to the Board of Education asking the Board of Aldermen to authorize an issue of Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of \$2,500 to defray the cost of the removal of the frame building referred to, including the toilet building thereat, and the re-erection of the same on the site to be leased, the amount referred to covering the cost of foundations, water and sewer connections, storage space for coal, wardrobes, etc., in view of the fact that there are no funds available for the purpose."

There is submitted for adoption the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen be and it is hereby respectfully requested to adopt a resolution requesting the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to authorize the issue of Special Revenue Bonds to the amount of twenty-five hundred dollars (\$2,500), pursuant to the provisions of subdivision 8 of section 188 of the Revised Charter, for the purpose of providing means to defray the cost of the removal of the frame building above referred to, including the toilet building thereat, and the re-erection of the same on a site to be leased at Clason Point, Borough of The Bronx; said amount to cover the cost of foundation, water and sewer connection, storage space for coal, wardrobes, etc.

A true copy of a report and resolution adopted by the Board of Education on July 26, 1916. A. E. PALMER, Secretary, Board of Education.

City of New York, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building, Bureau of Contract Supervision, October 28, 1916.

Hon. FRANCIS P. KENNEY, Chairman, Finance Committee, Board of Aldermen:

No. 857—Board of Education, Request for Special Revenue Bonds, \$2,500, to Defray the Cost of Removal and Re-erection of a School Building in The Bronx.

Sir—This request has been investigated by the Bureau of Contract Supervision and the following facts have developed:

A four-room portable school building was erected at the site of Public School 48, Borough of The Bronx, in the year 1911, at a cost of \$5,597. A new 51 classroom building for Public School 48, Borough of The Bronx, has recently been completed and opened. The four-room portable building is no longer required at this location.

It is proposed to remove this portable building to a site to be leased in the Clason Point section of the Borough of The Bronx in order to accommodate the small children of this section, who are now forced to travel by trolley to Public School 47, a distance of approximately two and one-half miles.

The statistics furnished by the Department of Education show that there are 117 children in the Clason Point section now attending Public School 47, of whom 91 are in grades below 6A, who will be accommodated in the portable building when moved. There are also a number of children of kindergarten age in this section who cannot now attend any school.

There appears to be need for the removal of this four-room portable building to the locality proposed.

Owing to the fact that no site has yet been determined upon for the new location of the building it is impossible to make an exact estimate of the amount required. The sum of \$2,500 appears to be a reasonable estimate. Respectfully,

TILDEN ADAMSON, Director.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bassett, Bent, Burden, Browne, Cardani, Cassidy, Cole, Colne, Cox, Crane, Cunningham, Curley, Curran, Daly, Delaney, Diemer, Dixon, Donnelly, Dostal, Dunn, Drescher, Eagan, Farley, Ferguson, Ferrand, Friedlander, Gaynor, Gilmore, Goetz, Gutman, Hannon, Haubert, Heyman, Hilkemeier, Hogan, Kenneally, Kenney, McCann, McGarry, McKee, McManus, Martin, Molen, Moore, Moran, Mullen, O'Rourke, Palitz, Post, Quinn, Robitzek, Ryan, Schmitz, Schweickert, Shields, Silberstein, Smith, Squiers, Sullivan, Stapleton, Stevenson, Tolk, Walsh, Williams, Wirth, Wise; President Connolly, by James A. Dayton, Commissioner of Public Works; President Mathewson, by John G. Borgstede, Commissioner of Public Works; President Pounds, by Edmund W. Voorhies, Commissioner of Public Works; President Marks, by Ralph Folks, Commissioner of Public Works—70.

S. O. No. 153.

Report of the Committee on Finance in Favor of Adopting Resolution Authorizing an Issue of Special Revenue Bonds, \$1,662.50, for Rent of Premises for Use of the 15th Infantry, N. G., N. Y.

The Committee on Finance, to which was referred on October 17, 1916 (Minutes, page 96), the annexed request of the Comptroller for Special Revenue Bonds, \$1,662.50, for rent of premises for use of the 15th Infantry, N. G., N. Y., respectfully

REPORTS:

That the Committee has been advised by Deputy Comptroller Edmond Fisher that this is for the purpose of providing quarters for the recently organized colored regiment of the National Guard until January 1st, 1917. The Committee recommends that the accompanying resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That in pursuance of subdivision 8, section 188, of the Greater New York Charter, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and it is hereby requested to authorize the Comptroller to issue special revenue bonds in the amount of \$1,662.50, the proceeds whereof to be used by the Comptroller for the payment of rent of the premises known as 60 Gerry Street, 191-203 Harrison Avenue, and 23-25 Bartlett Street, Borough of Brooklyn, under a lease to the City from September 15 to December 31, 1916, for use of the 15th Infantry, N. G., N. Y., the same being a charge against the County of Kings.

FRANCIS P. KENNEY, F. H. STEVENSON, ROBERT L. MORAN, JOHN T. EAGAN, MICHAEL STAPLETON, JOHN DIEMER, CHARLES DELANEY, Committee on Finance.

City of New York, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building, Bureau of Contract Supervision, October 27, 1916.

Hon. FRANCIS P. KENNEY, Chairman, Finance Committee, Board of Aldermen:

No. 923—Comptroller—Request for Special Revenue Bonds, \$1,662.50, for Rent of Premises for Use of the 15th Infantry, N. G., N. Y.

Sir—In response to a request made by the Armory Board the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, on September 21, 1916, authorized the Comptroller to enter into a lease with Mr. Abraham Rosenberg for the premises known as 60 Gerry Street, 191-203 Harrison Avenue and 23-25 Bartlett Street, Brooklyn, from September 15, 1916, for a period of five years at an annual rental of \$5,700. These premises are to be used by the new Fifteenth Regiment Infantry of the National Guard, in addition to quarters already provided in New York County.

No funds were provided for this purpose in the 1916 Budget and there does not appear to be any available funds in the appropriations made to Kings County, either in the rent account or other appropriations for this purpose.

Respectfully,

TILDEN ADAMSON, Director.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bassett, Bent, Burden, Browne, Cardani, Cassidy, Cole, Colne, Cox, Crane, Cunningham, Curley, Curran, Daly, Delaney, Diemer, Dixon, Donnelly, Dostal, Dunn, Drescher, Eagan, Farley, Ferguson, Ferrand, Friedlander, Gaynor, Gilmore, Goetz, Gutman, Hannon, Haubert, Heyman, Hilkemeier, Hogan, Kenneally, Kenney, McCann, McGarry, McKee, McManus, Martin, Molen, Moore, Moran, Mullen, O'Rourke, Palitz, Post, Quinn, Robitzek, Ryan, Schmitz, Schweickert, Shields, Silberstein, Smith, Squiers, Sullivan, Stapleton, Stevenson, Tolk, Walsh, Williams, Wirth, Wise; President Connolly, by James A. Dayton, Commissioner of Public Works; President Mathewson, by John G. Borgstede, Commissioner of Public Works; President Pounds, by Edmund W. Voorhies, Commissioner of Public Works; President Marks, by Ralph Folks, Commissioner of Public Works—70.

GENERAL ORDERS.

G. O. No. 187.

Resolution Appointing Various Persons Commissioners of Deeds.

By the President—

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

By Alderman Cardani—

Orazio Pascale, 516 3rd Ave., Manhattan.

Endorsed by N. Spullone and D. Villamena.

By Alderman Cassidy—

Bernard Braun, 305 E. 79th St., Manhattan.

Endorsed by F. F. Bergenfeld and W. Rabinowich.

By Alderman Carroll—

Adolf Muller, 115 E. 76th St., Manhattan.

Endorsed by W. D. Blaien and M. Wasserman.

Reuben Cohen, 68 E. 96th St., Manhattan.

Endorsed by J. Z. Wechsler and J. W. Maran.

By Alderman Colne—

Charles F. Root, 967 Bergen St., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by T. F. Coady and J. E. Doherty.

By Alderman Cox—

Charles Milton Searles, 35 Windom St., Woodhaven, Queens.

Endorsed by F. J. DoYLES and H. F. Powell.

Henry Robert Knowles, 2521 Madison St., Queens (Ridgewood).

Endorsed by E. Sohst and R. W. Batham.

By Alderman Crane—

Sidney Klotz, 522 W. 157th St., Manhattan.

Endorsed by M. Katz and O. X. Somerill.

William F. Barry, 501 W. 170th St., Manhattan.

Endorsed by J. A. Flaherty and J. A. Ginley.

Joseph Z. Wechsler, 580 W. 176th St., Manhattan.

Endorsed by R. Cohen and J. Maron.

Jack L. Rappaport, 900 Riverside Drive, Manhattan.

Endorsed by M. Miller and A. H. Goldstein.

Emil Klinge, 219 Audubon Ave., Manhattan.

Endorsed by Francis M. Donnelly and J. F. Kennaly.

By Alderman Curran—

Charles C. Brainerd, 12 West 9th St., Manhattan.

Endorsed by V. M. Schony and C. D. Grim.

By Alderman Curley—

Ethel M. C. Pugh, 465 East 140th St., Bronx.

Endorsed by M. Goodwin and P. Ulster.

Archie B. Morrison, 426 E. 143rd St., Bronx.

Endorsed by D. V. Sullivan and O. S. W. Tierney.

Bessie Elizabeth Bear, 757 Kelly St., Bronx.

Endorsed by M. Gold and R. L. Levinson.

By Alderman Delaney—

Benjamin Waxenberg, 172 East 105th St., Manhattan.

Endorsed by H. Rosenblum and M. Cohn.

By Alderman Diemer—

Harry Dorf, 614 Kosciuszki St., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by S. Dorf and C. S. Halliday.

Charles M. Stein, 277 Irving Ave., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by H. Diemer and F. Ross.

By Alderman Dostal—

Leo Kraus, 105 E. 4th St., Manhattan.

Endorsed by E. Rosenberg and I. Gutman.

Maxwell Gellberg, 156 2nd Ave., Manhattan.

Endorsed by E. C. Miller and J. D. Nussbaum.

By Alderman Drescher—

Charles Weiss, 1571 St. Marks Ave., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by I. Markoff and H. Browne.

Jacob Nalevki, 1087 Union St., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by W. S. O'Connor and J. J. Walker.

Loretto C. Tucker, 245 Utica Ave.

Endorsed by N. McManus and J. Alexander.

By Alderman Dunn—

Charles Kammerer, 7207 8th Ave., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by F. J. Hagel and E. Hartung.

Katherine E. Jaehne, 271 9th St., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by J. F. Fanning and H. M. Lewis.

John P. Horrigan, 546 55th St., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by C. W. Dunn and J. J. Browne.

By Alderman Ferrand—

Anton D. Dimon, 165a St. Marks Ave., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by P. J. Dunn and A. H. Borzer.

By Alderman Friedlander—

Samuel S. Kamsler, 106 W. 113th St., Manhattan.

Endorsed by M. Earnstein and B. Clark.

Moses N. Krakower, 118 W. 112th St., Manhattan.

Endorsed by M. Helfant and S. Liberman.

By Alderman Gaynor—

Charles M. Glueck, 170 Rutledge St., Brooklyn.

Endorsed by H. J. Greenberg and M. DeGroot.

By Alderman Gilmore—

Maurice A. Walsh, 235 E. 87th St., Manhattan.

Endorsed by E. S. Baurein and J. J. Cauldwell.

By Alderman Goetz—

George F. Lebohner, Jackson Ave. and Walnut St., Queens.

Endorsed by J. Klein and M. Huneman.

Frederick H. Cox, 10 Napier Pl., Jamaica, Queens.

Endorsed by G. Horneepner and H. B. Salisbury.

Harry J. Neuschafer, 1515 Woodhaven Ave., Queens (Woodhaven).

Endorsed by J. Kestler and S. Ollendorff.

By Alderman Gutman—
Samuel Kaplan, 52 E. 120th St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by J. A. White and I. Gutman.
David Weinstein, 1841 Madison Ave., Manhattan.
Endorsed by E. S. Wolbarst and A. Appel.
Joseph A. White, 95 E. 116th St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by S. Kaplan and I. Gutman.
Irving Gordon, 75 E. 121st St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by D. T. Rosen and M. A. Gordon.

By Alderman Hogan—
Louis Selner, Hotel Standish Arms, Brooklyn.
Endorsed by J. Diemer and H. Diemer.
Joseph Victor Greene, 407 State St., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by F. D. Kohler and J. P. Kohler.
Carl Oscar Ericson, 535 Atlantic Ave., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by H. P. Erwin and M. J. Hogan.

By Alderman McCann—
Matthew M. Callahan, 150 W. 62d St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by W. A. Hennessey and F. C. Thompson.

By Alderman McManus—
Dora Forrest Lewis, 843 Eighth Ave., Manhattan.
Endorsed by E. Manning and H. O. Lehman.

By Alderman Moore—
James H. Garmesey, 518 Cleveland St., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by B. Tuberman and I. Sachs.
Frederick Voeller, 155 Cleveland St., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by W. Reunenber and S. Sternberg.

By Alderman Molen—
Francis A. Boyer, 367 Fulton St., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by J. A. Dillmeier and Edward A. Curran.

By Alderman Mullen—
Ruth Bennett, 104 W. 142d St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by C. Harwood and H. W. Stein.
Charles W. Langford, 46 Hamilton Terrace, Manhattan.
Endorsed by C. C. Bell and F. Lynch.
Arthur Garfield McKeever, 521 W. 149th St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by H. G. Andrews and J. J. Dover.

By Alderman Palitz—
Joseph L. O'Connell, 1059 Carroll Pl., Bronx.
Endorsed by C. S. Hayes and O. E. Davis.
John F. Maher, 2093 Tiebout Ave., Bronx.
Endorsed by F. J. A. Parkes and H. Platkin.

By Alderman Quinn—
Robert S. Moriso, 170 W. 78th St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by P. Klein and E. R. Cass.
Lloyd Elton Fuller, 132 Sixth Ave., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by E. R. Lyon and J. Amend.

By Alderman Robitzek—
Emerich Kohn, 1429 Prospect Ave., Bronx.
Endorsed by A. A. Bruguolior and J. N. Schultz.
Mollie G. Roan, 4352 Park Ave, Bronx.
Endorsed by G. W. Thedford, Jr., and S. W. Maguire.

By Alderman Ryan—
George H. Ohnewald, 130 Buckingham Road, Brooklyn.
Endorsed by J. W. Davis and J. Reis.
Abram T. Frank, 60 Bay 22d St., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by R. Spitzer and G. Kunz.

By Alderman Schmitz—
John R. White, 77 Greenpoint Ave., Queens.
Endorsed by William F. Taylor and W. L. Mallinson.

By Alderman Schweickert—
Gertrude V. Kelly, 642 East 224th St., Bronx.
Endorsed by F. A. Sheil and J. Shendar.

By Alderman Shields—
Lawrence Malawista, 201 West 112th St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by W. E. Dunn and D. Hayes.
Wallace C. Bentley, 535 West 11th St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by C. W. Durant and F. Lospaluto.
Herbert William Hall, 408 West 115th St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by P. F. Beatty and H. R. Sanford.

By Alderman Silberstein—
William Goldsmith, 261 Avenue B, Manhattan.
Endorsed by D. Greenbaum and A. Gottheimer.

By Alderman Smith—
Willard Graham Kinkade, 725 Greene Ave., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by I. E. Jennings and D. H. Gerken.

By Alderman Squiers—
Selina J. Pouch, 834 Sterling Place, Brooklyn.
Endorsed by G. Johnston and J. H. Cross.
Louis Wolff, 964 Eastern Parkway, Brooklyn.
Endorsed by J. Gru and G. W. Gru.
Florence H. Lippmann, 124 East 19th St., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by A. Stern and G. C. Snyder.
Albert Cory, 1117 East 39th St., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by J. F. Dwyer and H. Falkenstein.
Oliver W. Dayton, 1705 Dorchester Road, Brooklyn.
Endorsed by J. D. McLaughlin and F. E. Fost.
Mary Josephine Webb, 1395 Flatbush Ave., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by Daniel J. Callahan and J. Lamoreaux.
Edwin A. Mulligan, 1282 Park Place, Brooklyn.
Endorsed by W. L. Camson and A. Eberle.

By Alderman Tolk—
Max Dorff, 66 Eldridge St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by J. Prager and A. Silverman.

By Alderman Walsh—
Charles E. Fannon, 307 Tompkins Ave., New Brighton, Richmond.
Endorsed by W. J. Keegan and H. E. Emmett.
William J. McSorley, 317 Taylor St., West New Brighton, Richmond.
Endorsed by C. E. Griffiths and J. W. Mumke.

By Alderman Williams—
J. Emmet Flanagan, 154 West 105th St., Manhattan.
Endorsed by C. A. Glaser and A. E. Hull.

By Alderman Wirth—
Phil Taylor, 487 Munroe St., Brooklyn.
Endorsed by N. W. Black and M. Hughes.

By Alderman Wise—
Edward S. Dillon, 490 St. Nicholas Ave., Manhattan.
Endorsed by J. McKay and J. J. Varley.
Elise Monica Moran, 79 Hamilton Place, Manhattan.
Endorsed by J. H. Cross and Robert T. Horner.
Lester Belleville Jones, 96-100 Convent Ave., Manhattan.
Endorsed by S. W. Lollfrey and M. Hart.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:
Affirmative—Aldermen Bassett, Bent, Burden, Browne, Cardani, Cassidy, Cole, Colne, Cox, Crane, Cunningham, Curley, Curran, Daly, Delaney, Diemer, Dixon, Donnelly, Dostal, Dunn, Drescher, Eagan, Farley, Ferguson, Ferrand, Friedlander, Gaynor, Gilmore, Goetz, Gutman, Hannon, Haubert, Heyman, Hilkemeier, Hogan, Kenneally, Kenney, McCann, McGarry, McKee, McManus, Martin, Molen, Moore, Moran, Mullen, O'Rourke, Palitz, Post, Quinn, Robitzek, Ryan, Schmitz, Schweickert, Shields, Silberstein, Smith, Squiers, Sullivan, Stapleton, Stevenson, Tolk, Walsh, Williams, Wirth, Wise; President Connolly, by James A. Dayton, Commissioner of Public Works; President Mathewson, by John G. Borgstede, Commissioner of Public Works; President Pounds, by Edmund W. Voorhies, Commissioner of Public Works; President Marks, by Ralph Folks, Commissioner of Public Works—70.

G. O. No. 188.

Report of the Committee on General Welfare in Favor of Adopting an Ordinance to Amend the Code of Ordinances Relating to Peddlers and Particularly to Restricted Streets.

The Committee on General Welfare, to which was referred on September 26, 1916 (Minutes, page 237), the annexed ordinance to amend Subdivision 2 of Section 13 of Article 2 of Chapter 24 of the Code of Ordinances, relating to peddlers, and particularly to restricted streets, respectfully

REPORTS:

That at the request of the introducer, the Alderman representing the district affected, the Committee deems this change to be advisable, and recommends the adoption of the accompanying ordinance.

AN ORDINANCE to amend subdivision 2 of section 13 of article 2 of chapter 24 of the Code of Ordinances, relating to peddlers, and particularly to restricted streets.

Be it Ordained by the Board of Aldermen of The City of New York as follows: Section 1. Subdivision 2 of section 13 of article 2 of chapter 24 of the Code of Ordinances, relating to peddlers, and particularly to restricted streets, is hereby amended in part at the appropriate place under the caption "Manhattan," so that it shall read in such part as follows:

All streets lying within the territory bounded by 134th Street, Amsterdam Avenue, 158th Street and the North River [Manhattan], except 156th Street between Broadway and Amsterdam Avenue.

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

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

HARRY ROBITZEK, Chairman; ALEXANDER BASSETT, LAUREN CARROLL, FRANK T. DIXSON, S. FRIEDLANDER, WILLIAM T. COLLINS, JOHN T. EAGAN, JOSEPH M. HANNON, JAMES R. FERGUSON, CHAS. H. HAUBERT, Committee on General Welfare.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bassett, Bent, Burden, Browne, Cardani, Cassidy, Cole, Colne, Cox, Crane, Cunningham, Curley, Curran, Daly, Delaney, Diemer, Dixon, Donnelly, Dostal, Dunn, Drescher, Eagan, Farley, Ferguson, Ferrand, Friedlander, Gaynor, Gilmore, Goetz, Gutman, Hannon, Haubert, Heyman, Hilkemeier, Hogan, Kenneally, Kenney, McCann, McGarry, McKee, McManus, Martin, Molen, Moore, Moran, Mullen, O'Rourke, Palitz, Post, Quinn, Robitzek, Ryan, Schmitz, Schweickert, Shields, Silberstein, Smith, Squiers, Sullivan, Stapleton, Stevenson, Tolk, Walsh, Williams, Wirth, Wise; President Connolly, by James A. Dayton, Commissioner of Public Works; President Mathewson, by John G. Borgstede, Commissioner of Public Works; President Pounds, by Edmund W. Voorhies, Commissioner of Public Works; President Marks, by Ralph Folks, Commissioner of Public Works—70.

On motion of Alderman McKee, the courtesies of the floor were extended to Mr. Peter V. Stockey.

Int No. 912 (G. O. No. 189).

Report of the Committee on General Welfare in Favor of Adopting an Ordinance to Amend Chapter 14 of the Code of Ordinances, by Adding a New Article Entitled "Massage Institutes and Operators."

The Committee on General Welfare to which was referred on October 10, 1916 (Minutes, page 65), the annexed ordinance to amend chapter 14 of the Code of Ordinances, relating to licenses, by adding thereto a new article to be known as Article 15, entitled Massage Institutes and Operators, and to amend section 1 of said chapter accordingly, respectfully

REPORTS:

That the Committee on General Welfare have been considering this matter since May last and have held several public hearings at which there appeared representatives of the Corporation Counsel, Police Department, Commissioner of Licenses, the Medical Society, the Committee of Fourteen, various institutions teaching massage, and many individual practitioners and several members of the Board of Aldermen. In addition thereto there have been several conferences and as a result it has been brought to the attention of the Committee that there is an absolute necessity for the adoption of this ordinance. Several suggestions have been made which the Committee considered of value and the ordinance as now presented was drafted by a subcommittee of this Committee after conferring with representatives of all parties who appeared at the public hearings. The Committee has been informed that the ordinance in the form now drafted meets with their approval. It, therefore, recommends that the accompanying ordinance be adopted.

AN ORDINANCE to amend chapter 14 of the Code of Ordinances, relating to licenses, by adding thereto a new article to be known as article 15, entitled Massage Institutes and Operators, and to amend section 1 of said chapter accordingly.

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

Section 1. Section 1 of article 1 of chapter 14 of the Code of Ordinances is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 1. When required,

In addition to the businesses, places, trades, occupations and things required to be licensed by statute or by other chapters of this code, the following must be duly licensed as herein provided, namely:

- (a) Billiard and pool tables;
 - (b) Bowling alleys;
 - (c) Dealers in second-hand articles;
 - (d) Dirt carts;
 - (e) Drivers or chauffeurs of hacks, cabs, taxicabs and expresses;
 - (f) Expresses and expressmen;
 - (g) Exterior hoists;
 - (h) Hacks, cabs and taxicabs;
 - (i) Hand organs;
 - (j) Itinerant musicians;
 - (k) Junk dealers;
 - (kk) *Massage operators and institutes;*
 - (l) Peddlers, hawkers and vendors;
 - (m) Public carts and cartmen;
 - (n) Public porters;
 - (o) Shooting galleries;
 - (p) Street musicians;
 - (q) Stands within stoop lines and under the stairs of elevated or subway stations;
- No person shall engage in, or carry on any business, trade or occupation, or maintain any place or thing specified in this section without a license therefor.

Section 2. Chapter 14 of the Code of Ordinances, relating to licenses, is hereby amended by adding thereto a new article to read as follows:

Article 15. *Massage institutes and operators.*

Section 175. *Definitions.*

176. *Qualifications, license fee and term.*

177. *Violations and penalties.*

Section 175. *Definitions; Character; Institutes.*

A person who applies manual or mechanical massage or similar treatment to the human trunk or limbs shall be deemed to be intended within the terms of this ordinance a massage operator, but no person comprehended within the provisions of section 219 of the Sanitary Code, entitled Nurses, or section 173 of the Public Health Law, relating to osteopathy, shall be deemed to be intended within the provisions of this ordinance.

Any place in which two or more massage operators give treatment shall be deemed to be intended within the terms of this ordinance, a massage establishment or institute. No establishment incorporated as a hospital or sanitarium or comprehended under section 226 of the Sanitary Code, entitled Hospitals, or section 340 of the Sanitary Code, relating to bathing establishments, shall be deemed to be within the provisions of this ordinance.

Section 176. *Qualifications, license fee and terms.*

The Commissioner of Licenses, with the approval of the Police Commissioner, shall license in his discretion such operators and institutes as shall have complied with the rules and regulations laid down by the Board of Aldermen and further any such rules and regulations to be subject at all times to amendment by the Board of Aldermen. The annual license fee for each massage institute shall be \$10, and for each massage operator \$3. All licenses shall be issued as of December 1st of each year, and shall expire on November 30th next succeeding the date of issue thereof.

Section 177. Violations and penalties.

The Commissioner of Licenses, after a hearing, shall have power to suspend or revoke at any time any license granted in accordance with this article. He shall revoke the license of any massage institute, the proprietor of which employs as an operator a person not licensed in accordance with the provisions of this article, or permits the premises to be used in violation of any of the provisions of section 1146 of the Penal Law, entitled "keeping disorderly houses" of section 150 of the Tenement House Law, entitled "vagrancy," or of subdivision four of section 887 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, entitled "who are vagrants," and also the license of any operator who personally violates any one of those sections. For the purpose of this ordinance it shall be deemed to be a violation of these sections for any operator to treat a person of the opposite sex, except upon the signed order of a licensed physician, osteo, which order shall be dated and shall specifically state the number of treatments, not to exceed ten, to be given, except as such treatments are given in the residence of the patient, the office of a physician, or in a hospital or sanitarium. The date and hour of each treatment given and the name of the operator shall be entered on such order and the same shall be subject to inspection by the police.

Every massage operator and institute to whom or for which a license shall have been issued, pursuant to the provisions of this section, shall display a sign upon which the words "Licensed Masseuse," "Licensed Masseuse," or "Licensed Massage Institute," in accordance with the license as issued, shall be conspicuously and legibly set forth in English in such manner that the said words may be readily seen by persons entering the said premises where massage is given.

Section 4. The table of article headings of chapter 14 of the Code of Ordinances is hereby amended to read as follows:

LICENSES.

1. General provisions.
2. Billiard and pool tables.
3. Bowling alleys.
4. Dealers in second-hand articles.
5. Dirt carts.
6. Expresses and expressmen.
7. Exterior hoists.
8. Hacks, cabs and taxicabs.
9. Junk dealers.
- 9a. Pawnbrokers.
10. Peddlers, hawkers and vendors.
11. Public carts and cartmen.
12. Public porters.
13. Shooting galleries.
14. Street musicians.
15. Massage institutes and operators.

Section 5. This ordinance shall take effect December 1st, 1916.

Note—New matter in italics.

HARRY ROBITZEK, Chairman; JOHN T. EAGAN, LAUREN CARROLL, FRANK T. DIXSON, S. FRIEDLANDER, WILLIAM T. COLLINS, JOSEPH M. HANNON, Committee on General Welfare.

Alderman Haubert moved to recommit this proposition to the Committee on General Welfare.

Which motion was lost.

Alderman Kenneally then moved to lay the matter over for two weeks.

Which was adopted.

On motion of Alderman Drescher, the courtesies of the floor were extended to Mr. Frederick H. Whitin, Committee of Fourteen.

G. O. No. 190.

Report of the Committee on Salaries and Offices in Favor of Rejecting Resolution Fixing the Compensation of Certain Janitors in the Department of Education.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices, to which was referred on September 26, 1916 (Minutes, page 219), the annexed resolution to fix the compensation of certain Janitors in the Department of Education, respectfully

REPORTS:

The Committee considered this matter at several hearings at which were Mr. Arnstein of the Board of Education, Mr. Welton of the Commissioner of Accounts, Efficiency Bureau; Mr. Baxter, President of the Janitors' Association, and Mr. James E. O'Brien, Counsel for the Janitors' Association. It was demonstrated to the Committee that the method of computation and the prevailing scales have been in effect for many years, and it was further demonstrated, by affidavits and statements submitted by Counsel for Janitors, that during said years the duties required of a Janitor have increased considerably by requirements of the Board of Education, without any increase of salary allowance. The proposed allowances and the method of arriving at the same do not appear to the Committee to be reasonable, and it cites the allowances for School No. 178, Brooklyn.

January 11th, 1916, an allowance of \$3,987.10 was recommended for this school, approval of which was withheld by the Board of Aldermen, pending a special survey, which resulted in a further allowance of \$224.50, or \$4,212 in all, being recommended, which recommendation was rejected by the Board of Aldermen. In the resolution now before the Committee a recommendation of \$4,296 for this school is made. The Committee cannot reconcile these various amounts.

The By-Laws of the Board of Education require that a Janitor must be a licensed Engineer or a first-class Fireman, as school buildings may warrant, and the many duties imposed upon him require his attention from early morning until late at night.

The Committee has carefully considered all statements submitted, and concludes, owing to the greatly changed conditions during recent years, the rates of compensation allowed by the accompanying resolution are inadequate. It therefore recommends that the said resolution be rejected, and that copies of all the papers filed herewith be forwarded to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for its consideration.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, pursuant to the provisions of section 56 of the Greater New York Charter, hereby recommends to the Board of Aldermen the establishment of rate of compensation for Janitors in the Department of Education, in addition to those heretofore established, in accordance with the following list:

Janitor, Public School 11, Manhattan, per annum.....	\$1,908 00
Janitor, Public School 29, Manhattan, per annum, less \$221.....	1,968 00
Janitor, Public School 53, Manhattan, per annum.....	2,820 00
Janitor, Public School 58, Manhattan, per annum.....	2,280 00
Janitor, Public School 92, Manhattan, per annum.....	3,384 00
Janitor, Public School 124, Manhattan, per annum.....	912 00
Janitor, Public School 137, Manhattan, per annum.....	2,412 00
Janitor, Public School 17, The Bronx, per annum, less \$221.....	1,356 00
Janitor, Public School 17, The Bronx, per annum.....	1,116 00
Janitor, Public School 178, Brooklyn, per annum.....	4,296 00
Janitor, Public School 8, Queens, per annum.....	732 00
Janitor, Public School 23, Queens, per annum.....	1,560 00
Janitor, Public School 95, Queens, per annum, less \$221.....	2,760 00
Janitor, Public School 19, Richmond, per annum.....	1,140 00
Janitor, Public School 19, Richmond, for care of portable building, per annum.....	60 00

CHARLES DELANEY, FRANK J. SCHMITZ, ROBERT L. MORAN, EDWARD V. GILMORE, W. W. COLNE, JNO. J. O'ROURKE, JAMES J. MOLEN, Committee on Salaries and Offices.

No. 855—Resolution to Fix the Compensation of Certain Janitors in the Department of Education.

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

Ralph F. Baxter, being duly sworn, deposes and says: I reside at No. 620 East 163d Street, Borough of Bronx, City of New York, and am Janitor-engineer of Public School No. 10 in said Borough. I have occupied the position of Janitor or Janitor-engineer of the public schools of the City of New York under the so-called contract system for twenty-five years last past.

I am President of the Association of Custodian Engineers of the public schools of the City of New York. The members of said Association are Janitors and Janitor-engineers of public schools, and number approximately 400. Said Association is devoted to improving the conditions of its members and other occupants of similar positions, to improving the character and increasing the efficiency of the service, and,

generally, to promoting the interests and benefits of the janitorial staff as well as the interest and good of the public school system of the City of New York.

Said Association through its officers and directors has recently made a comprehensive study of conditions in the janitorial staff throughout the City, and particularly with respect to the subject of Janitors' compensation and the amounts necessarily disbursed by them under the said "contract" system. This affidavit is made by me as such President of said Association.

Janitors and Janitor-engineers of the public schools of the City of New York are employed under two systems, viz:

Under one system the Board of Education pays and employs directly the Janitor or Janitor-engineer and all his helpers or assistants. This is generally known as the "direct" system.

Under the other system the Janitor or Janitor-engineer is paid a certain gross compensation for the care and administration of a school building, out of which compensation or from his own resources he is expected and required to pay the wages or salaries of all his helpers or assistants, as well as certain other necessary disbursements. This is generally known as the "indirect" or "contract" system.

Under the by-laws, rules and regulations of the Board of Education and of the Municipal Civil Service Commission, it is required that in all school buildings equipped with high pressure boilers or moving machinery, such as pumps, fans, etc., the occupant of the janitorial position must be a licensed engineer. In other buildings not so equipped with high pressure boilers or moving machinery, but equipped with low pressure boilers, it is required that the occupant of the janitorial position be an experienced, trustworthy man possessing qualifications not lower than those of a licensed fireman.

The prevailing rate of wages for stationary engineers in the City of New York is not less than \$4.50 a day of eight hours, with double pay for overtime. This has been conceded for several years past, and I am inclined to believe that at the present time the prevailing rate is somewhat higher.

The above resolution, No. 855, now pending before the Board of Aldermen, is a salary reducing resolution. This appears from the fact that of the three temporary and twelve permanent fixations involved, fourteen are reductions in compensation and only one an increase.

The Association of Custodian Engineers vigorously protests against the proposed fixations, and contends that all of the rates proposed are grossly inadequate. In support of this contention the following is respectfully shown:

Under the "contract" system the rate of gross compensation has heretofore been determined according to a schedule of allowances or rates based on floor surface, yard surface, engines, boilers, pumps, fans, etc., the compensation varying in each school, according to the size and equipment of the building. The rates or allowances under said schedule were established some forty years ago, and were based on conditions existing at that time. Under the conditions existing at that time the duties imposed upon Janitors of public schools were only a fractional part of those now imposed by the by-laws, rules, regulations and special orders of the Board of Education. The hours during which they were to be on duty were much shorter; the number of helpers and assistants whom they were required to employ were fewer and their wages were lower, and the Janitor himself was able to live respectably on lower net compensation.

Of the many changes and conditions since the establishment of the said schedule of rates, forty years ago, some are here referred to, viz:

(a) The cost of living has very greatly increased, and by reason of this fact the Janitor must receive increased net compensation for the necessary support of himself and family (under the by-laws only married men may be appointed to those positions).

(b) The wages necessarily paid to assistants, helpers, firemen, etc., are now much higher than they were forty years ago.

(c) Under by-laws and special orders of the Board of Education and the Committee on Care of Buildings, adopted from time to time, Janitors have been required to employ additional help and a higher class of assistants and helpers.

(d) School buildings have been equipped with high pressure boilers, engines, dynamos, pumps, ventilating apparatus and complicated machinery, all making necessary the employment of more skilled assistants.

(e) By the introduction of the double-class system and otherwise, the use of school buildings has been greatly extended, all of which results in imposing increased duties upon the Janitor. By the enactment from time to time of new by-laws, special orders, etc., the duties and responsibilities of Janitors and Janitor-engineers have been constantly increased, extended and multiplied. By reason of the great extent and number of these mandatory provisions, it is utterly impossible to set them forth in this affidavit: e.g.—Sections 115, 116 and 117 of the by-laws of the Board of Education alone prescribe innumerable duties and responsibilities, all imposing great burdens upon Janitors. Some twelve closely printed pages of the manual of the Board of Education are filled by those three sections alone. In addition to the by-law provisions, it has long been and now is the custom of the Committee on Care of Buildings to annually promulgate special circular orders imposing many other and additional burdens and duties upon Janitors and Janitor-engineers. A copy of circular No. 74 is attached hereto, marked "Exhibit A," as an example of these special orders.

(f) By virtue of the provisions of the by-laws of the Board of Education, Janitors and Janitor-engineers are required to make many reports, and new reports are constantly required, as is made evident by an examination of the by-laws, special orders, etc.

(g) Under the said schedule of rates so established some forty years ago, Janitors were furnished living quarters for themselves and families in school buildings. On the abolition of this practice, Janitors now have rent allowance ranging from \$221 to \$360 per annum, and at the present rentals in the City of New York, these allowances are generally insufficient to cover the rent which such Janitors must pay.

(h) At the time of the establishment of said schedule of rates, and for some years thereafter, it was the practice of the Board of Education annually to engage outside contractors to overhaul school heating plants during the Summer time, and to do such work as packing valves, cleaning tubes and painting boilers, engines, pumps, pipes, travelers, etc., all of which work is now imposed upon the Janitor or Janitor-engineer.

In view of the greatly changed conditions during the past forty years, the Association of Custodian Engineers contends that the rates of compensation allowed by the aforesaid schedule and according to which most Janitors in the public schools are now paid, are grossly inadequate, and this contention is confirmed by the fact that for several years last past, the net compensation saved by Janitor-engineers in the public schools has been considerably less than the prevailing rate of wages paid in the City of New York to men occupying positions of lesser importance.

Under the provisions of by-laws of the Board of Education, and special orders, Janitors and Janitor-engineers are permitted to employ as assistants and helpers, only men and women of good character and references; and who are able to speak the English language.

Under the plan proposed by the efficiency staff of the Commissioner of Accounts office, it is assumed that Janitors working under the contract system shall employ assistants and helpers at the same rates of wages now paid by the Board of Education to employees in similar positions under the direct system—notwithstanding it is generally conceded that such employees under the direct system do not render efficient service and are generally considered incompetent and unfit.

I am willing to concede, however, that in view of the type of men occupying the positions of Janitor and Janitor-engineer under the contract system, they will be able, in most cases, to secure satisfactory helpers and assistants at the rates mentioned, except that they will be required to employ and pay all such helpers and assistants (except part time cleaners) twelve months each year, and they will not be able to employ competent firemen at the rates mentioned, for 7½ months a year, or competent male cleaners or competent matrons at those rates, for ten months a year, as proposed by the said efficiency staff.

I respectfully show, moreover, that it is necessary to retain such employees during the Summer months, for the performance of work required by the Board of Education, including such work as overhauling and painting steam plants, overhauling and cleaning boilers, engines, pumps, pipes, travellers, etc., packing valves, scrubbing and cleaning buildings throughout, making minor repairs, and performing many other burdensome duties which occupy the entire time of such helpers and assistants throughout the Summer vacation.

I respectfully submit, also, that if Janitors and Janitor-engineers under the contract system are able to procure efficient service from helpers and assistants, at rates of compensation the same as paid by the Board of Education to inefficient and in-

competent helpers and assistants, that the Janitor or Janitor-engineer should receive some compensation for his administrative ability in procuring such results.

In respect to the plan proposed by the efficiency staff of the Commissioner of Accounts office, I contend that they have overlooked many of the important burdens and duties imposed upon Janitors and Janitor-engineers; that they have assumed that assistants and helpers will do more work than is humanly possible to secure from them for the wages paid, and that the rates of net compensation which they allow Janitors and Janitor-engineers are grossly inadequate, in view of the great burdens and responsibilities imposed upon them, and of the extraordinary efficient and administrative ability expected of them.

For example, I am informed and believe that the said efficiency staff have figured on the basis that an average sweeper assigned to sweeping and dusting classrooms, will sweep 4,200 square feet of floor surface per hour—in other words, approximately 9 average classrooms per hour. I contend that the most thorough and complete investigation and all experience demonstrates that the utmost that can be expected from the best average sweeper, is six classrooms an hour, and that it would be humanly impossible to procure from such helpers the amount of service which the said efficiency staff assume shall be procured in average cases.

According to my information, as the result of extensive investigations, this is a fair example of the fundamental errors on which the entire plan of the said efficiency staff is founded.

If the rates of compensation proposed in the pending resolution be adopted, I believe that the occupants of the positions will be unable to save any reasonable net compensation, unless the duties of their position be neglected, or unless they be able to procure helpers and assistants at rates of compensation discreditable to the entire system.

Janitors and Janitor-engineers of public schools working under the contract system, are, generally speaking, men of good character, willing and anxious to perform the duties of their position, and to pay reasonable rates of wages to the assistants employed by them. This, however, would be utterly impossible under the conditions imposed by the said efficiency staff, and the adoption of such rates would make, not for efficiency, but for disorder, inefficiency and misgovernment.

The Association of Custodian Engineers has thoroughly examined conditions in the several public school buildings involved in this resolution, and, after such investigation, and as the result of experience and judgment of many men competent to judge in such cases, I am prepared to recommend that the compensation of the positions of Janitor of the school buildings in question should be at rates not less than the following:

Public School No. 11, Manhattan, \$2,030 per annum.
Public School No. 53, Manhattan, \$3,442 per annum.
Public School No. 58, Manhattan, \$2,800 per annum.
Public School No. 92, Manhattan, \$3,872 per annum.
Public School No. 124, Manhattan, \$1,250 per annum.
Public School No. 137, Manhattan, \$2,740 per annum.
Public School No. 17, Bronx, \$1,380 per annum.
Public School No. 178, Brooklyn, \$5,166 per annum.
Public School No. 8, Queens, \$960 per annum.
Public School No. 23, Queens, \$1,725 per annum.
Public School No. 19, Richmond, \$1,480 per annum.
Public School No. 19, Richmond (Portable Building), \$120 per annum.

The rates of compensation above set forth and recommended, do not include allowances for snow removal and Workmen's Compensation Insurance, and are to that extent inadequate in each case.

RALPH F. BAXTER.

Sworn to before me this 20th day of October, 1916.

HAROLD P. WINANS, Commissioner of Deeds, City of New York, New York County Clerk's No. 1129, N. Y. Register No. 17112, Commission expires June 29, 1917.

No 855—Resolution to Fix the Compensation of Certain Janitors in the Department of Education.

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

John Elliott being duly sworn, deposes and says: I reside in The City of New York, and am Janitor-Engineer of Public School No. 10, Borough of Manhattan; I have occupied the position of Janitor or Janitor-Engineer of public schools of The City of New York, under the contract system, for thirty-two years last past; I am Executive Chairman of the Association of Custodian Engineers of Public Schools and am familiar with conditions in the school buildings involved in the above salary fixing resolution; I have read the annexed affidavit of Ralph F. Baxter, verified October 20th, 1916, and I approve and confirm the statements therein contained.

In further support of Mr. Baxter's statements and recommendations, I respectfully direct attention to the following facts:

First, an extensive investigation conducted by the Association of Custodian Engineers with respect to the operation, cost of administering (1) public school buildings under the "contract" system; (2) public school buildings under the "direct" system; (3) other public buildings under the direct system, and (4) private office buildings, demonstrates as follows, viz.:

(a) That the cost of administering public school buildings under the contract system, according to the measurement schedule heretofore in effect, is less than the cost of administering buildings in any of the other groups above referred to.

(b) That the cost of administering public school buildings under the direct system, is upwards of 50 per cent. greater than under the contract system, and the result in efficiency is far lower.

(c) That the cost of administering other public buildings is several times greater than the cost of administering public school buildings under the contract system; and

(d) The cost of administering private office buildings in The City of New York is substantially greater than the cost of administering school buildings under said contract system.

Second, I respectfully direct attention to the fact that under the by-laws, rules and regulations of the Board of Education, Janitors and Janitor-Engineers in the public school system are required to be on duty on an average of upwards of ten hours a day the year round. Specific provision of the by-laws requires that they be on duty from 8 a. m. to 5 p. m., and in cold weather it is necessary that the boilers be fired as early as 5 o'clock in the morning. According to the prevailing rate of wages, therefore, figuring double for over time, men in these positions would be entitled to compensation of upwards of \$2,000 per annum for their services as Engineers alone, not including their required service on Sunday, and having no reference to their extensive and important duties and responsibilities apart from those as Engineers. As a matter of fact, Janitor-Engineers are required to be on duty an average of twelve hours a day.

Third, I respectfully direct attention to that provision of the by-laws of the Board of Education, imposing personal responsibility upon Janitors and Janitor-Engineers for safeguarding school property, which provision, in practical working, imposes onerous duties and responsibilities. As illustrating the effect of this provision, attention is respectfully directed to the recent case of Edward H. Wilson, Janitor-Engineer of Public School No. 10, Borough of Brooklyn. At a meeting of the Committee on Care of Buildings, held last Friday, October 13th, 1916, said Committee imposed on Mr. Wilson a fine of \$10 to be deducted from his salary because of the fact that during the recent summer months burglars effected an entrance to said school building during the night time and stole property of a value of \$1 or thereabouts.

Fourth, I respectfully protest against the proposed reductions of salary involved in this resolution for the reasons (first) that in view of the greatly increased burdens under which Janitors and Janitor-Engineers are now laboring, this is no time to reduce salaries; and (second), that the salaries heretofore existing in the positions in question were grossly inadequate for the reasons set forth in the said affidavit of Ralph F. Baxter, and because of the onerous duties and responsibilities imposed upon the occupants of said positions by the by-laws, rules, regulations and special orders of the Board of Education.

JOHN ELLIOTT.

Sworn to before me this 20th day of October, 1916.

HAROLD P. WINANS, Commissioner of Deeds, City of New York, N. Y. County Clerk's No. 1129, N. Y. Register No. 17112; Commission expires June 29, 1917.

No. 855—Resolution to Fix the Compensation of Certain Janitors in the Department of Education.

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

Frank E. Crosby, being duly sworn, deposes and says:

I reside in the City of New York, and am Janitor-Engineer of Public School

No. 3, Borough of Bronx. I have occupied the position of Janitor or Janitor-Engineer in the public schools of New York City under the measurement system for nineteen years.

I have read the affidavit of Ralph F. Baxter, verified October 20, 1916, and I approve and confirm the statements therein contained. In further support of Mr. Baxter's statements and recommendations, I further direct attention to certain special orders and innovations of the Board of Education, which are cited as examples of the onerous burdens imposed on Janitors and Janitor-Engineers, in addition to those prescribed in the by-laws.

First—By a special order of the Committee on the Care of Buildings, made some months ago, Janitors are required to place traffic signs or stanchions at the entrance of streets bounding school buildings, which signs must be placed in the morning and removed in the afternoon, and for which the Janitor is held responsible.

Second—By another recent order, after the ashes are placed on the sidewalk, the Janitor is required to furnish one of his Helpers to assist the ashman dumping cans.

Third—The Board of Education has recently adopted a plan of using a mixture of soft coal and rice coal, which, as I am informed and believe, has resulted in saving very large sums in the cost of fuel. I understand that this mixture of coal is now being used in about 100 high pressure plants.

The introduction of this mixture of coal, however, has imposed greatly increased burdens on the Janitor-Engineer, since it makes necessary the constant operation of blowers, requires that a Fireman be constantly present at least twelve hours a day, makes it necessary to start the fires at four o'clock in the morning in cold weather, and makes necessary the personal presence of the Engineer at four o'clock in the morning, at frequent short intervals throughout the day, and in colder weather, at less frequent intervals throughout the night time. All this results in substantially increasing the burdens and expenses of the Janitor-Engineer in charge.

The foregoing are cited as a few examples of the many burdens imposed on Janitors and Janitor-Engineers by special orders and innovations adopted by the Board of Education.

In respect to the plan or scheme of compensation proposed by the efficiency staff of the Commissioner of Accounts' office, I am able to state from long experience and extensive investigation that said plan is based on fundamental errors of fact, miscalculations and failure to take into consideration many of the important duties imposed on occupants of these positions.

For example: The plan is based on the theory that an average sweeper assigned to sweeping classrooms will sweep 4,200 square feet, or about nine classrooms an hour. This is humanly impossible, assuming, of course, that the rooms be properly swept, as they now are. Before sweeping a room, the sweeper is required to open all windows even from top and bottom, turn up all seats and move the teacher's desk. Then he is required to sweep out corners behind radiators, wardrobe, etc., after which he proceeds to sweep the floor. All experience demonstrates that the time required for an average competent sweeper to sweep one average classroom is from twelve to fifteen minutes, or four to five classrooms an hour. When working under enforced pressure, the utmost that can be accomplished by a competent sweeper is six rooms an hour.

With respect to mopping rooms, said efficient staff has fallen into similar error, inasmuch as the time actually necessary to mop a room is approximately double the time allowed by said staff.

FRANK E. CROSBY.

Sworn to before me this 20th day of October, 1916.

HAROLD P. WINANS, Commissioner of Deeds, City of New York; N. Y. County Clerk's No. 1129; N. Y. Reg. No. 17112; commission expires June 29, 1917.

No. 855—Resolution to Fix the Compensation of Certain Janitors in the Department of Education.

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

Arthur W. Thrush, being duly sworn, deposes and says: I reside in the City of New York, and am Janitor-engineer of Public School No. 178, Borough of Brooklyn, to which position I was appointed on or about December 1st, 1915.

During the month of December, 1915, I received compensation in said position at the rate of \$4,644 per annum, but since January 1st, 1916, I have received no compensation whatever in said position, notwithstanding I have performed the duties thereof and have employed and paid a staff of helpers and assistants and have made other necessary disbursements.

The building of said Public School No. 178 is a large modern school building, having forty-nine classrooms, a spacious auditorium, a number of teachers' rooms, offices, etc.; in all, 77,500 square feet of floor surface, besides 33,500 square feet of paved surface. The building is equipped with 4 steam boilers, 3 steam engines, several electric pumps, electric motors, steam pumps, fans, etc.

Since January 1st, 1916, as I am informed and believe, the efficiency staff of the Commissioner of Accounts' office have recommended several different rates of compensation for the position of Janitor-engineer of said school, and the rate now proposed in the above resolution, it \$4,296.

I assert that said proposed rate of compensation is utterly inadequate for the position in question; and in support of that assertion I set forth hereinafter certain facts and figures based on my actual experience and observations in the position of Janitor-engineer of said Public School No. 178, and based upon my experience of ten years in the position of Janitor-engineer in charge of public schools in the City of New York.

I am informed and believe that the rate of compensation recommended by the said efficiency staff is based upon many erroneous conclusions with respect to the amount of work that will be done by an average helper or assistant in a given period of time; with respect to the number of helpers or assistants required and the compensation necessarily paid them; with respect to a reasonable allowance for snow removal and insurance under the Workmen's Compensation Law; and finally, with respect to the amount of net compensation to which the Janitor-engineer is personally entitled.

In further support of the assertion last above made, and as illustrating the errors on which said recommendation is based, I respectfully show:

First example—

As I am informed and believe the said efficiency staff allow for sweeping and dusting the auditorium in said school, a total of 1 hour and 14 minutes, as follows:

Sweeping stage carpet, 18 minutes; sweeping floor of auditorium, 36 minutes; dusting seats, 18 minutes; Dusting woodwork, 2 minutes. Total, 1 hr., 14 minutes.

By actual observation, the amount of time required for such sweeping and dusting of said auditorium, by competent helpers, is as follows:

Sweeping stage carpet, 30 minutes; sweeping floor of auditorium, 80 minutes; dusting seats and woodwork, 40 minutes. Total, 2 hours, 30 minutes.

Second Example—

I am informed and believe that the said efficiency staff allow that the average Janitor-engineer's helper assigned to sweeping and dusting classrooms, will sweep 4,200 square feet per hour—in other words, approximately 9 classrooms an hour. By actual observation and experience the highest number of average classrooms that the average competent helper will sweep per hour is six.

Third Example—

I am informed and believe that the said efficiency staff's allowance for snow removal is at the rate of \$1.50 per thousand square feet of paved surface. I contend that the average cost of snow removal is approximately \$3 a year per thousand square feet of paved surface.

Fourth Example—

I am informed and believe that the said efficiency staff's allowance for Workmen's Compensation insurance premiums in said position is \$6, whereas, the amount to be expended under recent amendments in the Workmen's Compensation Law, will be in the neighborhood of \$40 per annum.

Fifth Example—

I am informed and believe that the said efficiency staff's allowance for helpers and assistants is as follows, viz.:

1 Fireman, 7½ months, at \$80.....	\$600 00
1 Male Cleaner, 12 months, at \$50.....	600 00
1 Male Cleaner, 10 months, at \$50.....	500 00
1 Female Cleaner, 12 months, at \$35.....	420 00
3 Female Cleaners, part time, 10 months, at \$20.....	600 00
Total.....	\$2,720 00

I respectfully assert and allege that the said allowance for helpers and assistants is considerably less than the amount which must be actually expended by the Janitor of said school.

The proper operation of the said building, pursuant to the by-laws, rules and regulations of the Board of Education, pursuant to special orders issued by the Committee on Care of Buildings, and pursuant to law, will necessarily involve actual disbursements to be made by the Janitor-Engineer, as follows, viz.:

1 Fireman, 12 months, at \$70.....	\$840 00
1 Assistant Janitor, 12 months, at \$50.....	600 00
1 Assistant Janitor, 12 months, at \$45.....	540 00
1 Matron, 12 months, at \$40.....	480 00
3 Sweepers, 10 months, part time, at \$20.....	600 00

Total Allowance for Helpers and Assistants..... \$3,060 00

Other disbursements as follows:

Window cleaning	\$86 00
Snow removal	92 00
Insurance, Workmen's Compensation Law.....	40 00
Incidental disbursements for extra help, etc., say.....	20 00

Total..... 238 00

Reasonable net compensation for Janitor-Engineer..... 2,000 00

Total gross compensation \$5,298 00

In support of my contention that the Janitor-Engineer of said School No. 178 is entitled to net compensation of at least \$2,000 per annum, I respectfully show that the occupant of that position must be first a licensed engineer; that he is required by the by-laws of the Board of Education to be on duty every day in the year (except a possible vacation not exceeding ten days); that in addition to his duties as engineer of a large and complicated plant, he is charged with responsibility for the school property, and with multitudinous duties and responsibilities. In view of the fact that he must be on duty on an average of at least ten hours a day, as an engineer he would be entitled to upwards of \$1,800 per annum under the prevailing rate of wage law; and I respectfully submit that he should be allowed substantial compensation for the many other important and onerous duties and responsibilities imposed upon him.

I respectfully submit, therefore, that the compensation for the position of Janitor-Engineer of said Public School No. 178, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York, be fixed at a rate not less than \$5,298 per annum.

ARTHUR H. THRUSH.

Sworn to before me this 20th day of October, 1916.
HAROLD P. WINANS, Commissioner of Deeds, City of New York, N. Y. Co. Clerk's No. 1129, N. Y. Register No. 17112. Commission expires June 29, 1917.

EXHIBIT A, ATTACHED TO AFFIDAVIT OF RALPH F. BAXTER.

All circulars must be kept on file in a clean condition. Section 117, subdivision 8, of the By-laws of the Board of Education provides that any and all circulars sent to Janitors by the Committee on Care of Buildings, and by the Supervisor of Janitors must be kept on file, and the directions therein contained shall be deemed to be in force until amended or repealed.

Department of Education, The City of New York, Office of the Supervisor of Janitors, Room 301, 59th Street and Park Avenue.

Telephone calls: 9 a. m. to 7 p. m., 5580 Plaza; other hours, 5589 Plaza; nights, Sundays, holidays, 1814 Riverside.

Care of Buildings Circular No. 74.

New York, November 27, 1912.

To the Janitor-Engineer, Janitor, or Cleaner in Charge:

1. Notice is hereby given to operate the ventilating system commencing Monday, December 2, 1912. In this connection attention is called to the following:

(a) The temperature of all rooms occupied for school purposes shall range between 60 and 68 degrees Fahrenheit; halls, passageways and gymnasiums between 60 and 65 degrees Fahrenheit; from 9 a. m. until school is dismissed, unless the outdoor temperature be higher. (As adopted by the Board of Education on Nov. 13, 1912.)

(b) He (the engineer) shall have the ventilating apparatus in full and complete operation by 8.50 a. m. each school day, and run the same to its full capacity during school session, unless otherwise specially directed by the Superintendent of School Buildings. A stoppage exceeding twenty minutes in duration will be regarded as a violation of this rule, and will subject the janitor to forfeiture of pay for the day or days (portions of a day exceeding twenty minutes to be regarded as a full day) during which the apparatus is not in operation. (Section 116, subdivision 36, of the By-laws of the Board of Education.)

2. In the following schools, which are provided with artificial systems of ventilation that are less satisfactory than open windows, the system shall be operated only when inclement weather forbids adequate window-opening, the whole matter of use or non-use, within the period allowed for operation, being left to the discretion of the school principals:

Manhattan—Public School 2; Public School 5; Public School 6; Public School 7; Public School 8; Public School 9; Public School 10; Public School 13; Public School 14; Public School 19; Public School 20; Public School 22; Public School 23; Public School 25; Public School 29; Public School 30; Public School 34; Public School 43; Public School 54; Public School 56; Public School 58; Public School 67; Public School 68; Public School 75; Public School 77; Public School 79; Public School 83; Public School 87; Public School 89; Public School 92; Public School 93; Public School 94; Public School 103; Public School 105; Public School 121; Public School 127; Public School 135.

The Bronx—Public School 10; Public School 11; Public School 13; Public School 23; Public School 25; Public School 30.

Brooklyn—Public School 2; Public School 3; Public School 9; Public School 10; Public School 15; Public School 16; Public School 17; Public School 23; Public School 26; Public School 31; Public School 34; Public School 35; Public School 37; Public School 40; Public School 43; Public School 44; Public School 45; Public School 46; Public School 54; Public School 55; Public School 65; Public School 68; Public School 70; Public School 71; Public School 72; Public School 73; Public School 74; Public School 76; Public School 77; Public School 78; Public School 79; Public School 80; Public School 82; Public School 86; Public School 88; Public School 87; Public School 89; Public School 106; Public School 107; Public School 108; Public School 111; Public School 113; Public School 116; Public School 118; Girls' High School.

Queens—Public School 1; Public School 7; Public School 11; Public School 14; Public School 22; Public School 27; Public School 32; Public School 33; Public School 44; Public School 52; Public School 71 (old).

Richmond—Public School 14.

3. In all cases, upon the written request of the principal, made each year in the month of October, accompanied by a written assumption of responsibility for keeping the building well ventilated by windows, the principal will be allowed full discretion in the use or non-use of the artificial system of ventilation within the period allowed for operation by the Committee on Care of Buildings, the permission being revocable for cause by said Committee.

4. You will run the fans at full speed for about three hours on Friday, November 29th, 1912, after school hours, in order to dislodge any dust in the ducts or cold air intakes, the louvers on the roof to be wide open during the operation.

5. If, at the time circular reaches you, the ventilating apparatus in your building is not in running order, you will at once notify the Superintendent of School Buildings and the Supervisor of Janitors of the fact, in writing, giving definite information as to what you believe to be the cause of the trouble.

6. Janitors must understand that they will be held accountable for lack of heat in their buildings if it should appear that, through timely notice to the Superintendent of School Buildings and the Supervisor of Janitors, sufficient repairs could have been made to prevent the closing of the school building.

7. Janitors will comply with the following regulations for the care and operation of the heating and ventilating apparatus, boilers, machinery, etc.:

I. Temperature Regulating System.

(a) Temperature regulating system shall be put into operation at the same time heat is turned on.

(b) To do this, first start the air compressors. Until steam pressure is available for the purpose, the hydraulic, electric or gas compressors are to be operated.

(c) To start the hydraulic compressor open the cock over pump in air discharge pipe and turn on the water.

(d) The air pressure must be kept at between 12 and 15 lbs.

(e) If sufficient air pressure is not maintained by the compressors, at once

notify the Superintendent of School Buildings and the Supervisor of Janitors, giving the name of the company which appears on the pumps and gauges. Give such reasons as you may know or to account for the failure of compressors to maintain sufficient pressure.

(f) The thermostats shall be set at 65 degrees F. It frequently happens that even when the thermostat is working the heat of the sun and of the mass of metal in the radiator drives the temperature in a room above the point at which the thermostat turns off the steam. Therefore the thermostat should never be set at a maximum temperature permitted, especially as a lower temperature than the maximum is more healthful than the maximum. Further, a thermostat out of order is a menace to health, more injurious even than a bad smell.

(g) Wherever there are transoms over windows or doors or other openings into the halls from classrooms, these shall be kept open, at least in part, the whole time, and that in buildings not having plenum ventilation in the halls, windows opening from the halls to the outside air shall also be kept open. (As adopted by the Board of Education September 18, 1912.)

II. Ducts, Dampers, Etc.

(a) All ducts should be cleaned out every six months, or oftener, if necessary, and in connection therewith stems of thermostats and thermometers in ducts should be carefully and thoroughly cleaned so that air can get to the sensitive parts of same.

(b) Dampers in vent hoods must be opened every school morning immediately after blowers are started up, and must be closed just before blowers are stopped in the afternoon.

(c) Oil feeders on blower bearings must be given careful attention, and no oil allowed to drip from bearings, as such oil catches lint and dust, choking thermostats and making breeding places for disease germs.

(d) Dampers in heat flues must not be changed by the engineer or janitor, except in cases of severe draft in room, in which case dampers may be partly or wholly closed, but the facts must be reported to the office of the Supervisor of Janitors and to the Superintendent of School Buildings.

III. Machinery, Boilers, Etc.

(a) No fire shall be started in any boiler until the engineer in charge has, by personal examination, satisfied himself as to the sufficiency of water in such boiler, and that all valves connected therewith are properly set and in perfect working order.

(b) No blow-off valve connected with a boiler shall be operated unless under the personal supervision of the engineer in charge.

(c) No stop-valve connected with the boiler shall be operated unless under the personal supervision of the engineer in charge.

(d) Gauge cocks must be opened frequently to free them from sediment, and to prove that gauge glass indicates true level of water in boiler. Careful attention must be paid to the valves above and below water columns, to see that they are open wide during operation of boiler.

(e) Water column must be blown twice daily—in the morning before starting the fire or closing furnace doors and before the beginning of the afternoon session, so as to remove all sediment and to find true level of water in boiler.

(f) Safety valve shall be lifted from seat before the assembly of school every morning.

(g) All valves must be packed by engineer or fireman, and not permitted to leak.

(h) See that blow-off cock does not leak; the temperature of pipe outside of blow-off cock will indicate this.

(i) Automatic damper regulators shall receive strict attention. Failure to work shall be reported immediately to the Superintendent of School Buildings and the Supervisor of Janitors.

(j) Fire must be kept off dead plates to avoid burning door and arch plate.

(k) Boiler tubes must be cleaned twice a month.

(l) All ashes shall be removed from foundation of bridge wall and ash pit.

(m) Clinkers must not be allowed to remain in fires, and special attention must be paid to the side and the bridge walls to prevent clinkers from accumulating.

(n) Engines are to be started only by the engineer in charge or under his personal supervision.

(o) All stock doors on playground floor must be locked before starting up engine. If lock is defective, notify this office at once. Accidents are liable to happen if a pupil opened the door during the operation of fan.

8. Permission has been granted by the Committee on Care of Buildings for the opening of all classroom windows for two-minute exercise periods at 10, 11 and 2 o'clock, and for the opening of all windows between 12 and 1 o'clock, between which hours the ventilating apparatus is to be closed down.

9. In the putting in of coal and trimming of coal bins, janitors will see that coal is not permitted to remain on top of ducts or pipes, unless such ducts or pipes are boxed over.

10. Your attention is called to all defective coal conveyors, such as loose bolts, butts, switches, or any defective workmanship that prevents its proper operation. Report at once to this office.

11. All dust chutes must be emptied after school sessions each afternoon and contents burned in incinerator. This applies to entire year—after vacation schools or other summer activities, as well as after regular sessions of the regular day school.

The bags or baskets for conveying paper, etc., to incinerator must be carefully examined to see that no sparks or burning rubbish are concealed therein before putting away for the night.

12. Considerable damage results from the freezing of tanks, cisterns and wash basins, etc. In order to prevent this freezing during the winter, janitors are directed to shut off the supply to tanks, wash basins, and urinals during the cold weather and drain the same before leaving the building at night.

As an additional safeguard against such freezing, janitors shall, in the extremely cold weather, keep up sufficient steam over Saturdays, Sundays and holidays to maintain a temperature throughout the building on such days higher than the freezing point; that is, at not more than 40 degrees Fahrenheit.

13. Janitors are to go to Police Headquarters for examination, transfer or renewal of license on SATURDAYS ONLY. If they are notified to appear on any other day, they may ignore the notice and appear the following Saturday.

14. Where an engineer is employed by a janitor as fireman, he can fire boilers under the supervision of a licensed engineer only. The janitor-engineer in charge of the plant will be held strictly accountable for the boilers.

15. Janitors of school buildings in which high pressure plants are installed must engage a licensed fireman who must come to this office with his license each year for the purpose of having the same recorded in the license registry books.

16. It is necessary that janitors also have their licenses recorded in this office. It is, however, not necessary to register on the same plant more than once, except to record a higher grade of license.

17. Your attention is called to the necessity of exercising strict economy in the use of electricity for the operation of electric pumps and lighting purposes. Where possible the gas engine must be used for pumping water in preference to electric pumps. Where you find it convenient, the use of gas is preferable to electricity, the former being cheaper. Gas and electricity must not be used together for lighting purposes. When the sweeping and dusting of classrooms in the afternoon or evening is finished, the gas or the electric light must be extinguished at once.

18. With the approach of winter, particular attention is called to the provisions of subdivision 38 of section 116 of the by-laws of the Board of Education relative to the removal of snow, which reads as follows:

He shall remove all snow from sidewalks and gutters adjacent to the school building, before eight o'clock in the morning of every school day on which snow falls; and in all cases within four hours after snow ceases to fall, as provided by the Code of Ordinances of the City of New York, the time between 9 P. M. and 7 A. M. not being included in said period of four hours; and he shall remove all snow from all yards, pavements and passages within twenty-four hours after the cessation of any snowstorm. He shall keep fire-escapes clear and clean at all times.

19. The following instructions are from the people who make a specialty of laying magnesia composition floors, and we are assured if this method of caring for same is carried out, these floors will have long life and good appearance.

Do not use an excess of water in cleaning these floors. At intervals, or if grime collects on the floor, same should be scrubbed with weak, cold ammonia water; steel wool makes the best scrub cloth; an oil mop, well wrung out so that it is almost dry, should be used in wiping up the floors in the removal of daily accumulation of dirt. For this purpose a waxed floor oil dressing should be used.

20. Kindergarten rooms, and classrooms used for crippled children, and anemic children, are to be scrubbed at least once each week.

21. Positively no oil is to be used on wooden stairs, classroom floors, etc. In order to reduce dust while sweeping classrooms, playgrounds, halls and stairs, use oiled sawdust.

Oiled sawdust is to be prepared in the following manner: Place in an open box or can a pailful or two of sawdust; spread out evenly and sprinkle over it a small quantity of crude oil; mix thoroughly, turning sawdust over several times. Only a small quantity of oil is needed—about one-half pint of oil to one pailful of sawdust. When ready for use the sawdust should be so nearly dry that when rubbed on the hands no oil will adhere to them. Wet or moist sawdust will spot your floor.

Do not sprinkle sawdust over entire floor before sweeping; a handful or two (depending upon the size of the space to be swept) should be thrown along the floor at the point where sweeping is started and then carried along in sweeping over the entire surface.

Proper use of this material will prevent dust rising during sweeping, will save considerable labor and will result in cleaner and more sanitary buildings.

22. On account of the many thefts during the past year, janitors are directed to see that all doors and windows are securely fastened before leaving the building at night. When through with the ash hoist, close the doors of same, and run the elevator up to the doors. See that coal-hole covers are securely fastened by a strong chain—not a rope.

23. Whenever a theft, fire or other emergency occurs at the school building, immediately notice must be communicated by telephone to the office, or, when the same occurs after office hours, to the residence of the Supervisor, 1814 Riverside. Telephone communication must be followed by a written report.

24. Greater care must be exercised in the care of pianos. Children must not be allowed to use them for seats, and water vessels, boxes, tools, etc., must not be allowed on keyboard, on top, or on any part of piano. Pupils found marking, scratching or destroying piano in any manner must be reported to the Principal or Teacher-in-charge, and a report must be sent to this office at once.

25. Janitors are instructed to see to it that their help use safety belts when cleaning windows. Accidents have occurred during the past summer owing to their non-use. If you have no safety-belt, do not permit your help to clean windows until you have procured one from the Supply Bureau.

26. Every precaution must be taken by janitors so that only persons of good character are employed by them. The Committee on Care of Buildings has ordered that no janitor shall employ any person to assist them in the cleaning, etc., of the school building unless that person shall first submit a reference from his or her last employer, which reference shall state:

(a) The occupation or capacity in which such person was employed; (b) the length of time he or she was so employed; (c) the date and the reason for leaving; and (d) his or her general habits and character. Janitors must preserve all references submitted by the help and show the same to the Assistant Supervisors when they call to inspect the school building.

When an assistant or helper, either male or female, has been discharged for any serious breach of conduct, you will at once notify this office giving the name and address of the person discharged, and all other information you may have, so that all janitors may be notified to refuse employment to such person if he or she again seek work in the public schools.

Janitors will see to it that pupils are not engaged by the help to assist in the cleaning of the school building. Pupils must not be permitted to assist the help in any manner.

Janitors are directed to instruct their help not to converse with pupils, except when pupils are sent by principals or teachers to them on some errand connected with the school.

Except when accompanied by a teacher or other authorized person, janitors will see to it that children are not permitted to enter or remain in the school building after school hours, on Saturdays, holidays, or during any vacation period.

While on duty in or about the school building, all help must appear neat and tidy. Do not allow your help to go about the building dressed in a slovenly manner. A change of linens, jumpers, aprons, etc., must be made as often as required.

No helper must be employed who cannot speak and read English.

All help must be paid a fair compensation for their services.

27. Janitors must notify this office at once when the fireman they have engaged is dismissed, resigns, or is absent through illness. No cleaners will be allowed to substitute for licensed firemen.

28. The absence of women engaged in the capacity of matrons must be reported to this office at once.

29. Janitors of school buildings in which an evening school, evening recreation centre, or public lecture is held, are required to be personally present at such activity, unless excused from personal attendance by the Committee on Care of Buildings or the Supervisor of Janitors.

30. A janitor not in his office or boiler room will place in office or on office door a note stating where he can be found, in order that inspectors visiting school building will not be delayed.

31. Residence signs, giving the correct address of janitor, must be displayed over main entrance door so that same can be read from street. When janitor's residence has been changed, the enamelled letters on sign must be changed also. No paper sign will be permitted, as this soon becomes loose, writing becomes indistinct, and sign is therefore useless.

32. At a meeting of the Committee on Care of Buildings held on July 5th, 1912, it was decided to allow janitors, if they so desire, to go to the office of the City Paymaster for their checks after they have received the receipt therefor, with the understanding that they are in no wise relieved from the responsibilities of their duties, and provided they go after the closing hour on school days or on Saturdays, and THEN ONLY AFTER PERMISSION HAS BEEN GRANTED BY THE SUPERVISOR OF JANITORS.

33. All orders relative to the care of school buildings, care and operation of machinery, apparatus, etc., will be issued by the Committee on Care of Buildings and the Supervisor of Janitors. Yours truly,

GEORGE C. MILLER, Chairman, Committee on Care of Buildings.

A. J. MAGUIRE, Supervisor of Janitors.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bassett, Bent, Burden, Browne, Cardani, Cassidy, Cole, Colne, Cox, Crane, Cunningham, Curley, Curran, Daly, Delaney, Diemer, Dixon, Donnelly, Dostal, Dunn, Drescher, Eagan, Farley, Ferguson, Ferrand, Friedlander, Gaynor, Gilmore, Goetz, Gutman, Hannon, Haubert, Heyman, Hilkemeier, Hogan, Kenneally, Kenney, McCann, McGarry, McKee, McManus, Martin, Molen, Moore, Moran, Mullen, O'Rourke, Palitz, Post, Quinn, Robitzek, Ryan, Schmitz, Schweickert, Shields, Silberstein, Smith, Squiers, Sullivan, Stapleton, Stevenson, Tolk, Walsh, Williams, Wirth, Wise; President Connolly, by James A. Dayton, Commissioner of Public Works; President Mathewson, by John G. Borgstede, Commissioner of Public Works; President Pounds, by Edmund W. Voorhies, Commissioner of Public Works; President Marks, by Ralph Folks, Commissioner of Public Works—70.

Alderman Kenney moved that the Board do now adjourn to meet on Tuesday, November 14, 1916.

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

And the President declared that the Board stood adjourned until Tuesday, November 14th, 1916, at 1.30 o'clock p. m.

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

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

WARRANTS MADE READY FOR PAYMENT IN DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 1, 1916.

Below is a statement of warrants made ready for payment on the above date, showing therein the Department of Finance voucher number, the dates of the invoices or the registered number of the contract, the date the voucher was filed in the Department of Finance, the name of the payee and the amount of the warrant.

Where two or more bills are embraced in the warrant, the dates of the earliest and latest are given, excepting that, when such payments are made under a contract, the registered number of the contract is shown in the place of the second invoice date.

Where the word "final" is shown after the name of the payee, payment will not be made until thirty days after the completion and acceptance of the work, but all

of the other warrants mentioned will be forwarded through the mail unless some reason exists why payment is to be made in person, in which event written notice will be promptly given to the claimant.

In making a written or verbal inquiry at this office for any of the above mentioned warrants, it is requested that reference be made by the Department of Finance voucher number.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

Finance Voucher No.	Invoice Dates or Contract Number	Received in Department of Finance	Name of Payee.	Amount.
Armory Board.				
134401	9-27-16	10-26-16	National Lead Co.....	\$20 00
134397	10-10-16	10-26-16	Cavanagh Bros. & Co.....	18 50
134400	10-17-16	10-26-16	Cavanagh Bros. & Co.....	40 30
134403	9-20-16	10-26-16	Rocap & Poole.....	21 38
131884	8- 9-16	10-19-16	William J. Olvany.....	247 00
131885	7-17-16	10-19-16	C. L. Dooley.....	130 23
131888	9- 9-16	10-19-16	William C. Ferrer.....	297 00
131895		10-19-16	J. M. Knopp.....	3,307 50
131886	9-14-16	10-19-16	Rocap & Poole.....	185 00
Department of Plant and Structures.				
132701	10- 6-16. 10-10-16	10-21-16	A. F. Brombacher & Co.....	34 59
135127		10-28-16	Raymond Hollis, Inspector of Steel....	5 79
Bellevue and Allied Hospitals.				
131839	9- 9-16	10-19-16	Holgan Bros.....	18 00
125225		9-28-16	James G. Duffy.....	1,164 24
131838	3-29-16. 6-28-16	10-19-16	Hammacher, Schlemmer & Co.....	249 25
Board of Child Welfare.				
132626			Harry L. Hopkins, Executive Secretary	105 76
Municipal Civil Service Commission.				
134618		10-27-16	Joseph F. McDonald.....	13 07
134619		10-29-16	Geo. H. Eberle, Chief Clerk.....	22 60
County Court, Bronx County.				
132922		10-23-16	Louis A. Cohen.....	60
132921		10-23-16	Louis M. Peters.....	18 20
Municipal Court of the City of New York.				
134741			Charles Kerner.....	3 75
134732		10-27-16	Charles M. Byrne.....	5 00
134733		10-27-16	William R. Fagan.....	10 00
134737		10-27-16	Thomas E. Cremins.....	5 00
134728		10-27-16	Michael Skelly.....	5 00
134730		10-27-16	Frank Bulkley.....	8 00
134731		10-27-16	Martin J. Burke.....	20 00
134729		10-27-16	John P. Burns.....	4 00
134735		10-27-16	Stephen Collins.....	2 50
134736		10-27-16	John W. Carpenter.....	5 00
134742		10-27-16	James D. Moran.....	2 40
134740		10-27-16	Leonard F. Whitebeck.....	4 05
134739		10-27-16	Francis J. Gilmartin.....	7 50
134738		10-27-16	John Henigin, Jr.....	19 30
134727		10-27-16	James Foley.....	3 80
Court of Special Sessions.				
13980		10-30-16	Abraham Geller.....	60 00
Court of General Sessions.				
132129			Ludwig Lutz.....	47 50
Surrogates' Court, New York County.				
133987	7-12-16	10-25-16	Wilson Stamp Co.....	21 39
133988	9- 1-16	10-25-16	West Publishing Co.....	13 00
133992	8-31-16. 9-30-16	10-25-16	Knickerbocker Towel Supply Co.....	40 00
133991			Walker & Heisler.....	15 00
Supreme Court.				
131946	9-29-16	10-19-16	J. J. Little & Ives Co.....	1,091 20
134347		10-26-16	James F. McGee.....	27 95
Board of City Record.				
134891		10-27-16	Washington H. Hettler.....	5 25
College of The City of New York.				
128121	5- 3-16	10- 7-16	The J. W. Pratt Co.....	30 00
Department of Correction.				
132306	8-24-16. 9- 9-16	10-20-16	John Lucas & Co., Inc.....	23 25
131356			James A. Miller.....	76 16
131367	8-31-16	10-18-16	Nason Manufacturing Co.....	31 14
131810	8-25-16	10- 9-16	Konop Iron Works.....	126 00
131802	7-11-16	10- 9-16	Western Electric Company.....	117 79
District Attorney, New York County.				
134443	10- 1-16	10-26-16	Economy Clean Towel Supply Co....	9 00
133989	10- 1-16	10-25-16	Baker Voorhis & Co.....	54 00
134446		10-26-16	Edward Swann, District Attorney.....	258 99
134445		10-26-16	John Fitzpatrick.....	18 86
Department of Docks and Ferries.				
133871	10-14-16. 10-17-16	10-25-16	Jones Packing Co.....	\$53 40
133870			E. F. Keating Co.....	15 90
133869	10-10-16	10-25-16	Stanley & Patterson.....	15 70
133873	9-30-16	10-25-16	Pittsburgh Plate Glass Co.....	2 70
133872	10- 4-16	10-25-16	L. C. Harry Co.....	7 40
133875	8-16-16	10-25-16	C. S. Littell & Co.....	11 20
133876	8-25-16	10-25-16	Stewart Warner Speedometer Corporation.....	3 00
133878	10-13-16	10-25-16	Kolesch & Co.....	38 64
131913		45374 10-19-16	Wacker & Flannigan.....	1,263 60
133867			Neptune Packing & Rubber Co.....	29 60
133866	9-12-16	10-25-16	Kahn Bros.....	72 38
133865			The Lignum Chemical Works.....	59 76
133864	9-16-16	10-25-16	Flexitallic Gasket Co.....	28 80
131928		10-19-16	P. H. Nannery.....	105 00
Board of Elections.				
130886	9-15-16	45613 10-17-16	William Messer Company.....	\$626 15
Board of Estimate and Apportionment.				
13418		10-19-16	Charles P. Berkey.....	\$100 00
Department of Education.				
132753		10-21-16	William A. Prendergast, as Comptroller of The City of New York.....	\$97 19
132755		10-21-16	William A. Prendergast, as Comptroller of The City of New York.....	3 92
132754		10-21-16	William A. Prendergast, as Comptroller of The City of New York.....	143 98
132752		10-21-16	William A. Prendergast, as Comptroller of The City of New York.....	39 61
132751		10-21-16	William A. Prendergast, as Comptroller of The City of New York.....	182 95
132745		10-21-16	William A. Prendergast, as Comptroller of The City of New York.....	15,079 17
132750		10-21-16	William A. Prendergast, as Comptroller of The City of New York.....	168 94
132746		10-21-16	William A. Prendergast, as Comptroller of The City of New York.....	4,854 56
132747		10-21-16	William A. Prendergast, as Comptroller of The City of New York.....	14,039 52
132748		10-21-16	William A. Prendergast, as Comptroller of The City of New York.....	3,657 21
132749		10-21-16	William A. Prendergast, as Comptroller of The City of New York.....	1,123 07
124075	7-12-16	9-26-16	David Jankelevich, Assignee of S. Jankelevich.....	518 00

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Department of Finance.					Department of Finance.					
131897	10-19-16	43984	10-19-16 John H. Eckhoff, Jr.	\$294 59	131984	9-30-16	10-19-16	Knickerbocker Ice Co.	181 91	
Fire Department.					132017	44989	10-19-16	The Sicilian Asphalt Paving Co.	5,935 50	
134187	6-19-16. 10-2-16	10-25-16	The Manhattan Supply Company	\$72 11	132016	8-26-16	44098	10-19-16	John P. Kane Company	150 00
Department of Health.					President of the Borough of Queens.					
131899	7-28-16	45223	10-19-16 Sulzberger & Sons Company	\$1,887 33	134049	9-25-16	10-25-16	The Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co., Inc.	\$24 70	
131910	8-31-16	44529	10-19-16 Edwin C. Parker	329 20	134941		10-27-16	L. C. Connolly, Bookkeeper	4 90	
131900	7-27-16	45603	10-19-16 Francis H. Leggett & Company	511 58	131458		10-18-16	The Barber Asphalt Paving Co.	142 20	
131902	9-30-16	45059	10-19-16 R. F. Stevens Co.	1,292 66	123955			Edward W. Fitzpatrick	985 00	
128585	8-14-16	45471	10-10-16 Bloomingdale Brothers	148 69	Public Service Commission.					
131908	7-27-16	45471	10-19-16 Bloomingdale Brothers	241 32	135373			Isaac J. Dukore	\$25 00	
134508			10-26-16 S. Dana Hubbard, M. D., Chief.	3 00	135384			Plaza Improvement Company	95 00	
134507			10-26-16 S. Dana Hubbard, M. D., Chief.	12 10	135357			Park Row Realty Co.	108 34	
134145	9-1-16.	9-13-16	10-25-16 H. J. Heinz Company	15 10	135387			The Schaefer Company	166 66	
133516	9-30-16	44907	10-24-16 Knickerbocker Ice Company	24 18	135367			A. W. Cherrington, Agent for Title		
131906	8-31-16	44907	10-19-16 Knickerbocker Ice Co.	840 43				Guarantee & Trust Co., Executors of		
131909	7-31-16	45223	10-19-16 Sulzberger & Sons Company	3,425 86				the Estate of Margaret V. McNulty,		
Department of Licenses.					135382			Deceased	40 00	
134863		10-27-16	E. M. Morgan, Postmaster	\$120 00	135388			Chas. F. Noyes Co., Agents	41 67	
Law Department.					135390			Thomas Scott	55 00	
134972			Lamar Hardy, Corporation Counsel	\$500 00	135366			Clarence B. Smith, Agent for C. B.		
134411	10-19-16	10-26-16	Public Service Commission for the	6 00				Sellew	75 00	
134418	10-20-16	10-26-16	First District	3 50	135386			Willard S. Burrows Company, Agent		
134414	10-16-16	10-26-16	Quick & McKenna, Inc.	7 45	135378			for Childs Co.	125 00	
134412	9-30-16	10-26-16	Library Bureau	5 70	135383			William H. Reynolds	125 00	
134413	9-20-16	10-26-16	Great Bear Spring Co.	4 63	135391			Lee Bros. Storage & Van Co.	230 00	
134408		10-26-16	Tower Mfg. & Novelty Co.	210 17				Ellen A. O'Connell	150 00	
134973			Alfred E. Smith, Sheriff New York	150 00	135379			South Brooklyn Savings and Loan As-		
Miscellaneous.					135381			sociation	50 00	
134968		10-27-16	Lamar Hardy, Corporation Counsel	\$388 58	135389			Anna R. Morris	90 00	
134964	9-30-16	10-27-16	John Stines or Frank E. Hipple, Attor-	48 33				National Railway Publication Com-		
135776		10-31-16	ney	125 46	135375			pany	165 00	
135775		10-31-16	Manhattan State Hospital	127 00	135354			F. W. Seybel and William A. Knapp,		
135777		10-31-16	Peter B. Sharp	92 15				executors of the estate of D. E. Seybel,	166 66	
135777		10-31-16	Minnie Westervelt	703 71				deceased, and assignees of his devisees.		
135778		10-31-16	Minnie Westervelt	350 00				Harry Goodstein Realty Co.	30 00	
134966		10-27-16	H. Gottlieb & Sons, Inc.	25 61	135385			Williamson & Bryan, agents for August		
134967		10-27-16	Lowenfeld & Prager	28 80	135362			Belmont and Walther Luttgen	60 00	
The Mayoralty.					135376			Powell Building	150 00	
134919		10-27-16	John J. Glennon, Chief Clerk	\$24 75	135352			Peter Andersen	40 00	
134915	9-30-16	10-27-16	The Briarcliff Lodge Assn.	3 60	135368			Ralph Hickox	50 00	
134913	9-30-16	10-27-16	Burns Bros.	6 50				United States Realty and Improvement		
134916		10-27-16	E. W. Bullinger	7 00	134228	8-18-16	10-26-16	Company	80 00	
134914	9-30-16	10-27-16	John Manning	12 09	134293	8-31-16	10-26-16	Schering & Glatz, Inc.	3 50	
133170		10-23-16	Katharine Haenlein	15 25	134302	9-6-16.	9-26-16	Samuel E. Hunter	10 20	
Bronx Parkway Commission.					134307	9-29-16.	10-26-16	P. Lawless' Sons	99 31	
133824		10-25-16	Geo. H. Hilty, Assistant Secretary	\$94 00	134287		10-26-16	Jacob Boss	69 92	
133826	10-13-16	10-25-16	William Greenlees	50 00	134300	9-6-16	10-26-16	Borden's Condensed Milk Co.	7 20	
Department of Parks.					134298	9-15-16	10-26-16	Charles F. Matlage & Sons	74 05	
134686	9-26-16	10-27-16	Louis Ruhe	\$18 00	134295	8-11-16	10-26-16	The Maltine Company	4 05	
127274	9-29-16	10-5-16	Brooklyn Blue Print Works	2 82	134303	9-15-16	10-26-16	Richman & Samuels	1 87	
127257	9-5-16.	9-6-16	Cascade Steam Laundry Co., Inc.	1,397 55	134262	9-15-16	10-26-16	Francis H. Leggett & Co.	13 75	
131933	9-29-16. 10-4-16	10-19-16	Geo. N. Reinhardt & Co.	467 63	134266	8-11-16	10-25-16	Bacon Coal Company	81 20	
131938	10-3-16	10-19-16	J. P. Duffy Co.	150 00	134286	8-3-16	10-26-16	George Tiemann & Co.	45 00	
134348	10-24-16	10-26-16	John E. Weier, Commissioner	66 06	134944	7-31-16.	10-26-16	Randall, Leopold & Co.	87 22	
134710		10-26-16	The Norwich Nickel & Brass Co.	37 20			10-27-16	The Western Union Telegraph Com-		
132224	10-11-16	10-20-16	Bureau of Highways, Borough of	31 25				pany	7 97	
Police Department.					134253	9-13-16	10-26-16	Milton Bradley Company	1 65	
134573	8-31-16	10-26-16	P. Q. Foy	\$2 50	134251	9-13-16	10-26-16	The National Ammonia Company	41 69	
134008	10-21-16	10-25-16	Edward Drum	96 00	134248	8-7-16	10-26-16	Burroughs, Wellcome & Co.	4 86	
134009			Edward C. Devenport	56 00	134249	7-8-16	10-26-16	J. T. Baker Chemical Co.	16 00	
134567			James J. Moloney	45 05	134263	10-1-16	10-26-16	The Peerless Towel Supply Co.	11 03	
134744		10-27-16	Arthur Woods, Police Commissioner	4,100 17	134269	8-15-16	10-26-16	The Deane Plaster Co.	49 00	
129581	9-27-16	10-13-16	Otto Markofski	224 80	134264		10-26-16	Aseptic Products Company	7 00	
98011	6-16-16.	6-23-16	Otto Markofski	461 95	134277	8-11-16	10-26-16	Farbwerke, Hoechst Company	1 10	
110633	7-15-16	8-15-16	Naughton Mulgrew Motor Car Co.	40 00	134299	8-4-16.	9-30-16	John Black	86 43	
131817		10-19-16	New York Telephone Co.	1,809 34	134313		10-26-16	Stuart A. Rice, Superintendent	14 08	
131818		10-19-16	New York Telephone Co.	225 20	134256	8-25-16	10-26-16	J. A. Zibell Co.	10 00	
131529		10-19-16	Rutherford Rubber Co.	3,674 13	134254	9-28-16	10-26-16	Chas. Zeller & Son	19 80	
131819		10-19-16	New York Telephone Co.	7,042 29	134232		10-26-16	Morgenstern & Company, Inc.	1 50	
134581		10-26-16	Timothy E. Mahoney	5 00	134233	8-22-16	10-26-16	John Morgan	2 50	
134582		10-26-16	Jeremiah Galvin	7 00	134231	8-14-16	10-26-16	Monowatt Electric Import Co., Inc.	65 00	
134564		10-26-16	John Hofgren, Jr.	1 90	134236		10-26-16	Murray Oxygen Company	82 00	
134566		10-26-16	John J. Noonan	3 10	134235	8-9-16	10-26-16	L. Mundet & Son, Inc.	54 00	
134565		10-26-16	Robert B. Ferris	45 00	134248	8-12-16	10-26-16	Merck & Co.	76 95	
134563		10-26-16	Patrick J. Horan	7 80	134245	8-8-16	10-26-16	The Drug Products Co., Inc.	37 00	
134961	10-19-16	10-27-16	Olin J. Stephens, Inc.	11 50	134244	8-7-16	10-26-16	F. W. Devoe & C. T. Reynolds Co.	7 56	
President of the Borough of Manhattan.					134243	8-28-16	10-26-16	Consolidated Dental Mfg. Co.	22 44	
134469	6-30-16	10-26-16	Burns Bros.	\$69 30	135237			Lithoprint Co.	20 00	
134465	9-25-16	10-26-16	Geo. B. Marx	67 00	119853	7-14-16	9-14-16	S. Tuttle's Son & Co.	748 16	
134464	7-19-16.	9-19-16	Chas. O. Robertson	21 48	134309		10-26-16	Martha C. Gordon	1 50	
134462	3-27-16	10-26-16	Knickerbocker Supply Co.	20 70	134310		10-26-16	C. B. Bacon, Medical Superintendent.	15 75	
134461	4-11-16.	4-20-16	A. P. Dienst Co., Inc.	39 35	134943		10-27-16	Joseph F. McCarthy, Bookkeeper	16 90	
131220	8-29-16	10-18-16	The Sicilian Asphalt Paving Company	60 00	134225	8-21-16	10-26-16	John Bellmann	1 28	
131227	9-23-16	10-18-16	United States Wood Preserving Co.	32 49	134267	8-12-16	10-26-16	Bruen, Ritchey & Co.	1 20	
130919	7-10-16	10-17-16	Scranton & Wyoming Coal Co.	828 58	134226	8-8-16.	10-26-16	Wappler Electric Mfg. Co., Inc.	3 38	
130917	7-6-16	10-18-16	Scranton & Wyoming Coal Co., Inc.	874 99			10-26-16	Smith's Homoeopathic Pharmacy	13 70	
130918	6-10-16	10-17-16	Scranton & Wyoming Coal Co.	534 08	Sheriff, Queens County.					
129777		10-13-16	The Asphalt Construction Co.	325 08	10-23-16		10-23-16	Empire State Window Cleaning and		
131196		10-18-16	The Asphalt Construction Co.	24,983 10				Towel Supply Co.	\$4 44	
132440		10-18-16	The Barber Asphalt Paving Company	34 65	Department of Street Cleaning.					
131221	9-6-16	10-18-16	W. J. Fitzgerald	57 60	10-26-16		10-26-16	The Prest-o-light Co., Inc.	\$6 92	
131194		10-18-16	The Sicilian Asphalt Paving Co.	2,690 39	10-26-16		10-26-16	The Auto Truck Garage Co.	10 00	
131195		10-18-16	W. J. Fitzgerald	2,614 99	10-26-16		10-26-16	Evans Products Corporation	3 00	
133859	9-29-16	10-25-16	National Bridge Works	79 96	10-26-16		10-26-16	The Peerless Towel Supply Co.	9 38	
133831		10-25-16	G. S. Green Co., Inc.	15 38	10-26-16		10-26-16			

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United States Volunteer Life Saving Corps.					134811	10-27-16		Walter Pettit	1 64
134866			Joseph G. Merz	\$3 10	134812	10-27-16		William B. Jones	50
134865	10-27-16		Chas. E. Raynor	7 25	131401			Voorhees Rubber Mfg. Co.	322 96
134867	10-27-16		John E. Melville	2 90	131393	9-21-16		The Webster Mfg. Co.	53 75
Board of Water Supply.					131867		43921	The New York Edison Co.	3,596 50
131137	8-25-16.	9-14-16	A. W. Gerstner Co.	\$141 46	131864	8- 1-16	43920	The New York Edison Co.	2,314 00
131773	10- 4-16	44488	A. L. Guidone & Son, Inc.	12,878 82	131865	8-31-16	43920	The New York Edison Co.	1,944 89
131772		43731	William H. Egan	11,731 29	131861	8-31-16	43920	The New York Edison Co.	1,944 89
131774	10- 5-16	44355	Lupfer & Remick	8,310 60	131862	8- 1-16	43920	The New York Edison Co.	1,704 23
134766		44828	New York Telephone Co.	89 86	131866	8-31-16	43904	The New York Edison Co.	17,652 51
Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.					131863	8-31-16	43904	United Electric Light & Power Co. ...	260 62
134585	9-30-16	10-26-16	Great Bear Spring Co.	\$0 30	131857	7-31-16	43908	United Electric Light & Power Co. ...	918 90
134586	9-30-16	10-26-16	Great Bear Spring Co.	90				Edison Electric Illuminating Co. of Brooklyn	41,608 07
134587	7-31-16	10-26-16	Great Bear Spring Co.	60	131855	8-31-16	43910	The Bronx Gas & Electric Co.	7,810 72
134588	6-30-16	10-26-16	Great Bear Spring Co.	60	131860	8-31-16	43910	The Bronx Gas & Electric Co.	56 90
134589	5-31-16	10-26-16	Great Bear Spring Co.	60	131853	7-31-16	43913	Welsbach Street Lighting Company of America	582 97
134590			George A. Gremse	2 25	131856	8- 1-16	43905	Westchester Lighting Co.	3,412 09
134591	9-30-16	10-26-16	Schildwachter Ice Co.	10 00	131854	9- 1-16	43905	Westchester Lighting Co.	3,403 76
134583			Harry Butler	12 50	131859	9- 6-16	43905	Westchester Lighting Co.	98 10
134594	9-30-16	10-26-16	Connelly Iron Sponge & Governor Co.	8 75	131852		45479	M. Sobel Co.	20 38
134593	9-18-16	10-26-16	Barrett Adding Machine Co.	1 15	131852		45479	F. E. Folsom Co., Assignee of M. Sobel Co.	500 00
134599	9-30-16	10-26-16	Knickerbocker Supply Co.	11 70	131871	10- 3-16	44802	Soraci Contracting Co.	1,260 18
134592	10- 1-16	10-26-16	Samuel Olim	7 80	131870	10- 3-16	44804	Soraci Contracting Co.	2,484 36
134584	10- 1-16	10-28-16	The Gramatan Springs Co., Inc.	5 50	131869		45595	Soraci Contracting Co.	2,560 47
134595	6-15-16	10-26-16	American Pattern Foundry & Machine Co.	18 00	134805			Francis J. Fitzpatrick, Chief Inspector	19 60
133005		10-23-16	Carpenter's Livery	94 00	134807			Charles Krauss, Inspector	28 82
135126	10- 2-16	10-22-16	Dr. A. J. Doncourt	16 00	134805			Bernard J. Loomam, Clerk	61 14
134809		10-27-16	Peter Johnson, Supervising Engineer.	49 38	134362			J. H. Burke, Inspector	55 29
134810			John T. Metcalf, Assistant Engineer.	98 50	134368			James A. Swayne, Clerk	47 80
134813		10-27-16	F. W. Hancock, Supervising Engineer	7 55	134363			Joseph Honey, Inspector	46 35
134801		10-27-16	William W. Brush, Deputy Chief Engineer	52 95	134359			Thomas F. Bannon, Clerk	132 87
			R. W. Gulick, Mechanical Engineer.	14 55	134356			William R. Birdsley, Chief Gas Examiner	94 42
134804		10-27-16	Standard Oil Co. of New York.	7 65	131858	1-10-16	41158	New York & Queens Electric Light & Power Co.	35,686 62
134802	10- 1-16	10-27-16	Valhalla Livery Stables, Campbell Bros., Prop.	6 60	131868	8-31-16	43922	The New York Steam Co.	153 80
135121			Wm. F. Laase, Borough Engr.	31 16	134361			John F. Bussing, Inspector	46 00
135122	10-11-16	10-28-16	Henry E. Sholl, Clerk	47 34	133907	10- 2-16		Frank V. Kelly	7 50

VOUCHERS RECEIVED IN DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 1, 1916.

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

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

Finance Voucher No.	Invoice Date or Contract Number.	Name of Payee.	Amount.
Board of Ambulance Service.			
136430		Lebanon Hosp. Association.	\$250 00
136431		Long Island College Hosp.	212 50
136432		Lincoln Hospital & Home.	250 00
136433		Methodist Episcopal Hosp.	157 50
136434		Mary Immaculate Hospital.	250 00
136435		New York Polyclinic Medical School & Hosp.	250 00
136436		N. Y. Homeopathic Medical College & Flower Hosp.	375 00
136437		New York Hospital	577 50
136438		Rockaway Beach Hosp.	80 00
136439		St. Vincent's Hospital	195 00
136440		St. Catharine's Hospital	195 00
136418		John J. O'Leary	2 65
136419	9-30-16	New York Telephone Co.	5 47
136420	10-31-16	New York Telephone Co.	5 36
136421		Brooklyn E. D. Dispensary & Hosp.	70 00
136422		Bushwick Hospital	70 00
136423		Brocklyn Hospital	195 00
136424		Church Charity Foundation of L. I.	125 00
136425		Flushing Hosp. & Dispensary	140 00
136426		German Hospital of Bklyn.	195 00
136427		The Hospital of the Holy Family	125 00
136428		Jamaica Hosp.	125 00
136429		Knickerbocker Hospital	250 00
136441		St. Joseph's Hospital	125 00
136442		St. Vincent's Hosp.	375 00
136443		St. John's Long Island City Hosp.	195 00
136444		St. Laurence Hospital	125 00
136445		St. Mary's General Hosp.	250 00
136446		The Swedish Hospital	195 00
136447		The Jewish Hospital	250 00
136448		The Staten Island Hosp.	250 00
136449		Volunteer Hospital	195 00
136450		Williamsburgh Hospital	250 00
136451		Washington Heights Hosp.	125 00
Bellevue and Allied Hospitals.			
136207	9-14-16	Wm. A. Sander	19 14
136208	7- 1-16	Peters & Heins	185 00
136209	8-29-16	Albert Bros.	37 17
136210	8-17-16	Auto Maintenance Co.	3 00
136211	7-28-16	Kalt Lumber Co.	167 75
136196	8- 3-16	James S. Barron & Co.	530 00
136197	8-31-16	Wm. Kornahrens	8 25
136198	11-10-15	John Bene & Sons.	201 60
136199	8-25-16	John Wanamaker	57 00
136200	8-31-16	Agent & Warden, Clinton Prison	78 00
136201	8-28-16	Ios. Weil	97 50
136202	11-24-15	The Dentists' Supply Co.	1 34
136203	8-29-16	McQuillen & Chave	80 00
136204	8-17-16	Watson Elevator Co., Inc.	104 84
136205	8-31-16	Gurney Elevator Co.	60 00
136206	9- 8-16	Frank A. Hall & Sons.	6 00

Finance Voucher No.	Invoice Date or Contract Number.	Name of Payee.	Amount.
Children's Court.			
136488	8- 6-16	Michael Murray	1 00
136489	8-17-16	William C. McKee	12 00
136490	9- 1-16	Herring-Hall-Marvin Safe Co.	12 00
136491	9-15-16	John Wanamaker	10 80
136492	10- 2-16	Roselli Bros.	4 80
136493	9-30-16	Richmond Ice Co.	2 50
136494	10- 1-16	The Peerless Towel Supply Co.	7 05
136495	10- 2-16	Knickerbocker Towel Supply Co.	4 95
136496	10- 1-16	The New York Law Journal	10 00
136497	9-18-16	Underwood Typewriter Co., Inc.	1 00
136498	10- 2-16	John Wanamaker	3 00
136499	10-20-16	Lily Cup Co.	3 50
Department of Correction.			
136103	9-30-16	Harlem Stables Co., Inc.	15 00
136104	9-23-16	The N. Y. Multi-Color Copying Co.	5 31
136063	10- 6-16	E. F. Keating Co.	98 18
136064	9- 1-16	E. B. Latham & Co.	50 08
136065	6-24-16	W. R. Ostrander & Co.	18 24
136066	10-14-16	Ogden & Wallace	52 31
136067	10-18-16	The Frank, Richard & Gardner Co.	1 00
136068		Peter J. Constant	815 66
136026	9-12-16	American Disinfecting Co., Inc.	124 50
136027	9-14-16	Granite City Soap Co., Inc.	143 75
136028	9-21-16	John Greig	189 09
136029	9-21-16	American Can Co.	289 15
136030	10- 3-16	Ayres & Galloway Hardware Co., Inc.	14 00
136031	10- 4-16	American Disinfecting Co., Inc.	15 00
136032	9-22-16	Agent & Warden, Clinton Prison	72 00
136033	9-29-16	Union Smelting & Refining Co.	12 50
136034	10- 3-16	Ayres & Galloway Hardware Co., Inc.	3 29
136035	9-29-16	Thos. C. Dunham	1 50
136036	9-30-16	Kipp Wagon Co.	18 35
136037	6-12-16	D. W. Hock	115 00
136038	10- 9-16	The Good Roads Machinery Co., Inc.	122 80
136039	9-30-16	Ayres & Galloway Hardware Co.	17 47
136040	9- 1-16	Dept. of Correction	342 31
136041	10- 5-16	D. W. Hock	125 00
136042	10- 8-16	Hull, Grippen & Co.	22 13
136043	10- 5-16	The Geo. Josephie Co.	33 00
136044	10- 6-16	J. K. Kreig Co.	13 25
136045	9-15-16	The Linen Thread Co.	343 70
136046	8-31-16	The Thread Agency	57 77
136047	8-31-16	Ayres & Galloway Hardware Co., Inc.	94 25
136048		S. F. Bowser & Co., Inc.	226 01
136049	4-22-16	Jas. S. Barron & Co.	25 40
136050	9-15-16	The East River Mill & Lumber Co.	954 00
136051	9- 6-16	Hubbard Portable Oven Co.	705 00
136052	9-12-16	Jaburg, Miller Co., Inc.	590 50
136053	8-21-16	Vought & Williams	151 20
136054	10-18-16	Edward West	32 20
136055	9- 5-16	Stanley & Patterson	3 05
136056	10-20-16	Peter J. Constant	3 75
136057	10- 7-16	Hull, Grippen & Co.	1 20
136058	10-18-16	E. B. Latham & Co.	6 06
136059	5-11-16	Rubberset Co.	111 56
136060	9-18-16	Stanley & Patterson	43 25

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136061	10-18-16	The Engineering & Development Co.	5 50
136062	8-31-16	G. Haussler & Bro.	1 00
136069	9-30-16	A. Silz	17 28
136070	9- 6-16	Edward West	91 50
136071	8- 3-16	Westchester Fish Co.	171 09
136072	10- 5-16	The Smith-Worthington Co.	2 50
136073	9-14-16	Benj. Horton	196 39
136074	9-20-16	Benj. Horton	55 75
136075	9-21-16	The Texas Co.	1 15
136076	10- 5-16	The Smith-Worthington Co.	1 60
136077	8-21-16	John Greig	234 50
136078	10- 6-16	The Frank, Richard & Gardner Co.	2 50
136079	10- 5-16	The Smith-Worthington Co.	6 05
136080	8-29-16	The Manhattan Supply Co.	730 27
136081	10- 3-16	Simplex Electric & Heating Co.	48 75
136082	9-13-16	Agent & Warden, Sing Sing Prison	7 20
136083	10-17-16	H. T. Dakin	343 60
136084	10- 3-16	Protecto Safety Appliance Co.	45 00
136085	9-27-16	Montgomery & Co.	80 90
136086	9-14-16	Agent & Warden, Clinton Prison	135 00
136087	9-22-16	American Type Founders Co.	1 40
136088	10- 4-16	John Boyle & Co.	15 44
136089	9-27-16	Candee, Smith & Howland Co.	3 13
136090	7- 6-16	J. P. Duffy Co.	65 00
136091	10- 5-16	Hammacher, Schlemmer & Co.	4 68
136092	7- 1-16	H. D. Gould Co.	71 20
136093	10- 6-16	Hull, Grippen & Co.	1 30
136094	9-29-16	The T. H. Long Machinery Co.	1 32
136095	10- 5-16	John Lucas	3 19
136096	8-18-16	Manhattan Elec. Sup. Co.	16 40
136097	9- 1-16	W. R. Ostrander & Co.	2 52
136098	10- 7-16	John A. Roebling's Sons Co.	13 35
136099	8-31-16	Stanley & Patterson	152 73
136100	10- 5-16	The Smith-Worthington Co.	19 60
136101	9-11-16	Vought & Williams	36 78
136102	10-14-16	Kipp Wagon Co.	114 51
Board of Elections.			
136265	45786	M. B. Brown Ptg. & Bdg. Co.	\$2,839 00
136266	44424	N. Y. Tel. Co.	69 78
136263	9-30-16	N. Y. Tel. Co.	8 10
136264	10-13-16	John H. Eckhoff, Jr.	107 50
136267	9-30-16	Knickerbocker Ice Co.	6 24
136268	10- 7-16	Bloomington Bros.	16 02
136269	10-26-16	A. B. Dick Co.	95 00
136270	9-18-16	E. Faulkner	342 03
136271	10-16-16	E. Faulkner	74 85
136272	10-28-16	E. Faulkner	180 00
136273	10-16-16	Jos. H. Penders, Inc.	111 00
Department of Education.			
136347	44766	N. Y. Tel. Co.	\$124 37
136010	5- 1-16	Wm. J. Homer, Agent and Warden, Great Meadow Prison	39 00
136011	9- 6-16	S. Rovinsky	198 00
136012	8- 4-16	Jacob Barsky	1,478 00
136016	10- 9-16	James A. Cuffe	9 00
136017	8-11-16	William Kreisberg	250 00
136024		Edward L. Partridge	500 00
136025		Francis Ludford et al.	150 00
136015	7-11-16	Jamaica Water Supply Co.	1,853 52
136013		Wm. A. Prendergast	27 87
136014		Wm. A. Prendergast	90
136009	44708	N. Y. Tel. Co.	129 58

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136008	41352 The Smith Tablet Co., Inc.	53 50	136219	10-18-16 Gamewell Fire Alarm Tel.	43 20	136382	9-30-16 Dooling, Kenlon Co.	35 00
	The Smith Tablet Co., Inc.	172 60		Co.	1 50	136383	9-23-16 Schwagerl Bros.	2 50
136018	44156 Wells & Newton Co. of	1,281 67	136220	9-14-16 Heinze Electric Co.	5 59	136384	8-22-16 John Sullivan & Son.	34 86
	New York	4,140 00	136221	10-14-16 Bosch Magneto Co.	87	136385	10-11-16 Current Printing Co.	22 75
106002	43800 Atlas Window Shade Co.,	289 00	136222	10-13-16 Stromberg Motor Devices	8 66	136386	9- 9-16 Neal & Brinker Co.	10 80
	Inc.	439 65		Co.	1 15	136387	8-31-16 J. Steuhl, Inc.	1 25
136003	43513 Jos. D. Duffy	800 00	136223	9-23-16 American La France Fire	1 31	Police Department.		
136004	44965 Duncan Stewart	179 00	136224	9-26-16 Lowe Motor Supplies Co...	3 50	136452	10-19-16 William J. Enright	\$78 26
136005	44961 Jas. I. Newman	494 00	136225	9- 5-16 Motor Car Equipment Co...	5 25	136453	10-19-16 John J. Fogarty	120 39
136006	44813 Jas. I. Newman	394 00	136226	9-10-16 Gary Spring Works	30		John J. Fogarty	7 01
136007	45082 Jas. I. Newman	6 75	136227	9-11-16 Cornelius Ten Eick, Inc...	6 30	136454	10-24-16 Daniel Undermark	125 00
136244	8-25-16 The Vacuum Cleaner Const.	272 00	136228	9-26-16 The White Co.	7 20	136455	10-24-16 Washington I. Hegeman	129 00
	Co.	374 00	136229	9-18-16 Detroit Cadillac Motor Car	4 20	136456	10-24-16 Charles Pretorius	102 00
136245	9- 6-16 S. Zacharkow	806 45		Co.	96	136457	10-24-16 Charles H. Chave	45 00
136246	8-25-16 Martin Gottschaldt	88 25	136230	10-10-16 Inland Piston Ring Sales	4 80	136458	10-23-16 Thomas J. Mulvey	96 00
136247	4-24-16 B. & J. Eschmann	105 08		Co.	29 29	136459	10-23-16 William P. Finnegan	6 00
136248	7-25-16 Agent and Warden, Auburn	107 55	136231	10-13-16 Hess, Bright Co.	2 30	136460	10-23-16 James Burke	63 00
	Prison	104 73	136232	10- 3-16 Firestone Tire & Rubber Co.	2 00	President of the Borough of Manhattan.		
136249	8-23-16 Arnold Constable & Co.,	5 34	136233	10-14-16 Robt. Simpson	66 75	136359	44159 Haverstraw Crushed Stone	1,080 45
	Inc.	58 15	136234	9-15-16 Ford Motor Co.	3 50		Co.	338 98
136258	44766 New York Tel. Co.	3 50	136235	10-13-16 Columbia Graphophone Co.	1 50	136360	40173 U. S. Wood Pres. Co.	1,550 10
136259	44766 New York Tel. Co.	19 55	136236	10-12-16 Henry W. Schmall	2 30	136361	45651 Briggs & McLoughlin Cont.	1,555 43
136260	44766 N. Y. Tel. Co.	14 17	136237	10-18-16 Livingston Radiator & Mfg.	3 50		Co.	55 06
136323	4-13-16 Wm. P. Young & Bros.	15 75	136238	10-12-16 Findeisen & Kropf Mfg. Co.	72 19	136362	45042 Henry E. Fox Const. Co...	63 25
136324	3-23-16 Bruce & Cook	14 40	136239	9-18-16 Theo. Moss & Co.	44 88	136363	30984 Barber Asp. Pav. Co.	44 88
136325	8-30-16 Mary P. E. Saltzman	14 20			60 44	136364	30986 Barber Asp. Pav. Co.	179 00
136326	6-16-16 A. Vivack	11 53			21 00	136365	30985 Barber Asp. Pav. Co.	4 89
136327	6-21-16 Colonial Steel Co.	1 20			86 00	136406	9-21-16 W. J. Fitzgerald	3 00
136328	8-29-16 Wm. F. Sametz & Co.	42 10	136283	45384 Borden's Farm Prd. Div...	56 00	136407	9-29-16 W. J. Fitzgerald	75 00
136329	8- 2-16 Hinds, Hayden & Eldredge.	15 75	136284	45225 Ward Baking Co.	43 95	136408	7-31-16 Holbrook Bros.	12 78
136330	6-30-16 John E. Wade	18 00	136285	45224 Swift & Co., Inc.	22 05	136409	8- 1-16 Chas. Sumner Barber	15 68
136331	7- 7-16 C. S. Hammond & Co.	3 60	136286	44703 Edward West	9 75	136395	8-17-16 Vought & Williams	22 05
136332	7-31-16 Library Bureau	68	136287	45603 Francis H. Leggett & Co.	28 19	136396	8- 8-16 The Kelly Springfield Road	58 40
136333	7-12-16 L. E. Atherton	209 00	136288	45234 New York & New Jersey	33 12	136397	8-27-16 The Baltimore Enamel &	52 85
136334	4- 5-16 Bloomingdale Bros.	70 00		Produce Co., Inc.	25 20		Novelty Co.	27 50
136335	8- 3-16 Henry Holt & Co.	12 00	136289	45201 A. Silz, Inc.	5 30	136398	9-21-16 Candee, Smith & Howland	15 47
136336	6-20-16 J. Schapiro	54 04	136290	44692 Westchester Fish Co., Inc.	100 62	136399	9- 9-16 A. P. Dienst Co., Inc.	19 68
136337	7-14-16 Thos. Garner & Co.	73 68	136291	45222 J. D. Stout & Co.	33 20	136400	9- 9-16 Rufus Darrows Son	33 20
136338	7-13-16 Selchow & Righter Co.	9 30	136292	45217 Beyer Bros. Commission Co.	28 19	136401	7-31-16 Manhattan Electrical	28 19
136339	8- 3-16 Benj. Kaplan, Assignee of	11 53	136293	42688 Kelly & Kelley, Inc.	18 60		Supply Co.	16 20
	L. E. Atherton	70 00	136294	Sulzberger Sons Co.	58 40	136402	9-12-16 The Sicilian Asp. Pav. Co.	58 40
136340	7- 8-16 N. Y. Belting & Packing Co.	19 00	136295	8-31-16 Borden's Farm Products	33 12	136403	9-19-16 The Barber Asp. Pav. Co.	33 12
136341	6-28-16 E. J. Gamblin	12 00		Div.	25 20	136404	9-20-16 W. J. Fitzgerald	16 20
136342	7-22-16 The Library of Congress	15 90	136296	7-31-16 Conron Bros. Co.	25 20	136405	8-31-16 The Barber Asp. Pav. Co.	16 20
136343	7-18-16 The Industrial Press	37 80	136297	8-25-16 Bogert & Hopper	7 00			
136344	3-31-16 J. P. Kane Co.	89	136298	7-21-16 Merck Co.	7 00			
136274	8-20-16 Warwick & York, Inc.	25 00	136299	8- 1-16 Clover Farms, Inc.	14 25			
136275	5- 8-16 Western Electric Co.	972 50	136300	9- 2-16 Bausch & Lomb Optical Co.	43 56			
136276	8-17-16 Defiance Mfg. Co.	43 56	136301	8-28-16 Meder Staudt Co.	200 00			
136277	5- 1-16 Colonial Steel Co.	21 00	136302	9-16-16 The B. F. Goodrich Co.	719 87			
136278	8-16-16 Geo. Damon & Sons	100 45	136303	9- 5-16 The Kny, Scheerer Co.	100 45			
136279	8-23-16 J. M. Delaney & Co.	7 00	136304	9-12-16 The Emil Greiner Co.	7 00			
136280	8-21-16 Wm. Alsberg & Co.	12 00	136305	9-18-16 Harris Gruszinsky	4 00			
136281	Benj. C. Gruenberg	10 00	136306	6-30-16 Jordan & Co.	15 47			
136282	American Museum of Natu-	5 30	136307	8-23-16 C. M. Lane Life Boat Co.	100 62			
	ral History	76 00	136308	9- 5-16 Franz Benthin	33 20			
136345	44708 New York Tel. Co.	54 04	136309	5-31-16 Clemens & Grell	28 19			
136346	44708 New York Tel. Co.	73 68	136310	9- 1-16 Saml. Hurvin	18 60			
136348	8-28-16 O. W. Nordstrom	125 00	136311	9- 1-16 M. T. Kenny	33 12			
136349	8- 2-16 M. Barash	185 00	136312	9- 1-16 Dr. C. Clark	14 25			
136350	9-11-16 Thos. F. Ford	456 00	136313	9- 9-16 Jos. A. Shears, M. D.	972 50			
136351	8-31-16 Henry Dannemann	45 00	136314	Geo. A. Roberts	43 56			
136352	9-10-16 M. Wilinsky	40 00	136315	7- 1-16 Dr. C. Clark	200 00			
136353	8-12-16 Ledogar Bros.	22 00	136316	10-10-16 Daniel T. Kenny	719 87			
136354	6-20-16 W. & C. Sheehan	130 00	136317	7-27-16 Gimbel Bros.	100 45			
136355	9-13-16 Edward E. Stapleton	220 00	136318	7-26-16 Eimer & Amend	7 00			
136356	9-13-16 Haupt Paint & Hdw. Co.	146 00	136319	7-10-16 I. Breidbart & Bros.	4 00			
136357	8-18-16 Paul C. Taylor	84 63	136320	7-14-16 The H. B. Claffin Co.	14 25			
136358	9- 7-16 Wm. L. Vaughan	25 00	136321	9- 1-16 Igoe Bros.	24 90			
			136322	7- 8-16 Henry Allen	24 90			
					24 90			
136019	Robt. Adamson, Trustee and	\$54 45			24 90			
	Treas., New York Fire De-	254 44			24 90			
	partment Relief Fund.	483 00			24 90			
136020	45494 Francis M. A. Leach	19 92			24 90			
136021	45445 Wm. Brennan	25			24 90			
136022	44846 E. A. McCormack	109 77			24 90			
136126	9-14-16 Buick Motor Co.	89			24 90			
136127	9-13-16 International Motor Co.	3 33			24 90			
136128	10-18-16 Ford Motor Co.	37 80			24 90			
136129	10-13-16 Bosch Magneto Co.	5 00			24 90			
136130	9-14-16 Firestone Tire & Rubber Co.	2 00			24 90			
136131	9-27-16 Houpt Machine Co.	9 00			24 90			
136132	9- 4-16 Detroit Cadillac Motor Car	223 50			24 90			
	Co.	68 00			24 90			
136133	10-12-16 Henry W. Schmall	190 52			24 90			
136134	9-20-16 Heinze Electric Co.	24 20			24 90			
136135	10-19-16 Motta Cont. Co.	2 50			24 90			
136136	8-14-16 Jos. A. Graf	9 00			24 90			
136107	7-31-16 H. T. Dakin	1 50			24 90			
136108	9-30-16 Knickerbocker Towel Sup.	12 25			24 90			
	Co.	3 10			24 90			
136109	10-13-16 Natl. Press Intelligence Co.	75			24 90			
136110	9- 9-16 Mrs. A. Kraft	4 25			24 90			
136111	9-11-16 Lithoprint Co., Inc.	52 50			24 90			
136112	10-16-16 O. F. Browning	9 90			24 90			
136113	10-19-16 Nogio Machio	25 50			24 90			
136114	9-19-16 Crown Stamp Works	10 25			24 90			
136115	9-21-16 Commercial Acetylene Weld-	4 52			24 90			
	ing Co.	162 00			24 90			
136116	9-20-16 Hi-Po Waterproof Battery	79 00			24 90			
	Co.	13 37			24 90			
136117	9-14-16 Standard Oxygen Co.	7 32			24 90			
136118	10-11-16 C. D. Wood Elec Co.	1 20			24 90			
136119	9-22-16 F. Madlener Co.	3 00			24 90			
136120	9-20-16 Geo. T. Montgomery	11 00			24 90			
136121	6- 7-16 Motor Car Equipment Co.	5 25			24 90			
136122	9-23-16 F. N. Du Bois & Co.	5 07			24 90			
136123	9- 1-16 Godfrey, Keeler Co.	13 00			24 90			
136124	8-21-16 Chas. E. Miller	48 58			24 90			
136125	10- 9-16 P. J. Langer	10 50			24 90			
136126	10-19-16 Nofio Machio				24 90			
136127	9-30-16 Knickerbocker Towel Sup-				24 90			
	ply Co.				24 90			
136214	9-11-16 Linde Air Products Co.				24 90			
136215	9-14-16 Commercial Acetylene Weld-				24 90			
	ing Co.				24 90			
136216	10-11-16 The Smith Worthington				24 90			
	Co.				24 90			
136217	9-20-16 U. S. Tire Co.				24 90			
136218	9-12-16 Graham & Berwin, Inc.				24 90			

Invoice			Invoice			Invoice		
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.
Number.	Number.		Number.	Number.		Number.	Number.	
136156	9-21-16	Alfred Chatwin Supply Co..	136253	9-13-16	Richmond Light & R. R. Co.	136475	43909	The Flatbush Gas Co.
136157	9-22-16	General Electric Co.....	136254	9-30-16	New York Telephone Co...			The Flatbush Gas Co.
136158	9- 5-16	Valentine Goetz	136255		Peerless Towel Supply Co...	136476	43909	The Flatbush Gas Co.
136159	9- 8-16	Union Dry Dock & Repair Co.	136256	10-30-16	C. W. Peterson			The Flatbush Gas Co.
			136257	10- 9-16	Edward Sullivan	136477	44144	The Flatbush Gas Co.
136160	10- 3-16	James Tregarthen & Sons Co.	Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.					The Flatbush Gas Co.
			136240	9-28-16	Westchester Lighting Co...	136478	43912	The Flatbush Gas Co.
136161		Edward Murphy	136241		John T. Metcalf			The Flatbush Gas Co.
136162	9-30-16	A. B. Dick Co.	136242		John T. Metcalf	136479	46906	Welsbach Street Ltg. Co. of America
136163	10-13-16	Jos. D. Duffy's Son	136243		John T. Metcalf			Richmond Light & R. R. Co. 13,202 00
136164	8-24-16	John Mulcahy	136469	43911	N. Y. & Queens Elec. Light & Power Co.	136480	43920	Richmond Light & R. R. Co. 26 47
136165	9-27-16	Lexington Auto Supply Co.				136481	43910	The New York Edison Co.. 14,077 23
136166	9-18-16	E. T. Joyce	136470	43913	Welsbach Street Ltg. Co. of America	136482	44149	The Bronx Gas & Electric Co.
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136167	9-11-16	Gough & Horn	136471	43914	Welsbach Street Ltg. Co. of America	136483	43905	Richmond Light & R. R. Co. 2,022 73
136168	9-11-16	Empire Sales Co.	136472	43915	Welsbach Street Ltg. Co. of America	136484	43911	N. Y. & Queens Electric Light & Power Co.....
								Richmond Light & R. R. Co. 338 50
Register, Kings County.			136473	43920	The New York Edison Co.....	136485	43906	Hamme & Donnelly
136023	10-25-16	Remington Typewriter Co.				136486	42444	The Kennedy Valve Mfg. Co.
Staten Island Association of Arts and Sciences.			136474	44151	The Brooklyn Union Gas Co.			
136250	10-19-16	E. P. Gealson Mfg. Co.....						
136251	10-19-16	The Woodhouse Mfg. Co...						
136252		N. Y. & Richmond Gas Co.						

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION, FIRST DISTRICT.

No. 120 BROADWAY, NEW YORK CITY.

Calendar for the Week Commencing October 30, 1916.

Thursday, Nov. 2, 1916—2.30 p. m.—Room 2562—Cases Nos. 577 and 2052—New York Edison Company et al.—“Uniform system of accounts and form of annual report for 1915”—Whole Commission. 2.30 p. m.—Room 2562—Case No. 1261—The Long Island Railroad Company—“Alteration of grade crossings at Fresh Pond rd. and Metropolitan ave. at Bushwick Junction”—“Hearing for an accounting”—Whole Commission. 2.30 p. m.—Room 2562—Case No. 1395—New York Edison Company—George Stadlander et al., Complainants—“Rate for electricity in Manhattan and The Bronx”—Whole Commission. 2.30 p. m.—Room 2562—Case No. 1492—New York Edison Company—Julius Ewoldt et al., Complainants—“Rate for electricity in Manhattan and The Bronx”—Whole Commission.

Regular Meeting of the Commission will be held on Thursdays at 11 a. m.

Meeting of the Committee of the Whole held on Wednesdays at 10.30 a. m.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

Vital Statistics.

Summary for the Week Ending Saturday, 12 M., Oct. 21, 1916.

Borough	Population Estimated U. S. Cen- sus, April 15, 1910.	Deaths, 1915.	Deaths, 1916.	Deaths, 1916.		Deaths, 1916.		Deaths, 1916.	
				*Cor- rected, 1916.	*Cor- rected, 1916.	*Cor- rected, 1916.	*Cor- rected, 1916.	*Cor- rected, 1916.	*Cor- rected, 1916.
Manhattan	2,331,542	2,634,223	621	608	601	1,133	842	56	12.53
The Bronx	430,980	575,877	140	124	115	301	63	20	13.22
Brooklyn	1,634,351	1,928,432	416	403	435	1,034	533	49	11.25
Queens	284,041	366,426	78	101	99	170	43	3	11.52
Richmond	85,969	97,883	41	53	39	54	16	4	22.29
City of New York.	4,766,883	5,602,841	1,296	1,289	1,287	2,692	1,497	132	12.37

*Corrected by redistributing deaths according to borough of residence.

†The Federal Bureau of the Census having determined not to use the returns of the State census of 1915 in estimating the population of New York City, notified this Department on February 10, 1916, that until 1920, estimates of the population of cities and states within the United States made by the Federal Bureau would be based upon the Federal censuses of 1900 and 1910.

In view of this action of the Federal Bureau of the Census and the purpose for which the State census was taken, which made its results unadapted to our needs, the Department of Health concluded likewise to base its estimates upon the Federal censuses of 1900 and 1910, and since the changes in immigration and emigration wrought by the war have made impractical the continued use of the geometrical method of estimating the population of the city, the Department of Health has, after careful deliberation, decided to adopt the arithmetical method, which is the one used by the Bureau of the Census, and to estimate the population of the city and of the boroughs by this method, at least until the next Federal census becomes available.

Cases of Infectious Diseases for Week Ending Oct. 21, 1916.

Tuberculosis	274	Chickenpox	51	Syphilis	471
Diphtheria and Croup	128	Typhus Fever	2	Gonorrhea	207
Measles	15	Typhoid Fever	46	Follomyelitis	43
Scarlet Fever	38	Whooping Cough	24		
Smallpox		Cerebro-spinal Meningitis.	2	Total	1,301

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

Abstract of Transactions for Week Ended Sept. 9, 1916.
(Received at City Record Office Oct. 24, 1916.)

Deposited in the City Treasury.	
To the Credit of the City Treasury.....	\$4,401,164 71
To the Credit of the Sinking Funds.....	30,684 82
Total.....	\$4,708,007 53
Warrants Registered for Payment.	
Appropriation Accounts, "A" Warrants	\$1,635,795 25
Special Revenue Bond Fund Accounts, "B" Warrants.....	79,583 94
Corporate Stock Fund Accounts, "C" Warrants.....	539,043 89
Special and Trust Fund Accounts, "D" Warrants.....	1,814,141 72
Total	\$4,068,564 80
Revenue Bills Issued.	
Revenue Bills	\$1,493,685 61
Bonds Redeemed.	
Bonds of former Corporations now included in The City of New York.	\$3,000 00
Revenue Bonds	1,753,000 00
Notes for Corporate Stock	1,000 00
Total	\$1,757,000 00

Suits, Court Orders, Judgments, Etc., Filed.

Frymier & Hanna Co.; three orders discharging lien against contract and bond. George F. Pollard et al.; thirteen fidelity bonds of Royal Indemnity Co. et al. Wade, Helen; order and notice of entry. Lazarowitz, Israel; release of Israel Lazarowitz, father of Cela Lazarowitz, who was injured at Washington ave. and 173d st., by auto on July 11, 1916. Tracy, James J.; release in favor of City, accident on March 10, 1916, on sidewalk in front of 305-311 W. 98th st. Davenport, John S., et al.; certified copy of order taxing costs of Commissioners of Estimate and Apportionment, matter of Kissel ave. and Brighton Boulevard. Van Santvoord & Wellington; certified copy of order fixing compensation of Commissioners re New York Water Supply Proceedings. Power, James; summons and complaint, James Power vs. City et al.

U. S. Title Guaranty Co.; order directing payment of award, Eleventh ave. proceeding. Corporate stock; registered certificates for transfer. Sea View Hospital; bill of costs and expenses, acquiring title to Egbert ave., etc. Parsons, H. De B. & Breen, D. A.; bill of costs and expenses, acquiring title to Duane st., etc. Hume,

Arthur Carter; affidavit and order re South Shore Traction Co. Walker, Martha; release and affidavit re award for damage, Parcel No. 1K, matter of E. 218th st., Fitzner, Edw., and Paul Sholz; consent of mortgage and affidavit re award for damage Parcel 63A, matter of Sunswick st. Bezold, Friedricka; release and affidavit re award for damage, Parcel No. 1A, matter of East 218th st. Fitzner, Edw., and Paul Sholz; consent of mortgage and affidavit re award for damage, Parcel No. 42, matter of Paynter ave. Kaufmann, Isadore and another; two certificates of Register of Kings County, and affidavit re Parcel 141, etc., Avenue M, etc., Brooklyn. Kauffmann, Isadore; two certificates, Register of Kings County, and affidavit re Parcels 129 and 130 Avenue M, etc., Brooklyn. Schwartz, Benjamin; release of mortgage by J. R. Covert and affidavit re Parcel 11, 59th st., etc., Brooklyn. Rice, Meyer et al.; release by M. Rice, and affidavit re Parcels 23 and 23B, Rosedale ave., etc., Bronx. Gough, Wm. J. and another; two satisfactions of mortgages by Lucretia S. Bennett and another, and affidavit of G. H. Thirkield re Parcel 45, etc., Avenue M, etc., Brooklyn.

Knief, Susie; release by New York Investors Corp. and affidavit, re Parcel 166, Gerry ave., etc., Queens. Schwartz, Joseph; release by G. McCauslan and affidavit of L. E. French, re Parcels 81, 81A, 81B, Rosedale ave., etc., Bronx. Schellenberg, Herman and Anna; release by Susan F. Kahl and affidavit re Parcels 253, 253C, 294, 253E, Houghton ave., etc., Bronx. Gallucci, Louis; affidavit re award for Parcel 4A, Fowler st., etc., Queens. Kugel, Adolf, H. Kuntz, Attorney; copy summons and complaint, action against City of New York, F. Heitzner et al. Certified copies orders directing payment of awards: City & Suburban Homes Co., E. C. Hamburg, Attorney; for Parcel 63, 72d st., etc., Brooklyn. City & Suburban Homes Co., E. C. Hamburg, Attorney; for Parcel 62, 72d st., etc., Brooklyn. Manz, Wm. A., E. C. Hamburg, Attorney; for Parcel 23, E. 29th st., etc., Brooklyn. Hock, Henry and Frances, J. J. Metzger, Attorney; for Parcel 38, Wyckoff ave., etc., Queens. Crooke, Robert L., et al., R. Weed, Attorney; re site for sewage pumping station, Avenue J, E. 72d st., etc., Brooklyn. Crooke, Robert L., et al., M. Weed, Attorney; \$200, Flatlands ave., etc., Brooklyn. Penella, Costanzo, N. H. Pinto, Attorney; for Parcel 2J and 2K, Pugsley ave., etc., Bronx. Claus, Elizabeth; certified copy of commission re Parcel 1J, change of grade of E. 218th st.

Roy, Letitia; certificate of Register of Kings County, assignment and affidavit, re Parcel 170, Avenue M, etc., Brooklyn. Greenfield, David; affidavit of T. K. Mahlon, re Parcel 92, Westchester Rapid Transit, etc. Cherrie, Susan R., E. F. Driggs, Attorney; certified copy order directing cancellation of tax lease, etc., judgment and notice of entry. Kugel, Ettie, M. Dangler, Attorney; certified copy order directing refund of deposit of \$1,000, etc. Romano, Nicola and another, J. C. Marco, Attorney; certified copy order directing payment of award for Parcel 48, Cruger ave., Bronx. Manz, William A.; release by Linda S. Kahn and affidavit, re Parcel 23, E. 29th st., etc., Brooklyn. Sayer, Wm. M., Jr., N. B. Halstead, Attorney; certified copy order directing payment of award for Parcel 69, Clinton ave., etc., Brooklyn. Home Life Insurance Co., H. Swain, Attorney; copy of amended summons and complaint, action against Zarland Realty Co., City of New York et al. Caesar Realty & Construction Company; two releases by V. Quarelli, certificate of Clerk of Richmond County and affidavits of Josephine Ribaldo, re Parcels 379, 380, Targee st., Richmond. Pichenick, Reuben; transcript of judgment, Reuben Pichenick vs. City of New York.

Claims Filed.

O'Connor, Bernard F.; damage to auto, amending claim 82085, index 30893, \$160.80; Wm. B. Parsons, attorney. Campbell, Georgine; damage to personal property due to break in water main at Madison ave. and 72d st. Tevington, Andrew, Jr.; damage to personal property, trousers torn on can belonging to Department of Street Cleaning in front of 100 W. 98th st. Mason & Hanger Co.; refund of deposit retained by City of New York, \$7,217.15; Phelps & East, attorneys. McDonald, James A.; burial of veteran, Russell A. Hills, \$50. Levy, Mrs. Herman; damage to automobile, due to collision with truck of Department of Street Cleaning in front of Germania Employment Agency, Arverne, L. I., on July 5, 1916, \$15. Knight & De Micco, Inc.; furnishing labor to unload material from Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity automobiles, in connection with open market order 35248, \$4.13. Kennedy, Antonette L.; personal injuries sustained on July 19, 1916, due to defective pavement at Kingston ave. and Prospect pl., Brooklyn, \$5,000; Williams & Richardson, attorneys. Kennedy, Samuel L.; damages for injuries sustained by his wife, Antonette L. Kennedy, on July 19, 1916, due to defective pavement at Kingston ave. and Prospect pl., Brooklyn, \$3,000; Williams & Richardson, attorneys. Lydecker, Wm. W.; arrears in wages, employed as plumber in Bellevue and Allied Hospitals from Jan. 1, 1916, to date, \$202; Samuel Bernstein, attorney.

Thien, Edith A.; personal injuries, due to fall on defective sidewalk, Beverly-road, at Brighton Beach Station, Brooklyn, March 5, 1916, \$3,000; Shelds & Kelly, attorneys. Pezzullo, Lorenzo, and Joseph; damage to real property, due to bursting water main on Bronxdale ave., near Hunt ave., Bronx, Aug. 15, 1916, \$242.70. Oil Marketing Co.; deduction from voucher and charge for excess cost of gasoline purchased in open market in connection with contract 42967, \$181.40; Gustave J. Rosen, attorney. West, Edward; damage to auto, due to collision with Department of Street Cleaning wagon, Aug. 4, 1916. Morrison & Schiff; refund of jury fee, Herrman vs. Braveman-Zellman Realty Co., in 6th District Municipal Court, \$3. N. Y. & Queens Gas Co.; gas supplied to public buildings in Borough of Queens from July 1 to July 31, 1916, \$64.35. Smith, Jennie P.; damage to real property, due to erection of elevated railroad in 86th st., Brooklyn, \$2,500; Stern & Gilleaudeau, attorneys. Argyle Holding Co., Inc.; damage to real property caused by erection of elevated railroad in 86th st., Brooklyn, \$2,500; Stern & Gilleaudeau, attorneys. London Guarantee & Accident Co., Ltd.; award made by New York State Industrial Commission on account of personal injuries sustained by Wm. Weaver at Chambers and West sts., Manhattan, \$80.73; William Butler, attorney. Meyers, Sadie; personal injuries, due to defective sidewalk in front of 1384 Fifth ave., Manhattan, Aug. 14, 1916, \$1,000; Julius Cohen, attorney. Raden, John J.; damage to personal property at 11 Old Broadway, caused by employee of Department of Street Cleaning, Sept. 2, 1916, \$75. N. Y. Mutual Gas Light Co.; gas furnished in Borough of Manhattan from July 1 to 31, 1916, \$385.90.

Approval of Sureties.

The Comptroller approved of the adequacy and sufficiency of the sureties on the following proposals, viz.:

President, Borough of Brooklyn—Sewer in Duryea pl.: B. Picone & Son; Aetna Accident & Liability Co., surety. Grading, etc., Hinsdale ave.: Ulrich & Co.; United States Fidelity and Guaranty Co., surety. Coal: Bacon Coal Co.; American Surety Co. of New York, surety.

Central Purchase Committee—Forage: T. M. Blake; Massachusetts Bonding and

Insurance Co., surety. George N. Reinhardt; American Fidelity Co., surety; Borough Hay and Grain Co.; Aetna Accident and Liability Co., surety.

Department of Education—Motion picture films: Pathoscope Co. of America; International Fidelity Insurance Co., surety. Fire protection work at Public School 118, Brooklyn: M. Greenberg; U. S. Fidelity and Guaranty Co., surety.

President, Borough of Manhattan—Repaving Park Row: W. J. Fitzgerald; National Surety Co., surety. Receiving basins altered, etc., in 126th st., Lenox to 7th ave.; Burnside Contracting Co.; National Surety Co., surety. Alterations, etc., to sewer in Park ave.: Santor Construction Co.; National Surety Co., surety.

Municipal Civil Service Commission—Filing cases: Art Metal Construction Co.; Fidelity and Deposit Co. of Maryland, surety.

Department of Public Charities—Coal: Geo. D. Harris & Co.; Casualty Co. of America, surety; Sackett Coal Co.; National Surety Co., surety.

President, Borough of Queens—Regulating, etc.: Hillside ave.; Frank Soviero; Globe Indemnity Co., surety. 4th ave., Borough Asphalt Co.; National Surety Co., Globe Indemnity Co., sureties; 9th ave., Borough Asphalt Co.; National Surety Co., Globe Indemnity Co., sureties; Liberty ave., Peace Bros.; Massachusetts Bonding and Insurance Co., surety; Sherman st., Hastings Pavement Co.; National Surety Co., American Surety Co. of New York, sureties; Van Alst ave., Peace Bros.; Massachusetts Bonding and Insurance Co., surety.

Department of Street Cleaning—Paints: Chilton Paint Co.; Massachusetts Bonding and Insurance Co., surety.

Opening of Proposals.

The Comptroller, by representative, attended the opening of proposals at the following departments, viz:

Armory Board—Lockers, etc., for new Eighth Coast Defense Armory, Bronx. Bellevue and Allied Hospitals; Correction; Health—Furnishing flour.

Bellevue and Allied Hospitals; Public Charities; Correction; Health—Meats, poultry, butter, cheese, eggs, bread and rolls.

President, Borough of The Bronx—Forage. Sewers and regulating and repaving various streets.

Department of Education—Plumbing at P. S. 8 and 20, Richmond, and heating work, etc., at P. S. 110.

President, Borough of Manhattan—For alterations and improvement to outlet sewer in Dyckman Street.

Park Department—Comfort station in Fort Hamilton Park. Constructing roadway in Bronx and Pelham Parkway. Concrete walk along 177th street side of Crotona Ave. Filling swamp lands in Van Cortlandt Park.

Department of Public Charities—Furnishing 600 tons of pea coal for Municipal Lodging House.

Department of Public Charities; Correction—For stock fruits and vegetables. Public Service Commission—Installation of Tracks, Seventh Avenue-Lexington Avenue Rapid Transit Railroad.

President, Borough of Richmond—For sidewalks in Hart ave. For repaving Willow rd. and Court Richmond rd.

Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity—Repairs to roof of Croton Gate House, Yorktown. Water mains in Crown. Hinsdale, Sackman sts., Brooklyn.

E. D. FISHER, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

Board of Health.

Abstract of the minutes of Sept. 26, 1916.

The Board met pursuant to notice. Present: Commissioner of Health and Health Officer of the Port.

The premises, stable, 125 Osborne st. (rear), Brooklyn, were declared a public nuisance.

The following premises were ordered vacated: 92 Hester st., Manhattan; 57 Somers st., Brooklyn; 272 Sumner ave., Brooklyn; 2720 W. 3d st., Brooklyn; northwest corner of W. 22d st. and Highland View ave., Brooklyn; 2962 W. 27th st., Brooklyn.

Orders for vacations against certain premises were rescinded, the cause for same having been removed.

Miscellaneous applications for permits were granted.

Miscellaneous applications for permits were denied.

Various permits granted by the Board were revoked.

Extensions of time in which to comply with provisions of orders issued against premises were granted and certain applications for relief and extensions of orders were denied.

The Registrar of Records was directed to record corrected certificates of vital statistics relating to various persons.

Leaves of absence on account of sickness and for various reasons were granted to employees in each Borough.

Promotions—Mrs. Martha J. Peltier, Nurse, Bureau of Preventable Diseases, Queens, from \$1,020 to \$1,140 per annum, June 1. James J. Clark, Inspector of Foods, Bureau of Food and Drugs, Manhattan, to \$2,100 per annum, Aug. 17. William J. O'Connor, Clerk, Bureau of General Administration, Manhattan, to \$2,400 per annum, Aug. 17. George Osterman, Clerk, from \$780 to \$840 per annum, Bureau of General Administration, Aug. 1. William T. Featherston, Law Clerk, Bureau of General Administration, from \$2,460 to \$3,000 per annum, Aug. 18. For two periods of fifteen days each: William J. O'Connor, Clerk, Bureau of General Administration, Manhattan, \$2,400 per annum, July 18. James J. Clark, Inspector of Foods, Bureau of Food and Drugs, Manhattan, \$2,100 per annum, July 19.

Appointments (Exempt)—Daniel J. McMacklin, 623 E. 138th st., Bronx, Chaplin, Bureau of Hospitals (Riverside), Bronx, at \$600 per annum, June 1.

Appointments (Paragraph 3, Rule XII)—Medical Inspectors at \$1,030 per annum, Bureau of Child Hygiene—Thomas E. Cooney, 849 St. Nicholas ave., Manhattan, Sept. 7; E. M. Moorehouse, 145 Clinton st., Brooklyn, Sept. 13; Sophie Rabinoff, 2480 Concourse, Bronx, Aug. 30; B. Edgar Sniegel, 880 Macy pl., Sept. 7; Edw. M. Thompson, 450 Westminster rd., Brooklyn, Sept. 13; Benno Wronker, 296 Central Park West, Manhattan, Sept. 7; Nagib I. Abdou, 261 Clinton st., Brooklyn, and Herman Ballen, 1410 Wilkins ave., Bronx, Sept. 13; Arthur J. Bendick, 216 W. 89th st., Manhattan, Sept. 6; Edward Leonard

Benjamin, 961 Tiffany st., Bronx, and Henry E. Brown, 1265 Bergen st., Brooklyn, Sept. 13; J. F. Crawford, 408 Clinton st., Brooklyn, Sept. 7; Irving Flyer, 5626 Fifteenth ave., Brooklyn, Sept. 13; Murray B. Gordon, 4402 Twelfth ave., Brooklyn, Sept. 15; Max Landesman, 120 W. 118th st., Manhattan, and Theo. L. Pulvermacher, 594 Seventh st., Brooklyn, Sept. 7; Henri A. Santoire, 148 Clinton st., Bklyn., Sept. 6; Louis W. Schultz, 546 W. 124th st., Manhattan, Sept. 9; Frank T. Stoney, 229 Eighty-second st., Brooklyn, Sept. 7; Ver Nooy W. Weed, 328 Stuyvesant ave., Brooklyn, and Nathan Weinberg, 584 Marcy ave., Brooklyn, Sept. 6. Nurses, at \$900 per annum: Edith Bizzell, 448 W. 125th st., Manhattan, Mary J. Burke, 682 Lexington ave., Manhattan, and Margaret C. Corcoran, 511 E. 130th st., Manhattan, Sept. 13; Helen F. Cox, 222 Clermont ave., Brooklyn, Sept. 18; Marie D'Amato, 374 Union st., Brooklyn, Sept. 13; Susie M. Day, 215 Lincoln pl., Brooklyn, Sept. 9; Gladys R. Dempsey, 408 W. 129th st., Manhattan, Sept. 18; Helen A. Dolan, 76 Somers st., Brooklyn, and Ella Gerber, 210 W. 114th st., Manhattan, Sept. 9; Maxine M. Gibbons, 213 Lafayette ave., Brooklyn, Kathryn M. Graff, 57 Saratoga ave., Yonkers, Florence Hall, 357 W. 29th st., Manhattan, and Harriet M. Hohenfeld, 197 Globe ave., Jamaica L. I., Sept. 9; Eileen F. Keane, 25 Convent ave., Manhattan, and Elizabeth J. Keane, 25 Convent ave., Manhattan, Sept. 18; Mary A. Kenny, 254 W. 154th st., Manhattan, Sept. 15; Ethel B. Kimel, 237 W. 109th st., Manhattan, Sept. 18; Anna M. King, Valley st., Arrochar, Rosebank P. O., S. I., Sept. 13; Dorothy M. Kregler, Yorktown Heights, Manhattan, Sept. 9; Bessie E. Lee, 125 W. 115th st., Manhattan, and Anna L. Leslie, 1090 Amsterdam ave., Manhattan, Sept. 18; Eliz. F. Lillis, 60 W. 104th st., Manhattan, Sept. 15; Alberta E. Linter, 374 Union st., Brooklyn, Sept. 13; Alice S. MacPherson, 984 Morris ave., Bronx, Sept. 9; Kathleen Macrae, 772 Manor rd., W. N. Brighton, S. I., Sept. 18; Josephine A. McCabe, 453 Fourteenth st., Brooklyn, Sept. 13; Sadie E. McGarry, 235 E. 57th st., Manhattan, Sept. 18; Della A. McGrath, 61 E. 66th st., Manhattan, Sept. 9; Sally B. Morrison, 168 Sherman ave., Manhattan, Sept. 18; May A. McNamara, 58 W. 104th st., Manhattan, care Hall, Sept. 13; Anne E. Matthews, 1858 Seventh ave., Manhattan, Mary E. Mitchell, 426 E. 26th st., Manhattan, M. O'Shatz, 460 Hancock st., Brooklyn, and Margt. A. Pepper, 386 Halsey st., Brooklyn, Sept. 9; Mamie Perr, 859 Jackson ave., Bronx, Lillian Rebstock, 2407 Van Cortlandt ave., Glendale, L. I. Alice M. Riley, 213 Lafayette ave., Brooklyn, Marian Rogan, 830 W. 179th st., Manhattan, and Katherine M. Rowan, 414 W. 124th st., Manhattan, Sept. 18; Helen C. Schmid, 226 W. 50th st., Manhattan, Sept. 13; Helen M. Schwartz, 1323 Halsey st., Brooklyn, Sept. 15; May N. Sherman, 255 W. 111th st., Manhattan, and Ruth D. Tolliver, 272 Manhattan ave., Manhattan, Sept. 13; Frances M. Vineberg, 575 West End ave., Manhattan, Sept. 15; Anna A. Walz, 200 Maine ave., W. N. B., S. I., Cora

F. West, 106 W. 61st st., Manhattan, and Ellen M. Whitehead, 586 W. 178th st., Manhattan, Sept. 13; Ida Willoughby, 417 Manhattan ave., Manhattan, and Florence Yeury, 407 W. 205th st., Manhattan, Sept. 9. Thomas Wilson, 691 E. 138th st., Bronx, Stationary Engineer, at \$3 a day.

Appointments, Paragraph IV, Rule XII—Medical Inspectors, at \$1,020 per annum, for two periods of fifteen days each: Herman Bick, 40 E. 7th st., Manhattan, Aug. 15; S. Bernard Rosenzweig, 162 W. 54th st., Manhattan, Aug. 16. Bureau of Preventable Diseases: K. Sellers Kennard, 280 E. Burnside ave., Bronx, Aug. 26. Bureau of Child Hygiene: Marie L. Benoit, 228 W. 123d st., Manhattan, Aug. 28. Assistant Physicians (Clinic), at \$300 per annum, for two periods of fifteen days each: Samuel Perlman, 341 S. 5th st., Brooklyn, Aug. 1; Joseph Rosenthal, 1387 St. Marks ave., Brooklyn, July 25. Bureau of Preventable Diseases: George D. Wolf, 641 Prospect ave., Bronx, Aug. 1. Nurses, at \$900 per annum, for two periods of fifteen days each: Vera Anderson, 531 Lexington ave., Manhattan, Aug. 23; Mary Adelaide Booth, 146 W. 104th st., Manhattan, Aug. 28; Netta B. Brown, 516 3d ave., Lyndhurst, N. J., Aug. 21; Eleanor M. Cronin, 333 Lincoln rd., Brooklyn, Aug. 22; Mary E. Harris, 53 E. 132d st., Bronx, Aug. 24; Mrs. Fanny Iverstrom, 521 W. 175th st., Manhattan, Aug. 28; Emma Linter, 201 W. 109th st., Manhattan, Aug. 16; Maud L. Mausir, 1009 Woodcrest ave., Bronx, and Helen Rosenstein, 932 Tiffany st., Manhattan, Aug. 17; Helen Savage, 40 W. 128th st., Manhattan, Aug. 28; Isabelle S. Woods, 165 E. 63d st., Manhattan, Aug. 25; Rose Donnelly, 50 Central Park West, Manhattan, and Madge Hagerman, 83 W. 135th st., Manhattan, Sept. 5; Hannah McGloin, 455 E. 34th st., Brooklyn, and Irma B. Korn, 102 S. Oxford st., Bklyn., Sept. 6; Margaret A. Lynch, 136 Decatur st., Brooklyn, Sept. 5; Anna B. Seery, 996 Herkimer st., Brooklyn, Sept. 6; Louella Busch, 1661 Southern Boulevard, Bronx, and Frances J. Galena, 97 Flushing ave., Astoria, L. I., Sept. 7. Bureau of Child Hygiene, Dymagh W. Dolan, 501 W. 134th st., Manhattan, Aug. 16; Anna Osmer, 501 E. 78th st., Manhattan, Aug. 21; Marion Sherter, 5704 4th ave., Brooklyn, Aug. 16; Mabel Dayton Holden, 551 Seventy-fifth st., Brooklyn, Sept. 1. Bureau of Preventable Diseases: Gertrude DeB. Johnson, 219 W. 134th st., Manhattan, Aug. 29; Charlotte Karp, 640 Riverside Drive, Manhattan, Sept. 5; Gwendolin Lewis, 325 E. 31st st., Manhattan, Sept. 13; Olga Lubke, 135 E. 17th st., Manhattan, Aug. 29; Laura Owens, 66 Ft. Greene pl., Brooklyn, Aug. 30. Clerks, \$3 a day, for two periods of fifteen days each: Francis Ainoura, 161 W. 76th st., Manhattan, Aug. 25; John Cassidy, 382 E. 138th st., Bronx, Aug. 14; Adam Datz, 121 W. 62d st., Manhattan, Aug. 24; William J. Mitchell, 315 E. 57th st., Manhattan, Aug. 23; Bart O'Connor, 37 S. 9th ave., Rockaway Park, Queens, Aug. 1; John J. Quinn, 227 W. 123d st., Manhattan, Aug. 22. Clerk, at \$540 per annum, Bureau of Records, for two days Aug. 9 and 10: James J. Kane, 227 W. 142d st., Manhattan. Clerks, at \$300 per annum, for two periods of fifteen days each: Stuart Collett, 233 W. 23d st., Manhattan, Aug. 25. Bureau of Foods and Drugs. Bureau of General Administration: Dudley Nostrand, 99 Herriman ave., Jamaica, L. I., Queens, Aug. 28; Raymond Irons, 1331 Bushwick ave., Brooklyn, Sept. 6. Clerk, at \$3 a day, Bureau of Preventable Diseases: W. Lee Trenholm, 540 W. 122d st., Manhattan, Aug. 17. Typewriting Copyists, at \$660 per annum, Bureau of General Administration, for two periods of fifteen days each: Naomi MacMurdy, 179 Sherman ave., Jersey City, N. J., and Florence Rossfield, 920 E. 179th st., Bronx, Sept. 9; May M. Underhill, 140 Erie st., Jersey City, N. J., Aug. 16; Francis Ainoura, 161 W. 76th st., Manhattan, Aug. 16. Telephone Switchboard Operator, at \$660 per annum for two periods of fifteen days each. Automobile Enginemen, \$1,200 per annum: James H. Callahan, 702 Park pl., Brooklyn, Aug. 19, for two periods of fifteen days each; Alfred Ungerland, 537 E. 83d st., Manhattan, Aug. 15, for four days.

Appointments—Abraham S. Bienenstock, 15 E. 106th st., Manhattan, Sept. 12, Bacteriological Diagnostician, at \$1,080 per annum; Joseph L. Behan, 237 Marlborough rd., Brooklyn, Sept. 1, Medical Clerk, at \$1,140 per annum, Bureau of Records; Charles S. Alexander, 940 Simpson st., Bronx, Aug. 28, Dentist, at \$900 per annum, Bureau of Child Hygiene; Abraham Stone, 296 S. 5th st., Brooklyn, Aug. 23, Assistant Physician (Clinic), Bureau of Preventable Diseases, at \$300 per annum; Eleanor Wilson, Junior League Hotel, 78th st. and East River, Manhattan, Sept. 1, Nurse, at \$900 per annum, Bureau of Preventable Diseases. For not to exceed six months: Oliver E. Saylor, 318 W. 57th st., Manhattan, Aug. 28, Clerk, at \$840 per annum, Bureau of Child Hygiene. Clerks, at \$540 per annum: Thomas H. Haney, Avenue Q and W. 13th st.,

Brooklyn, and John E. Curtin, 321 E. 65th st., Manhattan, Aug. 19; Maurice J. Feely, 426 W. 57th st., Manhattan, Aug. 18, Bureau of General Administration; James J. Kane, 227 W. 142d st., Manhattan, Aug. 11, Bureau of Records; and Max Schlenoff, 373 Howard ave., Brooklyn, Aug. 19, Bureau of Child Hygiene. Clerks, at \$300 per annum: Harry L. Ain, 195 Madison st., Manhattan, Aug. 28, Bureau of Preventable Diseases; George J. Kuhn, 818 Tenth ave., Manhattan, Aug. 14, Sanitary Bureau; Isidor Feitelson, 14 Rutgers pl., Manhattan, Aug. 31, Bureau of Food and Drugs, for not to exceed six months; Mary F. Byrne, 275 Dean st., Brooklyn, Stenographer and Typewriter, at \$720 per annum, Bureau of General Administration, for not to exceed six months, Aug. 30; Anna M. Bolger, 42 W. Fordham rd., Bronx, Typewriting Copyist, at \$660 per annum, Bureau of General Administration, for not to exceed six months; Charles A. Kane, 321 Stuyvesant ave., Brooklyn, Aug. 30, Laboratory Assistant, at \$600 per annum, Bureau of General Administration; Jerome D. Harris, 74 W. 142d st., Manhattan, Telephone Switchboard Operator, at \$660 per annum, for not to exceed six months, Aug. 24; Charles A. Gleason, 99 Boulevard, Rockaway Beach, Queens, Aug. 30, Automobile Engineer, at \$1,200 per annum, for not to exceed six months; Leonardo Laplace, 22 Delancey st., Manhattan, Licensed Fireman, at \$3 a day, Bureau of Hospitals, for six months, Sept. 23; John F. McDonald, 58 8th ave., Manhattan, Sept. 1, Watchman, at \$600 per annum, Bureau of Hospitals (Municipal Sanatorium), Otisville, Orange Co., N. Y.; William Kelly, 401 E. 92d st., Manhattan, Orderly, at \$180 per annum, Bureau of Preventable Diseases (Day Camp Middleton), July 12. Cleaners, at \$360 per annum, Sept. 27: Mary M. Smith, 218 E. 27th st., Manhattan, Bureau of General Administration; Sarah A. Steen, 45 Horatio st., Manhattan, Bureau of Child Hygiene.

Transferred—Eugene S. Mintram, Plan Examiner, at \$1,350 per annum, from Tenement House Department and title changed to Sanitary Inspector, Sept. 1.

Services Ceased—Medical Inspectors, at \$1,020 per annum: Nagib I. Abdou, Samuel Altman, Herman Ballen and Henry A. Bancel, Sept. 30; Arthur J. Bendick, Sept. 15; Edward L. Benjamin, Marie L. Benoit, Louis Berlin and Joseph Blinder, Sept. 30; E. C. Brennan, Sept. 14; Henry E. Brown, William T. Brown and E. A. Carpenter, Sept. 30; Sophie Chapman, Sept. 14; Hans Christiansen, Morris J. Clurman and Thomas E. Cooney, Sept. 30; Ruth J. Crasson, Sept. 14; John F. Crawford, Sept. 30; Augustus P. Deltett, Sept. 14; William Deutsch, Sept. 30; Ernestine Doychert, Sept. 14; Leo Faske, Moses Feinberg, Julius Ferber, Irving Flyer, Samuel Freedman, Louis T. Fricke and Charles Gelber, Sept. 30; Alex Gluckstein, Sept. 15; Murray B. Gordon, Sept. 30; Charles E. Green, Sept. 14; Arthur Greenberger, Isidor Kahn, Sidney Katz, K. Sellers Kennard, Nathan Kraemer and Max Landsman, Sept. 30; Marcus L. Lomlich, Sept. 14; Leon Leser and S. P. Levy, Sept. 30; S. L. Lewis, Sept. 14; Mark Liabert, Grant Lind and Edward Liss, Sept. 30; Jacob Lobsenz, Sept. 14; Marvin Lorde, Joseph Martocchio, E. M. Moorehouse, Samuel Moskowitz and Samuel G. Mundell, Sept. 30; Samuel Paleg, Sept. 14; Cyrus D. Patterson, Sam Perlman and Herman N. Phillips, Sept. 30; Theo. L. Pulvermacher, Sept. 19; Sophie Rabinoff, Sept. 14; Alexander Rubinowitz, Henri A. Santoire, Louis W. Schultz, and Jesse D. Schwartz, Sept. 30; B. Edgar Spiegel and Louis Steibel, Sept. 14; Dudley Stetson, Frank E. A. Stone and Edward M. Thompson, Sept. 30; Nicholas Villone, Sept. 14; Nathan Weinberg, Sept. 23; Vernoooy W. Weed, Henry Weinstein, Daniel Welch and William Wolvskin, Sept. 30; Bernard Zaglin, Sept. 14. Assistant Physician (Clinic), Bureau of Preventable Diseases, at \$300 per annum: Bernard J. Gretsich, Sept. 15; William Spielberg, Sept. 30; George D. Wolff and C. C. Young, Sept. 15. Nurses, at \$900 per annum: Vera Anderson and Mida S. Arthur, Sept. 30; Pauline Bernstein, Aug. 5; Marion Beyer and Edith Bizzell, Sept. 30; Mary A. Booth, Sept. 27; Netta B. Brown, Elizabeth Burgess, Mary J. Burke, Rose McG. Burke, Luella C. Busch, Helen F. M. Cox, Eleanor M. Cronin, Marie D'Amato, Susie M. Day, Gladys Dempsey, Alice Duffan, J. Epstein, Julia A. Farley, Eva Fawcett, Frances J. Galena, Gladys Gardner, Isabel Gavigan, Ella Gerber, Maxine M. Gibbons, Jane Gorman, Kathryn M. Graff, Madge Hagerman, Loretta Halloran, Dorothy Hansen, V. Clemence Harvey, Harriet M. Hohenfeld, Lucy Hunt, Nena Jackson, Gertrude Johnson, Regina Johnson, Sarah E. Johnson, Charlotte Karp, Genevieve Keefe, Eileen F. Keane, Mary A. Kenny, Dorothy Kregler, Ethel B. Kimel, Ethel Kirdland, Georgie Kitchin, Irma Korn, Bessie E. Lee, Anna Leslie, Eva L. Lieberman, Elizabeth F. Lillis, Alberta Linter, Olga Lubke, Margaret Lynch, Josephine McCabe, Sadie E. McGarry, Hannah McGloin, Della A.

McGrath, Anna C. McMurray, Mary McNamara, Julia McNeill, Mary McPherran, Alice S. MacPherson, Madeline H. Mair, Maud Mansir, Rose Martin, Anne E. Matthews, Margaret S. Medley, Josephine Meyer, Anna Mitchell, Mary E. Mitchell, Sarah Morrison, Birdie Murphy, Mary Neifing, Hannaah O'Connell, Esther Osheronitz, Anna Osmer, Nora T. O'Sullivan, Mary Patterson, Margaret A. Pepper, Namie Perr, Elizabeth Pines, Lillian Rebstock, Alice M. Riley, Marion Rogan, Ellen M. Rose, Catherine M. Rowan, Helen Savage, Mary Savine, Anna Schmidt, Helen M. Schwartz, Anna B. Seery, Margaret Sheil, May N. Sherman, Marion Shertzer, Elizabeth Slate, Ruth Tolliver, Anna Troy, Frances Upham, Mary F. Volkman, Anna Walz, Cora F. West, Ellen M. Whitehead, Ida Willoughby, Isabel Woods and Florence Yeury, Sept. 30; Anna M. King, Sept. 16. Clerks, at \$300 per annum: Edward Shohar, Aug. 24; Raymond Irons, Sept. 23. Bureau of General Administration. Naomi MacMurdy and Florence Rosenfield, Typewriting Copyists, Bureau of General Administration, at \$660 per annum, Sept. 30. Automobile Enginemen (Ambulance), at \$1,200 per annum: William Paradiso and William Duling, Sept. 12; Michael J. Murray and Peter McGibney, Sept. 14; Joseph Fitzgerald, Sept. 21, Driver, Bureau of Preventable Diseases, at \$720 per annum; James E. Dallery, Inspector of Foods, Bureau of Food and Drugs, Aug. 31; Joseph H. Singer, 1475 Washington ave., Bronx, Medical Inspector; Lena Albecker, Nurse, Bureau of Child Hygiene, Sept. 9; Stephen H. Ackerman, Medical Inspector, Bureau of Child Hygiene, Aug. 15; Kate Baker, Nurse, Bureau of Preventable Diseases, Brooklyn, Aug. 21; Pauline C. Bernstein, Nurse, Bureau of Child Hygiene, Aug. 5. Medical Inspectors, Bureau of Child Hygiene, Manhattan: Garret M. Banker, Aug. 16; H. F. Crandall, Aug. 23; William G. Crockett, Chemist, Bureau of Food and Drugs, Manhattan, Aug. 7; Margaret Corcoran, Nurse, Bureau of Preventable Diseases, Brooklyn, Sept. 6; William Curren, Inspector of Foods, Bureau of Food and Drugs, Sept. 6; Morris J. Clurman, Medical Inspector, Bureau of Preventable Diseases, Aug. 13; Catherine Elda Cameron, Nurse, Bureau of Preventable Diseases, Bronx, Aug. 26; Nan T. Callan, Nurse, Bureau of Preventable Diseases, Manhattan, Sept. 24; Fred A. Deal, Medical Inspector, Bureau of Preventable Diseases, Manhattan, Sept. 4. Nurses: Florence V. DeLaney, Bureau of Child Hygiene, Brooklyn, Aug. 12, 1916; Harriet Denning, Bureau of Child Hygiene, Brooklyn, Aug. 16; Laura Dersheimer, Bureau of Preventable Diseases, Manhattan, Sept. 5; Mary Ellen Dobbins, Bureau of Preventable Diseases, Queens, Aug. 24; Dynah W. Dolan, Bureau of Child Hygiene, Manhattan, Aug. 19; J. Gordon Donnelly, Medical Inspector, Aug. 27; Thomas Eccleston, Jr., Chauffeur, Bureau of General Administration, Manhattan, Aug. 11. Nurses: Gladys Fairbanks, Bureau of Preventable Diseases, Manhattan, Aug. 25; Mary E. Gallagher, Bureau of Child Hygiene, Manhattan, Aug. 31; Mary E. Geib, Bureau of Preventable Diseases, Brooklyn, Aug. 10; George G. Gerber, Clerk, Bureau of Food and Drugs, Manhattan, Aug. 21; Elaine Grillo, Helper, Bureau of Laboratories, Manhattan, Aug. 15; Mary E. Harris, Nurse, Bureau of Preventable Diseases, Queens, Aug. 31; E. L. Howard, Medical Inspector, Bureau of Preventable Diseases, Brooklyn, Aug. 11. Nurses, Bureau of Preventable Diseases, Brooklyn: Martha Jessel, Aug. 9; Mary E. King, Aug. 31; George Kuhn, Clerk, Sanitary Bureau, Manhattan, Aug. 31; Anna A. Kuhnart, Nurse, Bureau of Preventable Diseases, Brooklyn, Aug. 7; Wm. Leicht, Helper, Bureau of Laboratories, Aug. 19; Saml. Linder, Medical Inspector, Bureau of Child Hygiene, Brooklyn, Aug. 3; Emma Linter, Nurse, Bureau of Child Hygiene, Manhattan, Aug. 22. Nurses, Bureau of Preventable Diseases: Evelyn R. MacGregor, Richmond Office, Aug. 31; Anna Martin, Brooklyn Office, Aug. 26; Barclay Wellington Moffat, Medical Inspector, Bureau of Preventable Diseases, Manhattan, Aug. 24. Nurses: Marian Mulrooney, Bureau of Preventable Diseases, Brooklyn, Aug. 9; Elsie Meidhardt, Bureau of Child Hygiene, Manhattan, Aug. 15; Gertrude M. Nevins, Bureau of Preventable Diseases, Brooklyn, Aug. 26. Helpers, Bureau of Laboratories, Manhattan: Inger Nielsen, Sept. 8; Margaret O'Connor, Sept. 9; Ethel M. Phillips, Nurse, Bureau of Preventable Diseases, Brooklyn, Aug. 3; Dorothy Provost, Laboratory Assistant, Bureau of Laboratories (Research), Manhattan, Sept. 16; Rose Richter, Helper, Bureau of Laboratories, Manhattan, Aug. 26; Herman Rosenberg, Clerk, Bureau of Food and Drugs, Manhattan, Aug. 25. Nurses, Bureau of Preventable Diseases: Helen Rosenstein, Brooklyn Office, Aug. 26; Ida Rubin, Manhattan Office, July 31; Peter Rubio, Automobile Engineman, Bureau of Hospitals, Brooklyn, Aug. 31; Nathan Schachner, Laboratory Assistant, Bureau of Food and Drugs,

Manhattan, July 31. Nurses: Rose Schleman, Bureau of Preventable Diseases, Brooklyn, Aug. 9; Marie E. Schmidling, Bureau of Child Hygiene, Manhattan, Sept. 15; Anna Schmidt, Bureau of Preventable Diseases, Manhattan, Sept. 7; Arthur Schwartz, Clerk, Bureau of Preventable Diseases, Manhattan, Aug. 14; Julia Shapiro, Helper, Bureau of Laboratories, Manhattan, Aug. 15; Ruth Shvitz, Laboratory Assistant, Bureau of Laboratories, Manhattan, Sept. 15; Clarence E. Skinner, Medical Inspector, Sept. 5; Nathan I. Slutsky, Physician Clinic, Bureau of Preventable Diseases, Brooklyn, Aug. 24; William Spielberg, Medical Inspector, Bureau of Child Hygiene, Brooklyn, July 29; Amy W. Starkweather, Nurse, Bureau of Preventable Diseases, Brooklyn, Aug. 29; Abraham Strassfeld, Clerk, Bureau of General Administration, Manhattan, Aug. 27; Esther Swenson, Nurse, Bureau of Preventable Diseases, Brooklyn, Aug. 9; Arthur S. Tenner, Medical Inspector, Bureau of Child Hygiene, Manhattan, Sept. 2; Fannie E. Trussell, Nurse, Bureau of Preventable Diseases, Richmond, Aug. 8; Thomas A. Vandenberg, Automobile Engineman, Bureau of Hospitals, Aug. 31. Nurses: Laura C. Vogel, Bureau of Child Hygiene, Manhattan, Aug. 14; Helen White, Bureau of Preventable Diseases, Queens, Aug. 17; Joseph White, Automobile Engineman, Bureau of General Administration, Brooklyn, Aug. 11; Winifred Wight, Nurse, Bureau of Child Hygiene, Brooklyn, Aug. 14; Charlotte Wolf, Dentist, Bureau of Child Hygiene, Brooklyn, Aug. 23. ALFRED E. SHIPLEY, Secretary Pro. Tem.

Borough of The Bronx.

Extract of Minutes of the Local Board of Van Courtlandt, 25th District.

Pursuant to call by President Mathewson, the members of the Local Board of Van Courtlandt, 25th District, were to have met at Borough Hall, 3rd ave. and Tremont ave., on Tuesday, Oct. 17, 1916, at 8 p. m.

Present—President Mathewson. Absent—Alderman Daly, Alderman Palitz, and Alderman Martin.

President Mathewson announced that the aldermen of that district were unable to be present. There being no quorum, hearings on the following matters were adjourned to Thursday, Oct. 19, 1916, at 8 p. m.

1615—Paving with bituminous concrete on a cement concrete foundation (preliminary pavement), the roadway of E. 203rd st., from Webster ave. to the New York and Harlem Railroad, adjusting curb where necessary, together with all work incidental thereto.

1617—Regulating, grading, setting curb, laying sidewalks and crosswalks, building inlets, receiving basins, drains, culverts, approaches and guard rails where necessary, in, and paving with bituminous concrete on a cement concrete foundation (preliminary pavement), the roadway of Davidson ave., from Fordham rd. to W. 190th st., together with all work incidental thereto.

1618—For acquiring title to the lands necessary for Emmet st., from Fordham rd. to the lands of St. John's University.

1621—Paving with bituminous concrete on a cement concrete foundation (preliminary pavement), the roadway of E. 168th st., from Morris ave. to College ave., adjusting curb where necessary, together with all work incidental thereto.

1445—Excavating and removing loose and overhanging rock where required, from property on the westerly side of Newton ave., north of W. 254th st., designated on the Tax Maps of the City of New York as Lots 2012, 2048, 2050 and 2051, Block 3421, together with all work incidental thereto, in accordance with Section 435 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended.

1583—Regulating, grading, setting curb, laying sidewalks and crosswalks, building approaches and erecting fences where necessary in E. 203rd st., from Webster ave., to the New York and Harlem Railroad, together with all work incidental thereto.

1598—Laying out of Aqueduct ave. West, between W. 188th st. and W. 190th st., and the widening of W. 188th st., between University ave. and Aqueduct ave. West, in accordance with sketch dated July 14, 1916.

Hearing continued to Nov. 21, 1916—1523—Regulating, grading, setting curb, laying sidewalks and crosswalks, building inlets, receiving basins, drains, culverts, approaches and guard rails where necessary in W. 190th st., from Webb ave. to Davidson ave., together with all work incidental thereto.

EMANUEL FRIENDLICH, Secretary.

Extract of Minutes of the Local Board of Crotona, 24th District.

Pursuant to call by President Mathewson, the members of the Local Board of Crotona, 24th District, met at Borough

Hall, 3rd ave. and Tremont ave., on Tuesday, Oct. 17, 1916, at 8:15 p. m.

Present—President of the Borough of The Bronx, and Alderman Robitzek.

Absent—Alderman Ferguson, who was excused.

Extract of the minutes of the meeting of Sept. 19, 1916, as published in the City Record of Oct. 3, 1916, was approved.

1616—Flagging and reflagging the sidewalk and erecting guard rails where necessary in front of property No. 501 and No. 503 E. 164th st., designated on the Tax Maps of The City of New York, as Lot 49, Block 2369, together with all work incidental thereto, in accordance with Section 435 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended.

The Chief Engineer recommended that this improvement be amended to read:

"For grading and regrading, flagging and reflagging the sidewalk and erecting guard rails where necessary in front of property No. 501 and No. 503 E. 164th st., designated on the Tax Maps of the City of New York, as Lot 49, Block 2369, together with all work incidental thereto, in accordance with Section 435 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended.

Adopted as amended. On motion, seconded, the Board adjourned.

EMANUEL FRIENDLICH, Secretary.

Extract of minutes of the Local Board of Morrisania, 22nd District.

Pursuant to call by President Mathewson, the members of the Local Board of Morrisania, 22nd District, met at Borough Hall, 3rd ave. and Tremont ave., on Tuesday Oct. 17, 1916, at 8:20 p. m.

Present—President of the Borough of The Bronx and Alderman Curley.

Extract of minutes of the meeting of Sept. 19, 1916, as published in the City Record on Sept. 30, 1916, was approved.

1614—Rebuilding of sewers and appurtenances in: Rider ave., between E. 138th st. and E. 139th st.; and in E. 139th st., between Rider ave. and Morris ave.; and in Morris ave., between E. 139th st. and E. 144th st.; and in E. 143rd st., between Morris ave. and College ave.; and in College ave., between E. 143rd st. and E. 145th st.; and in E. 145th st., between College ave. and 3rd ave., together with all work incidental thereto. Laid over until Nov. 21, 1916.

1580—Paving with sheet asphalt on a concrete foundation (permanent pavement), the roadway of Rogers pl., from Dawson st. to E. 163rd st., setting curb where necessary, together with all work incidental thereto. Laid over until Nov. 21, 1916.

FOR RECONSIDERATION. 1432—Constructing a sewer and appurtenances in Barry st., between Leggett ave. and Longwood ave., together with all work incidental thereto. Laid over until Nov. 21, 1916.

On motion, seconded, the Board adjourned.

EMANUEL FRIENDLICH, Secretary.

Extract of Minutes of the adjourned meeting of the Local Board of Van Courtlandt, 25th District.

Pursuant to call by President Mathewson, the members of the Local Board of Van Courtlandt, 25th District, met at Borough Hall, 3rd ave. and Tremont ave., on Thursday, Oct. 19, 1916, at 8 p. m.

Present—President of the Borough of The Bronx, Alderman Daly and Alderman Martin.

Absent—Alderman Palitz. Extract of minutes of meeting of Sept. 19, 1916, as published in the City Record of Sept. 30, 1916, was approved.

1615—Paving with bituminous concrete on a cement concrete foundation (preliminary pavement), the roadway of E. 203rd st., from Webster ave. to the New York and Harlem Railroad, adjusting curb where necessary, together with all work incidental thereto.

Laid over until Nov. 21, 1916.

1617—Regulating, grading, setting curb, laying sidewalks and crosswalks, building inlets, receiving basins, drains, culverts, approaches and guard rails where necessary in, and paving with bituminous concrete on a cement concrete foundation (preliminary pavement), the roadway of Davidson ave., from Fordham rd. to W. 190th st., together with all work incidental thereto.

Adopted.

1618—For acquiring title to the lands necessary for Emmet st., from Fordham rd. to the lands of St. John's University.

Adopted.

1621—Paving with bituminous concrete on a cement concrete foundation (preliminary pavement), the roadway of E. 168th st., from Morris ave. to College ave., adjusting curb where necessary, together with all work incidental thereto.

Adopted.

Laid Over Matters. 1445—Excavating and removing loose and overhanging rock, where required, from property on the westerly side of

Newton ave., north of W. 254th st., designated on the Tax Maps of The City of New York, as Lots 2012, 2048, 2050 and 2051, Block 3421, together with all work incidental thereto, in accordance with Section 435 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended.

Laid over until Dec. 19, 1916.

1583—Regulating, grading, setting curb, laying sidewalks and crosswalks, building approaches and erecting fences, where necessary, in E. 203rd st., from Webster ave. to the New York and Harlem Railroad, together with all work incidental thereto.

Laid over until Nov. 21, 1916.

1598—Laying out of Aqueduct ave. West, between W. 188th st. and W. 190th st., and the widening of W. 188th st., between University ave. and Aqueduct ave. West, in accordance with sketch dated July 14, 1916.

Recommended to the favorable consideration of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

On motion, seconded, the Board adjourned.

EMANUEL FRIENDLICH, Secretary.

Changes in Departments, Etc.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

Appointments—Clerks, at \$300 per annum, Bureau of Supplies: Samuel Brown, 1033 Kelly st., Bronx, and Arthur A. Cavanagh, 265 W. 130th st., Manhattan, Sept. 19; Gedolia D. Chaikind, 230 Clinton st., Manhattan, Oct. 23. Samuel Levy, 171 E. 105th st., Manhattan, Oct. 19; William H. Doron, 682 St. John's pl., Brooklyn, Inspector of Heating and Ventilating, Bureau of School Buildings, Oct. 23, \$2,093.33 per annum. Cleaners, at \$480 per annum: Henry Tustin, Jamaica High School, and Antonio Napolitano, Morris High School, Oct. 16; Patrick Rogers, P. S. 188, Manhattan, Oct. 21.

Appointments (temporary)—Caretakers, Manhattan Truant School, for not to exceed three months: Mary Watson, \$25 per month with maintenance, Oct. 1; Charles Scofield, \$35 per month with maintenance, Oct. 9.

Reinstatement—James Fatton, Cleaner, P. S. 14, Richmond, \$600 per annum, Oct. 16.

Services Ceased—Henry Tustin, Cleaner, Jamaica High School, Oct. 21; Samuel Haiken, Clerk, Bureau of Adult and Accounts, Oct. 17; Arthur J. Conley, Stenographer and Typewriter, Bureau of Lectures, Oct. 16; Meyer Rabinowitz, Clerk, Bureau of Supplies, Oct. 17; Cecilia M. Heffernan, Stenographer and Typewriter, Oct. 19. Clerks, Bureau of Attendance: Samuel Berliner, Oct. 2; Arthur J. Wilbur, Oct. 9. Caretakers, Manhattan Truant School: Marie Stroember, Sept. 30.

Services Ceased—Meyer Rabinowitz, Clerk, Bureau of Supplies, Oct. 17; Cecilia M. Heffernan, Stenographer and Typewriter, Oct. 19.

BOARD OF CITY RECORD.

Appointed—Dennis J. Coughlin, Old Ocean ave. and 21st st., Brooklyn, Clerk, \$300 per annum, Oct. 23.



OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

CITY OFFICES.

MAYOR'S OFFICE.

City Hall. Telephone, 8020 Cortlandt. John Purroy Mitchel, Mayor. Theodore Rousseau, Secretary. Samuel L. Martin, Executive Secretary. Paul C. Wilson, Assistant Secretary.

Bureau of Weights and Measures. Municipal Building, 3d floor. Telephone, 1498 Worth.

Joseph Hartigan, Commissioner.

COMMISSIONER OF ACCOUNTS.

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

Leonard M. Wallstein, Commissioner of Accounts.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

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

P. J. Scully, Clerk.

President of the Board of Aldermen.

City Hall. Telephone, 6770 Cortlandt. Frank L. Dowling, President.

BOARD OF AMBULANCE SERVICE.

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

ARMORY BOARD.

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

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

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

William C. Ormond, Chairman.
St. George B. Tucker, Secretary.

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

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

CENTRAL PURCHASE COMMITTEE.
Municipal Building, 12th floor. Telephone, 4227 Worth.

Director.

BUREAU OF THE CHAMBERLAIN.
Municipal Building, 8th floor. Telephone, 4270 Worth.

Milo R. Maltbie, Chamberlain.

BOARD OF CHILD WELFARE.
City Hall. Telephone, 4127 Cortlandt.
Harry L. Hopkins, Secretary.

CITY CLERK AND CLERK OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN.
Municipal Building, 2nd floor. Telephone, 4430 Worth.

P. J. Scully, City Clerk.

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

David Ferguson, Supervisor.

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.
Municipal Building, 24th floor. Telephone, 1610 Worth.

Burdette G. Lewis, Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.
Pier "A," North River. 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.

William G. Willcox, 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., L. I. City. Telephone, 3375 Hunters Point.

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

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

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

Joseph Haag, Secretary.

Bureau of Records and Minutes.
Municipal Building, 13th floor. Telephone, 4560 Worth.

Joseph Haag, Secretary.

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

Nelson P. Lewis, Chief Engineer.

Bureau of Public Improvements.
Municipal Building, 13th floor. Telephone, 4560 Worth.

Nelson P. Lewis, Chief Engineer.

Bureau of Franchises.
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 Wadsworth st. Telephone, 3088 Franklin.

Tilden Adamson, Director.

Bureau of Standards.
Municipal Building, 13th floor. Telephone, 4560 Worth.

George L. Tirrell, Director.

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. Edmund D. Fisher, Albert E. Hadlock, Hubert L. Smith.

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

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

Brooklyn—236 Duffield st. Telephone, 7056 Main.

Queens—5 Court Square, L. I. City. Telephone, 3386 Hunters Point.

Richmond—Borough Hall, St. George. Telephone, 100 Tompkinsville.

William C. Hecht, Receiver of Taxes.

Collector of Assessments and Arrears.
Manhattan—Municipal Building, 3d floor. Telephone, 1200 Worth.

Brooklyn—177th st. and Arthur ave. Telephone, 47 Tremont.

Brooklyn—503 Fulton st. Telephone, 8340 Main.

Queens—Municipal Building, Court Square, L. I. City. Telephone, 1553 Hunters 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., Stapleton.

Haven Emerson, Commissioner.

Alfred E. Shipley, Secretary pro tem.

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

Board meets first Wednesday in each month at 3 p. m.

Charles Samson, Secretary.

LAW DEPARTMENT.
Office of Corporation Counsel.
Main office, Municipal Building, 16th floor. Telephone, 4600 Worth.

Lamar Hardy, 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, L. I. City. Telephone, 3886 Hunters Point.

Bureau for the Recovery of Penalties.
Municipal Building, 15th floor. Telephone, 4600 Worth.

Bureau for the Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes.
Municipal Building, 17th floor. Telephone, 4585 Worth.

DEPARTMENT OF LICENSES.
Main office, 49 Lafayette st. Telephone, 4490 Franklin.

George H. Bell, Commissioner.
Brooklyn—381 Fulton st. Telephone, 1497 Main.

Queens—Borough Hall, L. I. 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 departments, 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.
Robert W. Belcher, Secretary.

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, 4850 Worth.

Cabot Ward, Commissioner, Manhattan and Richmond.

Borough of Brooklyn.
Litchfield Mansion, Prospect Park, Brooklyn. Telephone, 2300 South.

Raymond V. Ingersoll, Commissioner.

Borough of The Bronx.
Zbrowski Mansion, Claremont Park. Telephone, 2640 Tremont.

Thomas W. Whittle, Commissioner.

Borough of Queens.
The Overlook, Forest Park, Richmond Hill, L. I. Telephone, 2300 Richmond Hill.

John E. Weier, Commissioner.

PARK BOARD.
Municipal Building, 10th floor. Telephone, 4850 Worth.

Cabot Ward, President; Louis W. Fehr, Secretary.

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

Thomas R. Minnick, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PLANT AND STRUCTURES.
Municipal Building, 18th floor. Telephone, 380 Worth.

F. I. H. Kracke, Commissioner.

EXAMINING BOARD OF PLUMBERS.
Municipal Building, 9th floor. Telephone, 1800 Worth.

Janet A. G. Hahn, Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.
240 Centre st. Telephone, 3100 Spring.

Arthur Woods, Commissioner.

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

Brooklyn and Queens, 327 Schermerhorn st., Brooklyn. Telephone, 2977 Main.

Bureau of Social Investigation, Pearl and Centre sts. Telephone, 4405 Worth.

Borough of Richmond, Borough Hall, St. George, S. I. Telephone, 1000 Tompkinsville.

John A. Kingsbury, Commissioner.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION.
120 Broadway, 8 a. m. to 11 p. m. every day, including holidays and Sundays. Telephone, 7500 Rector.

Oscar S. Straus, Chairman.
James B. Walker, Secretary.

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

John Korb, Jr., Chief Clerk.

COMMISSIONERS OF SINKING FUND.
Office of Secretary, Municipal Building, 7th floor. Telephone, 1200 Worth.

John Korb, Jr., Secretary.

BOARD OF STANDARDS AND APPEALS.
Municipal Building, 9th floor. Telephone, 1675 Worth.

Rudolph P. Miller, Chairman.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.
Municipal Building, 9th floor. Telephone, 1800 Worth.

Lawson Purdy, President.
C. R. Rockland, Jr., Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.
Municipal Building, 12th floor. Telephone, 4240 Worth.

John T. Fetherston, Commissioner.

TENEMENT HOUSE DEPARTMENT.
Manhattan and Richmond office, Municipal Building, 19th floor. Telephone, 1526 Worth.

Brooklyn and Queens office, 503 Fulton st., Brooklyn. Telephone, 3825 Main.

Bronx office, 391 E. 149th st. Telephone, 7107 Melrose.

John J. Murphy, Commissioner.

BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY.
Municipal Building, 22nd floor. Telephone, 3150 Worth.

Charles Strauss, President.
George Featherstone, Secretary.

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

Brooklyn, 50 Court st. Bronx, Tremont and Arthur avs. Queens, Municipal Building, L. I. City. Richmond, Municipal Building, St. George. William Williams, Commissioner.

BOROUGH OFFICES

BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.
President's office, 3d and Tremont avs. Telephone, 2680 Tremont.

Douglas Matthews, President.

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

Assistant Commissioner of Public Works, 2d floor, Borough Hall.

Bureau of Highways, 5th and 12th floors, 50 Court st.

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

Bureau of Sewers, 10th floor, 215 Montague st.

Bureau of Buildings, 4th floor, Borough Hall.

Topographical Bureau, 209 Montague st.

Bureau of Substructures, 11th floor, 50 Court st.

Telephone, 3960 Main.

Lewis H. Pounds, President.

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.
President's office, 20th floor, Municipal Building.

Commissioner of Public Works, 21st floor, Municipal Building.

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

Bureau of Highways, 21st floor, Municipal Building.

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

Bureau of Sewers, 21st floor, Municipal Building.

Bureau of Buildings, 20th floor, Municipal Building.

Telephone, 4227 Worth.

Marcus M. Marks, President.

BOROUGH OF QUEENS.
President's Office, Borough Hall, L. I. City. Telephone, 5400 Hunters Point.

Bureau of Public Buildings and Offices, Town Hall, Flushing, L. I. Telephone, 1740 Flushing.

Maurice E. Connolly, President.

BOROUGH OF RICHMOND.
President's office, New Brighton. Telephone, 1000 Tompkinsville.

Calvin D. Van Name, President.

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

Bronx—Arthur and Tremont avs. Telephone, 1250 Tremont.

8 a. m. to midnight, every day.

Brooklyn, 236 Duffield st. Telephone, 4004 Main.

Open at all hours of the day and night.

Queens, Town Hall, Jamaica. 9 a. m. to 10 p. m.; Sundays and holidays, 9 a. m. to 12 noon.

Richmond, 175 Second st., New Brighton. Open at all hours of the day and night.

COUNTY OFFICES.

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

NEW YORK COUNTY.

COUNTY CLERK.
County Court House. Telephone, 5388 Cortlandt.

9 a. m. to 2 p. m., during July and August.

Wm. F. Schneider, County Clerk.

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

Edward Swann, District Attorney.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.
280 Broadway. Telephone, 241 Worth.

Frederick O'Byrne, Commissioner.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.
119 Nassau st. Telephone, 6376 Cortlandt.

William M. Hoes, Public Administrator.

COMMISSIONER OF RECORDS.
Hall of Records. Telephone, 3900 Worth.

Charles K. Lexow, Commissioner.

REGISTER.
Hall of Records. Telephone, 3900 Worth.

9 a. m. to 2 p. m., during July and August.

John J. Hopper, Register.

SHERIFF.
51 Chambers st. Telephone, 4300 Worth.

New York County Jail, 70 Ludlow st.

Alfred E. Smith, Sheriff.

SUBROGATES.
Hall of Records. Telephone, 3900 Worth.

John P. Cohalan; Robert Ludlow Fowler, Surrogates.

William Ray De Lano, Chief Clerk.

John F. Curry, Commissioner of Records.

KINGS COUNTY.

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

William E. Kelly, County Clerk.

COUNTY COURT.
County Court House. Court opens at 10 a. m. daily and sits until business is completed.

Part I, Room 23; Part II, Room 10; Part III, Room 14; Part IV, Room 1, Court House.

Clerk's Office, Rooms 17, 18, 19 and 22; open daily from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturday to 12 noon. Telephone, 4154 Main.

John L. Gray, Chief Clerk.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.
66 Court st., 9 a. m. to 5:30 p. m.; Saturday, to 1 p. m. Telephone, 2954 Main.

Harry E. Lewis, District Attorney.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.
381 Fulton st. Telephone, 330-331 Main.

Jacob Brenner, Commissioner.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.
44 Court st. Telephone, 2840 Main.

Frank V. Kelly, Public Administrator.

COMMISSIONER OF RECORDS.
Hall of Records. Telephone, 6988 Main.

Edmund O'Connor, Commissioner.

REGISTER.
Hall of Records. Telephone, 2830 Main.

Edward T. O'Loughlin, Register.

SHERIFF.
50 Court st. Telephone, 6845 Main.

Edward Kiegele, Sheriff.

SUBROGATE.
Hall of Records. Court opens at 10 a. m. Telephone, 3954 Main.

Herbert E. Ketcham, Surrogate.

John H. McCooey, Chief Clerk.

BRONX COUNTY.

COUNTY CLERK.
Civil Records—161st st. and 3d ave. Telephone, 9266 Melrose.

Criminal Branch, 1918 Arthur ave.

James Vincent Ganly, County Clerk.

COUNTY JUDGE.
Bergen Building Annex, Tremont and Arthur avs. Telephone, 3205 Tremont.

Louis D. Gibbs, County Judge.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.
Tremont and Arthur avs. Telephone, 1100 Tremont.

Francis Martin, District Attorney.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.
1932 Arthur ave. Telephone, 3700 Tremont.

John A. Mason, Commissioner.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.
2808 Third ave. Telephone, 9816 Melrose.

9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturday to 12 noon.

Ernest E. L. Hammer, Public Administrator.

REGISTER.
1932 Arthur ave. Telephone, 6694 Tremont.

Edward Polak, Register.

SHERIFF.
1932 Arthur ave. Telephone, 6600 Tremont.

James F. O'Brien, Sheriff.

SUBROGATE.
Bergen Building Annex, 1918 Arthur ave.

George M. S. Schulz, Surrogate.

QUEENS COUNTY.

COUNTY CLERK.
364 Fulton st., Jamaica. Telephone, 2608 Jamaica.

Alexander Dujat, County Clerk.

COUNTY COURT.
County Court House, L. I. City. Telephone, 596 Hunters Point.

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

Clerk's office open 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturdays to 12:30 p. m. Telephone, 551 Jamaica.

County Judge's office always open at 336 Fulton st., Jamaica. Telephone, 551 Jamaica.

Burt Jay Humphrey, County Judge.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.
County Court House, L. I. City. Telephone, 3871 Hunters Point.

9 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Saturday, to 12 noon.

Denis O'Leary, District Attorney.

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

Thorndyke C. McKenney, Commissioner.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.
362 Fulton st., Jamaica. Telephone, 223 Jamaica.

Randolph White, Public Administrator.

SHERIFF.
County Court House, L. I. City. Telephone, 3766 Hunters Point.

—, Sheriff.

SUBROGATE.
364 Fulton st., Jamaica. Telephone, 397 Jamaica.

Daniel Noble, Surrogate.

RICHMOND COUNTY.

COUNTY CLERK.
County Office Building, Richmond. Telephone, 28 New Dorp.

C. Livingston Bostwick, County Clerk.

COUNTY JUDGE AND SHERIFF.
Trial Terms, with Grand and Trial Jury, second Monday of March, first Monday of October.

Trial Terms, with Trial Jury only, first Monday of May, first Monday of December.

Special Term, Without Jury, Wednesday of each week, except the last week of July, the month of August and the first week of September.

Surrogate's Court.
Monday and Tuesday of each week at the Borough Hall, St. George, and on Wednesday at the Surrogate's Court at Richmond, except during the session of the County Court. There will be no Surrogate's Court during the month of August.

Surrogate's Court and Office, Richmond. Surrogate's Chambers, Borough Hall, St. George.

J. Harry Tiernan, County Judge and Surrogate.

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

Albert C. Fach, District Attorney.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.
Village Hall, Stapleton. Telephone, 81 Tompkinsville.

Edward I. Miller, Commissioner.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.
Port Richmond, Telephone, 704 West Brighton.

William T. Holt, Public Administrator.

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

Spire Pitou, Jr., Sheriff.

THE COURTS.

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

Thomas F. Smith, Clerk.

CITY MAGISTRATES' COURTS.
Boroughs of Manhattan and Bronx.

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

Municipal Term—Room 500, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

First District—Criminal Courts Building.

Second District—125 Sixth ave.

Third District—2d ave. and 1st st.

Fourth District—151 E. 37th st.

Fifth District—121st st. and Sylvan pl.

Sixth District—162nd st. and Washington ave.

Seventh District—314 W. 54th st.

Eighth District—1014 E. 181st st., Bronx.

Ninth District (Night Court for Females)—125 Sixth ave.

Tenth District (Night Court for Males)—151 E. 57th st.

Eleventh District (Domestic Relations)—151 E. 57th st.

Twelfth District—1130 St. Nicholas ave.

Thirteenth District (Domestic Relations)—1014 E. 181st st., Bronx.

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

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

First District—318 Adams st.

Second District—Court and Butler sts.

Fifth District—361 Bedford ave.

Sixth District—495 Gates ave.

Seventh District—31 Snider ave., Flatbush.

Eighth District—W. 8th st., Coney Island.

Ninth District—5th ave. and 29th st.

Tenth District—133 New Jersey ave.

Domestic Relations—Myrtle and Vanderbilt avs.

Borough of Queens.
First District—St. Mary's Lyceum, L. I. City.

Second District—Town Hall, Flushing.

Third District—Central ave., Far Rockaway.

Fourth District—Town Hall, Jamaica.

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 noon.

Edward R. Carroll, Clerk.

MUNICIPAL COURTS.
The Clerks' offices are open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturday, to 12 noon.

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

Borough of Manhattan.
First District—145 Grand st. Telephone, 9611 Spring. Additional part is held at the south west corner of 6th ave. and 10th st. Telephone, 2513 Chelsea.

Second District—264-266 Madison st. Telephone, 4300 Orchard.

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

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

Fifth District—2565 Broadway. Telephone, 4006 Riverside.

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

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

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

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

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

Second District—Washington ave. and 162d st. Telephone, 3642 Melrose.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Borough of Queens.
First District—115 Fifth st., L. I. City. Telephone, 1420 Hunters Point.

Second District—Broadway and Court st., Elmhurst. Telephone, 87 Newtown.

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

Fourth District—Town Hall, Jamaica. Telephone, 1654 Jamaica.

Borough of Richmond.
First District—Lafayette ave. and 2d st., New Brighton. Telephone, 503 Tompkinsville.

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

COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.
Court opens at 10 a. m.

Part I. Criminal Court Building, Manhattan. Telephone, 3983 Franklin.

Part II. 171 Atlantic ave., Brooklyn. Telephone, 4280 Main.

Part III, Town Hall, Jamaica. Held on Tuesday of each week. Telephone, 2620 Jamaica.

Part IV, Borough Hall, St. George. Held on Wednesday of each week. Telephone, 324 Tompkinsville.

Part V, Bergen Building, Tremont and Arthur aves., Bronx. Held on Thursday of each week. Telephone, 6056 Tremont.

Frank W. Smith, Chief Clerk.

CHILDREN'S COURT.

Adolphus Ragan, Chief Clerk, 137 E. 22nd st. Telephone, 3611 Gramercy.

Bernard J. Fagan, Chief Probation Officer, 137 E. 22nd st. Telephone, 3611 Gramercy.

Parts I and II (Manhattan), 137 E. 22nd st. Telephone, 3611 Gramercy. Dennis A. Lambert, Clerk.

Part III (Brooklyn), 102 Court st. Telephone, 8611 Main. Wm. C. McKee, Clerk.

Part IV (Bronx), 355 E. 137th st. Court held on Monday, Thursday and Saturday of each week. Telephone, 9092 Melrose. Michael Murray, Clerk.

Part V (Queens), 19 Flushing ave., Jamaica. Court held on Tuesday and Friday of each week. Telephone, 2624 Jamaica. Sydney Ollendorff, Clerk.

Part VI (Richmond), 14 Richmond Terrace, St. George. Court held on Wednesday of each week. Telephone, 2190 Tompkinsville. Wm. J. Browne, Clerk.

SUPREME COURT—APPELLATE DIVISION.

First Judicial Department.

Macison ave., corner 25th st. Court open from 2 p. m. to 5 p. m. Friday, Motion Day. Court opens at 10:30 a. m. Motions called at 10 a. m. Orders called at 10:30 a. m. Telephone, 3840 Madison Square.

Alfred Wagstaff, Clerk.

Second Judicial Department.

Borough Hall, Brooklyn. Court meets from 2 p. m. to 5 p. m., excepting that on Fridays Court opens at 10 a. m. Clerk's office opens 9 a. m. Telephone, 1392 Main.

John B. Byrne, Clerk.

SUPREME COURT—APPELLATE TERM.

503 Fulton st., Brooklyn. Court meets 10 a. m. Clerk's office opens 9 a. m. Telephone, 7452 Main.

Joseph H. De Braga, Clerk.

SUPREME COURT—CRIMINAL DIVISION.

Criminal Court Building. Court opens at 10:30 a. m. Clerk's office open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; Saturday, 12 noon. Telephone, 6064 Franklin.

William J. Schneider, Clerk.

SUPREME COURT—FIRST DEPARTMENT.

County Court House. Court open from 10:15 a. m. to 4 p. m. Telephone, 4580 Cortlandt.

SUPREME COURT—SECOND DEPARTMENT.

Kings County.

Joralemon and Fulton sts. Clerk's office hours, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. Seven jury trial parts. Special Term for trials. Special Term for motions. Special Term (ex-parte business). Court opens at 10 a. m. Naturalization Bureau, Hall of Records. Telephone, 5460 Main.

James F. McGee, General Clerk.

Queens County.

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

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

Thomas B. Seaman, Special Deputy Clerk in Charge.

Richmond County.

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

C. Livingston Bostwick, County Clerk.

BOARD MEETINGS.

Board of Aldermen.

The Board of Aldermen meets in the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, every Tuesday at 1:30 p. m.

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

Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment meets in the Old Council Chamber, Room 16, City Hall, Fridays at 10:30 a. m.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary.

Commissioners of Sinking Fund.

The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund meet in the Meeting Room (Room 16), City Hall, on Thursdays, 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, upon notice of the Secretary.

JOHN KORB, Jr., Secretary.

Board of Appeals.

The Board meets in Room 1124, Municipal Building, every Thursday at 2 p. m.

RUDDOLPH P. MILLER, Chairman.

Board of Standards and Appeals.

The Board meets in Room 1124, Municipal Building, every Thursday at 3 p. m.

RUDDOLPH P. MILLER, Chairman.

Board of City Record.

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

DAVID FERGUSON, Supervisor, Secretary.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Auction Sale of Unclaimed Property.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the 186th PUBLIC AUCTION SALE, consisting of UNCLAIMED PROPERTY, as follows: Trunks, Dress suit cases, Satchels, Dress goods, Clothing, Shoes, Hats, Umbrellas, Canes, Whips, Household goods, Sporting goods, Auto sundries, Knives, Razors, Tools, Electrical goods, Watches, Chains, Bracelets, Rings, Miscellaneous jewelry, Clocks, Optical goods, Silver plate ware, Bicycles, Baby carriages, Junk Brass, copper and iron, etc., and miscellaneous articles, will be held at the Property Clerk's Office, No. 240 Centre st., Manhattan, on

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 1916,

at 10:30 a. m.

Terms: Strictly cash. No Checks accepted. Property not warranted. Property must be removed at once.

ARTHUR WOODS, Police Commissioner.

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Owners Wanted for Unclaimed Property.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY Clerk of the Police Department of The City of New York, 72 Poplar st., Brooklyn, for the following property, now in custody, without claimants: 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, 240 Centre st., Manhattan, for the following property now in custody without claim-

ants: Automobiles, baby carriages, bags, bicycles, boats, cameras, clothing, furniture, jewelry, junk, machinery, merchandise, metals, optical goods, silverware, tools, trunks, typewriters, umbrellas, etc.; also sums of money feloniously obtained by prisoners or found abandoned by Patrolmen of this Department.

ARTHUR WOODS, Police Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

Corporation Sale of the Lease of Certain City Real Estate.

UPON THE AUTHORIZATION OF THE Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, and pursuant to a resolution adopted by them at a meeting held October 26, 1916, the Comptroller of the City of New York will sell at public auction on

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 20, 1916,

at 12 noon, in Room 368, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, the lease of premises at the northwest corner of 11th st. and 3d ave., known as No. 66 3d ave., Borough of Manhattan, for a term of ten years from December 1, 1916, with the privilege of renewal for an additional period of ten years.

The minimum or upset rental at which said lease shall be sold is hereby fixed at the sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000) per annum, payable quarterly in advance, and the said sale will be made upon the following

TERMS AND CONDITIONS.

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

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

The lease will be in the usual form of leases of like property, and will contain in addition to other terms, covenants and conditions, as follows:

First—A clause providing that the lessee shall pay the usual rates for water per meter measurements and comply with the rules and regulations of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity.

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

Third—A clause providing that during the term of the lease or any renewal thereof, the lessee shall keep the building in proper repair, both inside and outside, at his own cost and expense, and shall comply with all the laws and ordinances of the State and City of New York.

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

Fifth—A clause providing that the rent thereof shall not commence until June 1, 1917, but that the lessee may take possession of the premises immediately upon execution of the lease, and shall be liable for any damages which may occur in and to the premises to be demised from the date thereof.

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

EDMUND D. FISHER, Deputy and Acting Comptroller, City of New York.

Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, Oct. 31, 1916. n2,n20

Sales of Tax Liens.

Notice of Continuation of Manhattan Tax Sale.

THE SALE OF THE LIENS FOR UNPAID taxes, assessments and water rents for the Borough of Manhattan as to the liens remaining unsold at the termination of the sale of Aug. 26, Oct. 7, Nov. 18, 1915; Jan. 6, Feb. 17, April 13, and July 13, 1916, has been continued to

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 16, 1916,

at 2 p. m., pursuant to Section 1028 of the Greater New York Charter, and will be continued at that time on the fifth floor of the Municipal Building (room 512), Manhattan, City of New York.

DANIEL MOYNAHAN, Collector of Assessments and Arrears.

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Notice of Continuation of The Bronx Tax Sale.

THE SALE OF THE LIENS FOR UNPAID SPECIAL FRANCHISE TAXES AND REAL ESTATE OF CORPORATION TAXES for the Borough of The Bronx, as to liens remaining unsold at the termination of sale of Aug. 9, Nov. 1, 1915, Feb. 7, March 20, May 22, June 26, July 31, Aug. 28, Sept. 25 and Oct. 23, 1916, has been continued to

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 1916,

at 2 p. m., pursuant to Section 1028 of the Greater New York Charter, and will be continued at that time on the 4th floor of the Bergen Building, corner of Arthur and Tremont aves., Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

DANIEL MOYNAHAN, Collector of Assessments and Arrears. o24,n6

Corporation Sale of Buildings and Appurtenances Thereon on City Real Estate by Sealed Bids.

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

Borough of The Bronx.

Being the buildings, parts of buildings, etc., standing within the lines of Olmstead ave., from Westchester ave. to Turnbull ave., and of Damage Parcel No. 129 Blackrock ave. proceeding; Damage Parcel No. 351 Watson ave. proceeding; and Damage Parcel No. 161 Ellis ave. proceeding, 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 October 26, 1916, the sale by sealed bids at the upset or minimum prices named in the description of each parcel of the above buildings and appurtenances thereto, will be held by direction of the Comptroller on

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 16, 1916,

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

Parcel No. 19—Part of two and one-half story frame house No. 1271 Olmstead ave. Cut

1.8 feet on south side by 1.9 feet on north side. Upset price, \$100.00.

Parcel No. 24—Fence and part of steps and porch of brick house southwest corner of Olmstead ave. and Newbold ave. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 26—Part of two-story brick house No. 1240 Olmstead ave. Cut 2.8 feet on south side by 3.1 feet on north side. Upset price, \$30.

Parcel No. 27—Part of two-story frame house No. 1239 Olmstead ave. Cut 8 feet on north and south sides. Upset price, \$100.

Parcel No. 28—Fence at the northeast corner of Olmstead ave. and Ellis ave. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 32—Fence and part of two-story frame lumber mill on west side of Olmstead ave., between Gleason and Ellis aves. Cut mill 5.7 feet on south side by 5.8 feet on north side. Upset price, \$25.

Parcel No. 34 and 161—Part of three-story frame house on the southeast corner of Olmstead ave. and Ellis ave. Cut front of building 11.8 feet on south side by 11.9 feet on north side. Cut Ellis ave. side 4.6 feet on front and rear. Also part of two-story frame rear building on south side of Ellis ave. Cut 4.7 feet on west side by 4.6 feet on east side. Upset price, \$100.

Parcel No. 35—Part of two-story frame house No. 1214 Olmstead ave. Cut bay window one foot. Upset price, \$10.

Parcel No. 36—Part of two-story frame house No. 1212 Olmstead ave. Cut bay window one foot. Upset price, \$10.

Parcel No. 37—Part of two-story frame house No. 1210 Olmstead ave. Cut bay window one foot. Upset price, \$10.

Parcel No. 38—Part of two-story frame house No. 1208 Olmstead ave. Cut 8.4 feet on south side by 8.3 feet on north side. Upset price, \$50.

Parcel No. 39—Part of two-story frame house No. 1206 Olmstead ave. Cut 2.3 feet on north and south sides. Upset price, \$25.

Parcel No. 52—Fence, steps and part of porch of two-story frame house on west side of Olmstead ave., 80 feet south of Powell ave. Cut porch 2.6 feet on north and south sides. Upset price, \$5.

Parcels No. 54 and No. 267—Part of three-story frame house on the southeast corner of Olmstead ave. and Powell ave. Cut front of building 13.5 feet on south side by 13.46 feet on north side. Cut Powell ave. side 4.1 feet on front and rear. Upset price, \$100.

Parcel No. 64—Fence on the northeast corner of Olmstead and Watson aves. Upset price, \$2.

Parcel No. 68—Wall at the southwest corner of Olmstead and Watson aves.—Upset price, \$2.

Parcels No. 70 and No. 351—Part of two-story frame house No. 1078 Olmstead ave., southeast corner of Watson ave. Cut front of building 4.3 feet on south side by 3.2 feet on north side. Cut steps on Watson ave. side. Upset price, \$25.

Parcel No. 71—Wall on west side of Olmstead ave., 80 feet south of Watson ave. Upset price, \$2.

Parcel No. 72—Fence, wall and part of steps at the northwest corner of Olmstead and Blackrock aves. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 73—Part of two and one-half story frame house No. 1060 Olmstead ave. Cut 2 feet on south side by 2.1 feet on north side. Upset price, \$25.

Parcels No. 77 and No. 129—Part of three-story frame house on the southwest corner of Olmstead ave. and Blackrock ave. Cut front of building 15.6 feet on south side by 15.7 feet on north side. Cut Blackrock ave. side 4.7 feet on front and rear. Upset price, \$100.

Parcel No. 79—Part of two and one-half story frame house on the southeast corner of Olmstead ave. and Blackrock ave. Also shed and part of one and one-half story frame barn. Cut house 9.4 feet on north and south sides. Cut barn 3.7 feet on south side by 4 feet on north side. Upset price, \$25.

Parcel No. 82—Part of two-story frame house No. 1045 Olmstead ave. Cut 0.8 feet on north and south sides. Upset price, \$10.

Parcel No. 81—Part of two-story frame house No. 1043 Olmstead ave. Cut 0.7 feet on north and south sides. Upset price, \$10.

Parcel No. 82—Part of two-story frame house No. 1041 Olmstead ave. Cut 0.7 feet on south side by 0.8 feet on north side. Upset price, \$10.

Parcels No. 83 and No. 84—Part of two-story frame house No. 1037 Olmstead ave. Cut bay window 1.8 feet. Upset price, \$10.

Parcel No. 97—Fence and part of steps on the easterly side of Olmstead ave., 60 feet south of Chatterton ave. Upset price, \$2.

Parcel No. 112—Fence, steps and part of porch of two and one-half story frame house on the southeast corner of Olmstead and Houghton aves. Upset price, \$5.

Parcels No. 119 and No. 122—Part of two-story frame house on the southwest corner of Olmstead ave. and Quinby ave. Cut 2.7 feet on north and south sides. Upset price, \$25.

Parcel No. 123—Part of two-story frame house No. 913 Olmstead ave. Cut 2.9 feet on south side by 2.8 feet on north side. Upset price, \$25.

Parcel No. 124—Fence at No. 911 Olmstead ave. Upset price, \$2.

Parcel No. 130—Part of two-story frame house No. 905 Olmstead ave. Cut bay window 1.6 feet. Upset price, \$10.

Parcel No. 131—Part of two-story frame house No. 871 Olmstead ave. Cut 3 feet on north and south sides. Upset price, \$25.

Parcel No. 137—Fence on No. 869 Olmstead ave. Upset price, \$2.

Parcel No. 141—Fence at the northwest corner of Olmstead ave. and Hermany ave. Upset price, \$2.

Parcels No. 154 and 156—Fence on westerly side of Olmstead ave., between Turnbull ave. and Hermany ave. Upset price, \$3.

Parcel No. 159—Fence on the easterly side of Olmstead ave., 30 feet south of Hermany ave. Upset price, \$2.

Parcel No. 160—Fence, steps and part of porch of two-story frame house south of and adjoining parcel No. 159. Upset price, \$5.

Parcel No. 163—Part of two-story frame house No. 834-836 Olmstead ave. Cut 5.4 feet on north and south sides. Upset price, \$30.

Sealed bids (blank forms of which may be obtained upon application) will be received by the Comptroller at the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Room 368, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, until 11 a. m. on the 16th day of Nov., 1916, and then publicly opened for the sale for removal of the above described buildings and appurtenances thereto, and the award will be made to the highest bidder within twenty-four hours, or as soon as possible thereafter.

Each parcel must be bid for separately and will be sold in its entirety, as described in above advertisement.

Each and every bid must be accompanied by a deposit of cash or certified check in a sum equal to 25 per cent. of the amount of the bid, except that a minimum deposit of \$50 will be required with all bids, and that a deposit of \$500 will be sufficient to entitle bidders to bid on any or all of the buildings.

Deposits of unsuccessful bidders will be returned within twenty-four hours after successful bidders have paid purchase price in full and given security, and those of successful bidders may be declared forfeited to The City of New York by the Comptroller upon the failure of the successful bidder to further comply with the requirements of the terms and conditions of the sale as set forth hereinafter.

Successful bidders will be required to pay the purchase money and deposit the required security within twenty-four hours of the receipt of notification of the acceptance of their bids.

The Comptroller reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any defects or informalities in any bid should it be deemed in the interest of The City of New York to do so.

All bids must state clearly (1) the number or description of the building or buildings bid for, (2) the amount of the bid, (3) the full name and address of the bidder.

All bids must be inclosed in properly sealed envelopes, marked "Proposals to be opened Nov. 16, 1916," and must be delivered or mailed in time for their delivery, prior to 11 a. m. of that date to the "Collector of City Revenue, Room 368, Municipal Building, New York City," from whom any further particulars regarding the buildings to be disposed of may be obtained.

THE BUILDINGS WILL BE SOLD FOR IMMEDIATE REMOVAL ONLY, SUBJECT TO THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS PRINTED ON THE LAST PAGE OF THIS ISSUE OF THE "CITY RECORD."

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, Oct. 20, 1916. o23,n9

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EDMUND D. FISHER, Deputy and Acting Comptroller.

City of New York, Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, Oct. 26, 1916. o30,n16

AT THE REQUEST OF THE PRESIDENT

of the Borough

Sealed bids (blank forms of which may be obtained upon application) will be received by the Comptroller at the office of the Collector of City Revenue, Room 368, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, until 11 a. m., on the 8th day of Nov., 1916, and then publicly opened for the sale for removal of the above-described buildings and appurtenances thereon, 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 November 9, 1916," and must be delivered, or mailed in time for their delivery, prior to 11 a. m. of that date to the "Collector of City Revenue, Room 368, Municipal Building, New York City," from whom any further particulars regarding the buildings to be disposed of may be obtained.

THE BUILDINGS WILL BE SOLD FOR IMMEDIATE REMOVAL ONLY, SUBJECT TO THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS PRINTED ON THE LAST PAGE OF THIS ISSUE OF THE "CITY RECORD."

WM. A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.
City of New York, Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, Oct. 20, 1916. o23,n8

Confirmation of Assessments.

NOTICES 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:

THIRD WARD.

REGULATING AND GRADING THE SIDEWALK SPACES AND LAYING SIDEWALKS IN PARSONS AVE., from Queens ave. to Sandford ave., and in GERRARD ST., from California ave. to a line about 260 feet north of Franconia avenue. Area of assessment affects blocks 82, 115, 116, 117, 119, 126, 129, 130, 131, 143, 144 and 191.

—that the above assessment was confirmed by the Board of Assessors on Oct. 24, 1916, and entered Oct. 24, 1916, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid on or before Dec. 23, 1916, which is sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from ten days after the date of said entry to the date of payment, as provided by Sections 159 and 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at his office in the Municipal Building, Court House Square, L. I. City, Borough of Queens, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 noon.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.
Dated, New York, Oct. 24, 1916. o26,n6

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

SECTION 15.

SEWERS IN STARLING AVE., between Olmstead ave. and Unionport rd.; in UNIONPORT RD., between Starling ave., McGraw ave. and in MCGRAW AVE., between Unionport rd. and Pugsley ave. Area of assessment affects blocks 3932, 3933, 3938, 3944 and 3945.

—that the above assessment was confirmed by the Board of Assessors on October 24, 1916, and entered October 24, 1916, in the Record of Titles of Assessments kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, and unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid on or before December 23, 1916, which is sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from ten days after the date of said entry to the date of payment, as provided by Sections 159 and 1019 of the Greater New York Charter.

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Arrears at his office in the Bergen Building, 4th floor, southeast corner of Arthur and Tremont aves., Borough of The Bronx, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and on Saturdays from 9 a. m. to 12 noon.

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.
Dated, New York, Oct. 24, 1916. o26,n6

Interest on City Bonds and Stock.

THE INTEREST DUE DEC. 1, 1916, ON Registered and Coupon Bonds and Stock of The City of New York and of the former corporations now included therein, will be paid on that day by the Comptroller at his office (Room 851), Municipal Building, Chambers and Centre sts., Manhattan.

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

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller,
City of New York, Department of Finance,
Comptroller's Office, Nov. 1, 1916. n1,d1

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 Jan. 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.

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

Asphalt, Asphalt Block and Wood Block Pavement.

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

WILLIAM A. PRENDERGAST, Comptroller.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Docks at his office, Pier "A," foot of Battery Place, North River, Manhattan, until 12 noon, on **WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 15, 1916,** CONTRACT NO. 1552.

FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 1,000 TONS OF NO. 3 BUCKWHEAT COAL UNDER ITEM 1 OF THE CONTRACT AND FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 2,000 TONS OF NO. 2 BUCKWHEAT COAL UNDER ITEM 2 OF THE CONTRACT. (DELIVERIES TO BE MADE AT THE FERRY TERMINAL, FOOT OF 39TH STREET, SOUTH BROOKLYN, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.)

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of thirty (30) consecutive calendar days.

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

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

The bidder shall state a price per ton at which he is prepared to furnish all of the coal called for on the item and shall extend such totals as may be required on the schedules. Awards, if made, will be made on each item, to the lowest formal bidder on the item.

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

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

R. A. C. SMITH, Commissioner of Docks.
Dated, Nov. 1, 1916. n2,15

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Docks at his office, Pier "A," foot of Battery pl., North River, Manhattan, until 12 noon on **TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 14, 1916,** CONTRACT NO. 1553.

FOR REPAIRS TO THE MUNICIPAL FERRYBOAT "MANHATTAN."

The time for the completion of the work and the full performance of the contract is on or before the expiration of two (2) calendar days from the time of the delivery of the ferryboat to the contractor.

The amount of security required is \$600.

The bidder shall state, both in writing and in figures, a total price for furnishing all of the labor and material and for doing all of the work called for. The contract is entire and for a complete job, and, if awarded, will be awarded to the bidder whose price is lowest for doing all of the work and whose bid is regular in all respects. In case of discrepancy between the written price and that given in figures, the price in writing will be considered as the bid.

Work must be done at the time and in the manner directed.

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

R. A. C. SMITH, Commissioner of Docks.
Dated Oct. 31, 1916. n1,14

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

Sale of Lease.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Commissioner of Docks at Pier "A," foot of Battery pl., North River, Manhattan, until 12 noon, on

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 1916.

FOR A LEASE OR LEASES, FOR A TERM OF TEN (10) YEARS, OF THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED PARCELS OF PROPERTY:

(Note: Attention is called to the fact that the southerly line of Emmons ave. as laid out is about eight feet out from the physical bulkhead now existing, and all descriptions herein are drawn from the southerly line of Emmons ave. as laid out and not from the existing, physical bulkhead.)

Parcel "A."

All that certain water lot or parcel of land under the waters of Sheepshead Bay, Borough of Brooklyn, lying within the lines of Ocean ave., prolonged, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the bulkhead line, along the southerly side of Emmons ave., as said bulkhead line was established by the Secretary of War, May 1, 1911, where the same would be intersected by the easterly line of Ocean ave., prolonged, and running thence westerly and along said bulkhead line a distance of fifty-two feet (52'), more or less, to its intersection with the easterly line of the now existing board walk or foot bridge, extending from the foot of Ocean ave. to Manhattan Beach, across the waters of Sheepshead Bay; thence southerly outshore and along the easterly line of the aforesaid board walk or foot bridge a distance of one hundred and thirty-eight feet (138'), more or less, to its intersection with the pierhead line established by the Secretary of War, May 1, 1911, thence easterly and along said pierhead line a distance of fifty-two feet (52'), more or less, to its intersection with the easterly line of Ocean ave., prolonged, and thence northerly inshore and along the easterly line of Ocean ave., prolonged, a distance of one hundred and thirty-nine feet (139'), more or less, to the point or place of beginning.

Being all that land under water bounded on the north by the United States Bulkhead Line along the southerly side of Emmons ave., on the south by the United States Pierhead Line, on the west by the board walk or foot bridge leading to Manhattan Beach, and on the east by the easterly line of Ocean ave., prolonged.

Parcel "B."

All that certain water lot or parcel of land under the waters of Sheepshead Bay, Borough of Brooklyn, lying immediately to the east and adjacent to the foot of Ocean ave., prolonged, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the bulkhead line along the southerly side of Emmons ave., as said bulkhead line was established by the Secretary of War, May 1, 1911, where the same would be intersected by the easterly line of Ocean ave., prolonged, and running thence east-

erly and along said bulkhead line and along the southerly line of Emmons ave. a distance of eighty-two feet (82'), more or less, to its intersection with the westerly line of a certain water lot or parcel of land under water granted by the Town of Gravesend on the 22nd day of August, 1894, to Mary J. Osborn; thence southerly, outshore and along the westerly line of the last mentioned water lot or parcel of land under water granted by the Town of Gravesend to Mary J. Osborn, a distance of one hundred and forty-two feet (142'), more or less, to its intersection with the pierhead line established by the Secretary of War, May 1, 1911; thence westerly and along said pierhead line a distance of sixty-eight feet (68'), more or less, to its intersection with the easterly line of Ocean ave., prolonged, and thence northerly, inshore and along the easterly line of Ocean ave., prolonged, a distance of one hundred and thirty-nine feet (139'), more or less, to the point or place of beginning.

Being all that land under water bounded on the north by the United States Bulkhead Line along the southerly side of Emmons ave.; on the south by the United States Pierhead Line, on the west by the easterly line of Ocean ave., prolonged, on the east by the westerly line of the water lot granted by the Town of Gravesend to Mary J. Osborn.

Parcel "C."

All that certain water lot or parcel of land under the waters of Sheepshead Bay, at the foot of Kenmore pl., or E. 21st st., more particularly bounded as follows:

Beginning at a point in the bulkhead line along the southerly side of Emmons ave., as said bulkhead line was established by the Secretary of War, May 1, 1911, where the same would be intersected by the southerly prolongation of the easterly line of Kenmore pl., or E. 21st st.; thence southerly and at right angles to said bulkhead line a distance of about one hundred and fifty-seven feet (157') to the pierhead line established by the Secretary of War, May 1, 1911; thence westerly and along said pierhead line a distance of about fifty-eight feet (58') to a point in same where the southerly prolongation of the easterly line of the water lot granted by the Town of Gravesend to Mary J. Osborn, August 22, 1894, intersects same; thence northerly along said prolongation of and the easterly line of said water lot granted to Mary J. Osborn a distance of about one hundred and fifty-two feet (152') to the bulkhead line established by the Secretary of War, May 1, 1911, where the same would be intersected by the southerly prolongation of the easterly line of Kenmore pl., or E. 21st st.; thence southerly and at right angles to said bulkhead line a distance of about one hundred and fifty-seven feet (157') to the point or place of beginning.

Parcel "D."

All that certain water lot or parcel of land under the waters of Sheepshead Bay immediately adjacent to and east of the foot of Kenmore pl., or E. 21st st., more particularly bounded as follows:

Beginning at a point in the bulkhead line established by the Secretary of War, May 1, 1911, along the southerly side of Emmons ave., where the same is intersected by the southerly prolongation of the easterly line of Kenmore pl., or E. 21st st.; thence easterly and along said bulkhead line a distance of about eleven feet (11') to a point in same where the westerly line of a water lot granted by the Town of Gravesend to James Shields on Aug. 29, 1894, intersects same; thence southerly and along said westerly line of said water lot granted to James Shields and the southerly prolongation thereof a distance of about one hundred and fifty-eight feet (158') to the pierhead line established by the Secretary of War, May 1, 1911; thence westerly and along said pierhead line a distance of about twelve feet (12') to a point in same where a line drawn at right angles to the bulkhead line along the southerly line of Emmons ave., from a point in same where the southerly prolongation of the easterly line of Kenmore pl., or E. 21st st., intersects said bulkhead line, thence northerly and along said right angle line a distance of about one hundred and fifty-eight feet (158') to the point or place of beginning.

Cancellation for Building New Bridge—The lease of Parcel "A" shall contain a clause providing that if at any time during the term of the lease the City of New York shall determine to proceed with the work of building or rebuilding a bridge, causeway, or approach thereto, at the foot of Ocean ave., Sheepshead Bay, and shall determine that for such purpose it shall be necessary to terminate the interest of the lessee in Parcel "A," then, upon service on the lessee of written notice from the Commissioner of Docks to that effect, the interest of the lessee in said Parcel shall be terminated three months from the date of the service of such notice and such proportionate deduction from the rent shall be made by the Commissioner of Docks of The City of New York as shall be deemed just and reasonable and no claim for damages or compensation in favor of the lessee by reason of the termination of such interest or for on account of any construction or improvements that may have been made or erected upon the premises shall at any time be made by any person or persons who-soever except as herein provided; but no notice of termination of said lease for the reasons specified shall be of any validity or effect until it shall have been approved by resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund passed after a hearing of which not less than ten days' notice shall have been given to the lessee and a sufficient appropriation has been made by the City of New York for the purposes of carrying on the work of building or rebuilding said bridge at the foot of Ocean ave. The City reserves the right for itself, its agents or contractors to enter upon and use the premises described herein as Parcel "A," or any structures erected thereon, or any part thereof, for the purpose of making examinations or doing work preparatory to, or carrying on any of the work of building or rebuilding a bridge, causeway, or approach thereto; and if for such purpose it will be necessary to remove, alter or add to any existing structures, The City shall have the right to do all such work at its own expense in such manner as to interfere in the slightest degree with the use and occupation of the lessee of the premises.

Bond—The lessee shall furnish a bond in a sum to be fixed, and with sureties to be approved, by the Commissioner of Docks of The City of New York for the faithful performance of the covenants and conditions of the lease.

Remaining Terms and Conditions—The remaining terms and conditions of the lease shall be similar to those contained in leases of land under water now used by the Department of Docks and Ferries, copy of which can be seen at the office of the Department of Docks and Ferries, Pier "A," Battery Pl., Manhattan, except so far as they are inconsistent herewith.

Dredging—The lessee shall covenant and agree to dredge Parcels "B," "C" and "D" to a depth at low water of not less than three feet (3') at the bulkhead line along the southerly side of Emmons ave. as said bulkhead line was established by the Secretary of War on May 1, 1911, and to a depth of not less than eight feet (8') at the pierhead line established by the Secretary of War on May 1, 1911, and shall maintain said depth at all times during the term of the lease.

Removal of Old Structures—The lessee shall within six months after the beginning of the lease remove all present structures.

New Structures—The lessee shall have the

right to erect and maintain upon the property leased wharf structures with sheds thereon; all structures erected under the provisions of the lease shall be built in accordance with plans and specifications to be approved by the Art Commission and the Commissioner of Docks, and the work of construction shall be done under the direction and supervision of the Chief Engineer of the Department of Docks and Ferries. All structures erected upon the premises leased shall revert to and become the property of The City of New York upon the expiration or sooner termination of the lease.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE.

Bidders may submit bids on one or more parcels. Bidders will be required to submit with their bids 25% of the amount of the annual rent bid as security for the execution of the lease, which 25% will be applied to the rent first accruing under the lease when executed, or will be forfeited to The City of New York if the successful bidder fails, neglects or refuses to execute the lease with good and sufficient surety to be approved by the Commissioner of Docks within ten (10) days after being notified that the lease is prepared and ready for execution at the office of the Department of Docks and Ferries, Pier "A," foot of Battery pl., North River.

The Commissioner of Docks expressly reserves the right to reject any and all bids, if in his judgment he deems it for the best interests of The City of New York so to do. No person will be accepted as a successful bidder who is delinquent on any form of contract with The Department of Docks and Ferries or with The City of New York. No bid will be received from any person who is in arrears to the Department of Docks and Ferries or to The City of New York upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter as surety or otherwise upon any obligation to the Department of Docks and Ferries or to The City of New York.

All leases are subject to the approval of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

R. A. C. SMITH, Commissioner of Docks.
Dated, Oct. 20, 1916. o24,n3

BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

BUREAU OF BUILDINGS.

General Order No. 44—Modification of Section 79 of the Plumbing Rules and Regulations.

HEREAFTER, THE FRESH AIR INLET required by section 79 of the plumbing and drainage regulations may terminate in the front wall of the building 1' 0" above the sidewalk level when the inlet is protected with a metal screen, the openings in which have an aggregate area equal to the area of the fresh air inlet. This arrangement will be deemed an adequate substitute for the return bend mentioned in the Regulations.

n2 P. J. CARLIN, Superintendent.

BUREAU OF BUILDINGS.

General Order No. 28.

TO EXAMINERS AND INSPECTORS: The architectural stone, known as Architectural cast stone, manufactured by Frank Nahodyl, 158 Seventeenth st., Brooklyn, is hereby approved for general use in the Borough of Brooklyn, for quoins, sills (lintels to be reinforced) and ornamental features, as per section 22 of the building code, article 2.

n2 P. J. CARLIN, Superintendent.

Proposals.

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

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 15, 1916.

NO. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED TO CONSTRUCT SEWER IN WOODBINE ST., BETWEEN IRVING AND KNICKERBOCKER AVES.

The Engineer's preliminary estimate of the quantities is as follows:

595 linear feet of 12-inch pipe sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$2.05	\$1,219.75
13 linear feet of 6-inch house connection drain, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$1.00	15.00
6 manholes, complete, with iron heads and covers, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per manhole, \$60.00	360.00
2 sewer basins, complete, of either standard design, with iron pans or gratings, iron basin hoods and connecting culverts, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per basin, \$175.00	350.00
1,000 feet board measure of sheeting and bracing, driven in place complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per thousand feet board measure, \$18.00	18.00
Total	\$1,962.75

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract will be forty (40) working days. The amount of security will be One thousand Dollars (\$1,000).

NO. 2. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED TO CONSTRUCT SEWERS IN AVENUE Q BETWEEN CONEY ISLAND AVE. AND E. 12TH ST.

The engineer's preliminary estimate of the quantities is as follows:

109 linear feet of 12-inch pipe storm sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$1.40	\$152.60
117 linear feet of 8-inch pipe sanitary sewer, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$1.65	193.05
12 linear feet of 6-inch storm house connection drain, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$0.75	9.00
24 linear feet of 6-inch sanitary house connection drain, laid complete, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per linear foot, \$0.90	21.60
1 Manhole on storm sewer, complete, with special manhole head and cover, including all incidentals and appurtenances, per manhole, \$45.00	45.00
1 Manhole on sanitary sewer, complete, with standard manhole head and special cover, including all incidentals and appurtenances; per manhole, \$60.00	60.00
Total	\$481.25

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract will be fifteen (15) working days.

The amount of security required will be Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$250).

The foregoing engineer's preliminary estimate of the total cost for the completed work is to be taken as the 100% basis and test for bidding.

Proposals shall each state a single percentage of such 100 per cent. (such as 95 per cent., 100 per cent., or 105 per cent.) for which all materials and work called for in the proposed contract and notices to bidders are to be furnished to the City. Such percentages as bid for each contract shall apply to all unit items specified in the engineer's preliminary estimate to an amount necessary to complete the work described in the contract.

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

L. H. POUNDS, President.
n2,15
See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

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

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 15, 1916,
NO. 1. FOR DREDGING NEWTOWN CREEK CANAL AT METROPOLITAN AVE. BASIN, NEAR THE INTERSECTION OF SCOTT AND METROPOLITAN AVES.

The Engineer's preliminary estimate of the quantities is as follows:
4,500 cubic yards, Scow Measurement.
The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract will be thirty (30) calendar days.

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

NO. 2. FOR DREDGING WALLABOUT CANAL FROM HEWES ST. TO A POINT 1,450 FEET NORTH OF HEWES ST.

The Engineer's preliminary estimate of the quantities is as follows:
4,000 cubic yards, scow measurement.

The time allowed for the completion of the work and full performance of the contract will be thirty (30) calendar days.

The amount of security required will be Three Hundred Dollars (\$300).

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 contracts awarded at a lump or aggregate sum for each contract.

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

L. H. POUNDS, President.
n2,15
See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

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

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 8, 1916,
NO. 1. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH PERMANENT ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A 6-INCH CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF BAY 19TH ST., FROM BENSON AVE. TO 86TH ST.

The Engineer's estimate is as follows:
780 cubic yards excavation to subgrade.
520 cubic yards concrete.

3,115 square yards asphalt pavement (5 years maintenance).

Time allowed, 30 consecutive working days.

NO. 2. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH PERMANENT ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A 6-INCH CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF CATON AVE., FROM E. 3RD ST. TO E. 4TH ST.

The Engineer's estimate is as follows:
260 cubic yards excavation to subgrade.

170 cubic yards concrete.

1,030 square yards asphalt pavement (5 years maintenance).

Time allowed, 20 consecutive working days.

NO. 3. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH PERMANENT ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A 6-INCH CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF E. 12TH ST., FROM DITMAS AVE. TO NEWKIRK AVE.

The Engineer's estimate is as follows:
440 cubic yards excavation to subgrade.

295 cubic yards concrete.

1,760 square yards asphalt pavement (5 years maintenance).

Time allowed, 25 consecutive working days.

NO. 4. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH PERMANENT ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A 6-INCH CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF THATFORD AVE., FROM LOIT AVE. TO HEGMAN AVE.

The Engineer's estimate is as follows:
475 cubic yards excavation to subgrade.

30 linear feet bluestone heading stones set in concrete.

115 linear feet cement curb (1 year maintenance).

320 cubic yards concrete.

1,905 square yards asphalt pavement (5 years maintenance).

Time allowed, 25 consecutive working days.

NO. 5. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH PERMANENT ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A 6-INCH CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF 23RD AVE., FROM CROPSY AVE. TO BATH AVE.

The Engineer's estimate is as follows:
795 cubic yards excavation to subgrade.

60 linear feet bluestone heading stones set in concrete.

525 cubic yards concrete, outside railroad area.

3 cubic yards concrete, within railroad area.

3,145 square yards asphalt pavement, outside railroad area (5 years maintenance).

30 square yards asphalt pavement, within railroad area (no maintenance).

Time allowed, 30 consecutive working days.

NO. 6. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH PERMANENT ASPHALT PAVEMENT ON A 6-INCH CONCRETE FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF 81ST ST., FROM 5TH AVE. TO 6TH AVE.

The Engineer's estimate is as follows:
640 cubic yards excavation to subgrade.

35 linear feet bluestone heading stones set in concrete.

425 cubic yards concrete.

2,560 square yards asphalt pavement (5 years maintenance).

Time allowed, 30 consecutive working days.

NO. 7. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 1,000 CUBIC YARDS OF BROKEN TRAP ROCK AND 1,000 CUBIC YARDS OF TRAP ROCK SCREENINGS, TO BE DELIVERED AS FOLLOWS:

500 cubic yards of stone and 500 cubic yards of screenings to Corporation Yard, 19th ave. and 56th st.

500 cubic yards of stone and 500 cubic yards of screenings to Corporation Yard, Neck rd. and Gravesend ave.

Time for completion of contract, on or before Dec. 31, 1916.

Security required, 30% of the amount for which the contract is awarded.

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed,

per lin. ft., sq. ft., sq. yd., cu. yd., or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested.

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

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained and the plans and drawings may be seen at the office of the Bureau of Highways, Brooklyn, Room 502, No. 50 Court st., Brooklyn.

L. H. POUNDS, President.
n2,16
See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

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

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 15, 1916,
NO. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS NECESSARY OR REQUIRED FOR EXCAVATIONS, FOUNDATIONS AND SUPERSTRUCTURE OF OR IN CONNECTION WITH THE SOUTH OR FLATBUSH AVE. WING OF THE CENTRAL LIBRARY BUILDING OF THE BROOKLYN PUBLIC LIBRARY, LOCATED AT THE PROSPECT PARK PLAZA, BETWEEN FLATBUSH AVE. AND THE EASTERN PARKWAY, IN THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed for doing and completing the work shall not exceed two hundred (200) consecutive working days.

The security required for the faithful performance of the contract will be Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000).

NO. 2. FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS NECESSARY OR REQUIRED FOR PLUMBING WORK IN CONNECTION WITH THE SOUTH OR FLATBUSH AVE. WING OF THE CENTRAL LIBRARY BUILDING OF THE BROOKLYN PUBLIC LIBRARY, LOCATED AT THE PROSPECT PARK PLAZA, BETWEEN EASTERN PARKWAY AND FLATBUSH AVE., BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

The time allowed for doing and completing the work shall not exceed one hundred and fifty (150) consecutive working days.

The security required for the faithful performance of the contract will be Twelve Hundred Dollars (\$1,200).

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

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

L. H. POUNDS, President.
n2,15
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

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 1916, TO FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 1916,

for the position of

RESIDENT PHYSICIAN (MALE),

GRADE 2.

No applications delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 p. m., FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 1916, will be accepted.

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

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

The subjects and weights of the examination are: Experience, 5; Thesis, 5; 70% general average required. Candidates will not be assembled for the written examination.

A qualifying physical examination will be given.

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

Duties—Resident Physicians are assigned to give professional service to the inmates in institutions of the Department of Public Charities and the Department of Correction.

Requirements—Candidates must possess a license to practice medicine in the State of New York and must present this license for inspection when filing their 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.

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.

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

The usual compensation is \$1,200 per annum, with maintenance.

Vacancies occur from time to time.

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

n2,17 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, NOVEMBER 1, 1916, TO THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 16, 1916,

for the position of

MECHANICAL DRAFTSMAN (SANITARY),

GRADE C.

No applications delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 p. m., THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 16, 1916, will be accepted.

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

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

The subjects and weights of the examination are: Experience, 4; 70% required. Technical, 6; 75% required. Mathematics, 2. 70% general average required.

A qualifying physical examination will be given.

Applications for this examination must be filed on a special blank, Form B.

Duties—The duties of a Mechanical Draftsman (Sanitary) are to prepare drawings, make computations, or to do other work relating to drafting in connection with the design, construction or maintenance of heating and ventilating plants.

Requirements—Candidates must have had training and experience as a Mechanical Draftsman such as to qualify them for the position. They must have had actual experience in laying out, computing, drafting or other related work incident to the construction or operation of mechanical appliances used in the heating and ventilating of buildings or for similar installations.

The salary is from \$1,200 to, but not including, \$1,800 per annum.

There is at present one vacancy in the Department of Public Charities at \$1,320 per annum. Vacancies occur from time to time in other City departments.

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

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

n1,16 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, OCTOBER 31, 1916, TO WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 15, 1916,

for the position of

JUNIOR ALIENIST, GRADE 2.

No applications delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 p. m., WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 15, 1916, will be accepted.

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

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

The subjects and weights of the examination are: Experience, 4; 70% required. Technical, 6; 75% required.

A qualifying physical examination will be given.

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

Duties—The duties of this position are to assist Alienists in the examination, care and treatment of the insane and mentally abnormal.

Requirements—Candidates must present evidence of having served a one year internship in a general hospital. Candidates must also possess a license to practice medicine in the State of New York, and present this license when filing their 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.

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.

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

The compensation is usually \$1,500 per annum.

There is one vacancy in Bellevue and Allied Hospitals at \$1,500 per annum.

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

n2,19 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, OCTOBER 24, 1916, TO WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 8, 1916,

for the position of

TITLE EXAMINER, GRADE 2.

No applications delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 p. m., WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 8, 1916, will be accepted.

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

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

The subjects and weights of the examination are: Experience, 4; 70% required. Technical, 6; 75% required.

A qualifying physical examination will be given.

Applications for this examination must be filed on a special blank, Form B.

Duties—The duties of a title examiner are to prepare drawings and to do other related work, such as computing, compiling data and plotting in connection with drainage and plumbing installations in buildings or elsewhere.

Requirements: Candidates must have had training and experience as a mechanical draftsman such as to qualify them for the position. They must have had actual experience in laying out, computing, drafting or other related work incident to the construction or operation of appliances for water supply drainage and plumbing, or similar experience. They should have a good working knowledge of the sanitary code.

Vacancies occur from time to time in various city departments. Salary from \$1,200 to, but not including, \$1,800 per annum.

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

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

n1,16 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, NOVEMBER 1, 1916, TO THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 16, 1916,

for the position of

MECHANICAL DRAFTSMAN (ELECTRICAL), GRADE C.

No applications delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 p. m., THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 16, 1916, will be accepted.

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

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

The subjects and weights of the examination are: Experience, 2; 70% required. Technical, 6; 75% required. Mathematics, 2. 70% general average required.

A qualifying physical examination will be given.

Applications for this examination must be filed on a special blank, Form B.

Duties—The duties of a mechanical draftsman (electrical) are to prepare drawings and to do other related work, such as computing, compiling data and plotting in connection with electrical installations for power and lighting.

Requirements—Candidates must have had training and experience as a mechanical draftsman such as to qualify them for the position. They must have had actual experience in laying out, computing, drafting or other related work incident to the construction or operation of appliances for the generation or utilization of light and power or similar experience. They should have a good working knowledge of the electrical code.

Vacancies occur from time to time in various city departments.

Salary from \$1,200 to, but not including, \$1,800 per annum.

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

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

n1,16 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, NOVEMBER 1, 1916, TO THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 16, 1916,

for the position of

MECHANICAL DRAFTSMAN (HEATING AND VENTILATING), GRADE C.

No applications delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 p. m., THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 16, 1916, will be accepted.

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

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

The subjects and weights of the examination are: Experience, 2; 70% required. Technical, 6; 75% required. Mathematics, 2. 70% general average required.

A qualifying physical examination will be given.

Applications for this examination must be filed on a special blank, Form B.

Duties—The duties of a Mechanical Draftsman (Heating and Ventilating) are to prepare drawings, make computations, or to do other work relating to drafting in connection with the design, construction or maintenance of heating and ventilating plants.

Requirements—Candidates must have had training and experience as a Mechanical Draftsman such as to qualify them for the position. They must have had actual experience in laying out, computing, drafting or other related work incident to the construction or operation of mechanical appliances used in the heating and ventilating of buildings or for similar installations.

The salary is from \$1,200 to, but not including, \$1,800 per annum.

There is at present one vacancy in the Department of Public Charities at \$1,320 per annum. Vacancies occur from time to time in other City departments.

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

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

n1,16 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, NOVEMBER 2, 1916, TO THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 16, 1916,

for the position of

MECHANICAL DRAFTSMAN (HEATING AND VENTILATING), GRADE C.

No applications delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 p. m., THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 16, 1916, will be accepted.

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

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

The subjects and weights of the examination are: Experience, 2; 70% required. Technical, 6; 75% required. Mathematics, 2. 70% general average required

the mailing. The Commission will not guarantee the delivery of the same. Postage on applications forwarded by mail must be fully prepaid.

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

The subjects and weights of the examination are: Experience, 4; 70% required. Technical, 6; 75% required.

A qualifying physical examination will be given.

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

Duties—The duties of Title Examiners include the performance independently of responsible work in searching records for instruments and proceedings affecting real property, examining titles, preparing abstracts and certifying to the status of titles, as well as the performance of routine technical work in the searching, abstracting, block indexing and reindexing of titles and other work dealing with the actual evidence of titles.

Requirements—Candidates must present evidence of not less than one year of experience in the work of searching and examining titles to real property either with title companies, lawyers or in other conveyancing offices, or equivalent experience.

The eligible list resulting from this examination will also be certified for the position of Junior Title Examiner.

Candidates must be at least 21 years of age on the closing date for the receipt of applications. The compensation rates proposed by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for this position are from \$1,440 to \$1,980 per annum. Under the terms and conditions of the budget for the year 1916, appointments will, as a rule, be made at the lowest compensation rate.

The compensation rates for Junior Title Examiner are from \$900 to \$1,320 per annum. Vacancies occur from time to time in the Law Department.

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

o24,n8 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, OCTOBER 20, 1916, TO FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 1916,

for the position of

ACTUARIAL CLERK, GRADE 3.

No applications delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 p. m. FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 1916, will be accepted. Application blanks will be mailed upon request, provided a self-addressed stamped envelope or sufficient postage is enclosed to cover the mailing. The Commission will not guarantee the delivery of the same. Postage on applications forwarded by mail must be fully prepaid.

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

The subjects and weights of the examination are: Experience, 3; mathematics, 2; duties, 5; 70% required on Experience; 70% on all.

A qualifying physical examination will be given.

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

Duties: Assisting in the adjustment of crude mortality rates prepared from tabulations in the computing department; constructing commutation columns; instructing clerks in the preparation of annuity values and present values of pension benefits; and other work of an actuarial nature.

Requirements: Candidates must present evidence of at least one year's experience in the actuarial department of a life insurance company or similar institution in positions involving the actual performance of duties like those described above, or other experience tending to qualify them for this work. Candidates must be thoroughly acquainted with mathematics as applied to actuarial work, have a knowledge of actuarial terms and be able to read actuarial symbols and formulae.

Candidates must be at least 18 years of age on the closing date for the receipt of applications.

The compensation rates proposed by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for this position are from \$1,200 to \$1,800 per annum, and the proposed title is Junior Actuary.

There is one vacancy in the Commission on Pensions; salary, \$1,500.

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

o20,n3 ROBERT W. BELCHER, Secretary.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT applications will be received beginning at 1 p. m. on

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 1916,

and the receipt of applications will continue thereafter until further notice for the position of

MECHANIC (ELEVATOR) (LABOR CLASS, PART III),

at the office of the Application Bureau, Room 1400, Municipal Building, Centre and Chambers sts., Manhattan.

Applicants must present themselves in person when filing applications on Thursday, November 2, 1916, as no applications will be received by mail on that day. Application blanks may be obtained now. Application blanks will be mailed on 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.

Duties: Are to repair and to replace wire ropes, pulleys, brakes, motors, oil cups and lubricating devices, and such electric or other machinery as are in common use in elevators.

Requirements: Applicants must have employer's certificate properly filled out, or produce letters showing service as an apprentice Elevator Mechanic of not less than 4 years.

Candidates must be not less than 21 years of age at the time of filing applications.

A physical and practical test will be held.

Salary—prevailing rate, \$5.28 per diem.

o19,n2 R. W. BELCHER, Secretary.

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

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 19, 1916, TO THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 1916,

for the position of

PHYSICIAN (CLINIC), GRADE 1.

No applications delivered at the office of the Commission, by mail or otherwise, after 4 p. m. THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 1916, will be accepted. Application blanks will be mailed upon request, provided a self-addressed stamped envelope or sufficient postage is enclosed to cover the mailing. The Commission will not guarantee the delivery of the same. Postage on applications forwarded by mail must be fully prepaid.

Applicants must be citizens of the United States and residents of the State of New York. The subjects and weights of the examination are: Experience, 5; 70% required; technical, 5; 75% required.

A qualifying physical examination will be given.

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

Duties: The duties of a Clinic Physician are

to diagnose and treat patients applying at the Tuberculosis Clinics of the Department of Health, and to examine, at the Occupational Clinic of the Department, applicants for licenses as food handlers. Eight hours of service per week are required.

Requirements: Candidates must present evidence of one year's service as an interne in a hospital or sanatorium or at least two years' experience in out-patient work or its equivalent. Candidates for this examination must also be licensed to practice medicine in the State of New York and must present their licenses for inspection at the time of filing applications.

Candidates must be at least 21 years of age on the closing date for the receipt of applications. There are vacancies now in the Department of Health at \$300 per annum only. The compensation rates proposed by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for this position are \$300 to \$660 for not less than six hours' work per week, or \$900 to \$1,140 for not less than eighteen hours' work per week.

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

o19,n2 ROBERT W. BELCHER, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

Notice to Owners to Apply for Permits to Remove Their Materials.

THE BOARD OF EDUCATION HAVING declared the contract for the erection of the Evander Childs High School, 184th Street and Creston Avenue, Borough of The Bronx, abandoned by the Contractor, The Midtown Contracting Company, and having cancelled the contract of said company, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to all persons claiming ownership to materials upon the said premises, that a permit will be given to such owners (other than The Midtown Contracting Company) to remove such surplus material in and about the premises, which in the opinion of the Superintendent of School Buildings has not been incorporated in the work and to which the Midtown Contracting Company holds no title, upon presentation of the schedule setting forth a detailed list of such materials, together with a satisfactory affidavit of ownership.

Such schedule and affidavit must be filed at the office of the Board of Education, 500 Park ave., Manhattan, on or before 12 o'clock noon on the

4TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1916.

All removals under such permits are to be completed by the ninth day of November, 1916. C. B. J. SNYDER, Superintendent of School Buildings. o31,n4

Proposals.

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

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 13, 1916,

Borough of The Bronx.

FOR GENERAL CONSTRUCTION OF ALTERATIONS IN AND ADDITIONS TO PUBLIC SCHOOL 4, ON THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF FULTON AVE. AND E. 173D ST., BOROUGH OF THE BRONX.

The time allowed to complete the work will be two hundred and twenty-five (225) consecutive working days, as provided in the contract.

Note—All work of the new girls' and boys' toilets and all other work incidental thereto must be completed and the toilet fixtures ready for use before the work of removing the present toilet building can be begun. See "Scope" under "General Requirements."

The amount of security required is Sixty Thousand Dollars (\$60,000).

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

Borough of Queens.

FOR ITEM 1, INSTALLING EXHAUST VENTILATING APPARATUS; AND ITEM 2, INSTALLING ELECTRIC ASHPOST, IN FLUSHING HIGH SCHOOL ON BROADWAY, WHITESTONE AVE. AND STATE ST., FLUSHING, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

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

The amount of security required is as follows: Item 1, \$2,000; Item 2, \$400.

The deposit accompanying bid on each item shall be five per cent. of the amount of security. A separate proposal must be submitted for each item and separate award will be made thereon.

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

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

Dated, Oct. 31, 1916. o31,n13

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

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

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 1916,

Borough of Brooklyn.

FOR ITEM 1, GENERAL CONSTRUCTION; ALSO ITEM 2, PLUMBING AND DRAINAGE, DUPLICATE SCHOOL PLAN, ADDITIONS TO AND ALTERATIONS IN PUBLIC SCHOOL 66, ON WATKINS AND OSBORN STS., ABOUT 100 FEET SOUTH OF SUTTER AVE., BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

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

The amount of security required is as follows: Item 1, \$6,000; Item 2, \$1,600.

The deposit accompanying bid on each item shall be five per cent. of the amount of security. A separate proposal must be submitted for each item and separate award will be made thereon.

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

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

Dated, Oct. 25, 1916. o25,n6

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 ave. and 59th st., Manhattan, until 11 a. m. on

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 1916,

FOR REPAIRING BUCKS, HORSES, SPRING BOARDS AND PARALLEL BARS, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, THE BRONX AND RICHMOND.

The time allowed for the completion of all work included in Items 1 to 4, will be twenty (20) working days.

The amount of security required for the

faithful performance of the contract is thirty (30%) per cent. of the amount of the contract. 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 of each item or article contained in the specifications and schedules herein contained or hereto attached by which the bids will be tested.

Award, if made, will be made to the lowest bidder on each item.

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, Park ave. and 59th st., Manhattan.

PATRICK JONES, Superintendent of School Supplies.

Dated, Oct. 25, 1916. o25,n6

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

BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Manhattan, at Room 2032, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 2 p. m. on

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 10, 1916.

NO. 1. FOR REGULATING PAVING AND REPAVING WITH GRANITE BLOCK PAVEMENT ON A SAND FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF 181ST ST. FROM NORTHERN AVE. TO HAVEN AVE. AND PLAZA LAFAYETTE (181ST ST.) FROM HAVEN AVE. TO RIVERSIDE DRIVE SERVICE ST. TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate of the amount of work to be done is as follows:

Item 3—340 linear feet new 6" granite curbstone.

Item 3b—80 linear feet new 6" granite corner curbstone.

Item 4—10 linear feet old curb, redressed.

Item 6—70 linear feet granite headers.

Item 6a—10 linear feet temporary headerstone.

Item 7—20 cubic yards concrete.

Item 8—2,810 square yards granite block pavement.

Item 12—3 cubic yards brick masonry.

The time allowed for the full completion of the work will be thirty (30) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be \$2,500 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 PAVING AND REPAVING WITH SECOND HAND GRANITE BLOCK PAVEMENT ON A SAND FOUNDATION THE ROADWAY OF 181ST ST. FROM NORTHERN AVE. TO HAVEN AVE. AND PLAZA LAFAYETTE (181ST ST.) FROM HAVEN AVE. TO RIVERSIDE DRIVE SERVICE ST. TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

The Engineer's estimate of the amount of work to be done is as follows:

Item 3—340 linear feet new 6" granite curbstone.

Item 3b—80 linear feet new 6" granite corner curbstone.

Item 4—10 linear feet old curb, redressed.

Item 6—70 linear feet granite headers.

Item 6a—10 linear feet temporary headerstone.

Item 7—20 cubic yards concrete.

Item 8—2,810 square yards second-hand granite block pavement.

Item 12—3 cubic yards brick masonry.

The time allowed for the full completion of the work will be thirty (30) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be \$1,800 and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five (5%) per cent. of the total 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 article, by which the bid will be tested. Each contract, if awarded, will be awarded for the whole work at a lump sum.

Blank forms may be had and the plans and drawing may be seen at the offices of the Commissioner of Public Works, Bureau of Highways, Room 2124, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

MARCUS M. MARKS, President.

Dated, Oct. 30, 1916. o30,n10

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Manhattan at Room 2032, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 2 p. m. on

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 10, 1916.

NO. 1. FOR THE EXTENSION OF SEWER IN 172ND ST., BETWEEN FORT WASHINGTON AVE. AND BROADWAY EASTERLY TOWARDS BROADWAY FOR A DISTANCE OF ABOUT 35 FEET.

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:

Item 1. 35 linear feet of 15" vitrified pipe sewer complete.

Item 2. 6 spurs for house connections.

Item 3. 1 manhole complete.

Item 4. 60 cubic yards of rock, Class A, excavated and removed.

Item 5. 3 cubic yards of rock, Class B, excavated and removed.

Item 6. 1 cubic yard of concrete, Class A.

Item 7. 1 cubic yard of brick masonry.

Item 8. 500 feet board measure of timber and planking.

The time allowed for constructing and completing the alteration and improvement to sewer will be twenty (20) consecutive working days.

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

The bidder will state the price of each item or article contained in the specifications or schedules herein contained or hereto annexed, per foot, yard or other unit of measure or article, by which the bid will be tested. Each contract, if awarded, will be awarded for the whole work at a lump sum.

Blank forms may be had and the drawings, form of specification and contract may be seen at the offices of the Commissioner of Public Works, Bureau of Sewers, Room 2103, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

MARCUS M. MARKS, President.

Dated, Oct. 30, 1916. o30,n10

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Manhattan at Room 2032, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 2 p. m. on

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 10, 1916.

NO. 1. FOR THE SEWER IN 188TH ST.

BETWEEN WADSWORTH AND ST. NICHOLAS AVES.

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:

Item 1—200 linear feet of 15" vitrified pipe sewer, complete.

Item 2—3 manholes, complete.

Item 3—25 spurs for house connections.

Item 4—1 receiving basin, Type F, complete.

Item 5—15 linear feet of 12" basin connection, complete.

Item 6—250 cubic yards of rock, Class A, excavated and removed.

Item 7—5 cubic yards of rock, Class B, excavated and removed.

Item 8—1 cubic yard of concrete, Class A.

Item 9—1 cubic yard of brick masonry.

Item 10—2 cubic yards of extra earth excavation.

Item 11—50 square feet of flagstone sidewalk pavement redressed and relaid.

Item 12—16 square feet of flagstone sidewalk pavement furnished and laid.

Item 13—6 linear feet of curb reset in concrete.

Item 14—21 square yards of roadway pavement, all kinds, for which double deposit is required.

Item 15—1,500 feet board measure of timber and planking for bracing and sheeting.

The time allowed for constructing and completing sewer and appurtenances will be forty (40) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Twelve Hundred (\$1,200) Dollars, and the amount of deposit accompanying the bid shall be five per cent. (5%) of the amount of security.

NO. 2. FOR THE SEWER IN 189TH ST. BETWEEN WADSWORTH AND ST. NICHOLAS AVES.

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:

Item 1—200 linear feet of 15" vitrified pipe sewer, complete.

Item 2—4 manholes, complete.

Item 3—25 spurs for house connections.

Item 4—1 receiving basin, Type F, complete.

Item 5—15 linear feet of 12" basin connection, complete.

Item 6—125 cubic yards of rock, Class A, excavated and removed.

Item 7—5 cubic yards of rock, Class B, excavated and removed.

Item 8—1 cubic yard of concrete, Class A.

Item 9—1 cubic yard of brick masonry.

Item 10—2 cubic yards of extra earth excavation.

Item 11—50 square feet of flagstone sidewalk pavement, redressed and relaid.

Item 12—16 square feet of flagstone sidewalk pavement, furnished and laid.

Item 13—6 linear feet of curb, reset in concrete.

Item 14—21 square yards of roadway pavement, all kinds, for which double deposit is required.

FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS WHERE NECESSARY AND PAVING WITH A PERMANENT PAVEMENT OF SHEET ASPHALT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION SIX INCHES IN THICKNESS, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO, IN ANTHONY AVE. FROM HALLECK AVE. TO CATALPA AVE.; ALSO FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH A PERMANENT PAVEMENT OF SHEET ASPHALT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION SIX (6) INCHES IN THICKNESS, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO, IN ANTHONY AVE. FROM SILVER ST. TO CATALPA AVE., AND IN CORNELIA ST. FROM FOREST AVE. TO ANTHONY AVE. ALL IN THE SECOND WARD OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be seventy-five (75) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Seven Thousand (\$7,000) Dollars.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

75 linear feet of cement curb, and one (1) year's maintenance.

500 square feet of cement sidewalk, and one (1) year's maintenance.

1,020 cubic yards of concrete, in place.

6,070 square yards of sheet asphalt pavement, including binder course, and five (5) year's maintenance.

170 square yards of old stone block pavement relaid.

110 square yards of old stone block pavement to be taken up, purchased and removed by the contractor.

NO. 4. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH A PERMANENT PAVEMENT OF SHEET ASPHALT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION SIX INCHES IN THICKNESS, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO, IN HANCOCK ST. FROM WYCKOFF AVE. TO CYPRESS AVE., AND IN DECATUR ST. FROM BROOKLYN BOROUGH LINE TO WYCKOFF AVE., AND FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, LAYING SIDEWALKS (WHERE NOT ALREADY LAID TO GRADE AND IN GOOD CONDITION) AND PAVING WITH A PERMANENT PAVEMENT, CONSISTING OF SHEET ASPHALT ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION SIX (6) INCHES IN THICKNESS, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO, IN CORNELIA ST. FROM WYCKOFF AVE. TO THE BOROUGH LINE. ALL IN THE SECOND WARD, BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be sixty (60) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Ten Thousand (\$10,000) Dollars.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

80 cubic yards of earth excavation.

50 linear feet of old curb, redressed and reset.

485 linear feet of cement curb, with steel nosing, and one (1) year's maintenance.

600 square feet of old flagstone sidewalk, retimmed and relaid.

850 square feet cement sidewalk, and one (1) year's maintenance.

1,240 cubic yards of concrete in place.

7,400 square yards of sheet asphalt pavement, including binder course, and five (5) year's maintenance.

50 square yards of old stone block pavement relaid.

30 linear feet of 12-inch vitrified pipe in place.

2 new catch basins.

2 catch basins rebuilt.

NO. 5. FOR CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS ON THE SOUTHWESTERLY SIDE AND FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH A PERMANENT PAVEMENT OF SHEET ASPHALT UPON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION SIX INCHES IN THICKNESS, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO, IN HOYT AVE. FROM 2D AVE. TO FLUSHING AVE., FIRST WARD OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be thirty (30) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Twenty-one Hundred (\$2,100) Dollars.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

220 linear feet of cement curb, with steel nosing, and one (1) year's maintenance.

950 square feet of cement sidewalk, and one (1) year's maintenance.

260 cubic yards of concrete in place.

1,550 square yards of sheet asphalt pavement, including binder course, and five (5) year's maintenance.

15 square yards asphalt block pavement out of maintenance to be relaid, including six (6) inch concrete foundation and mortar bed.

50 square feet crosswalk to be relaid (not to be bid for).

The bidder must state the price of each item or article contained in the specification or schedule herein contained, or hereafter annexed, per square yard, linear foot or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. Bids will be compared and each contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum. Blank forms may be obtained and the plans or drawings may be seen at the office of the President of the Borough of Queens.

Dated, Nov. 2, 1916.

n2.14 MAURICE E. CONNOLLY, President.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the President of the Borough of Queens at 3d floor, Borough Hall, 5th st. and Jackson ave., L. I. City, until 11 a. m., on

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 1916.

NO. 1.—FOR REGULATING AND GRADING THE SIDEWALK AND GUTTER SPACES AND LAYING SIDEWALKS WHERE NECESSARY, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO, IN 95TH (CHICHESTER) AVE. ON THE NORTH SIDE FROM 96TH ST. (WILLARD AVE.) (VANDERVEER PL.) TO 97TH ST. (HATCH AVE.) AND ON THE SOUTH SIDE FROM 96TH ST. (WILLARD AVE.) (VANDERVEER PL.) TO 98TH ST. (THEODOR AVE.) (OAKLEY AVE.) AND ON THE EAST SIDE OF 96TH ST. (WILLARD AVE.) (VANDERVEER PL.) FROM 95TH (CHICHESTER) AVE. TO ATLANTIC AVE.; AND ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF ATLANTIC AVE. FROM 96TH ST. (WILLARD AVE.) (VANDERVEER PL.) TO 97TH ST. (HATCH AVE.), FOURTH WARD, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 435 OF THE CHARTER.

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 Eight Hundred (\$800) Dollars.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

250 cubic yards earth excavation.

7,500 square feet cement sidewalk and one (1) year's maintenance.

3 catch basins to be adjusted.

NO. 2.—FOR REGULATING AND GRADING THE SIDEWALK SPACE FOR FULL WIDTH WHERE ABOVE GRADE AND FOR A

WIDTH NOT EXCEEDING THIRTEEN (13) FEET WHERE BELOW GRADE, FOR REGULATING AND GRADING THE GUTTER SPACE, FOR SETTING CURB AND LAYING SIDEWALK WHERE NECESSARY, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL, ON THE EASTERLY SIDE OF 4TH AVE. FROM BROADWAY TO JAMAICA AVE., 1ST WARD, OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 435 OF THE GREATER NEW YORK CHARTER.

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 Nine Hundred (\$900) Dollars.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

100 cubic yards earth excavation.

300 cubic yards of embankment (in excess of excavation).

950 linear feet of cement curb with steel nosing and one (1) year's maintenance.

4,750 square feet of cement sidewalk and one (1) year's maintenance.

Incidental work (not to be bid for) shall include the following:

10 linear feet bluestone curb reset in concrete, at the intersection of Broadway.

10 linear feet bluestone curb reset at the intersection of Jamaica ave.

2 square yards sheet asphalt pavement (out of maintenance), including six-inch concrete foundation to be restored in accordance with specifications for repaving sheet asphalt, during the year 1916.

2 square yards old granite block pavement (out of maintenance), including eight-inch concrete foundation to be restored in accordance with specifications on file for regulating and repaving with improved granite blocks and with old granite blocks split and redressed, on a concrete foundation, together with all work incidental thereto, in Broadway, from Vernon ave. to Newtown rd., 1st Ward (Office Specification No. 740).

NO. 3.—FOR LAYING SIDEWALKS WHERE NECESSARY, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO, IN GREENE AVE. FROM BROOKLYN BOROUGH LINE TO FOREST AVE., SECOND WARD, OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 435 OF THE GREATER NEW YORK CHARTER.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be thirty (30) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Nine Hundred (\$900) Dollars.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

160 square feet of old flagstone sidewalk retimmed and relaid.

11,000 square feet of cement sidewalk, and one (1) year's maintenance.

NO. 4.—FOR LAYING CROSSWALKS, AND ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO, ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF POTTER AVE. ACROSS GOODRICH ST., FIRST WARD, OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 435 OF THE GREATER NEW YORK CHARTER.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be two consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Forty (\$40) Dollars.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

94 square feet of new crosswalks, including all grading.

NO. 5.—FOR REGULATING AND GRADING THE SIDEWALK SPACES FOR A WIDTH OF TWELVE (12) FEET AND FOR LAYING SIDEWALKS WHERE NECESSARY, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO, IN YALE AVE. FROM JAMAICA AVE. (FULTON ST.) TO CANONBURY RD. (LARREMORE AVE.), IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 435 OF THE CHARTER.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be fifteen (15) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Eight Hundred and Fifty (\$850) Dollars.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

200 cubic yards of earth excavation.

500 cubic yards of embankment in excess of excavation.

8,400 square feet of cement sidewalk and one (1) year's maintenance.

NO. 6.—FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND REGULATING FLAGGING AND REFLAGGING WHERE NECESSARY, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO, IN 4TH ST., FROM EAST AVE. TO VAN ALST AVE., AND PAVING WITH A PERMANENT PAVEMENT OF SHEET ASPHALT UPON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION SIX INCHES IN THICKNESS, FROM A LINE ABOUT 327.6 FEET EAST OF EAST AVE. TO VAN ALST AVE., AND FOR REPAVING WITH SHEET ASPHALT PAVEMENT UPON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION SIX (6) INCHES IN THICKNESS, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO, IN 4TH ST., FROM EAST AVE. TO LINE 327.6 FEET EAST THEREOF, FIRST WARD OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be forty (40) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Forty-five Hundred (\$4,500) Dollars.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

200 cubic yards of embankment in excess of excavation.

1,000 linear feet of new bluestone curb.

350 linear feet of old curb redressed and reset.

6,300 square feet of new flagstone sidewalk.

4,700 square feet of old flagstone sidewalk retimmed and relaid.

375 square feet of cement sidewalk and one (1) year's maintenance.

390 cubic yards of concrete in place.

2,310 square yards of sheet asphalt pavement, including binder course, and five (5) years maintenance.

1,130 square yards of old stone block pavement to be taken up, purchased and removed by the Contractor.

2 catch basins to be adjusted, not to be bid for.

9 manholes to be adjusted, not to be bid for.

NO. 7.—FOR REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING AND LAYING SIDEWALKS (WHERE NOT ALREADY LAID TO GRADE AND IN GOOD CONDITION), TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO, IN DEKALB AVE. FROM THE BROOKLYN BOROUGH LINE TO ONDERDONK AVE., AND FOR PAVING WITH A PERMANENT PAVEMENT OF GRANITE BLOCKS ON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION SIX (6) INCHES IN THICKNESS, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO, IN DEKALB AVE. FROM ONDERDONK AVE. TO SENECA (COVERT) AVE., SECOND WARD OF THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be forty (40) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be Forty-five Hundred (\$4,500) Dollars.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

450 cubic yards of earth excavation.

200 cubic yards of embankment in excess of excavation.

1,200 linear feet of cement curb, with steel nosing and one (1) year's maintenance.

800 square feet of old flagstone sidewalk retimmed and relaid.

5,500 square feet cement sidewalk and one (1) year's maintenance.

210 cubic yards of concrete in place, outside of the railroad franchise area.

1,250 square yards improved granite block pavement (laid outside of the railroad franchise area, including sand bed and bituminous grouted joints, and one (1) year's maintenance).

180 square yards of improved granite block pavement (laid within the railroad franchise area, including sand bed and bituminous grouted joints and no maintenance).

60 linear feet of 12-inch vitrified pipe in place.

100 square yards old stone block pavement relaid.

10 square yards asphalt block pavement, including six (6) inch concrete foundation and mortar bed, to be relaid.

2 catch basins (new).

1 catch basin rebuilt.

NO. 8.—FOR REGULATING AND REPAVING WITH A PERMANENT PAVEMENT OF IMPROVED GRANITE BLOCKS UPON A CONCRETE FOUNDATION SIX INCHES IN THICKNESS, TOGETHER WITH ALL WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO, IN THE SOUTHERLY SIDE OF NOTT AVE., FROM HANCOCK ST. TO VAN ALST AVE., FIRST WARD.

The time allowed for doing and completing the above work will be forty (40) consecutive working days.

The amount of security required will be six thousand (\$6,000) Dollars.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

200 linear feet of cement curb with steel nosing and one (1) year's maintenance.

450 cubic yards of concrete in place, outside of the railroad franchise area.

2,600 square yards of improved granite block pavement laid outside of the railroad franchise area, including sand bed and cement grouted joints, and one (1) year's maintenance.

40 square yards sheet asphalt pavement, including binder course, to be restored.

5 square yards of sheet asphalt pavement, including six (6) inch concrete foundation and binder course (under maintenance), to be restored (not to be bid for).

The bidder must state the price of each item or article contained in the specification or schedule herein contained, or hereafter annexed, per square yard, linear foot or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. Bids will be compared and each contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum. Blank forms may be obtained and the plans or drawings may be seen at the office of the President of the Borough of Queens.

Dated Oct. 25, 1916.

MAURICE E. CONNOLLY, President.

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

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION.

Invitation to Contractors.

For the Construction of Signal Towers for Parts of the Seventh Avenue-Lexington Avenue, White Plains Road and Queensboro Subway Rapid Transit Railroads.

SEALED BIDS OR PROPOSALS FOR THE construction of thirteen signal towers on the Seventh Avenue-Lexington Avenue and White Plains Road Rapid Transit Railroad, in the Borough of The Bronx and on the Queensboro Subway Rapid Transit Railroad, in the Borough of Queens, will be received by the Public Service Commission for the First District (hereinafter called the "Commission"), at the office of the Commission at No. 120 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, until the 9th day of November, 1916, at eleven thirty (11.30) o'clock a. m., at which time and place or at a later date to be fixed by the Commission, the proposals will be publicly opened.

The structures for which said signal towers are to be provided are 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 E. 157th street, and extending thence northerly over City property, River avenue and Jerome avenue to Woodlawn road; on that part of the White Plains Road Rapid Transit Railroad beginning in the block bounded by West Farms road, Devoe avenue, E. 180th street and Bronx street and extending thence easterly and northeasterly over the Bronx River, City property and intersecting streets to a point in E. 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 E. 241st street; and on that part of the Queensboro Subway Rapid Transit Railroad beginning at a point on the Queensboro Bridge Plaza, in the Borough of Queens, and extending thence easterly along and over the Queensboro Bridge Plaza to a point at or near Jackson avenue, where the road divides into two branches; one branch curving to the north and extending thence in a northerly direction along and over Jackson avenue and Second avenue to a point over Second avenue about three hundred and thirty (330) feet south of the center line of Ditmars avenue; and the other branch extending in an easterly direction along and over Queens Boulevard, Greenpoint avenue, Skillman avenue and Roosevelt avenue to a point over Roosevelt avenue about seventy (70) feet east of the easterly line of Sycamore avenue (Alburtis avenue).

The Contractor must begin work within ten days after the delivery of the contract and shall complete all work within four 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, Oct. 20, 1916.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION FOR THE FIRST DISTRICT, By OSCAR S. STRAUS, Chairman.

JAMES B. WALKER, Secretary.

Notice of Hearing on Form of Contract.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A PUBLIC hearing will be held at the office of the Public Service Commission for the First District, at No. 120 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York City, on the 6th day of November, 1916, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., upon the proposed terms and conditions of a contract for the construction of Section 3 of Route No. 49, being part of the Culver Rapid Transit Railroad.

The said section may be briefly described as follows:

Section No. 3. Beginning at a point in Shell road, in the Borough of Brooklyn, about five hundred and twenty-five (525) feet south of the intersection of the center line of Gravesend avenue and the southerly building line of Avenue X produced, and extending thence southerly over and along Shell road and West 6th street and over Sheepshead Bay road and private property to a connection with the Coney Island Terminal.

Copies of the said contract may be obtained at the office of the said Public Service Commission for one dollar each.

Dated, New York, Oct. 19, 1916.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION FOR THE FIRST DISTRICT, By OSCAR S. STRAUS, Chairman.

JAMES B. WALKER, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY, GAS AND ELECTRICITY.

Sale of Dead or Abandoned Gas Lamp-posts.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED AND publicly opened in Room 2351, Municipal Building, Manhattan, by the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, at 11 a. m., on

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 1916.

FOR THE PURCHASE AND REMOVAL OF APPROXIMATELY 7,500 DEAD OR ABANDONED LAMP-POSTS NOW STANDING IN THE STREETS AND PUBLIC PLACES WITHIN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

For the purposes of taking bids and making awards thereon, the Borough is divided into four zones, as follows:

Zone A. That portion of the Borough of Manhattan lying south of the center line of 42nd st.

Zone B. That portion of the Borough of Manhattan lying between the center line of 42nd st. and the center line of 106th st.

Zone C. That portion of the Borough of Manhattan lying between the center line of 106th st. and the center line of 145th st.

Zone D. That portion of the Borough of Manhattan lying north of the center line of 145th st.

It is the intent to provide for the sale and removal of all dead and abandoned lamp-posts excepting only those upon which will be found mail boxes or signs placed thereon by the Borough President. The bidders will, however, be required to determine for themselves, by personal inspection, the exact number of lamp-posts to be sold and removed within the several zones.

The amount of security required for the faithful performance of the terms of the agreement will be \$500 for each zone included within the agreement. Such security either in cash, certified check or by bond satisfactory to the Commissioner must be furnished prior to the execution of the agreement.

The successful bidder or bidders will be required to execute the agreement hereinafter referred to within three days after receipt of notice of the acceptance of the bid or bids.

The purchaser must commence the removal of the lamp-posts within ten days after the delivery of the agreement and will be required to effect removal at the rate of not less than fifty lamp-posts for each working day.

Before removing any lamp-posts it will be necessary for the purchaser to procure a permit from the Borough President upon such conditions as he may prescribe. A condition precedent to the issuance of these permits by the Borough President will be the approval thereof by this department. Such approval will be given only after payment by the purchaser to the department of a sum equivalent to the purchase price, based upon the unit prices named in this agreement, of the lamp-post or lamp-posts in respect of which the permit is sought.

Bidders may submit a bid on any one or more zones.

The wards, if made, will be made for each zone separately, to the highest bidder.

The awards, if made, will be made as soon after the opening of bids as practicable. The right is reserved to reject all bids on any one or more zones.

Blank forms upon which the bids must be made, maps showing the boundaries of the several zones, together with the approximate number of dead lamp-posts in each zone, and the form of agreement which the successful bidder or bidders will be required to execute, may be obtained in Room 2351, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

WILLIAM WILLIAMS, Commissioner.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity at Room 2351, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 11 a. m., on

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 9, 1916.

Borough of Manhattan.

RESERVING AND FURNISHING ELECTRICAL GENERATING CAPACITY, CURRENT AND EQUIPMENT FOR USE OF THE HIGH PRESSURE FIRE SERVICE PUMPING STATIONS FOR THE YEAR 1917.

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

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

Dated, Oct. 25, 1916.

WILLIAM WILLIAMS, Commissioner.

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

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Commissioner of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity at Room 2351, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 11 a. m., on

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 9, 1916.

Borough of Brooklyn.

RESERVING AND FURNISHING ELECTRICAL GENERATING CAPACITY, CURRENT AND EQUIPMENT FOR USE OF THE HIGH PRESSURE FIRE SERVICE PUMPING STATIONS FOR THE YEAR 1917.

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

Blank forms of bid, proposals and contract, including specifications approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel, can

FOR HAULING AND LAYING CONNECTING CAST IRON MAINS AND APPURTENANCES IN THE BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN AND QUEENS.

The time allowed for doing and completing the entire work is one hundred and twenty-five (125) consecutive working days.

The amount in which security is required for the performance of the contract is Fifteen Thousand Dollars (\$15,000).

The bids will be compared and the award made in an aggregate or lump sum to the lowest formal bidder.

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

Dated Oct. 23, 1916.

o26,n6 WILLIAM WILLIAMS, Commissioner.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PLANT AND STRUCTURES.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner at his office, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 2 p. m., on **THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 16, 1916,**

FOR THE IMPROVEMENT OF THE SOUTHERLY PORTION OF THE MANHATTAN PLAZA OF THE MANHATTAN BRIDGE.

The Contractor will be required to begin work within five days after the date of a written notice from the Commissioner to proceed with the work, and will be required to complete the entire work to the satisfaction of the Commissioner and in accordance with the plans and specifications within two hundred (200) consecutive working days from the date of such written notice to proceed.

The amount of security to guarantee the faithful performance of the work will be Twenty-five Thousand Dollars (\$25,000).

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 Plant and Structures.

F. J. H. KRACKE, Commissioner.

Dated Oct. 26, 1916.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Department of Plant and Structures at the office of the Central Purchase Committee, Room 1220, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 12 noon, on **MONDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 1916,**

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING GASOLINE.

The time for the performance of the contract is on or before Dec. 31, 1916.

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

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

The bidder will state the price per unit, as called for in the schedules of quantities and prices, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total and awards, if made, made to the lowest bidder on the item, as stated in the schedules.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Central Purchase Committee, 12th floor, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

DEPARTMENT OF PLANT AND STRUCTURES, F. J. H. KRACKE, Commissioner. o25,n6

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.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

RESOLUTIONS.

Section 83A of the Labor Law, as amended by the laws of 1916, now exempts factory buildings from the requirements of interior alarms and fire drills when the building is equipped with an automatic sprinkler system covering every square foot of floor area and having two adequate sources of water supply. (See Note attached.)

Note—The above exemption does not apply when the maximum number of occupants on any one floor exceeds by more than 50 per cent. the capacity of the exits determined by subdivision 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7 of Section 79E of the Labor Law.

That the following be and hereby are adopted as regulations governing sources of supply for automatic sprinkler systems:

Regulations Governing Sources of Supply for Automatic Sprinkler Systems.

Sources of Supply: (a) Direct City Connection. (b) Gravity tank. (c) Pressure tank. (d) Pump. Of these the following will be considered as constituting two sources of supply:

(a) Direct city connections on two different streets. (b) Two pressure tanks. (c) Combination of any two of the above sources.

Pressures.

Gravity Tanks: No gravity tank to have an elevation less than 20 feet above the top line of sprinklers.

Direct City Connection: Direct city connections to give at least 15 lbs. per square inch at uppermost line of sprinklers.

Pressure Tanks: When pressure tanks are used, a pressure of 75 lbs. per square inch to be maintained and contents of tanks are to be so proportioned that a pressure of 15 lbs. per square inch will be available when all the water is discharged. Tanks not to be located below upper story of building.

Capacities.

Gravity Tanks: Tank used to hold the quantity corresponding to that discharged by 25% of the heads in the largest fire area protected for 20 minutes, assuming each head discharges 20 gals. per minute.

Pressure Tanks: When a pressure tank is used in combination with one of the other permitted sources of supply, it shall have a capacity equivalent to the quantity discharged from 12½% of the heads in the largest fire area protected for 20 minutes, assuming each head discharges 20 gals. per minute. When two pressure tanks constitute the two sources of supply, the two tanks shall have a combined capacity equivalent to the quantity discharged from 25% of the heads in the largest fire area protected for 20 minutes, assuming each head discharges 20 gals. per minute. Where specially hazardous conditions exist and where two pressure tanks constitute the two sources of supply, each tank shall have a capacity equivalent to the quantity discharged from 25% of the heads in the largest fire area protected for 20 minutes, assuming each head discharges 20 gals. per minute.

Direct City Connections: The size of the connection shall be at least as large as that of the main riser. Each connection shall have a conveniently accessible control valve fixed to it at or near the curb, or when possible still further away from building and so arranged as to allow the supply to be shut off. Such control valve shall be so marked as to indicate the purpose of the connection to which it is attached, and whether it is open or closed.

Pumps: Pump shall be capable of furnishing water for 25% of the heads of the largest area protected, assuming a discharge of 20 gallons per minute from each head. Supply for pump shall be either a suction tank or a direct connection to the street main or other approved source and shall be sufficient to supply pump at its rated capacity for 60 minutes.

Note: In extraordinary cases the Bureau of Fire Prevention reserves the right to modify these regulations.

Safety Sprinkler Heads.

That a general approval be granted to the Wells and Newton Company, 292-298 Avenue B, New York City, for safety sprinkler head manufactured by said Company and submitted to and examined by the Laboratory of the Bureau of Fire Prevention, the same having successfully passed all tests and requirements of the Fire Department.

—and further

Resolved, That in the interest of improving the methods of the manufacture of sprinkler heads, the manufacturer shall install, at the direction of the Fire Commissioner, a suitable machine, if and when the same is designed, for holding and maintaining the necessary pressure upon the parts of the fusible link while such parts are being subjected to the soldering process and subsequent cooling.

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Notice of Hearing.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A public hearing will be held on Wednesday, November 15, 1916, at 2:30 p. m., in the Trial Room of the Fire Department on the 11th floor of the Municipal Building, for consideration of the following proposed regulations governing the manufacture and handling of soda water and carbonated beverages:

Tentative Regulations Governing the Manufacture and Handling of Soda Water and Carbonated Beverages.

1—No person shall transfer Carbonic Acid from a container with a pressure of more than 300 pounds per square inch into a container of glass or metal, not capable of resisting a pressure equal to that in the original container, without a permit from the Fire Commissioner.

2—No person shall transfer Carbonic Acid from a container with a pressure of more than 300 pounds per square inch into a vessel or container of glass or metal, not capable of resisting a pressure equal to that of the original container, without interpassing between the two containers, a pressure reducing and regulating device, and a weaker container, a safety device, of a type approved by the Fire Commissioner.

3—No person shall transfer Carbonic Acid from a container with a pressure of more than 300 pounds per square inch into any vessel or container of glass or metal without a certificate of fitness.

4—The fee for a permit to transfer carbonic acid to a container of lower pressure, for distribution to the trade, to be \$5.00.

5—The fee for a permit to transfer carbonic acid to a container of lower pressure, for use only by the operator at his own retail soda water stand, to be \$2.00.

6—The fee for all certificates of fitness of this nature to be \$2.00, both originals and renews.

CLARENCE H. FAY, Deputy Fire Commissioner, and Chairman, Board of Hazardous Trades. o19,26,n2,9

Auction Sale.

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

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 1916,

at premises 130 E. 13th st., Manhattan, at 12 noon on said date, the following six horses:

HORSES REGISTERED NOS. 73-N. Y., 178-N. Y., 270-B., 307-B., 410-B. AND 682-B.

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

ROBERT ADAMSON, Fire Commissioner. n1,3

Proposals.

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

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 14, 1916,

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING ANTHRACITE COAL (PEA SIZE).

The time allowed for the performance of the contract is on or before Dec. 15, 1916.

The amount of security required is thirty per cent. (30%) 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 ton or other unit of measure, by which the bids will be tested. The extension must be made, as the bids will be read from the total, and award, if made, will be to the lowest bidder for the entire contract.

Bids for supplies must be submitted in duplicate.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Fire Department, 11th floor, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

ROBERT ADAMSON, Fire Commissioner. n1,14

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

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

Notice of Public Hearings.

PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT MATTERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT the meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on October 27, 1916 (Cal. No. 13), the Board continued until November 10, 1916, the hearing in the matter of acquiring title to Yellowstone Avenue from Woodhaven Avenue to 51st street, subject to the easements of the Glendale Cut-off and of the Main Line Division of the Long Island Railroad Company, Borough of Queens.

The hearing will be held in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, November 10, 1916, at 10:30 o'clock a. m.

The map showing the area of assessment in this proceeding was published in the City Record from September 29 to October 10, 1916.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Municipal Building. Telephone, 4560 Worth. o31,n10

Dated, October 31, 1916.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT THE meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on October 27, 1916 (Cal. No. 14), the Board continued until November 10, 1916, the hearing in the matter of acquiring title to Penelope street from Juniper Avenue to Queens Boulevard, Borough of Queens.

The hearing will be held in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, November 10, 1916, at 10:30 o'clock a. m.

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JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Municipal Building. Telephone, 4560 Worth. o31,n10

Dated, October 31, 1916.

ment held on October 27, 1916 (Cal. No. 14), the Board continued until November 10, 1916, the hearing in the matter of acquiring title to Penelope street from Juniper Avenue to Queens Boulevard, Borough of Queens.

The hearing will be held in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, November 10, 1916, at 10:30 o'clock a. m.

The map showing the area of assessment in this proceeding was published in the City Record from September 29 to October 10, 1916.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Municipal Building. Telephone, 4560 Worth. o31,n10

Dated, October 31, 1916.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT THE meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on October 27, 1916 (Cal. No. 16), the Board continued until November 10, 1916, the hearing in the matter of acquiring title to Thew Avenue, from Penelope street to Nassau Avenue (North Hempstead Turnpike), Borough of Queens.

The hearing will be held in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, November 10, 1916, at 10:30 o'clock a. m.

The following is the proposed area of assessment in the proceeding:

Bounded on the north by a line always distant 100 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly line of Nassau Avenue, as this street is laid out in the tangents adjoining Thew Avenue and the prolongation thereof, the said distance being measured at right angles to Nassau Avenue; on the east by a line midway between Thew Avenue and Corinth Avenue, as these streets are laid out between Jansen Avenue and Eliot Avenue and by the prolongation of the said line; on the south by a line distant 100 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of Penelope street, the said distance being measured at right angles to Penelope street; and on the west by a line midway between Thew Avenue and Weiss Avenue and by the prolongation of the said line.

Dated, October 31, 1916.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Municipal Building. Telephone, 4560 Worth. o31,n10

Dated, October 30, 1916.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT the meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, held on October 27, 1916 (Cal. No. 2), the Board continued until November 3, 1916, the hearing in the matter of changing the lines and grades of the street system within the territory bounded by the United States Government Reservation, Battery Avenue, 92nd street and 7th Avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, which proposed change is more particularly shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the Commissioner of Public Works of the Borough, and dated October 3, 1916.

The hearing will be held in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, November 3, 1916, at 10:30 o'clock a. m.

Dated October 30, 1916.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Municipal Building. Telephone 4560 Worth. o30,n3

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT the meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, held on October 27, 1916 (Cal. No. 5), the Board continued until November 3, 1916, the hearing in the matter of establishing lines and grades for Ocean Promenade from Beach 126th street to a line 100.01 feet west of the westerly side of Beach 141st street; and by laying out a proposed park bounded by Ocean Promenade, a line 50 feet west of and parallel with the easterly line of Beach 126th street, the Atlantic Ocean and a line 101 feet west of and parallel with the westerly side of Beach 141st street, Borough of Queens, which proposed change is more particularly shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the President of the Borough, and dated May 19, 1916.

The hearing will be held in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, November 3, 1916, at 10:30 o'clock a. m.

Dated October 30, 1916.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Municipal Building. Telephone 4560 Worth. o30,n3

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT the meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, held on October 27, 1916 (Cal. No. 9), the Board continued until November 3, 1916, the hearing in the matter of acquiring title to Remsen Avenue, from Ralph Avenue to the junction of East New York Avenue and Utica Avenue, Borough of Brooklyn.

The hearing will be held in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, November 3, 1916, at 10:30 o'clock a. m.

The following is the proposed area of assessment in the proceeding:

Beginning at a point on the southerly line of Lefferts Avenue midway between Utica Avenue and Schenectady Avenue and running thence northwardly at right angles to Malbone street, to the intersection with a line midway between Crown street and Montgomery street; thence eastwardly along the said line midway between Crown street and Montgomery street to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between East 93rd street and East 94th street; thence southwardly along the said line midway between East 93rd street and East 94th street to a point distant 100 feet northwesterly from the northwesterly line of Church Avenue; thence generally westwardly and always distant 100 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly line of Church Avenue to the intersection with a line midway between East 55th street and East 56th street; thence northwardly along the said line midway between East 55th street and East 56th street to a point distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Linden Avenue; thence westwardly and parallel with Linden Avenue to the intersection with a line midway between East 54th street and East 55th street; thence northwardly along the said line midway between East 54th street and East 55th street to a point distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Linden Avenue; thence westwardly and parallel with Linden Avenue to the intersection with a line midway between East 53rd street and East 54th street; thence northwardly along the said line midway between East 53rd street and East 54th street to a point distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Lenox road; thence westwardly and parallel with Lenox road to the intersection with a line midway between East 52nd street and East 53rd street; thence northwardly along the said line midway between East 52nd street and East 53rd street to a point distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Clarkson Avenue; thence westwardly and parallel with Clarkson Avenue to the intersection with a line midway between East 51st street and East 52nd street; thence northwardly along the said line midway between East 51st street and East 52nd street to a point distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Winthrop street; thence westwardly and parallel with Winthrop street to the intersection with a line midway between Utica Avenue and East 51st street; thence northwardly along the said line midway between Utica Avenue and East 51st street to a point distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Rutland road; thence westwardly and parallel with Rutland road to the intersection with a line midway between Utica Avenue and Schenectady Avenue; thence northwardly along the said line midway between Utica Avenue and Schenectady Avenue to the point or place of beginning.

Dated, October 30, 1916.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Municipal Building. Telephone 4560 Worth. o30,n3

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT the meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, held on October 20, 1916 (Cal. No. 89), the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, The Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York is considering the advisability of instituting proceedings to acquire title to the real property required for the opening and extending of 130th street (Maure Avenue), from Metropolitan Avenue to 92nd Avenue (Wisner Place), and from Atlantic Avenue to Liberty Avenue, excluding all land of the Main Line Division of the Long Island Railroad actually in use for railroad purposes, in the Borough of Queens, City of New York; and

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

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

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed area of assessment at a meeting of the Board to be held in the City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, in the City Hall, on Friday, November 17, 1916, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., and that at the same time and place a public hearing thereon will then and there be had.

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

Dated October 27, 1916.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Municipal Building. Telephone, 4560 Worth. o27,n8

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to establish lines and grades of an extension of the low level section of West 134th street from a point 200 feet east of 12th Avenue to a point 300 feet east of 12th Avenue, Borough of Manhattan, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, November 10, 1916, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set

forth in the following diagram:

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed area of assessment at a meeting of the Board to be held in the City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, in the City Hall, on Friday, November 17, 1916, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., and that at the same time and place a public hearing thereon will then and there be had.

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

Dated October 27, 1916.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Municipal Building. Telephone, 4560 Worth. o27,n8

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to establish lines and grades of an extension of the low level section of West 134th street from a point 200 feet east of 12th Avenue to a point 300 feet east of 12th Avenue, Borough of Manhattan, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, November 10, 1916, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set

forth in the following diagram:

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed area of assessment at a meeting of the Board to be held in the City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, in the City Hall, on Friday, November 17, 1916, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., and that at the same time and place a public hearing thereon will then and there be had.

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

Dated October 27, 1916.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Municipal Building. Telephone, 4560 Worth. o27,n8

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to establish lines and grades of an extension of the low level section of West 134th street from a point 200 feet east of 12th Avenue to a point 300 feet east of 12th Avenue, Borough of Manhattan, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, November 10, 1916, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set

forth in the following diagram:

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed area of assessment at a meeting of the Board to be held in the City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, in the City Hall, on Friday, November 17, 1916, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., and that at the same time and place a public hearing thereon will then and there be had.

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

Dated October 27, 1916.

JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Municipal Building. Telephone, 4560 Worth. o27,n8

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to establish lines and grades of an extension of the low level section of West 134th street from a point 200 feet east of 12th Avenue to a point 300 feet east of 12th Avenue, Borough of Manhattan, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, November 10, 1916, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set

forth in the following diagram:

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed area of assessment at a meeting of the Board to be held in the City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, in the City Hall, on Friday, November 17, 1916, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., and that at the same time and place a public hearing thereon will then and there be had.

Resolved, That the Secretary

forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on October 13, 1916 (Cal. No. 154), notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of Section 442 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York by establishing lines and grades of an extension of the low level section of West 134th street from a point 200 feet east of 12th avenue to a point 300 feet east of 12th avenue, Borough of Manhattan, which proposed change is more particularly shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the President of the Borough and dated October 11, 1916.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, November 10, 1916, at 10:30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions, and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the City Record for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 10th day of November, 1916.

Dated October 27, 1916.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building, Telephone, 4560 Worth. o27,n8

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to change the grade of Crown street from Albany avenue to Troy avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, November 10, 1916, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on October 13, 1916 (Cal. No. 135), notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of Section 442 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the grade of Crown street from Albany avenue to Troy avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, which proposed change is more particularly shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the Commissioner of the Public Works of the Borough and dated August 19, 1916.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, the 10th day of November, 1916, at 10:30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions, and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the City Record and the corporation newspapers for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 10th day of November, 1916.

Dated October 27, 1916.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Municipal Building, Telephone, 4560 Worth. o27,n8

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to change the grades of West 238th street between Orloff avenue and Cannon place, and the grades of the platform formed by the intersection of Fort Independence street, West 238th street and Orloff avenue, Borough of The Bronx, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, November 10, 1916, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on October 13, 1916 (Cal. No. 136), notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of Section 442 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the grades of West 238th street between Orloff avenue and Cannon place, and the grades of the platform formed by the intersection of Fort Independence street, West 238th street and Orloff avenue, Borough of The Bronx, which proposed change is more particularly shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the President of the Borough and dated July 6, 1916.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, November 10, 1916, at 10:30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions, and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the City Record for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 10th day of November, 1916.

Dated October 27, 1916.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building, Telephone, 4560 Worth. o27,n8

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to change the grades of the street system within the territory bounded by Tinton avenue, East 147th street, Union avenue, East 149th street, Austin place, St. Joseph street, Timpson place and East 145th street, Borough of The Bronx, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, November 10, 1916, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on October 13, 1916 (Cal. No. 137), notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of Section 442 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the grades of the street system within the territory bounded by Tinton avenue, East 147th street, Union avenue, East 149th street, Austin place, St. Joseph street, Timpson place and East 145th street, Borough of The

Bronx, which proposed change is more particularly shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the President of the Borough and dated November 6, 1915.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, November 10, 1916, at 10:30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions, and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the City Record for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 10th day of November, 1916.

Dated October 27, 1916.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building, Telephone, 4560 Worth. o27,n8

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to change the grades of the street system within the territory bounded by Bronxville avenue, Matthews avenue, the New York, Westchester and Boston Railway, Paulding avenue and Rhineland avenue, Borough of The Bronx, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, November 10, 1916, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on October 13, 1916 (Cal. No. 138), notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of Section 442 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the grades of the street system within the territory bounded by Bronxville avenue, Matthews avenue, the New York, Westchester and Boston Railway, Paulding avenue and Rhineland avenue, Borough of The Bronx, which proposed change is more particularly shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the President of the Borough, and dated April 11, 1916.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, November 10, 1916, at 10:30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions, and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the City Record for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 10th day of November, 1916.

Dated October 27, 1916.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building, Telephone, 4560 Worth. o27,n8

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to change the lines of Metz avenue from Fisk avenue to 19th street, Borough of Queens, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, November 10, 1916, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on October 13, 1916 (Cal. No. 139), notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of Section 442 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York by changing the lines of Metz avenue from Fisk avenue to 19th street, Borough of Queens, which proposed change is more particularly shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the President of the Borough and dated July 3, 1915.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, November 10, 1916, at 10:30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions, and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the City Record for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 10th day of November, 1916.

Dated October 27, 1916.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building, Telephone, 4560 Worth. o27,n8

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to establish lines and grades of the street system within the territory designated as Section No. 188 of the Final Maps, Borough of Queens, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, November 10, 1916, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on October 13, 1916 (Cal. No. 140), notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of Section 442 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York by establishing the lines and grades of the street system within the territory bounded approximately by Klondike street and its prolongation, Eran avenue, Maure avenue, Flynn avenue, Kansas avenue and its prolongation, and the Bulkhead Line of Jamaica Bay, Section No. 188 of the Final Maps, Borough of Queens, which proposed change is more particularly shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the President of the Borough and dated February 1, 1915.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, November 10, 1916, at 10:30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions, and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the City Record for ten days con-

tinuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 10th day of November, 1916.

Dated October 27, 1916.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building, Telephone, 4560 Worth. o27,n8

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York so as to lay out 11 public parks to adjoin the Grand Central Parkway in the section between Kissena Boulevard and the City Line, Borough of Queens, and that a meeting of said Board will be held in the Old Council Chamber, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, November 10, 1916, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., at which such proposed change will be considered by said Board; all of which is more particularly set forth and described in the following resolutions adopted by the Board on October 13, 1916 (Cal. No. 141), notice of the adoption of which is hereby given, viz.:

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of The City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of Section 442 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to change the map or plan of The City of New York by laying out 11 public parks adjoining the Grand Central Parkway in the section between Kissena Boulevard and the City Line, and as follows: (1) Bounded by Grand Central Parkway, 83rd (Harnett) Avenue and Kissena Boulevard (Alsop street); (2) bounded by Grand Central Parkway, 86th Avenue and 206th street; (3) Bounded by Grand Central Parkway, Hollis Court Boulevard (Queens road), and 212th street; (4) Bounded by Grand Central Parkway, Hollis Court Boulevard (Queens road) and Spencer Avenue; (5) Bounded by Grand Central Parkway, Spencer Avenue, Whitehall Terrace and Hollis Court Boulevard (Queens road); (6) Bounded by Grand Central Parkway, Springfield Boulevard (Rocky Hill road) and Sawyer Lane; (7) Bounded by Grand Central Parkway, Union Turnpike, Stronghurst Avenue and 228th street; (8) Bounded by Grand Central Parkway, Upland Lane and Underhill Avenue; (9) Bounded by Grand Central Parkway, Gurley Lane and Kennedy Avenue; (10) Within the lines of Grand Central Parkway between Gurley Lane and Ainsworth Avenue; and (11) Bounded by Grand Central Parkway, Ainsworth Avenue and Gurley Lane, Borough of Queens, which proposed change is more particularly shown upon a map or plan bearing the signature of the President of the Borough and dated April 3, 1916.

Resolved, That this Board consider the proposed change at a meeting of the Board to be held in the City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, November 10, 1916, at 10:30 o'clock a. m.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions, and a notice to all persons affected thereby that the proposed change will be considered at a meeting of the Board to be held at the aforesaid time and place, to be published in the City Record for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to the 10th day of November, 1916.

Dated October 27, 1916.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Municipal Building, Telephone, 4560 Worth. o27,n8

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT THE meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on October 13, 1916 (Cal. No. 142), the following resolutions were adopted: Whereas, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment is considering the advisability of amending the proceeding authorized by said Board on September 15, 1916, for acquiring title to Sickles street from Broadway to Nagle Avenue, Borough of Manhattan, so as to relate only to Sickles street between Sherman Avenue and Nagle Avenue;

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

Bounded on the north by a line always distant 100 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly line of Sherman Avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Sherman Avenue; on the east by a line midway between Sickles street and Arden street and by the prolongation of said line; on the south by a line distant 100 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of Nagle Avenue, the said distance being at right angles to Nagle Avenue; and on the west by a line midway between Sickles street and Ellwood street and by the prolongation of the said line.

Resolved, that this Board consider the proposed amended district of assessment at a meeting of the Board to be held in the City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, in the City Hall, on Friday, November 10, 1916, at 10:30 o'clock a. m. and that at the same time and place a public hearing thereon will then and there be had.

Resolved, that the Secretary of this Board cause these resolutions and a notice to all persons affected thereby to be published in the City Record for ten days continuously, Sundays and legal holidays excepted, prior to Friday, November 10, 1916.

Dated October 27, 1916.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Municipal Building, Telephone, 4560 Worth. o27,n8

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT THE meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment held on October 20, 1916 (Cal. No. 4), the Board continued until November 3, 1916, the hearing in the matter of acquiring title to Riker Avenue, from Steinway Avenue to 12th street, subject to any easement or right that may be owned by the New York and Queens County Railway Company, Borough of Queens.

The hearing will be held in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on Friday, November 3, 1916, at 10:30 o'clock a. m. The map showing the area of assessment in this proceeding was published in the City Record from September 1 to 13, 1916.

Dated October 27, 1916.
JOSEPH HAAG, Secretary, Municipal Building, Telephone, 4560 Worth. o23,n2

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Commissioner of Correction and Room 2400, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 11 a. m.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 10, 1916, at which time they will be publicly opened and read.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES ARE WANTED FOR FURNISHING ALL LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR THE FOLLOWING WORK:

(A)—THE GENERAL CONSTRUCTION (EXCLUSIVE OF FOUNDATIONS, PLUMBING AND HEATING) OF THE RECEIVING, CLASSIFICATION AND ADMINISTRATION BUILDING OF THE REFORMATORY OF MALE MISDEMEANANTS AT NEW HAMPTON, ORANGE COUNTY, N. Y.

(B)—THE PLUMBING, DRAINAGE, WATER SUPPLY AND SOAPSTONE PARTITIONS AND STALLS IN CONNECTION THEREWITH FOR THE RECEIVING, CLASSIFICATION AND ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, AT NEW HAMPTON, ORANGE COUNTY, N. Y.

(C)—THE HEATING AND VENTILATING OF THE RECEIVING, CLASSIFICATION AND ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, AT NEW HAMPTON, ORANGE COUNTY, N. Y.

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

Each proposal shall be accompanied by a certified check enclosed in a separate envelope and on a State or National Bank of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Commissioner of Correction, for the amount of not less than five per cent. (5%) of the amount of each security or securities.

The time allowed in the contracts for making and completing the work will be four hundred (400) consecutive calendar days.

The amount of security required will be thirty per cent. (30%) of the amount of the contract in the case of Bid A and fifty per cent. (50%) of the amount of the contract or contracts in the case of Bids B and C.

A copy of plans and specifications and form of agreement are on file at the office of the Department of Correction, Room 2400, Municipal Building, Manhattan; also at Construction Office of New York City Reformatory, New Hampton, Orange County, N. Y., with William Goldsmith, Construction Engineer, and at the Office of Charles B. Myers, Architect, No. 1 Union Square West, Manhattan.

Complete copies of the specifications covering work required under bids A, B and C and blank forms for proposals may be obtained free of cost by prospective bidders at the above designated places.

Copies of the plans for the exclusive use of prospective bidders may be obtained at cost price from Waldorf, Hafner and Schultz, Printers, 9 E. 42nd st., Manhattan, upon an order from the Commissioner of Corrections, Construction Engineer, or Architect.

BURDETTE G. LEWIS, Commissioner. o24,n10

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

BELLEVUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS.

Auction Sale.

THE DEPARTMENT WILL SELL THE Boat Westfield at public auction at 1:30 p. m. on

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 1916.

The Boat is moored at dock at the Foot of E. 29th st., contiguous to the grounds of Bellevue Hospital. Inspection can be made by prospective bidders on Thursday, Nov. 2, 1916, between the hours of 1 and 4 p. m.

The Boat is to be sold "as is" and is to be removed by the successful bidder within five (5) days after the day of sale. The successful bidder will be required to pay cash in full at the time and place of sale. The Board of Trustees reserves the right to order resale if the Boat shall not have been removed by the purchaser within the time specified. If the successful bidder fails to execute his contract in good faith and in case of resale the amount paid at the time and place of sale shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages.

For further particulars apply at the office of the Chief Clerk and Auditor, 400 E. 29th st., Manhattan.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES, BELLEVUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS, By JOHN W. BRANNAN, M. D., President. n1,3

Proposals.

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

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 10, 1916.

FOR COMPLETING THE ABANDONED CONTRACT OF THE ANDREWS BUILDING COMPANY AND THE SOUTHERN SURETY COMPANY FOR PROVIDING ALL LABOR AND MATERIALS NECESSARY OR REQUIRED FOR THE EXCAVATION, MASONRY, CARPENTRY, PAINTING, ELECTRIC, REFRIGERATING AND OTHER WORK AS SET FORTH IN THE DRAWINGS AND SPECIFICATIONS FOR THE CONSTRUCTION AND COMPLETION OF A MACHINE ROOM, COAL VAULT AND STORAGE ROOM TO THE HARLEM HOSPITAL, 136TH-137TH STS. AND LENOX AVE., BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time allowed for the completion of all the work included under this contract is thirty (30) consecutive calendar days.

The security required for the faithful performance of the contract will be one thousand dollars (\$1,000). (Bonds not required with bids.)

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

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

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

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Chief Clerk and Auditor, entrance 400 E. 29th st., Manhattan.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES, BELLEVUE AND ALLIED HOSPITALS, By JOHN W. BRANNAN, M. D., President. b30,n10

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

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

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 10, 1916.

FOR ALL LABOR AND MATERIAL REQUIRED FOR FURNISHING AND INSTALLING A NEW SALT WATER LINE AND TANK WITH PUMP AT THE NEPONSIT BEACH HOSPITAL FOR CHILDREN, SITUATED AT NEPONSIT LONG ISLAND, BOROUGH OF QUEENS, CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time allowed for the completion of all the work included under this contract is thirty (30) consecutive calendar days.

The security required for the faithful performance of the contract will be Six Hundred (\$600) Dollars. (Bonds not required with bids.)

As a condition precedent to the reception and consideration of a bid, a deposit of five (5) per cent. of the total amount of the bid must be made with the department, in accordance with Section 420 of the Greater New York Charter, as explained in general instructions, last page of City Record.

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

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

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Chief Clerk and Auditor, entrance 400 E. 29th st., Manhattan.

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

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

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

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 10, 1916.

FOR PROVIDING ALL LABOR AND MATERIALS NECESSARY OR REQUIRED FOR MAKING AND COMPLETING THE ALTERATIONS TO THE ADMINISTRATION BUILDING AT BELLEVUE HOSPITAL FOR THE FUTURE ALCOHOLIC WARD, SITUATED FROM 26TH TO 29TH STS., 1ST AVE. TO EAST RIVER, BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN, CITY OF NEW YORK.

The time allowed for the completion of all the work included under this contract is ninety (90) consecutive calendar days.

The security required for the faithful performance of the contract will be Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.) (Bonds not required with bids.)

As a condition precedent to the reception and consideration of a bid, a deposit of Twenty-five Dollars (\$25) must be made with the department, in accordance with Section 420 of the Greater New York Charter, as explained in general instructions, last page of City Record.

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

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

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Chief Clerk and Auditor, entrance 400 E. 29th st., Manhattan.

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

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

COURT HOUSE BOARD.

Notice of Sale of Buildings and Appurtenances Thereto, Sale No. 5.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Court House Board, by virtue of the powers vested in it by law, will offer for sale by sealed bids certain buildings and the appurtenances thereto belonging (including all machinery) standing upon the property owned by The City of New York, acquired for the site for the new Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

The following buildings will be offered for sale, which are more particularly described on certain maps on file in the office of the Court House Board, Room 1101, No. 115 Broadway, Manhattan.

PARCEL 25.
LOT A. DAMAGE MAP G 28—SOUTH-EAST CORNER PEARL ST. AND CITY HALL PL. NO. 483 PEARL ST. ONE THREE-STORY BRICK BUILDING WITH WOODEN EXTENSION.
LOT B. DAMAGE MAP G 29—NO. 483 PEARL ST. ONE FOUR-STORY BRICK BUILDING.
LOT C. DAMAGE MAP G 30—NO. 481 PEARL ST. ONE FOUR-STORY BRICK BUILDING.

Sealed bids will be accepted only upon forms to be obtained from the office of the Court House Board, enclosed in properly sealed envelopes, and will be received by the Secretary of the Board at Room 1101, No. 115 Broadway, Manhattan, not later than 2.30 p. m., on

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 8, 1916, and will be opened at the meeting of the Court House Board to be held at 2.30 p. m. on that day, and the award will thereafter be made and announced.

Bids must be per parcel, as above indicated. The award will be made at the discretion of the Board, per parcel, to the highest bidder.

Each bid must be accompanied by a deposit of cash or certified check, in a sum equal to twenty-five (25) per centum of the amount of the bid.

Deposits of unsuccessful bidders will be returned within twenty-four hours after successful bidder has paid purchase price in full and given security, and that of successful bidder may be declared forfeited upon the failure of the successful bidder to further comply with the requirements of the terms and conditions of the sale.

Successful bidder 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 the bid.

The Court House Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any defects or informalities in any bid.

All bids must state clearly (1) the parcel and lot number, and the damage map number, as above, of the buildings bid for, (2) the amount of the bid per parcel and per lot, (3) the full name and address of the bidder.

The buildings will be sold for removal immediately after possession is given to the purchaser, subject to the terms and conditions of the sale attached to the form of bid above referred to.

THE COURT HOUSE BOARD, L. LAFLIN KELLOGG, Chairman; WALTER LINDNER, Secretary; E. CLIFFORD POTTER, CHARLES STECKLER AND EZRA P. PRENTICE.

Dated, Oct. 24, 1916. o26,n6

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Notice to Present Claims for Damages.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO all persons claiming to have been injured by the grading of the following named streets, and the approaches to the same, to present their claims, in writing, to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors, Room 809, Municipal Building, Manhattan, New York, on or before Friday, Nov. 3, 1916, at 10 a. m. Claimants are requested to make their claims for damages upon the blank forms prepared by the Board of Assessors, copies of which may be obtained upon application at the above office:

Borough of Manhattan.
5221. Broadway, west side, between 73rd st. and 74th st.

5266. Service st. on the east side of Riverside Drive from a point about 585 feet north of W. 181st st. to W. 177th st.; W. 181st st. from Northern ave. to Riverside Drive; Haven ave., from W. 180th st. to W. 181st st.; and Northern ave. from a point about 100 feet south to a point about 84 feet north of W. 181st st.

5297. Water st., No. 236; Avenue C, Nos. 64, 66 and 148; Delancy st., No. 268; Division st., No. 193; Eighth ave., No. 2432; E. 48th st., No.

322; E. 54th st., Nos. 225-229; W. 55th st., No. 327; W. 58th st., No. 408; E. Houston st., No. 510; First ave., No. 954; E. 103rd st., Nos. 48-50 and 223-229; E. 107th st., No. 232; E. 110th st., No. 170; E. 125th st., No. 315; Suffolk st., No. 96; St. Nicholas ave., Nos. 602-604; Second ave., Nos. 1233 and 1888; E. 61st st., Nos. 415-417; E. 64th st., Nos. 200, 202, 422 and 424; W. 143rd st., Nos. 122-124; Third ave., No. 1877; E. 21st st., No. 326; E. 36th st., Nos. 200-202; W. 39th st., No. 277; and W. 31st st., No. 106.

5298. Bennett ave., from 181st st. to 184th st.
5299. Exterior st., from 67th st. to a point about 100 feet north.

5300. W. 178th st., from Northern ave. to Haven ave.

5301. Haven ave., from W. 178th st. to W. 179th st.

Borough of The Bronx.

5295. Undercliff ave., west side, north of Washington Bridge.

5296. Odell st., from Uniport rd. to Starling ave.

Borough of Queens.

5255. Liberty ave., from Brooklyn Borough Line to Ocean ave., Fourth Ward.

5325. John st., from Metropolitan ave. to Bleeker st. (Prospect pl.) Second Ward.

Borough of Brooklyn.

5275. Adams st., No. 267; Atlantic ave., Nos. 381 and 538; Concord st., No. 185; Clinton st., No. 572; Fleet pl., No. 115; Hoyt st., No. 76; Gold st., Nos. 294-298; Navy st., No. 93; Myrtle ave., No. 31; N. Oxford st., Nos. 2-10; N. Portland ave., No. 13; Pierrepont st., Nos. 59, 96 and 102; Prince st., No. 199; Raymond st., No. 75; Sands st., No. 174; Schermerhorn st., No. 338; State st., Nos. 212 and 380; Vanderbilt ave., No. 30; and York st., Nos. 59 and 61.

5276. Amity st., No. 46; Baltic st., Nos. 406-408; Bergen st., No. 263; Centre st., Nos. 179-187; Congress st., Nos. 86, 88 and 117; Dean st., No. 204; Hicks st., Nos. 279-283; Hoyt st., No. 126; Lacer st., Nos. 113-117; Nelson st., No. 106; Pacific st., Nos. 68-72; President st., Nos. 225-227; Schermerhorn st., Nos. 78-80; Sidney pl., No. 8; Third pl., No. 8; Van Brunt st., No. 448; W. 9th st., No. 140; Third ave., Nos. 665-667; Fifth ave., No. 701; and 14th st., No. 113.

5277. Beard st., No. 154; Bergen st., No. 189; Boliver st., Nos. 67 and 69; Clinton st., No. 566; Conover st., No. 143; Fleet pl., No. 21; Henry st., Nos. 139, 145, 147, 151 and 566; Hicks st., Nos. 50, 76 and 163; Lafayette st., Nos. 22 and 24; Pacific st., Nos. 265, 300, 302, 333 and 527; Prince st., No. 144; State st., No. 464; and Van Brunt st., No. 278.

5278. Flatbush ave., Nos. 487-489; Cropsey ave., northwest corner Bay 17th st.; Gates ave., No. 563; Hancock st., Nos. 323 and 355; Jefferson ave., Nos. 103, 69A, 171 and 174; Lexington ave., Nos. 308-310 and 546A; Madison st., No. 192A; Monroe st., Nos. 224, 308, 355, 432, 502A and 528; Nostrand ave., Nos. 470-478; Putnam ave., No. 295; Avenue T, No. 268; 12th ave., No. 3710; 13th ave., No. 4013; 17th ave., No. 8821; and 60th st., No. 1674.

5279. E. 18th st., from a line 100 feet south of Avenue K to Avenue L.

5280. Hinsdale st., from Riverdale ave. to Newport st.

5286. E. 34th st., from Church ave. to Snyder ave.

5289. 71st st., from 15th ave. to New Utrecht ave.

5291. Woodbine st., from Irving ave. to Knickerbocker ave.

5309. Bay 19th st., from 86th st. to Benson ave.

5310. 81st st., from 19th ave. to 21st ave.

5311. 77th st., from 5th ave. to 6th ave.

5312. 77th st., from Sixth ave. to Seventh ave.

5314. Henry st., from E. 8th st. to Ocean Parkway.

5315. Atkins ave., from Blake ave. to New Lots ave.

5316. Boerum st., from White st. to Bogart st.

5317. E. 40th st., from Church ave. to Snyder ave.

5318. Miller ave., from Crosby ave. to Highland Boulevard.

5319. 62d st., from 19th ave. to 20th ave.

5320. 66th st., from 13th ave. to New Utrecht ave.

5321. Rochester ave., from President st. to Eastern Parkway.

5322. 17th ave., from 65th st. to 67th st.

5323. Sutter ave., from E. 98th st. to Howard ave.

5324. 76th st., from 15th ave. to 16th ave.

A55. Bristol st., from Dumont ave. to 251 feet south of Riverdale ave.

A58. 83rd st., from 12th ave. to 13th ave.

A60. Nostrand ave., from Prospect pl. to Eastern Parkway.

A61. Palmetto st., from Knickerbocker ave. to Irving ave.

A64. Throop ave., from Floyd st. to Myrtle ave.

A68. President st., from Nevins st. to Third ave.

A70. 79th st., from 17th ave. to 18th ave.

A71. Argyle rd., from Foster ave. to Avenue H.

A76. Kent ave., from Hewes st. to Flushing ave.

A78. Rugby rd., from Foster ave. to Avenue H; and DeKoven Court, Waldorf Court and Wellington Court, from Rugby rd. to Brighton Beach Railroad.

A81. 71st st., from 136 feet east of 16th ave. to 165 feet east of 17th ave., and 72nd st., from 141 feet east of 16th ave. to 171 feet east of 17th ave.

A82. Warren st., from Columbia st. to Hicks st.

A83. Metz st., from Clinton ave. to Washington ave.

A87. 58th st., from Fourth ave. to Fifth ave.

A88. 60th st., from 18th ave. to 19th ave.

WILLIAM C. ORMOND, JACOB J. LESSER, ST. GEORGE B. TUCKER, Board of Assessors.

Oct. 11, 1916. o11,13,17,19,24,26,31,n2

Completion of Assessments.

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

Borough of Manhattan.

5265—Receiving Basins on E. 62nd st. adjacent to southwest corner Madison ave.; on W. 25th st., southeast corner 8th ave.; on Broadway, southwest corner W. 52nd st.; on W. 151st st., southeast corner of Broadway; on W. 49th st., southwest corner 8th ave.; on Broadway, southwest corner W. 49th st., and northwest corner W. 54th st.; on W. 55th st., southeast corner 8th ave.; on Broadway, northwest corner W. 53rd st., and southwest corner W. 51st st.; on W. 57th st., southeast corner of Broadway; on Broadway, southeast corner W. 55th st.; southeast corner W. 56th st.; northeast corner W. 51st st.; northwest corner W. 57th st.; northeast corner W. 47th st.; northeast corner W. 48th st.; northeast corner W. 49th st.; northeast corner W. 52nd st.; northeast corner W. 53rd st.; southeast corner W. 54th st., and northwest corner W. 56th st.; on W. 100th st., southwest corner West End ave.; and on E. 62nd st., southeast corner 3rd ave. and

southwest corner 2nd ave. Affecting blocks 774, 1019 to 1029, 1039, 1376, 1416, 1888 and 2082.

Borough of Queens.

5145—Regulating, Grading, Curbing and Flagging 4th ave., from Jackson ave. to Washington ave., First Ward, together with a list of awards for damages caused by a change of grade. Affecting blocks 68, 69, 74, 75, 125 and 126.

5271—Receiving basins and appurtenances on the southwest and northwest corners of Jamaica ave. and Sutphin rd., Fourth Ward. Affecting blocks 745, 1032 and 1036.

5274—Sewer and appurtenances in Atlantic ave., from Maure ave. to Spruce st. and in the south side of Atlantic ave., from Spruce st. to Birch st. Affecting blocks 147, 153 to 158, 205 to 214, 227 to 235, 278 to 292, 295, 297, 301, 487, 492, 495, 498, 501, 504, 506, 507, 509, 510, 513, 516, 519, 677 and 708, Fourth Ward, and Blocks 2143 and 2153, Second Ward.

Borough of Brooklyn.

4824—Regulating, Grading, Curbing and Flagging 61st st., from 12th ave. to New Utrecht ave., together with an award for damages caused by a change of grade. Affecting blocks 5718, 5719, 5725 and 5726.

5232—Paving and Curbing Bay Ridge pl., from Ovington ave. to a line about 100 feet northerly. Affecting block 5871.

5267—Regulating, Grading, Curbing, Flagging and Paving Albemarle rd., from Gravesend ave. to E. 3rd st. Affecting blocks 5324, 5325, 5334 and 5335.

5281—Grading the sidewalk space and laying sidewalks on Lincoln pl., between Buffalo and Rochester aves. Affecting blocks 1386 and 1392.

5285—Regulating, Grading and Curbing Devoise ave., between Benton (Jackson) st. and Maspeth ave. Affecting blocks 2885, 2886, 2894 and 2895.

5288—Regulating, Grading, Curbing and Flagging 7th ave., from 60th st. to 65th st. Affecting blocks 5784, 5785, 5793, 5794, 5802, 5803, 5811, 5812, 5820 and 5821.

5290—Regulating, Grading, Curbing and Flagging 23rd ave., from 79th st. to Stillwell ave. and 78th st., from 22nd ave. to 23rd ave. Affecting blocks 6253, 6265 and 6846.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above named proposed assessments, and who are opposed to the same or either of them, are requested to present their objections, in writing, to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors, Room 809, Municipal Building, Manhattan, New York, on or before Tuesday, November 28, 1916, at 10 a. m., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

WILLIAM C. ORMOND, JACOB J. LESSER, ST. GEORGE B. TUCKER, Board of Assessors.

Oct. 28, 1916. o28,n9

COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUND.

Notice of Public Hearing.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 372 of the Laws of 1907, and in accordance with resolution adopted Oct. 26, 1916, will hold a public hearing at 11 o'clock in the forenoon on Thursday, November 16, 1916, in Room 16, City Hall, Borough of Manhattan, relative to the proposed new plan for improvement of the waterfront at the foot of Main st., Borough of Brooklyn, made and adopted by the Commissioner of Docks in accordance with law Sept. 19, 1916.

The proposed new plan consists in the establishment of a marginal street, wharf or pier within the lines of Main st., prolonged northerly of Plymouth st. for a distance of 133 feet and also the establishment of a pier 40 feet in width along the westerly side of Main st., prolonged and extending from the marginal street to the pier-head line, and 30 feet in width along the exterior side of and outshore of the proposed marginal street.

Dated Oct. 26, 1916.

JOHN PURROY MITCHEL, Mayor, and Chairman, Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

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DEPARTMENT OF PARKS.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Park Board at the office of the Central Purchase Committee, Room 1220, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 2.30 p. m., on

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 1916,

Borough of Brooklyn.

FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING COAL.

The time for the performance of the contract is on or before Dec. 31, 1916.

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

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

The bidder will state the price per unit, as called for in the schedules of quantities and prices, by which the bids will be tested. The extensions must be made and footed up, as the bids will be read from the total and awards, if made, made to the lowest bidder on each item, as stated in the schedules.

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

Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Central Purchase Committee, 12th floor, Municipal Building, Manhattan.

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

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

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

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 1916,

Borough of Brooklyn.

NO. 1. FOR FURNISHING ALL LABOR AND MATERIALS (EXCEPT WOODEN PILES), REQUIRED TO EXTEND SEVEN (7) TIMBER GROYNES, AT SEASIDE PARK, FORMERLY DREAMLAND PARK, CONEY ISLAND, BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN.

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

The time allowed to complete the work will be sixty (60) consecutive working days.

Certified check or cash in the sum of Fifty Dollars (\$50) must accompany bid.

NO. 2. FOR PAVING WITH BITUMINOUS CONCRETE PAVEMENT, ON EXISTING GRAVEL BASE, THE INTERSECTIONS OF OCEAN PARKWAY, AT CHURCH AVE., REVERLY RD., CORELYOU RD., AND FOSTER AVE., BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN, TOGETHER WITH WORK INCIDENTAL THERETO.

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

The time allowed to complete the work will be twenty (20) consecutive working days.

Certified check or cash in the sum of Fifty Dollars (\$50) must accompany bid.

Blank forms and other information may be obtained at the office of the Department of Parks, Brooklyn, Litchfield Mansion, Prospect Park West and 5th st., Prospect Park, Brooklyn. The bids will be compared and each contract awarded at a lump or aggregate sum.

CABOT WARD, President; RAYMOND V. INGERSOLL, THOMAS W. WHITTLE, JOHN E. WEIER, Commissioners of Parks.

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

SUPREME COURT—FIRST DEPARTMENT.

Hearings on Qualifications.

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of EASTCHESTER ROAD, from Williamsbridge road to Laconia avenue; SEYMOUR AVENUE, from Eastchester road to Hicks street, and SACKET AVENUE, from the prolongation of the easterly line of Newport avenue to Eastchester road, in the 24th Ward, Borough of The Bronx, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Judicial District, dated October 26th, 1916, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Bronx on October 26, 1916, W. Russell Osborn was appointed Commissioner of Assessment in the above entitled proceeding, in the place and stead of Clarence C. Rogers, resigned.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN THAT, pursuant to the said order dated October 26, 1916, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Bronx on October 26, 1916, the said W. Russell Osborn will attend at a Special Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, First Judicial District, held in and for the County of Bronx, at the County Court House, in the Borough of The Bronx, in the City of New York, on the 15th day of November, 1916, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard thereon, for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York, or by any other person having any interest in the said proceeding, as to his qualifications to act as such commissioner.

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, October 16, 1916.

ABRAHAM M. SCHWARTZ, Chairman;
JAMES J. McMAHON, CHAS. J. CAVANAUGH, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment;
M. SCHWARTZ, Commissioner of Assessment.
JOEL J. SQUIER, Clerk. o20,n6

SUPREME COURT—SECOND DEPARTMENT.

Filing Bills of Costs.

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 WEST 24TH STREET, from Neptune avenue to Surf avenue, excluding the right-of-way of the New York and Coney Island Railroad; WEST 25TH STREET, from Neptune avenue to the mean high water line of the Atlantic Ocean, excluding the right-of-way of the N. Y. & Coney Island R. R. and WEST 23RD STREET, from the southerly limit of the land heretofore acquired to the mean high water line of the Atlantic Ocean, in the 31st Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, The 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, 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 10th day of November, 1916, 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 Kings, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by law.

Dated, New York, October 27, 1916.

LORING M. BLACK, JR., FRANCIS S. McDIVITT, WM. H. TAYLOR, Commissioners of Estimate; LORING M. BLACK, JR., Commissioner of Assessment.
ANDREW C. TROY, Clerk. o27,n8

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 WEST 37TH STREET, from the bulkhead line of Gravesend Bay to the mean high water line of the Atlantic Ocean, excluding the right-of-way of the New York and Coney Island Railroad, in the 31st Ward, Borough of Brooklyn, The 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, 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 10th day of November, 1916, 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 Kings, there to remain for and during the space of ten days, as required by law.

Dated, New York, October 27, 1916.

HIRAM THOMAS, ERNEST EGGERT, SOLOMON BARRANELL, Commissioners of Estimate; HIRAM THOMAS, Commissioner of Assessment.
ANDREW C. TROY, Clerk. o27,n8

Hearings on Qualifications.

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of CASPIAN STREET, from Andrews street to Metropolitan avenue; ZEILDER STREET, from Andrews street to Metropolitan avenue; and KING PLACE, from Caspian street to Metropolitan avenue in the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial District, dated October 19, 1916, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on October 20, 1916, Anton J. Dietrich was appointed a Commissioner of Estimate in the above entitled proceeding in the place and stead of Herbert R. Williams, deceased.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN THAT, pursuant to the said order dated October 19, 1916, and duly entered and filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Queens on February 20, 1916, the said Anton J. Dietrich will attend at a Special Term for the hearing of motions held at Trial Term, Part I of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial District, held in and for the County of Queens at the County Court House in the Borough of Queens in the City of New York on the 6th day of November, 1916, at the opening of the Court on that day or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon for the purpose of being examined under oath by the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York or by any other person having any interest in the said proceeding as to his qualification to act as such commissioner.

Dated, New York, October 25, 1916.

LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. o25,n4

Application for Appointment of Commissioners.

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 THEODORE STREET, from Astoria avenue (Flushing avenue) to the bulkhead line of the East River, in the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial District, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Trial Term, Part I, in the County Court House, in the County of Queens, in the Borough of Queens, in the City of New York, on the 6th day of November, 1916, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and a Commissioner of Assessment in the above entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York, in fee, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the

buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereunto belonging, required for the opening and extending of Theodore street, from Astoria avenue (Flushing Avenue) to the bulkhead line of the East River, in the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York. The real property title to which is proposed to be acquired is more particularly bounded and described as follows, to wit:

Parcel "A."
Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the northerly line of Astoria Avenue (Flushing Avenue) with the easterly line of Theodore street.

Running thence westerly for 81.69 feet along the northerly line of Astoria Avenue to the westerly line of Theodore street; thence northerly, deflecting to the right 121° 02' 06" for 709.83 feet along the westerly line of Theodore street to the southerly line of Potter Avenue; thence easterly, deflecting to the right 90° for 70.00 feet along the southerly line of Potter Avenue to the easterly line of Theodore street; thence southerly for 667.71 feet along the easterly line of Theodore street to the northerly line of Flushing Avenue, the point or place of beginning.

Parcel "B."
Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the northerly line of Potter Avenue with the easterly line of Theodore street.

Running thence westerly for 70.00 feet along the northerly line of Potter Avenue to the westerly line of Theodore street; thence northerly, deflecting to the right 90° for 800.13 feet along the westerly line of Theodore street to the southerly line of Ditmars Avenue; thence easterly, deflecting to the right 90° for 70 feet along the southerly line of Ditmars Avenue to the easterly line of Theodore street; thence southerly for 800.13 feet along the easterly line of Theodore street to the northerly line of Potter Avenue, the point or place of beginning.

Parcel "C."
Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the northerly line of Ditmars Avenue with the easterly line of Theodore street.

Running thence westerly for 70.00 feet along the northerly line of Ditmars Avenue to the westerly line of Theodore street; thence northerly, deflecting to the right 90° for 830.10 feet along the westerly line of Theodore street to the southerly line of Wolcott Avenue; thence easterly, deflecting to the right 90° for 70.00 feet along the southerly line of Wolcott Avenue to the easterly line of Theodore street; thence southerly for 830.10 feet along the easterly line of Theodore street to the northerly line of Ditmars Avenue, the point or place of beginning.

Parcel "D."
Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the northerly line of Wolcott Avenue with the easterly line of Theodore street.

Running thence westerly for 70.00 feet along the northerly line of Wolcott Avenue to the westerly line of Theodore street; thence northerly, deflecting to the right 90° for 800.11 feet along the westerly line of Theodore street to the southerly line of Winthrop Avenue; thence easterly, deflecting to the right 90° for 70.00 feet along the southerly line of Winthrop Avenue to the easterly line of Theodore street; thence southerly for 800.11 feet along the easterly line of Theodore street to the northerly line of Wolcott Avenue, the point or place of beginning.

Parcel "E."
Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the northerly line of Winthrop Avenue with the easterly line of Theodore street.

Running thence westerly for 70.00 feet along the northerly line of Winthrop Avenue to the westerly line of Theodore street; thence northerly, deflecting to the right 90° for 2,005.15 feet along the westerly line of Theodore street to the bulkhead line of the East River; thence easterly, deflecting to the right 90° for 70.00 feet along the bulkhead line of the East River to the easterly line of Theodore street; thence southerly for 2,005.15 feet along the easterly line of Theodore street to the northerly line of Winthrop Avenue, the point or place of beginning.

The property affected by the above proceeding is located in Block Nos. 234, 236, 237, 238, 239, 240, 241, 242, 243, 244, 245, 246, 247, 248, 250, 1108 of the Land Map of The City of New York, Borough of Queens.

Theodore street, extending from Astoria Avenue (Flushing Avenue) to the bulkhead line of the East River, in the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York, is laid down upon the Commissioners Map of Long Island City, filed at the office of the City Clerk of Long Island City December 31, 1875, as amended.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment by a resolution adopted on the 1st day of July, 1915, determined that the whole cost and expense of this proceeding shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby, and that the area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding be fixed and determined to be as follows:

Beginning at a point on the bulkhead line of the East River where it is intersected by a line midway between Steinway Avenue and Theodore street, running thence southeastwardly along the said bulkhead line to the intersection with a line midway between Theodore street and 15th Avenue; thence southwestwardly along the said line midway between Theodore street and 15th Avenue to the intersection with the center line of Berrian Avenue; thence northwestwardly along the center line of Berrian Avenue to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Theodore street and Purdy street; thence southwestwardly along the said line midway between Theodore street and Purdy street, and along the prolongations of the said line to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of Astoria Avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Astoria Avenue; thence westwardly along the said line parallel with Astoria Avenue to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between Theodore street and 11th Avenue; thence northeastwardly along the said line midway between Theodore street and 11th Avenue and along the prolongations of the said line to the intersection with the center line of Riker Avenue; thence northwestwardly along the center line of Riker Avenue to the intersection with a line midway between Steinway Avenue and Theodore street; thence northeastwardly along the said line midway between Steinway Avenue and Theodore street, to the point or place of beginning.

Dated, New York, October 25, 1916.

LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. o25,n4

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 CALDWELL AVENUE, from Harriet Avenue to Mazau Street, and from Corinth Avenue to Queens Boulevard, subject to the easements of the Main Line Division of the Long Island Railroad Company, in the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial District, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Trial Term, Part I, in the County Court

house, in the County of Queens, in the Borough of Queens, in The City of New York, on the 6th day of November, 1916, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and a Commissioner of Assessment in the above entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title by The City of New York, in fee, for the use of the public, to all lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereunto belonging, required for the opening and extending of Caldwell Avenue from Harriet Avenue to Mazau Street, and from Corinth Avenue to Queens Boulevard, subject to the easements of the Main Line Division of the Long Island Railroad Company, in the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York. The real property title to which is proposed to be acquired is more particularly bounded and described as follows, to wit:

Parcel "A."
Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the northerly line of Caldwell Avenue with the westerly line of Harriet Avenue.

Running thence easterly 207.50 feet along the northerly line of Caldwell Avenue to the southerly line of Brown Place; thence easterly, deflecting to the left 2° 19' 36" for 64.61 feet along the northerly line of Caldwell Avenue to the northerly line of Brown Place; thence easterly, deflecting to the right 2° 13' 22" for 478.55 feet along the northerly line of Caldwell Avenue to the westerly line of Firth Avenue; thence easterly, deflecting to the right 0° 03' 15" for 75.00 feet along the northerly line of Caldwell Avenue to the easterly line of Firth Avenue; thence easterly, deflecting to the right 0° 26' 54" for 719.53 feet along the northerly line of Caldwell Avenue to the westerly line of Maiden Lane (Mazeau Street); thence southeasterly, deflecting to the right 73° 43' 20" for 62.51 feet to the intersection of the southerly line of Caldwell Avenue prolonged eastwardly to the southerly line of old Johnson Avenue (Caldwell Avenue); thence westerly, deflecting to the right 106° 16' 40" for 735.95 feet along the southerly line of Caldwell Avenue to the easterly line of Firth Avenue; thence westerly, deflecting to the left 0° 26' 37" for 75.00 feet along the southerly line of Caldwell Avenue to the westerly line of Firth Avenue; thence westerly, deflecting to the left 0° 03' 32" for 400.98 feet along the southerly line of Caldwell Avenue to the easterly line of Juniper Avenue; thence westerly, deflecting to the left 1° 38' 42" for 89.54 feet along the southerly line of Caldwell Avenue to the southerly line of Brown Place; thence westerly, deflecting to the right 1° 45' 55" for 264.20 feet along the southerly line of Caldwell Avenue to the westerly line of Harriet Avenue; thence northerly for 60.10 feet along the westerly line of Harriet Avenue to the northerly line of Caldwell Avenue, the point or place of beginning.

Parcel "B."
Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the southeasterly line of Caldwell Avenue with the northeasterly line of Corinth Avenue.

Running thence northwesterly for 60.03 feet along the northeasterly line of Corinth Avenue to the northwesterly line of Caldwell Avenue.

Running thence northwesterly, deflecting to the right 88° 15' 02" for 2,579.45 feet along the northwesterly line of Caldwell Avenue to the

southerly line of Queens Boulevard; thence easterly on the arc of a circle concave to the north, the tangent to which deflects 65° 26' 20" from the last mentioned course, the radius of which is 1,609.91 feet for 12.53 feet along the southerly line of Queens Boulevard; thence easterly on a tangent to the last-mentioned course for 23.02 feet along the southerly line of Queens Boulevard; thence southerly, deflecting to the right 90° for 2.68 feet along the westerly line of Queens Boulevard to the southerly line of Queens Boulevard; thence easterly, deflecting to the left 90° 41' 09" for 29.56 feet along the southerly line of Queens Boulevard to the southerly line of Caldwell Avenue; thence southeasterly for 2,606.64 feet along the southeasterly line of Caldwell Avenue to the northeasterly line of Corinth Avenue, the point or place of beginning.

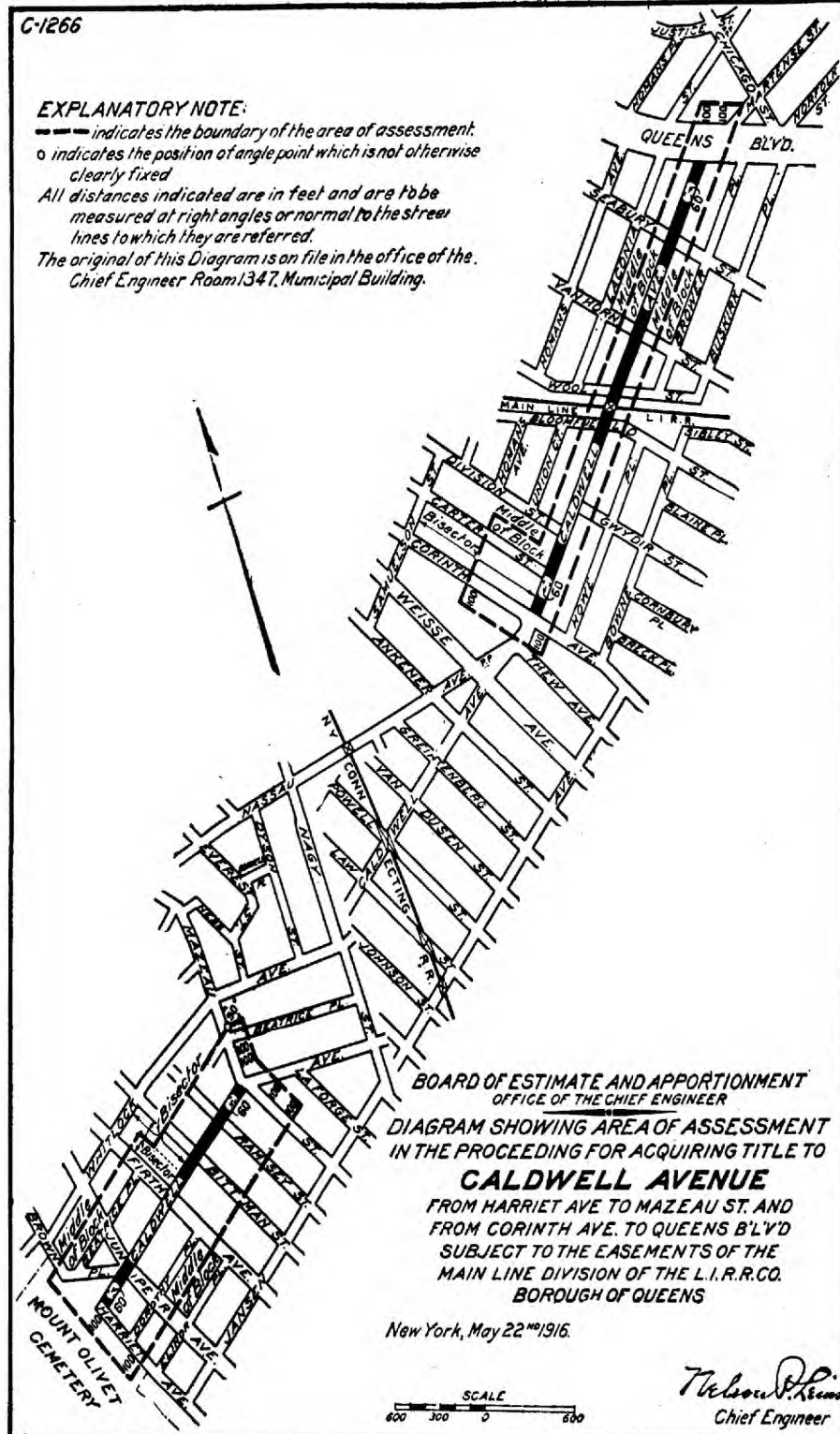
The property affected by the above proceeding is located in Blocks 2017, 2016, 2910, 2911, 2912, 2018, 2019, 2909, 2908, 2907, 2925-2930, inclusive, 2893, 2892, 2889, 2888, 2887 of the Land Map of the City of New York, Borough of Queens.

Caldwell Avenue, extending from Harriet Avenue to Mazau Street, and from Corinth Avenue to Queens Boulevard, in the Second Ward, Borough of Queens, City of New York, is laid down upon the following maps:

Section No. 17; adopted by Board of Estimate and Apportionment June 26, 1908; approved by Mayor Aug. 5, 1908; filed at Borough President's Office, Queens, Sept. 11, 1908; filed at County Clerk's Office, Queens, Aug. 14, 1908; filed at Corporation Counsel's Office, Aug. 19, 1908. Section 26; adopted by Board of Estimate and Apportionment May 20, 1910; approved by Mayor May 25, 1910; filed at Borough President's Office, Queens, Aug. 23, 1910; filed at County Clerk's Office, Queens, Aug. 23, 1910; filed at Corporation Counsel's Office, Aug. 18, 1910. Section 27; adopted by Board of Estimate and Apportionment Dec. 17, 1909; approved by Mayor Dec. 22, 1909; filed at Borough President's Office, Queens, Feb. 5, 1910; filed at County Clerk's Office, Queens, Feb. 3, 1910; filed at Corporation Counsel's Office, Feb. 3, 1910.

as amended by the following: Map of territory bounded by Grand street, Ramsey street, Whitlock Avenue, etc., approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment May 15, 1913; by the Mayor May 27, 1913, copies of which were filed at the office of the President of the Borough of Queens July 11, 1913; at the office of the County Clerk of Queens County at Jamaica July 11, 1913, and at the office of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York July 10, 1913, and Map of territory bounded by Grand street, Calamus Avenue, Division Avenue, Homans Avenue, etc., approved by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment July 1, 1915; by the Mayor July 1, 1915, copies of which were filed at the office of the President of the Borough of Queens October 22, 1915; at the office of the County Clerk of Queens County at Jamaica October 21, 1915, and at the office of the Corporation Counsel of The City of New York October 20, 1915.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment by a resolution adopted on the 30th day of June, 1916, determined that the whole cost and expense of this proceeding shall be assessed upon the property deemed to be benefited thereby, and that the area of assessment for benefit in this proceeding be fixed and determined to be shown on the following diagram:



Dated New York, October 25, 1916.

LAMAR HARDY, Corporation Counsel, Municipal Building, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York. o25,n4

Filing Preliminary Abstracts.

In the Matter of the Application of The City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired for the same purpose in fee, to the lands, tenements and hereditaments required for the opening and extending of EAST 12TH STREET, from Avenue H to Avenue T; EAST 13TH STREET, from Avenue H to Avenue T, and from Gravesend Neck road to the northwesterly right-of-way line of the Brooklyn and Brighton Beach Railroad, this coinciding with the southeasterly boundary

of Damage Parcel No. 407; EAST 14TH STREET, from Avenue D to Foster Avenue, and from Avenue H to Kings Highway, and from Avenue V to Gravesend Neck road; EAST 15TH STREET, from Avenue H to Kings Highway, and from the southerly line of the land heretofore acquired for water supply purposes north of Avenue V to Emmons Avenue, excluding from each street the right-of-way of the Long Island Railroad, in the 29th and 31st Wards, Borough of Brooklyn, City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL PERSONS interested in the above-entitled proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That the undersigned, Commissioners of Estimate, have completed their estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections, in writing duly verified, with them at their office, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, on or before the 20th day of November, 1916, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at their said office on the 21st day of November, 1916, at two o'clock p. m.

Second—That the undersigned, Commissioner of Assessment, has completed his estimate of benefit and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections, in writing duly verified, with him at his office, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, on or before the 20th day of November, 1916, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 22nd day of November, 1916, at two o'clock p. m.

Third—That the Commissioner of Assessments has assessed any or all of such lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises as are within the area of assessment fixed and prescribed as the area of assessment for benefit by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 27th day of March, 1914, and that the said area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

1. Bounded on the north by a line distant 100 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly line of Dorchester road, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Dorchester road; on the east by a line midway between East 14th street and East 15th street; on the south by a line distant 100 feet southerly from and parallel with the southerly line of Foster avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to the line of Foster avenue; and on the west by a line midway between East 13th street and East 14th street.

2. Beginning at a point on a line midway between East 15th street and East 16th street distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Avenue H, and running thence southwardly along a line midway between East 15th street and East 16th street, as these streets were laid out prior to January 1, 1914, to a point distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Avenue Q to the intersection with a line midway between East 13th street and East 14th street; thence southwardly along the said line midway between East 13th street and East 14th street to a point distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Avenue T to the intersection with a line midway between East 12th street and Coney Island avenue; thence northwardly and always midway between East 12th street and Coney Island avenue to a point distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Avenue H; thence eastwardly and parallel with Avenue H to the point or place of beginning.

3. Beginning at a point on a line midway between East 15th street and East 16th street distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Avenue V and running thence southwardly along the said line midway between East 15th street and East 16th street and along the prolongations of the said line to a point distant 100 feet southerly from the southerly line of Emmons avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Emmons avenue; thence westwardly and parallel with Emmons avenue to the intersection with the prolongation of a line midway between East 14th street and East 15th street; thence northwardly along the said line midway between East 14th street and East 15th street to the center line of Avenue W; thence westwardly along the center line of Avenue W to the intersection with a line midway between East 13th street and East 14th street; thence southwardly along the said line midway between East 13th street and East 14th street and along the prolongation of the said line to the intersection with the northwesterly right of way line of the Brooklyn and Brighton Beach Railroad; thence southwardly along the said right of way line to the intersection with a line midway between East 13th street and Homecrest avenue; thence northwardly along the said line midway between East 13th street and Homecrest avenue to the intersection with a line distant 100 feet northerly from and parallel with the northerly line of Gravesend Neck road, the said distance being measured at right angles to Gravesend Neck road; thence eastwardly along the said line parallel with Gravesend Neck road to the intersection with a line midway between East 13th street and East 14th street; thence northwardly along the said line midway between East 13th street and East 14th street to a point distant 100 feet northerly from the northerly line of Avenue V; thence eastwardly and parallel with Avenue V to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That the abstracts of said estimate of damage and of said assessment for benefit, together with the damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by the Commissioners of Estimate and by the Commissioner of Assessment in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of the City of New York, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in said City, there to remain until the 1st day of December, 1916.

Fifth—That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said abstracts, the reports as to awards and as to assessments for benefit herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, on the 28th day of December, 1916, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Sixth—In case, however, objections are filed to the foregoing abstracts of estimate and assessment, or to either of them the motion to confirm the reports as to awards and as to assessments shall stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified in the notice provided in such cases to be given in relation to filing the final reports, pursuant to Sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by Chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated, New York, November 1, 1916.
FRANCIS STOCKTON McDIVITT, ED.
WARD T. WALSH, WM. H. TAYLOR, Commissioners of Estimate; EDWARD T. WALSH, Commissioner of Assessment.
ANDREW C. TROY, Clerk. n1,18

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 AVENUE Q, from Stillwell avenue to Gravesend avenue, and from Ocean Parkway to the westerly line of East 12th street, excepting the right-of-way of the New York and Sea Beach Railroad;

WEST 7TH STREET, from Avenue Q to Kings Highway; WEST 8TH STREET, from Avenue Q to Kings Highway, and WEST 9TH STREET, from Avenue Q to Kings Highway, in the 30th and 31st Wards, Borough of Brooklyn, The City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL PERSONS interested in the above-entitled proceeding, and to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved and unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That the undersigned, Commissioners of Estimate, have completed their estimate of damage, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections, in writing duly verified, with them at their office, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, on or before the 8th day of November, 1916, and that the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at their said office on the 9th day of November, 1916, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the undersigned, Commissioner of Assessment, has completed his estimate of benefit and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises affected thereby, having any objection thereto, do file their said objections, in writing duly verified, with him at his office, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, on or before the 8th day of November, 1916, and that the said Commissioner will hear parties so objecting, and for that purpose will be in attendance at his said office on the 10th day of November, 1916, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Third—That the Commissioner of Assessments has assessed any or all of such lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises as are within the area of assessment fixed and prescribed as the area of assessment for benefit by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on the 29th day of November, 1911, and that the said area of assessment includes all those lands, tenements and hereditaments and premises situate and being in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.:

1. Bounded on the north by a line midway between Avenue P and Avenue Q and by the prolongation of the said line; on the east by a line midway between East 2d street and East 3d street; on the south by a line midway between Avenue Q and Avenue R as these streets are laid out adjoining Stillwell avenue, and by the prolongations of the said line; and on the west by a line distant 100 feet westerly from and parallel with the westerly line of Stillwell avenue, the said distance being measured at right angles to Stillwell avenue.

2. Bounded on the north by a line midway between Avenue P and Avenue Q; on the east by a line always distant 100 feet easterly from and parallel with the easterly line of East 12th street, the said distance being measured at right angles to East 12th street; on the south by a line midway between Avenue Q and Avenue R as these streets are laid out between Ocean parkway and East 7th street and by the prolongations of the said line; and on the west by a line midway between East 5th street and Ocean Parkway.

Fourth—That the abstracts of said estimate of damage and of said assessment for benefit, together with the damage and benefit maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, proofs and other documents used by the Commissioners of Estimate and by the Commissioner of Assessment in making the same, have been deposited in the Bureau of Street Openings in the Law Department of the City of New York, No. 166 Montague street, in the Borough of Brooklyn, in said City, there to remain until the 17th day of November, 1916.

Fifth—That, provided there be no objections filed to either of said abstracts, the reports as to awards and as to assessments for benefit herein will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Department, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in the County Court House in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, on the 20th day of December, 1916, at the opening of the Court on that day.

Sixth—In case, however, objections are filed to the foregoing abstracts of estimate and assessment, or to either of them the motion to confirm the reports as to awards and as to assessments shall stand adjourned to the date to be hereafter specified in the notice provided in such cases to be given in relation to filing the final reports, pursuant to Sections 981 and 984 of the Greater New York Charter, as amended by Chapter 658 of the Laws of 1906.

Dated, New York, October 18, 1916.
FRANCIS X. CARMODY, WALTER F. CLAYTON, F. A. M. BURELL, Commissioners of Estimate; FRANCIS X. CARMODY, Commissioner of Assessment.
ANDREW C. TROY, Clerk. o18,n3

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES.

Proposals.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES WILL BE received by the Department of Public Charities, 10th floor, Municipal Building, Manhattan, until 10.30 a. m., on

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 1916.
FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR CONTRACT NO. 2, PLUMBING WORK, ETC.; FOR REPAIRS AND REPLACEMENTS TO CERTAIN BUILDINGS IN THE NEW YORK CITY HOSPITAL DISTRICT, BLACKWELLS ISLAND, CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

The security required for Contract No. 2 will be five hundred dollars (\$500).

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

Certified check or cash in the sum of Twenty-five Dollars (\$25) must accompany bid. Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Purchasing Agent of the Department, 10th floor, Municipal Building, Manhattan, where plans and specifications may be seen.

JOHN A. KINGSBURY, Commissioner.
Dated, Oct. 21, 1916. o23,n2
See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

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THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 1916.
FOR FURNISHING ALL THE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED FOR CONTRACT NO. 2, PLUMBING WORK, ETC.; FOR REPAIRS AND REPLACEMENTS TO CERTAIN BUILDINGS IN THE NEW YORK CITY HOME DISTRICT, BLACKWELLS ISLAND, CITY OF NEW YORK.

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

The security required for Contract No. 2 will be six hundred dollars (\$600).

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

Certified check or cash in the sum of thirty dollars (\$30) must accompany bid. Blank forms and further information may be obtained at the office of the Purchasing Agent of the Department, 10th floor, Municipal Building, Manhattan, where plans and specifications may be seen.

JOHN A. KINGSBURY, Commissioner.
Dated, Oct. 21, 1916. o23,n2
See General Instructions to Bidders on last page, last column, of the "City Record."

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

PROPERTY OWNERS, NOTICE!

The annual Record of the Assessed Valuation of Real Estate in the City of New York for 1917 will be open for inspection, examination, and correction from

OCTOBER 2 until, but not including, NOVEMBER 16, 1916.

The annual Record of Assessed Valuation of Personal Estate for the City of New York for 1917 will be open for inspection, examination, and correction from

OCTOBER 2 until, but not including, DECEMBER 1, 1916.

During the time the books are open for public inspection application may be made to the Department of Taxes and Assessments by any person or corporation claiming to be aggrieved by the assessed valuation to have it corrected.

Applications for the reduction of Real Estate assessments must be made in writing and should be upon blanks furnished by the Department.

Applications for the correction of the Personal assessments of corporations must be filed at the main office in the Borough of Manhattan.

Applications in relation to the assessed valuation of Personal Estate must be made by the person assessed at the office of the Department, in the Borough where such person resides, and in case of a non-resident carrying on business in the City of New York, at the office of the Department in the Borough where such place of business is located, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 2 p. m., except on Saturdays, when all applications must be made between 10 a. m. and 12 noon.

LOCATION OF OFFICES.
Manhattan—Main Office, Municipal Building, Ninth Floor.

Bronx—Bergen Building, Tremont and Arthur avenues.

Brooklyn—Offerman Building, Duffield and Fulton streets.

Queens—Court House Square, L. I. City.
Richmond—Borough Hall, New Brighton, S. I.
LAWSON PURDY, President; JOHN J. HALERAN, CHAS. T. WHITE, COLLIN H. WOODWARD, ARDOLPH L. KLINE, FRED. ERIC B. SHIPLEY, JOHN J. KNEWITZ, Commissioners. a27,d2

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 will 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 watchman or the workmen engaged in the actual demolition thereof, shall 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 purchase of the building.

Failure to remove said buildings, appurte-

nances, or any part thereof, within thirty days from the day of possession will work forfeiture of ownership of such buildings, appurtenances or portions as shall then be left standing, together with all moneys paid by said purchaser on account thereof at the time of the sale, and the bidder's assent to the above conditions being understood to be implied by the act of bidding, and The City of New York will, without notice to the purchaser, cause the same to be removed, and the cost and expense thereof charged against the security above mentioned.

The work of removal must be carried on in every respect in a thorough and workmanlike manner, and must be completed within thirty days from the day of possession, and the successful bidder will provide and furnish all materials of labor and machinery necessary thereto, and will place proper and sufficient guards and fences and warning signs by day and night for the prevention of accidents, and will indemnify and save harmless The City of New York, its officers, agents and servants, and each of them, against any and all suits and actions, claims and demands of every name and description brought against it, them or any of them, and against and from all damage and costs to which it, they or any of them be put by reason of injury to the person or property of another, resulting from negligence or carelessness in the performance of the work, or in guarding the same, or from any improper or defective materials or machinery, implements or appliances used in the removal of said buildings.

Where party walls are found to exist between buildings purchased by different bidders, the materials of said party walls shall be understood to be equally divided between the separate purchasers.

Party walls and fences, when existing against adjacent property not sold, shall not be taken down. All furnishings, plaster, chimneys, projecting brick, etc., on the faces of such party walls are to be taken down and removed. The walls shall be made permanently self-supporting, beam holes, etc., bricked up, and the wall pointed and made to exclude wind and rain and present a clean exterior. The roofs and adjacent buildings shall be properly flashed and painted and made watertight where they have been disturbed by the operations of the Contractor.

"No buildings, parts of buildings, fixtures or machinery sold for removal under these terms and conditions, shall in any case be re-located or re-erected within the lines of any proposed street or other public improvement, and if any such buildings, parts of buildings, fixtures or machinery, etc., shall be re-located or re-erected within the lines of any proposed street or other public improvement, title thereto shall thereupon become vested in The City of New York and a resale at public or private sale may be made in the same manner as if no prior sale thereof had been made."

The Comptroller of The City of New York reserves the right on the day of sale to withdraw from sale any of the buildings, parts of buildings and machinery included therein, or to reject any and all bids; and be it further

Resolved, That while the said sale is held under the supervision of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, the Comptroller is authorized to cause the sale to be advertised and to direct the sale thereof as financial officer of the City.

PROPOSALS FOR BIDS AND ESTIMATES FOR THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS.

The person or persons making a bid or estimate for any services, work, materials or supplies for The City of New York, or for any of its departments, bureaus or officers, shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed with the title of the supplies, materials, work or services for which the bid or estimate is made, with his or 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 therein 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 or 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.